

C O P Y

Jersey, 6th (Aug, 1919)

Dear G. Cheyne (Shattuck)

Thanks for your birthday congratulations. What F.C. and Thayer write pleased me most. 'Tis lucky I have senile Osteo-sclerosis of the parietal bones! This is a wonderful spot- such rocks and sea, beats Bar Harbor and not a soul to speak to! Did I tell you I got a great haul of Johannes Müllers original papers? He comes in my Bibleothecaprima. A gem came as a birthday present- the original Fitzgerald Omar 1859, in the paper cover and a presentation copy to Max Müller.

I am sweating at a new edition of my text-book now long over due. I have knocked the Nervous System to pieces and written new sections. McCrae is helping me with the ed.

Have you got a copy of Jacob Bigelow's big poem? He wrote some good verses. The Amer. Rejected addresses have some fine lines.

I still lack the B. M. & S. Jr. for the Ether period. The Cocaine and Twilight Sleep original papers came in just before we left home.

Love to you all.

Yours,  
Wm. Osler.

P.S. Did I ask F.C. when I wrote if he had seen the Cambridge History of American Literature? We have been reading it with great interest.