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Dear Jimmy -

I would like to write you at length but I simply can't write a long letter by hand, and there are some things I don't like to dictate. So this is a short unsatisfactory note.

We had a good day in London and I think successful. We have to make a few changes in the reorganization plan, but they are not serious. The changes involve the agreement of the World Bank, and there is one aspect

that I will have to take up with
the Mex. can authorities but I feel sure
we can get agreement both places.

The trip has been worth while. I am
told here that my presentation of
the matter here has been most effective.

- The boy in Buenos was helpful.
I think I did some good there. I
was able to make a lot of things
clear. I also spoke before the
Sodec & Sofinio meetings and
am told that was most
useful.



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In Belgium I had little time
for myself but did spend 2 days in
Antwerp. The Prince Regent received
me and in Antwerp Marion & I
were received at the City Hall
and lunched.

I came over the 6th to London.
Wilsons came with me. They are
doing some work here. I leave
the evening of the 13th of April for
Southampton & sail the 14th.

Marin is in Paris & joins the
ship at Rotterdam. The arrival in
New York the 21st. Wilcox is
flying over to New York to
arrive when I do a few days
before.

After Completing the reorganization
plan in New York with the Trust
Boston, we will go to the New
Bank to get final approval
& I go to Mexico to get
approval of one phase from the



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My dear Govt.

Your letter is well. He is
in better spirits. I have been
able to keep him a good deal
and he is happier. I have had
to be very plain and very firm
about a lot of things.

I think the position in
Sofia is clarified. Samuel
is going on the Road of Sofia.

That is a long story. Do not
mention this yet. Special agents
to get back and that used
to be disastrous and break up all
the good that has been done in
Sofia. I think that too will be
handled adequately. He belongs
to another age, and is purely
selfish.

I hear from Antero that
Mary has serious heart



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Trouble and must remain in
bed. I've written him that absolute
rest & care is essential for her.
If the doctor thinks she should
leave Mex. is before we get
back, they must go ~~rather~~ north,
& not wait for us and Mrs.
Layton will look after her
in Wilmington. I'm terribly
sorry for them as fine people

and I want to do all that
I can to help them. I feel
sure that Mary will be all
right but she must not
do what the heart doctor
says. Help them all you
can.

I hope June is well. I'm
sorry to hear you still have to
wear the brace, I'm
sincerely looking forward to
seeing you to tell you



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all about things, etc.

I have indeed very much enjoyed this trip. Not much fun in it, my interesting tract is better but I caught a bad cold. Union is just all best.

Yours, respectfully

Wm. W. W.