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Dear Mr. Graeve:

I have just returned from a few days up state and find your letter of the Twentieth. I am dictating a letter to Mrs. Roosevelt asking her where you can find a shiny print, that is if one is available; and also where the picture was taken. I am glad you like it. It seemed to me delightful.

Now about those "troubled thoughts on prohibition." As a matter of fact I am never quite free from them. I take it you would not want the article for some months yet - two or three months after Arizona. Is that right? I will think it over and see what I can do. It is not only intemperance, it is the easy hypocrisy which prohibition seems to be building up that makes me so sore about it.

When would you want it? Will two months from now or three be time enough for Arizona?

Very sincerely

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