

June 9, 1939

Mr. William Randolph Hearst
La Cuesta Encantada
San Simeon, California

Dear Mr. Hearst:

Anything at all that I can do personally, or attend to personally, I will be only too happy to do, as always.

However, there is with me in my small way, as with you in your large one, a necessity of keeping track of expenses.

It might be well to say that you have been asked to pay for no unexecuted work for many years back, in fact before we made the working drawings for Mount Olive at Wyntoon. You realize thinking back the many projects we have developed together, that ~~I~~ I could have had no profit in these years and I have not wanted it.

As regards Mr. McClure -- on my return this Spring he told me that he wished to remain with the office but would like an arrangement allowing him to come and go at our convenience so that he could try out his shop experiment. I know him well enough to realize that he does not like too long confinement to our city office and so use him on outside work as is possible.

Very truly yours,

JM:F