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Sanitarium, California,

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Elder J.E.White,

Marshall, Michigan.

Dear Brother Edson:

Last Sunday I wrote you very briefly acknowledging receipt of your letters of December 11 and January 7, and telling you that considering the circumstances, we would telegraph the \$100.00 as you requested. Immediately after writing that letter, I took the train for Mountain View, arriving there at seven p.m., just in time to attend the dédication of the new chapel and school room of the Pacific Press. In a few days I will be able to send you a printed description, of it. There were about 40 book men present, mostly sturdy canvassing agents gathered all the way from Kansas and Missouri, to British Columbia and Sasketchewan. They began institute work yesterday, and will continue until January 22. On the 23rd they come up here to make a short visit to Mother's office, and then go on up to see the College. After that, they will take a look at San Francisco, on Friday forenoon. Monday morning I attended to smoe important business at the Pacific Press, then hastened home thinking to write some letters and gather up some important documents and return. But Tuesday morning I found myself loaded down with an attack of La Grippe. I also found Brother W.C.Wales of Birmingham, Alabama, here hoping to have an interview with Mother. At the same time I found a mass of correspondence regarding questions and perplexities about which he wished counsel. We examined

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and arranged the correspondence, submitted the matter to Mother, received her refusal to have anything to do with it, and afterward Brother Wales and I went over and had a ten-minutes visit with her, without touching the questions in controversy. Yesterday he went up to the College, and to-morrow will start back to the South, by way of Mountain View.

I have taken heavy treatment to break the La Grippe. It has nearly broken me; I find myself all of a tremble, to-day. But I must write some letters, and be ready to go to Mountain View to-morrow.

Yesterday I received yours of January 8, referring to the sales of the New Testament Primer, Spanish. By and by I will give you some similar reports regarding the sales during recent years of C.O.S. Danish, German, and Swedish.

This morning I received your letter of January 10, telling us about your plan to visit Washington, and take up the long deferred work of P.P. and F. This afternoon I have requested Brother Robinson to hunt up a copy of the original criticism, and tomorrow morning I will endeavor to look up any other documents that may be of service to you. When I go to Mountain View, I may be able to find matter that will be of help to you, and if so, will write to you from there.

For the last few days it has been raining, and Mother could not get out doors. She is feeling the confinement somewhat.

Yours in haste,

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