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My dear Love: I have but a minute to write but as we leave here at 2-30 am, think I must send you a line now - Your telegrams read, also letter. This was Ft Dodge and the post is near here. As letters are often sent in that way I got it just as well as if it had been rightly directed. We had a nice reception here from the post (3 cent) and have prospect of a fine house 100 - second seats sold anyhow. Of course old friends and new have taken all the time since the train arrived - and I am to attend a wedding and also a silent wedding after the lecture is over - so you see my time will be full. I thought the "Child of Luck" would fetch better. That makes a pretty fair living a-side from my book you see. Is it not fortunate? I am feeling very well for a few days and think I will come straight home from Santa Fe unless I wait a day or two to get the mountains into my eye and brain - Here comes my friend for me - God bless you. Love to Sis and Siss for both your loves.

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