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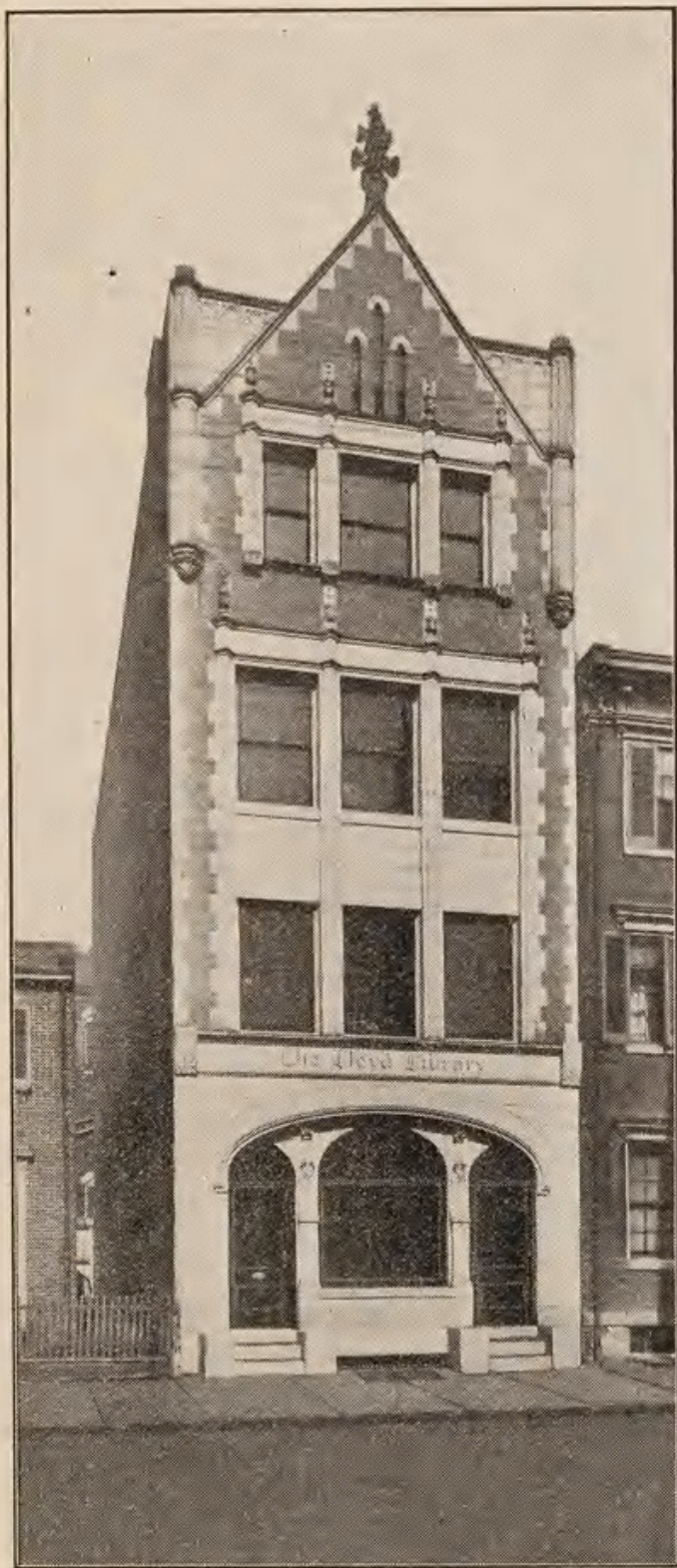
Dear Deane;

I have been home from Samoa a couple of months and am making a start now for a summer in Sweden. I hope to go in a couple of days. Where I shall go from Sweden I do not know but I shall probably not come back to Cincinnati before next spring. I have been very busy since I have been at home, trying to publish as much as I could on the puff balls as on this trip to Europe I shall take up another line of study. I had hoped to go to Europe by way of Boston or rather go to Boston on my way to Europe but my time is so limited now that I shall have to go direct.

I did not know that Prof. Hollis Webster was a proud papa. Give him my congratulations on same.

