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To: SIR JOHN MACALISTER.

Letter Typewritten.

13, Norham Gardens,
Oxford.

May 21st, 1908.

Dear MacAlister:

I am just back from Cardiff and find your telegram and letter. I was depending upon a mutual friend who said he would let me know at once when Mr. Morgan returned. Instead of the ordinary typewritten letter I thought it would be much better to send him a statement in print and I enclose you a proof in which you will see there are a number of lacunae. Please look over it and return at your earliest convenience. I will write at once and ask for an appointment for [Sir William] Church and myself. I have had a long letter from Kinnicut, a warm personal friend of J.P.M., who has already written to him. I am afraid it will be hard to push matters. From what his friend says, he is not a man to be hurried in these matters. He brooded some months over the Harvard bequest. . .

Sincerely yours,

Wm. Osler.

Thus he encouraged interest in worthy causes his American friends were wise to do. One fathers Henry Phipps, apparently finds him, with an article on a tabood subject & "Thanks ~~for the trouble~~

So sincere for the article" he replies" but it gives only one side. Can ——— supply!"

Who with this letter was becoming interested in the establishment of a Psychiatric clinic at the Johns Hopkins