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*El filtre de la paraula humana obra tan poderosament en el sentit dels homes que, quan s'estronca, aquests s'en senten angoixosament anyoradiços.*

**Víctor Català, Solitud (edició de 1929)**

*La science n'a pas de patrie, mais le savant en a une.*

**Louis Pasteur**



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