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Mr. Ottley Coulter,
c/o Police Department,
Uniontown, Penna.

Dear Friend Ottley:

I was very pleased to receive your letter and know that you had not forgotten me. I see you have not done anything with your proposition as yet.

I wish it was possible for me to get away and see you, for I feel to see you and have a talk for old times sake, irrespective of business, would be like a soul bath to me. I am hoping that it will be made possible this summer, for there is no body I can talk heart to heart with, like you.

Glad you received Klein's book and liked it. I thought it was very interesting.

You will be interested to know that I am half way through with my book, and I have a lot of new material in. Any unusual feat of strength that has never been inserted, or any new ideas that are practical on exercises, along with any new pictures you have or suggestions, will be welcome, as I want to get everything new, and of course credit will be given in the right direction. I will be glad to have this as soon as possible.

With reference to the preface will say that we have not come to that, yet, and I just don't know what Mr. Redmond has in mind about it, but I will speak to him.

I was a little surprised to see that you had not mentioned anything about the battle that was going on between Calvert and us. For some reason or other, Calvert has taken a bitter hatred to the weight lifting game, and me in particular, to such an extent that he is circulating propoganda, making allusions to myself and without any scruples as to the truth. It seems this was going on a long while before I knew anything about it, and it looks to me as though it is going to develop complications.

With reference to the honor roll, will say that the placing of the names thereon, was left entirely to the Board of Directors, and special merit and athletic profficiency or missionary work, are the most desirable qualifications.

Tell Ethel she can reach Bessie at Inkerman, Ontario. I must close, now, trusting to hear from you in the near future.

Sincerely your friend

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