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My dear Deane:

I am having a delightful vacation in the city. The Society of American Florists is in session here and I am in attendance. The meeting closes to-night but I shall remain in the city until Sunday night. Our term opens Monday night.

My principal business here is the interviewing of prominent experimenting florists as to how new varieties of flowers are produced. I am learning much,



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yet I am surprised to find that even the best of them know little of the scientific aspects of the case.

After the Society adjourns I shall spend my times in the parks and gardens of the city. I have a photographic outfit with me, and I shall take pictures.

Hope that you are still having a good time. Regards to Mr. Seane.

Yours as ever,
L. A. Bailey, Jr.



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