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Dear Ms. Gilpin,

My good wife, Maragretta Mitchell, is in the East and has asked me to send to you the most recent version of the transcription of her conversations with you.

I have to say that the material is not in "final" form. The bridging between the paragraphs is awkward and in some places there are redundancies and bits out of sequence. We would like you to read this for the spirit of the words and for their accuracy, not for the beauty of the prose necessarily. We will be doing more cleaning-up. (And I am embarrassed that I allowed both an "autochrome" and an "Autoprom" to appear in the same manuscript. I wasn't paying enough attention.)

Greta will be coming home in the middle of August and shortly thereafter will send you some photographs and ask your opinion of the enclosed material.

Very cordially yours,

F. C. M.

Frederick Mitchell

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