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Mr. Herman A. Mercer
4118 Park River Drive
Louisville, Kentucky

Dear Dr. Mercer:

I want to thank you for the autographed copy of "Down Drafts" by B. M. Atkinsons, Jr.

I have read a number of the stories and feel sure that I will find a lot of enjoyment in the book. I am glad to receive it, both for its worth and for the memories that it recalls.

Mrs. Simons and I enjoyed so much are acquaintance with you and Mrs. Mercer and with your darling little girl.

I hope that 1950 will prove a happy and profitable year for you.

Cordially yours,

W. C. Simons

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