Oswald Gilbert, Emparan 42, Veracruz, Mexico.

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Mr. W. C. Simons, Journal World, Lawrence, Kan.

Dear Sir :

I am writing to inquire if you would care to appoint me as your Veracruz correspondent for the Journal-World? There are good readable items of news occurring here and in the nearby towns, and in many of the Mexican gulf ports, which, I feel sure, would interest your readers. Besides these happenings, this year is the Mexican presidential year, and I would promise, if named your correspondent, to see that no news of value would fail to reach you.

Floods, earthquakes, and marine disasters, occur in Mexico quite often, and all this information I would forward to you as quickly as possible. When necessary, I would cable all news that required cabling. Cable rates to the United States have been reduced considerably since the Western Union took over the All-America cables, and newspapers receive an extra rebate ax on all their messages going to the United States or Europe.

I should be glad if you would favor me with a copy of your paper, and gladder still to have an opportunity to serve you.

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Yours faithfully. illet