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Plaster replica of bust of Nurse Cavell by
Sir George Frampton. See folder, Frampton, Sir George
Early correspondence

H.M.M.

11 November 1915.

Dear Madam,

I desire to thank you for your reply to my letter of the 25th ult. and for your kind offer to let us have a photograph of your sister to place in this Museum. We shall much appreciate your kindness if you will kindly send us one, if possible in nurses' uniform, and if you have an autograph letter of hers that we could frame with it, it would greatly add to its interest.

I would suggest that if you wrote to the Foreign Office and asked them to request the American Minister in Brussels to see that all Miss E. Cavell's property was conserved for the family, I have no doubt that he would see that this is done. I am sure it would be a comfort to your mother and self if her personal effects could be preserved, and I hope this will be possible through the good offices of the American Minister.

I trust if ever you are in London and have a few minutes to spare, you will visit this Museum which is rich in relics connected with Nursing, Ambulance, Medicine and Surgery. If you will ask

for me I shall be most pleased to show you anything of interest
I can.

With many thanks for your kind consideration of my request

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Mrs. Wainwright,
24. College Road,
Norwich.

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Norwich
Nov 8. 1915

Dear Sir.

In answer to
your letter of the
26th Oct which
I am sorry has
been so long un-
answered. My
Mother writes me

to say that every
thing belonging to
my sister is in
Brussels. We
cannot of course let
you have a photo-
graph but that
is all. She has
been here 9 years
gradually taking all

her things are
there. he do not
of course know
whether we shall
ever see any
thing of them
again. certainly
not till after the
war.

Yours faithfully
Lilian Wainwright

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H.M.M

26 October 1915.

Dear Madam,

We are very desirous of perpetrating the memory of Miss Edith Cavell in the Wellcome Historical Medical Museum in connection with the Section on the History of Nursing and Ambulance. In the history of Nursing, like Miss Florence Nightingale, Miss Cavell's name will always stand as an inspiration to those engaged in the work.

It is our desire in this Museum to preserve all the personal memorials we can of those who have passed away, distinguished in Medicine and the kindred Arts and Sciences. We should therefore esteem it a great favour if you could lend us any certificates or objects of personal interest that belonged to Miss Cavell, or that she used during her career, so that we might place them in connection with her portrait in this Museum.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Mrs. Cavell,
Swardesdon,
Norwich.