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Dear Remsen

I spent a couple of hours yesterday with the chancellor of this ancient university (10th cent.) The teaching is all in the open - & all on the Koran & its commentators. A little geography, law &c. There are 12000 students from all parts of the Moslem world. Students stay 1, 10 & even 20 years. It takes a life-course to know the Koran. An extraordinary religion & with great potency. Greetings to Mrs. Remson & the Dr.

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