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Dear Nell:

What a magic cloak to shield
one against elements and evil,
and how secure I shall feel completely
enveloped in its beauty! It is
wonderful of you to overwhelm me
with your thoughtfulness, and I
shall wear this very handsome
garment with joy in its flawless
simplicity and distinction, and
more particularly because it
comes from you. It has such
absolute unity of design and
tonality and texture, and I
shall treasure it always with
delight and gratitude. The
package arrived this afternoon,
and everyone shared my happiness

Umpawung, and added that such wisdom could emanate only from the female of the species!

All my thanks, and love -

Grace

and marvelled at my treasure. From now on, all my dresses will be fashioned to match the perfection of your gift. And will you please convey my appreciation to the creative hands from which grew this piece of Mexico?

Not knowing where to find you, I am addressing copies of this letter to both your houses. I hope that The Bare Feet welcomed you, who have given them lasting lives, and that you have had a peaceful season. It will be good to see you at our beautiful museum, now in transition.

Mr. Steichen is well, living nobly, and at work on several exciting projects. The other day he telephoned to announce the White Robin's return to