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My dear X.

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Please forgive me for apparently having neglected my duties to Congress in not having sent in my essay yet. I just really have not been able to do it yet.

As you will know I have been engaged for months past in establishing this Nursing Home, and I have been worked off my feet organising, fitting and so doing 101 things about it.

It is an effort which I pray God should not fail, as I shall be made a laughing stock.

The National Health Science Commission had Tea with us at the Home on the 18th and quite frankly expressed their surprise at what they saw there.

It is an effort which I feel is being watched from all sides.

For this same reason I have not been able to attend the P.T. Congress but Matthews will represent me in all things appertaining to this district and myself personally. I really

am just soaked in work and  
responsibility and I beg you  
not to imagine that I am letting  
you down in any way.

The time will come when I shall  
be able to bear my full weight  
in the weighty problems which you  
are sacrificing so much for.

So please cheer up and know  
that I am with you wholly in spirit:  
all the time.

We are all well so far and  
trust you and family are the  
same.

With kindest regards to you

all

Ever sincerely yours

R. T. D.

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