

December 23, 1948

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Vaughn
Glendale, California

Dear Mrs. Vaughn:

I wish to thank you for your greeting card and your sympathetic note of December 19.

You may not have heard, but Mrs. S. H. McCurdy who wrote to you about Mrs. Simons and from whom I received a very fine letter, passed away a few days ago from a heart attack.

In her letter to me, which is at home and not at my office where I am writing, I think she said she was nine years older than Mrs. Simons which would make her 82 years old. She was an exceedingly fine woman and Gertrude and I enjoyed her friendship for many years.

I hope that everything is as happy with you as possible. I remember well your husband, Mr. Vaughn, and also your two brothers whom I knew before your marriage.

It was more than 20 years ago that we made our last visit to Glendale.

With best wishes for the Holiday Season, I remain

Sincerely yours

W. C. Simons

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