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(To Dr. F. J. Shepherd)

131 South 15th St., (Phila)
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Dear Shepherd

So glad to hear from you. Such a budget of Canadian letters came in on Tuesday afternoon and not two minutes after Sutherland, Mills & Thornton. We had a very pleasant evening together - such fun over the Exam papers in McGill Gazette which also came in at the same time. Mills took them in very good part. Poor devil! I am sorry for him. I doubt if he will ever assimilate and I think some position away from Doctors would be more suitable. Sorry you will not be down this spring. Get Ross to join Gardner; it will do him good. I wish he would get away to England or France & drop a great deal of his 2nd class work. As usual, I have been used much better than my deserts. I mean in connection with the lectures. It is a pity that I had not the appointment last year but anyone can see that they are virtually Montreal lectures. The more I see here the more I think of the great advantages of the M.G.H. and the general condition of things medical. So glad to hear from Howard that there are prospects of an addition this summer. I am well in harness again and can scarcely realize that I have been away. Love to the children. Best regards to the Frau. If you ever come across anything special with reference to the general and special evolution of the profession let me know. I am thinking of some such subject for my address in August.

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Yours sincerely

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