

February 6, 1925.

Major H. Willis O'Connor, D.S.O.
Government House,
Ottawa.

My dear Willis:-

Things with regard to your visit are not turning out well. You may remember when we talked over the telephone that I was not sure about the week-end of February 13th. I am leaving here next Wednesday night for Boston, Providence and New York. I speak in Providence to the British Empire Club on February 12th, at Brown University the next day, going on to New York where I am attending the Annual Meeting of the McGill Society on Saturday night. I am very sorry indeed, but you and Bill must put off your visit. Let us now agree on February 27th and that week-end. Marjorie has some old school friends spending the week-end of February 20th with her. Nothing on earth will induce me to make any engagement for the 27th and the succeeding days and you and Bill must come.

Marjorie is away this week visiting in Danville while Garnet and Lady Currie have been in bed with grippe. What between rheumatism in her ankles and grippe Lily has had a bad time this winter.

Please give our love to Hy, Melodie and the baby.

Yours ever,