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"Where the Old South Still Lives"

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Thus

Dear Stuart,

I got to do something or go crazy from fatigue, so you're it. I never been so boddamn, screwin', shot-to-hell, slutty-baby tired in my life. And now here I am with this fan going round and round like a three-toed sloth swinging from some limb — it's like an interrogation.

"Oh, you ain't heard nothing" yet. First these two bastards (one Scott B., one David M.) get lost on the first fifty miles of the route. You know we planned to meet at the Tex.-La. border, so I wait for them two boddamn armadillos for three (3) hours! Three " hours in the sun partly, I wait with all the patience of a grandmother. Hell, so here it is 10 PM and I still don't



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know where they are. You know, I just conjured - "up" this image of Owen & Scott diggin' up some, cacti like the dead with the N.C. pyramanthias or whatever. And so anyway, that ain't all: my car's fucked up too! I think it's the generator which means \$25.

Shit, let us be merry, let us dream of a midsummer's night. Stuart, there is the most beautiful country I've ever seen between here (Natchez) and Jena, La. - a distance of maybe 35 miles on highway 84. It was around 6:30 PM when I went through there, and if ever the word "luxuriant" is applicable it's to that country.

Soddamn, the sun was almost down, and there was this late-afternoon light: - white, almost silver - on those dark and light greens, oh and just glazing and reflecting from the top of new corn. Jesus, you should see it. I also saw deep in a field this solitary column about thirty feet high. And I thought how that is precisely the Old South: everything is reaped and dead except that which will not, or cannot, die.

Okay, that's it. You've gotten everything from rage to sentimentality. Really though it's helped to write you, and along with that, my new black golf glove and butterfly Scott gave me, I will remain
Sincerely your buddy
Jim

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P.S. They're here.



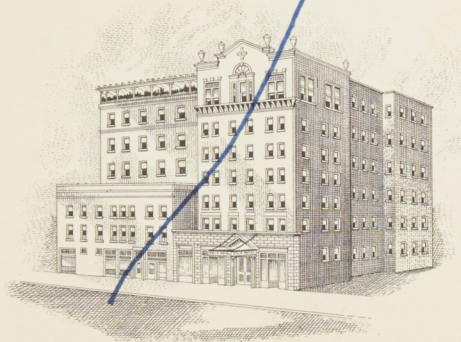
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RETURN TO _____

-Fairhope

It is hot, very hot here, and
one cannot sleep or eat.
One dies soon.