## TO SIR JOHN MACALISTER.

Letter Typewritten.

13 Norham Gardens, Oxford.

June 28th. 1908.

Dear MacAlister,

I had a letter from Carnegie this week, in which he says that he is only interested in the question of free public libraries and could not undertake to help us. I have written again urging the claims of the library from the standpoint that as far as the public goes it is a free library and calling attention to the extraordinary increase in its use during the past years. Mr. Morgan left hurriedly and unexpectedly for a week in New York. This is most unfortunate.

Sincerely yours,

Wm. Osler.