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Dear Garneti

I was very pleased to receive your letter of 29 July and to learn that the Galeries LaFayette finally got the gloves. I feel that I have put you to a lot of trouble in regard to them, especially if you have to send them in four separate parcels. I shall reimburse you for the postage at least, and I shall hope otherwise to show our appreciation when you return to this country during the first part of November. Please keep it in mind to save some time for a visit with us.

I had a nice letter from Niss Young and she is going to come to visit me when she arrives in Washington. Her letter was ambiguous with regard to her plans for the future and I do not know at the moment whether she changed her mind about resigning from the Agency or not.

When I was in London the last time I visited a shop in the Burlington Arcade where I bought some very fine English snuff. It was so nice I
have contracted the habit and have used up all I bought — one ounce. I
have canvassed all the shops in Washington and none of them carry any brand
worth taking, so I am going to ask if you will request Chief Williams or
one of the other men in the office to buy some for me at the same shop,
the name which is Fribourg and Treyer. There should be no difficulty in
locating them in the Burlington Arcade. The brand I want is Morlaix and
I would like to have as much as about two pounds sterling will buy.

You will be glad to know that through good fortune I was able to find a customer for Colonel Pulling's house and I think the sale is going through without any further hitches. I figure that I saved him a fair amount of money and was very glad to be able to help him.

I am making good progress in recovery but have to watch my step so as not to try to do too much. I have lots of ambition left and many things I want to do.

With very best regards to everybody, I am

Bincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN