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Mr. J. C. Fitzpatrick,
Congressional Library,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Fitzpatrick:

The copies of the Roosevelt letters are here. I thank you and Mrs. Fitzpatrick heartily for the trouble you have taken in this matter. I am sending by this mail check for Mrs. Kelly's bill to the address given.

Of course it is understood that I will submit these copies to Mrs. Roosevelt before using them and get her approval of any excerpts that I want to make.

Yes, indeed, I am well and happy - better and happier for having had those three or four days near you and Mrs. Fitzpatrick. You were most kind to me. I am particularly indebted to Mrs. Fitzpatrick for giving me the copy of the "Daughters of the American Revolution," with your full and interesting article of Mrs. Washington's visits to George at camp. What a hearty pair they were, and what a woman of courage she must have been! Compare her with the ladies who go traveling now and complain when the train is late or the dining car not quite up to their home table. It makes me feel that there is something in the charge that we are becoming effeminate, does it not? I hope you will go on doing this kind of article whenever you have leisure. It does a lot to humanize these fine old patriots.

With best regards to Mrs. Fitzpatrick, believe me

Sincerely yours,

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