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Dr. Wilder Penfield,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Penfield:

I should have written you before this, but have been again under the weather and also out of town. However, finally a memorandum has been laid before the Governors, who have raised certain objections as to the financial side of the matter, and I think it will be necessary for me to find the money through private subscriptions, which I confidently expect to be able to do. There is another difficulty about sufficient space. I have myself gone into this carefully, and it appears that there is really no more room in the Pathological Institute than the large room which Professor Oertel showed you. I calculate that this can be easily divided into three or four small rooms. I can not, however, find any more space in the Hospital, for laboratory accommodation, but I can offer you the large room adjoining my office in the College, which is just across the road. I am asking for a personal interview with the Governors to discuss all these points, and I hope to write you again shortly.

All best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Yours sincerely,

Edward Archibald