

January 5, 1938⁹

Dear Mr. Updegraff:

Thank you very much for the copy of the January issue of the Reader's Digest in which you say you like my habit of confiding to my dictaphone my daily irritations and approvals of what the morning paper says is going on in the world.

I am afraid I have given the impression that I always do it. Not at all. I have periods of distress when my reactions are not fit for even the dictaphone. But that is just between you and me.

I hope the New Year is opening happily for you.

With all good wishes

Very sincerely yours

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