January 15, 1952

Miss Kate Matthews Clovercroft Pewee Valley, Kentucky

Dear Miss Matthews,

I was glad to receive your letter of January 11, but

so sorry to know that your sisters have passed away.

I was sorry not to have seen Miss Jessie when I was there, but because she had been young and pretty at the time I painted her picture and was then along in years, she probably did not wish me to see her.

If you ever have occasion to come to the west, I shall be very happy to have you see the picture that I painted about 55 years ago. I have painted but one other picture since that time.

I have pleasant memories of Clovercroft in its setting of magnificant trees.

With very kindest regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

W. C. Simons

