

From the Regius Professor of Medicine, Oxford.

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Dear Parfitt,

So nice to hear from you, and to know that you are all well. I wish I could see you all, and particularly Patsy. I hope Caroline is better by this time. Sorry to hear of your mother's death - so fortunate it was a peaceful ending.

As you may suppose, we are very busy. Lasy Osler is looking after a great many Belgian professors. I am knocking about, and seeing a great deal of interest in the hospitals. Revere came up to Christ Church this term, has been in the Officers' Training Corps, and is now going into the Universities and Public Schools Regiment to get some additional training before he applies for a commission. He has become devoted to art and literature, and is following in my footsteps in a love for books. My library grows apace, largely owing to the kindness of my brother E.B., who has given me several fat cheques for the purpose.

Love to you all, and best wishes for the New Year.

Ever yours,

W. O.