

June 20th 1923.

My dear Blanche:-

I am sending you a note for your signature for \$1,200 at 6 %, also my check for \$1,200.00. That you may know just how I stand, I am still borrowing \$10,000, which is on my personal note, but \$5,000 does not come due till May of next year, and the other \$5,000 not till March 1927. When I let you have the money at 6 % it is just what I am paying, so I am not out anything.

You have carried a lot of responsibility and there is not one woman in an hundred thousand who could have managed as well as you have. You have maintained a comfortable home for your parents and that means a great deal. Now don't worry over this and don't crowd yourself in making payments, but as you are able you can reduce the principal.

We want to come down soon, possibly next Sunday, but do not count on us unless we phone you. I should like to spend the day partially, or perhaps largely with Louis, whom I have not visited in that manner for years. Lots of love to all of you and I hope you will do better than ever.

Your Brother

W. C. Simone