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Dear Louis,

Perhaps it is all for the best that the mine blew up, for if you had become a millionaire perhaps you would have become cold and proud and would never again have recognized your aged brother. In any event you wont have to live in New Mexico.

What would you think of having me spend a part of next Sunday with you? Gertie wants to visit her folks and I thought that I would at least divide time with you, if convenient. We might go down Saturday night, have Gertie stay with the folks, while I would go out with you and get you up in time to see the sunrise.

We should then come home Sunday evening. What say?

Business here has continued pretty good. No kick coming. This has been a busy week with us. Gertie and I were out to a banquet Saturday evening, to church twice Sunday, Monday evening to a bridge party, Tuesday noon was at Chamber of Commerce and at Night Gertie and I were at a dinner party, this afternoon she is at a reception at the Country club, tonight I have a dinner engagement with a group of business men; tomorrow evening another dinner party; Friday so far as I can remember is still an open date. Saturday I shall either go to Hutchinson to see the President, or come to Kansas City. Dont know which yet. Didn't think about the Hutchinson part of the program when I wrote the first part of this letter.

Lots of love

Collie.