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Professor Avery F. Olney
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Phoenix, Arizona

Dear Avery:

I noted with much regret the death of your mother. The long time that I have been in Lawrence is indicated by the fact that I wrote the news item when your father brought his bride to Lawrence.

I find that for many years your mother had been a very good friend of my wife. I think they were both members of the PEO, and I know Mrs. Simons cared a lot for your mother.

You have my sympathy, because I know what the loss of the mother means.

Sincerely

W. C. Simons

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