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THE HYDRO  
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Dear Arthur,  
Well, here I am, back  
in a sanitarium again.  
Since I came back my  
health has got steadily  
worse, - in spite of careful  
living, - and I am doing  
a drastic course here. I  
am improving but have a  
long way to go.

While I did well, on  
my mission in the U.S.A.,  
the fates appear to be  
against me. Our patent  
has not yet been granted,  
& while the best advice  
indicate their belief in our  
ultimate success, no one  
can say when it will be  
decided. It may be years.  
Since my return I have  
been having a lean time,  
due to lack of funds, - doing  
the work for nothing, - hoping  
the patent, as anticipated,  
would be granted. Well, it