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Dearest Love,

I have just received your nice long letter in which you scold me for not writing often. I know darling that I have been a poor correspondent, but if you knew how I have been driven you would not wonder at my not writing.

We have had a fearful
 rush, but on the whole
 everything has gone off satis-
 factorily and the strangers,
 both English & American
 seem well pleased.

Yesterday there were two
 garden Parties - Mrs J. H.
 R. Ince's & Mrs Redpath's.
 The weather was all that
 could be desired and the
 parties most successful.
 Then the evening Dr Dalinger
 lectured at the Queen's
 Hall on Minute forms
 of life. It was a remarkably
 fine lecture - the best
 popular lecture in fact

that I have ever heard.

They are to have a "ka" at the college this afternoon; and there is to be a lacrosse match played on the lacrosse grounds between Indians & white men for the benefit of the anthropologists who are anxious to have an opportunity of seeing the Indians. At 6 o'clock the "Red Lion dinner" comes off at the window while the citizens' conversation is to take place in the evening at the rink.

The Red Lion dinner I should explain is

an amusing dinner at
which all sorts of burlesque
addresses are given, and
instead of applauding every
body growls.

I really do not know
what to say about Annie
as I have not been able
to see Lovell; but if she
is not in bad health it
seems to me you might
get a far worse girl.
As to the furnace I
think we could easily
arrange to have a man
attend to it, or at any rate
partially. I have about given
up my idea of going to Phila-
delphia, although your father
wishes me to go. I may however
go to L.A. for a day immediately
after the meeting.

No more at present dearst except
oceans of love for you all from
Your fond B -