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# Milwaukee Iron Co.

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My dear Harrington

On receipt of your letter, so welcome, my first impulse was to make immediate reply, I deferred hoping soon to meet Mr Howard and the delay has grown to this unintentional tardiness. It was no little gratification to have direct tidings of you by my friends Mr & Mrs Saunders and in the brief time of seeing you <sup>they</sup> found much occasion to regret their hurried visit to Montreal.

Like most young people having a wedding journey in prospect we have talked the matter over many times with plans of various journeys and a visit to Montreal we have counted upon in most of them.

I don't need to tell you how great

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a pleasure it would be for  
the one reason that of having Miss  
Lynn meet you, whom she already  
feels acquainted with as with others  
of my returned friends - I know  
the wedding journey will not come off  
for a number of months yet, before  
the lapse of which time you may  
possibly get to see me. When I am  
to be married I should be more than  
delighted to have you present and  
will advise you in good season  
anticipating the possibility of such  
pleasure - We have been to  
New Haven, at time of the British  
Union, a most enjoyable affair -  
Since you and I have been absent  
the school has made rapid progress  
in many ways, adding new buildings,  
very comfortable, and growing

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very considerably in the number of scholars and in influence among the departments here - I met quite all the professors and a few of our old associates in Berglius - Stolckip had not yet returned from Europe nor had Gus Dubois. At time of a later visit to New Haven only a month or so since I found Stolckip & Met Gene Bristol who had just returned with all the family from abroad - I had hoped to find the Dubois family returned but I missed them by a few days - Stolckip has his office in the basement below the parlor the old dining room which you will remember - He has been studying pretty hard whiteaway

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and returns with a good deal of enthusiasm - Much of his study has been a specialty the diseases etc. of the eye which in time he proposes to devote himself altogether. Dr. Davenport recently has come out here to see me or rather take a look at our works and see whether the position of Chemist here promises hopefully for advancement to respond. The duties connected more directly with the Manufacture of Iron - It is likely that my time will be taken up quite entirely with Mining and Management more particularly of our Iron Mining interests so that I must leave these Chemist duties which I've taken up again temporarily during the Stagnation in Iron Manufacture - Should I leave these duties Davenport

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will probably come here as chemist -  
 Mr Chittenden is here having excellent  
 success as journalist - Another Collyer  
 classmate is there with him on his  
 paper so that there are four of  
 us old Collyer friends entering Mr  
 Flaudus making our days here  
 seem in a measure the extension  
 of college happiness and enjoyment  
 Recently I met D Clarke a  
 classmate of yours at Mr Gies who  
 told me of your having excellent  
 pictures of yourself - I am going  
 to enclose mine with the hope  
 of persuading you to an exchange  
 I am sorry that your friend  
 Mr Howard has not yet appeared  
 in Milwaukee - You may be assured  
 I shall only be too happy to extend  
 to any of your friends such

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Courtesies as I have ability and  
opportunity for. I should like  
ever so much if you could  
some time come to Milwaukee -  
We shall go housekeeping as soon  
as we are married and then  
in the home of our own our greatest  
pleasure will be in having our  
friends with us.

Friendly yours  
Nelson P. Hulst

