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Dear Fred:

I noticed an article about your being inaugerated as President of the College of Surgeons in Chicago and saw a picture of you and Harold Foss this morning and am writing this to congratulate you on being elected President and to hope that you will have a successful year of it and that you are feeling fine now and will continue this throughout your Presidency. I haven't seen you very lately but have kept up with your progress every day since you became sick and always wish the best for you.

Again I send my sincere congratulations and best wishes.

Cordially yours,

*Charley V.*