FROM THE REGIUS PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE, OXFORD. June 12, 1906.

Dear Macallum:

I am sorry you have had trouble about the subsidies. I think an erroneous impression got abroad through the B.A.A.S. experiences. I am so glad to hear from Adami this week that Aschoff has taken his passage. He is a very strong card and the best of the younger men in Germany. I wrote to Mackenzie the other day, asking who was to look after Aschoff. He speaks English perfectly. I think it would be nice to pay his travelling expenses all the way. He has not, of course, a large salary, and he is just moving to Freyburg. I am making arrangements in New York to have him met and taken care of, so that he will have no expenses there. I do not think there is any chance for Gotch. I will attack him again. Horsley was operated on for appendicitis last week. It has been an old trouble, and I do not think it will interfere with his trip, though Lady Horley said their plans were somewhat uncertain.

I have had some communication with Whitney on the subject of the Presidency, but I am not a suitable man for such a position at all, not having special executive ability. Why should they not take you? If they cannot settle upon a Canadian, there is a man here called Garrens, who practically runs the University. He married a Canadian woman, and is a man of very wide sympathies.

I sail August the 4th on the 'Campagnia.'

Sincerely yours,

W Osler

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