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(Letter to Dr. C.N.B.Camac)

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13, NORHAM GARDENS,
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Dear Camac

We got back last eve and prowling among the pile of books on the sofa I came across your fine volume I had not any idea that it was out. Hearty congratulations! it is A.1. A for the format & l for the matter. It represents a good deal of work, but I think you will be repaid. In the first place you have put together in one volume scattered materials which are very difficult to get at; then you have selected the really great events, and lastly you have let the tale tell itself which is a great matter, I think Lister will be very pleased - His letter is excellent

We have had a splendid winter. Italy was a treat - I saw Rome, but a month is too short a time. Still I have an idea and can go back with intelligence. Florence is most seductive. The Medici Library is the most wonder collection I have ever seen - & in the shelves & desks made by Michael Angelo!, Bologna was a great treat. The Unive. ~~cont~~ is unique. I have photos of it for you. Padua was a ~~bat~~ disappointing - Ichabod is written on the portals I sail next week, so you may have a telephone call any day after the receipt of this. I shall be in N. Y. a few days & then go on to Phil. Boston & Baltimore. We shall have many things to talk about. I hope Mrs. Camac & the lassies are well. Mrs. McCagg is here with us & sends her greetings. Mrs. Osler sends love. Tommy is well & fat.

Yours ever

WM OSLER