

(Handwriting)

(W. O. to H. A. Lafleur)

1 West Franklin St

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Dear Lafleur

I wish you were here this evening Thayer & little Billie are reading in comfortable chairs & the former has just been reciting Lowells commemoration ode. We have had a very sad week. Poor Emory went off suddenly in an attack of Angina which began at 3⁵⁰ on Monday, & continued severely thro the night. In the morning he was better & passed the day comfortably. On Wednesday am, a few minutes after I had seen him & while Thayer, & the faithful Gus were helping him off the commode, he fell over on the bed & died in a few moments. He was buried at Waverly - Barker & I went down to the funeral. We shall all miss him very much - there was a good heart beneath the rough exterior. I hope by this time you have the 2nd edition of my text book - there was an unfortunate delay in the binding & distributing.

Love to all the boys -

Yours ^msin^{ly}
W Osler

Willie & Thayer & Mrs. Osler
send love