

April 21, 1928

Mr. L. E. Myers,
McClure's Magazine,
250 Park Avenue,
New York City.

My dear Mr. Myers:

You will forgive me for not having answered before your letter of April 15, but I was out of town over Saturday and Sunday and yesterday was so tied up that I did not get time for letters.

I am glad that your interview with Mr. Phillips was so satisfactory. You said in your note that you were enclosing a copy of what you had written him, but I did not find it. I should like to see it of course.

I felt sure that you would find Mr. Phillips' attitude towards Mr. McClure frank, just and kind. You ask me if I think it is impossible that he should again take an active part in McClure's. Nothing of course is impossible, but I do know that Mr. Phillips is very busy with work that seems to satisfy him. I should say it would depend upon what kind of an arrangement could be made.

Knowing Mr. Phillips, however, and knowing his interest in whatever concerns his profession, I feel sure that without any arrangement he would gladly talk over things with you if at any time you wanted to consult him, and I feel certain that you could not have a wiser or more far seeing consultant.

I am glad you like the first two chapters of the Gary life. I hope that there will be plenty of others to agree with you!

Regretting again that I have been so long in writing this letter, believe me

Sincerely yours,