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Elder W. C. White,  
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Dear Brother:-

I have your letter in which you speak about my manufacturing business, and about giving my time to book work and matters of that kind. You also mention in your letter about my going to Kansas City. Now, my brother, I want to say this, that during the past few days, I have fully come to the conclusion, if any way could be provided by which my juvenile books could be published, without going into the hands of such egotistical, narrow minded men as the one is who manages the S. P. A., that I should be glad to throw up all manufacturing whatsoever. I will say we are doing no photo-engraving at all in my place ~~at all~~ now. What little we have to do we are sending off, and of course, the type-setting is going on in my book work, and that is all right. At present I am having a 5,000 edition of Best Stories bound in my office, but it is bound on a contract price. You know that they have put prices so on this book that the Pacific Press cannot buy them, and I have stepped in and am able to furnish them at a reasonable price. I am going to Kansas City within a week. Before I go I shall have quite a thorough talk with the S. P. A. Board and see what they have to propose, but I believe I shall not stay here under any consideration. And now the question is, between my going to Kansas City, or coming permanently to California. Now, it seems to me that I might locate my work at Kansas City and still go to California and spend a few months each year, perhaps, and so get along

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with it all. I want to help on Mother's work and will write you more fully in regard to this as soon as I have a little time. I am just trying to hurry off two or three letters before the mail goes tonight. Will write more tomorrow. As ever,

Your brother,

J. E. White  
I like the K. C. plan. It will let  
me down easy as to my plan.  
J. E. W.

Dict. Gr. S.