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Miss Laura Gilpin
807 Carter Avenue
Wichita, Kansas

My dear Laura:

I duly received your letter of the 24th instant and you do not have to apologize for any delay in replying to my earlier letter as I realize that the time which you have to spare for that purpose is extremely limited.

I saw your father Tuesday for the first time since he obtained his job on the pay roll, I assume, of The Broadmoor Hotel Company and I think that Mrs. Penrose is undoubtedly responsible for it, although I have no knowledge of the fact. In any event, he realizes that it is more or less of a pension and is extremely pleased and happy. I do not think you need concern yourself about his financial condition so long as he holds this job, and I also think he will hold it indefinitely, or at least so long as he is physically able to cover the ground between his present home and his place of business. He expressed himself that he is hopeful that he may find a place nearer the Carriage House in which to plant himself, and also wanted to surround himself in his new location, when he finds it, with some of his own belongings which I understand are in storage here. He had particularly in mind, I believe, a desk which contained a lot of papers to which he desired access.

I will be glad to keep you advised of any change in the situation here, but feel assured that you may relieve your mind of any worry on the score of his well being under existing circumstances.

Sincerely yours,

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