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DE MOLINE, ILLINOIS  
EAST BIRMINGHAM, QUEBEC

Dec. 20, 1925

Dear Mr. Deane:

I certainly did not mean to wait nearly a week before writing again; but since I got back at nine P.M. last Monday, speeded on my way by your friendly aid with my box of documents, I have been busy with something or other every moment ever since it seems & the climate here, coming with company for the last few days. Now the company is gone, the Christmas cards and presents nearly all sent off and I can take a few minutes for writing.

Because of the general rush, a little Christmas remembrance which Mrs. and I are getting ready for you may be somewhat delayed and not reach you until

YESTERDAY  
BUTTERFLY  
WING

after the proper date. We are very sorry, but can't my wife keep ourselves now. The small package I sent you - without any accompanying message, alas - and which you may be saving for Christmas, contains only your keys, which I carried off in my rather hurried departure. I hope they reached you all right.

I am much interested to hear of the Shakespeare Club and the dinner, of course the latter was a grand success, as well as a great occasion. I am much pleased by the flowers you sent and Miss Brown any pleasure or contribution at all to the decorations.

I have another busy week ahead with Christmas and a good deal

I piled up correspondence and other work. We shall have our Christmas dinner at the house of our neighbor and old friend (my mother's playmate in girlhood) Miss Corning.

I hope it to be a Saturday again in time for the next Club meeting on January first. Probably I shall leave here on that day and arrive in Boston sometime in the afternoon.

This goes over in love to you and Mr. Brown. We wish you both a very pleasant Christmas and a New Year full of all good things.

Yours as always,

C. W.



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*Walter Deane correspondence*

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