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187 River Ave.
Winnipeg
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My dear Cousin Emma-

Many thanks for your kind letter which I received yesterday- I shall be so delighted to possess the daguarreotype of mother - I have enquired at the Custom Office and they say it will come through most safely by being sent

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registered package - I hope it will not cause you inconvenience.

I envy you being in Washington - I spent several happy days there last summer. Oh I miss the artistic life of Europe! My work is becoming more interesting but - I loathe it here - it is simply an existance without congenial friends or Art & Music —

I have given several piano recitals here - and a couple of weeks ago I gave a recital with Jean Gerardy, the celebrated Belgian 'cellist - I shall hope to leave here before Long, but shall not make any move without being sure of it - bring for the best - after the 20th of this month my address will be 472 River Ave.

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I am using the Corwin crest now & Roor it - shall seal this letter with it - A friend had it done for me in Berlin -

With best wishes to yourself and Lodie -

Sincerely Yours

Ernest N. Kitchen

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