

(To Dr. W. G. MacCallum)

From the Regius Professor of Medicine, Oxford.

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Dear Mac

I hear from inside sources that you are to be Welch's successor - most fitting in every way! No one of his men so much deserves the post. It will be a fine thing for the school. You have the broader outlook in the subject than so many of the men in the group that followed you. How pleased your father will be - and Dr. Malloch - tho he will be sorry to be left alone in N.Y. Poor Jack! how rejoiced he would have been.

All goes well and we are happy to have Revere back for 10 days after 7 mos. absence in the Ancre and recently thro all this heavy Arras fighting. He went away a boy and has returned a burly hardened man - hands like a navies and cheeks like leather. He had not slept in a bed since October 10th. He likes the artillery work and is with A. I. men, so we have to be thankful.

Yours ever

Greetings to your father.

Wm. Osler