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THE CITY TEMPLE,  
LONDON, E. C. 4.

21st June, 1919.

Sir William Osler, Bart., M.D.,  
13, Norham Gardens,  
Oxford.

Dear Sir,

The City Temple Literary Society.  
Session 1919-20.

The above Society, whose activities were temporarily suspended during the War, has now been revived under the Presidentship of the Rev. J. Fort Newton, D.Litt., D.D., and, therefore, in circumstances most favourable to the return of its old prosperity.

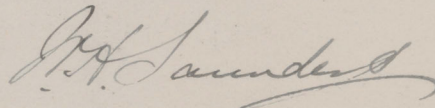
In the preparation of the syllabus for the coming session our ambition is to provide a series of lectures by well-known men and women of the day, on topics of varied interest, in keeping with the Society's past record. It is felt that the inclusion of your name in our programme would greatly assist this object, and I am desired by Dr. Fort Newton and my Committee to enquire whether you would be good enough to accept this invitation.

The Society, which expects soon to re-establish its former large membership, will meet in The City Temple on Thursday of each week during the session, at 7 p.m. If your engagements permit, we should like your lecture to be delivered on the 4th March 1920. Should this date be unsuitable to you, perhaps you would kindly suggest two or more alternative dates (Thursdays) between the 13th November<sup>next</sup> and the 25th March 1920, inclusive, from which we could make a selection.

For your subject we would take the liberty of suggesting "Oliver Wendell Holmes," unless, of course, you would prefer a different theme, and should you accept this cordial invitation to address our Society I should be glad to know the title of your lecture for insertion in the programme.

An early reply would be appreciated.

Yours faithfully,



Hon. Secretary.

WO<sup>s</sup> - reply