That postal card I sent out from Samoa has caused some adverse criticism among my friends around here. I hope you took a more liberal view of it as you have seen pictures from Samoa and know the customs of the people. It makes me weary to have people whose lives





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have been passed in little narrow grooves and who know nothing whatever about the customs of the natives draw erroneous conclusions from the customs of dress, when if the truth were known the natives are very superior in point of morals to those who criticise.

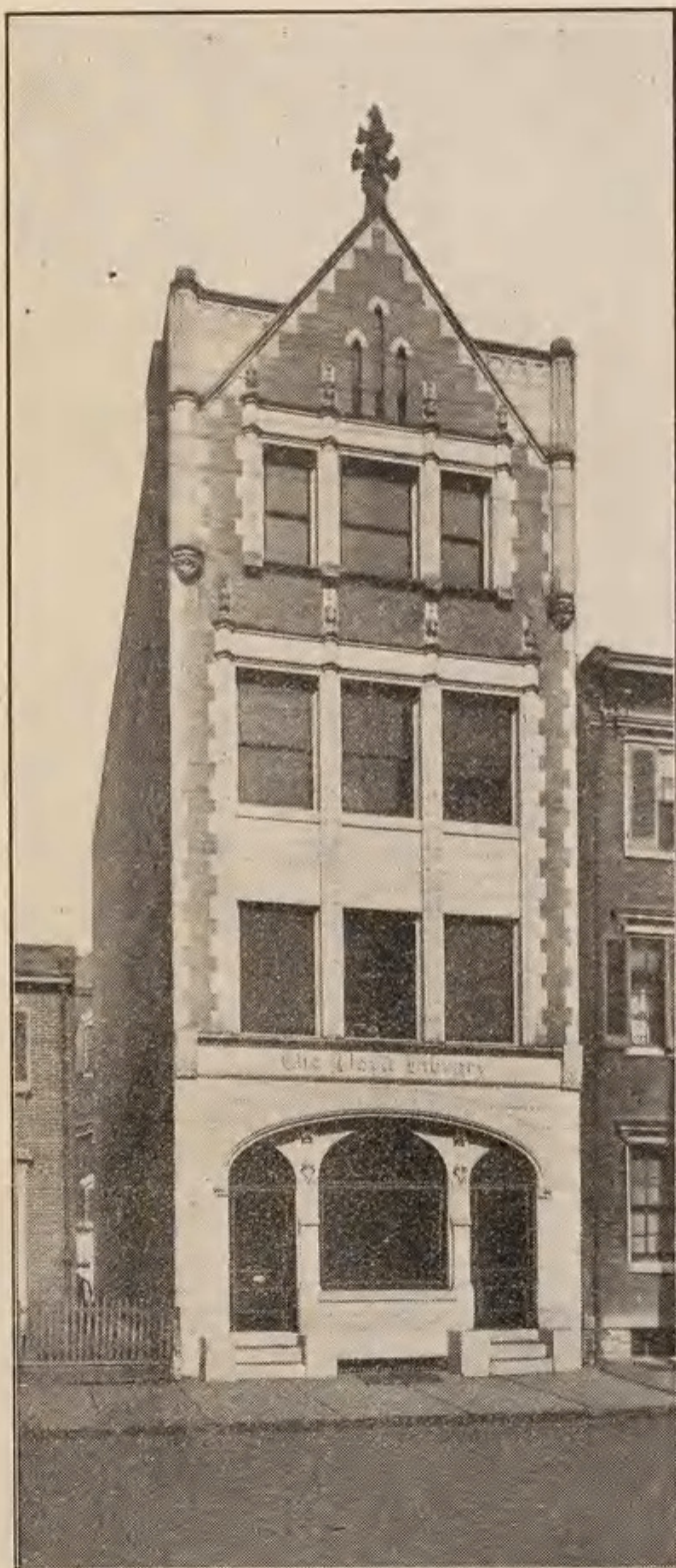
With regards,

Your friend, C. G.

P.S.-

I will drop you a postal card occasionally to let you know I am still on earth.





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