

The Crawford

W. L. Perkins, Prop.

Windsor, Ont., 10th Jan 1900

My darling Lois

I'm back again in Windsor after an hour and three quarters street-car ride (each way) to Leamington.

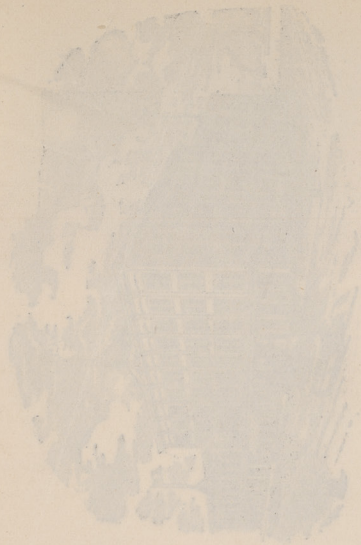
These days are perfectly lovely - much nicer than summer.

We have barely enough snow to use for sleighing.

This evening I went over to Detroit to see what I could see. You go over on the ferry. A pair of them go over the river every 10 or 15 minutes, and keep a kind of oval pond continually free of ice.

Detroit is surprising. I believe it is as big or bigger than Toronto and it looks much more like a city, with its broad streets all converging to a large open "square" in the centre of the town.

In the centre of this "square" is a large military monument; at the opening



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London, Oct. 10th Jan 1870

These letters
 in Hotel paper you had
 better just not writing - paper
 I hate poor writing - paper
 myself but I am just sending
 you these to show where I
 have been. I know what I'll do
 some nice paper and write - Get
 it and, if I want to, I'll
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of one or two of the streets, leading off from it, are fountains, still running.

These have formed great masses of ice and around the square are are some fine buildings.

I have never seen anything at all like the electric display signs.

They have a reproduction of the Chariot-race from Ben-hur. The horses of course really stay in one place but their legs are galloping, the wheels of the chariots are turning, dust and scarps are flying in the wind and every detail is carried out wonderfully.

Opposite this sign on a building away across the square is a "Ford" motor car racing along with people ^{in it} smoking cigarettes; -all carried out in the same way with lights of various colors.

Well I must get to bed

Yours affectionately, Edward.

Jan 10

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