

I am sorry I can't put finger on any exchange record or list on me that the plates are in. They are in my mind.

price named. And that is all. During the rest of that year there is no record of any letter, either in my book or Mr. Bell's, to you or to them about the plates. Nor is there anything since that year. Mr. Walcutt's impression seems, then, to be correct that we never rec^d. the plates from them. This is the more certain, in that the various lists of plates held by us in 1903, when we broke up, lists made by authors, and by vaults of deposit, so that one list would check another, none of them shows the title of "Buttons Inn".

The presumption is that you didn't care to pay \$50 for them at that time, and that the matter lapsed, — L. P. O. forgetting to notify us of the Auction Sale (if, indeed, they meant to do it anyhow).

In your inquiries to them, the date of the latest communication from them to us about it — March 13, 1899. — may put them on the track. We also had written them March 1, in reply to a former letter from them to you about the book, wh. had been for. to Bordeaux & wh. you asked us to answer. Hence the further correspondence.

My dear Aunt

Barrow

Sept 1905

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per month, and \$500 for the season
of three months, in June, July, and August,
and my house is by far the most
furnished house in the desirable
part of your city, and where all prefer
to live, being the healthiest and coolest
locality, of course one can trust
himself to a farm in a different part
of the town, at a cheaper rate, but
let those are as a rule most un-
-satisfactory, only last winter
a lady from Canada took me for
six months at \$500, and she could
not remain longer, though she
was disappointed, and that she was

My sorry she did not take a bill regarding it a little higher rate, as a matter of fact most of the bill was covered for a \$1000. for the labor and the tax already taken for the company services.

My cottage is a two story building with an upper and lower veranda from which one gets a splendid view of the ocean & surrounding country, it stands in front of the street and has a pretty little garden in front. There are five nice large rooms all furnished completely with bed & table linen silver etc. a bath room with water stand at the back there is a nice lot of grounds with fruit trees which is quite an addition. I have both running water, which is not usual here, and lastly I have just put in a telephone, which you will find most convenient, and as it is convenient for you down here any year of the dwelling home boat of one.

I note what you say in reference to my previous letter (Schro) but would like to call your attention to the fact that you would have to pay customs duties. Now as to my last terms there are as follows \$700 for the six months which is exclusive of cost, and I would entertain any lower price, and I feel quite sure you would not hesitate if you saw my home in the wood. If you accept any of the

I could leave you my house maid who
is an excellent servant, and who has
always been taken on by those who
have rent my house in the past; her
wage is an \$125. for week & found.
I am enclosing a map showing the
position of my house and those
immediately around
Awaiting an early reply as we
will be having other offers.

I remain
Yours truly
Frank. D. Quincott