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P.S. Senn's flight does not seem to have ruined him. spoke enthusiastically of him yesterday.

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Dear old Man

I hope you are all well again - sound at bottom. The die is cast. I go to J. H. in May. You must pay me an annual visit & I hope to be able to treat you better than I did here. Do me two favors.

1. Write me what you know - not more than 1 vol. of the ~~Friend~~ family, good & bad, a private and confidential communication which will not be used in any way against the poor fellow. Have you heard how he is getting on?

2. That psorosperm specimen - Have you the rabbit or pieces? Write me a little note of the same des. of the tumors, & send a bit of the muscle if you can.

Yours,
Wm. Osler.

So he was to have about six months away and the transition did not disturb him very much for his possession as in 1875 and 1884 were chiefly in his head - and heart - and though a man might be said to be not a possession. President Gilman who himself was not particularly sure to himself, in his expression of feeling must have cogitated over Osler's note evidently in reply to his cordial welcome - but what more was there to say?