Youth of Today

November 9, 1934

Dear Miss O'Callaghan:

Pardon the delay in replying to your note of October 20th in regard to an interview with Miss Elinor Ames on the manners of the youth of today.

I do appreciate the invitation and would be willing to say "Yes" if it were not for two reasons.

First, I have taken a vow to give no more interviews. I do too much talking. However, I might say "Yes" if it were not for the fact that I have under way an article which considers the manners of the youth of today. It would hardly do for me to give an interview which in the nature of things would touch the same point. My editor would think I was defrauding him I am afraid. I am sure Miss Ames will understand.

Apologizing for my delay in replying.

Very sincerely yours

Miss Mary O'Callaghan

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