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My Dear W<sup>rs</sup> Armstrong  
I ought to  
have written long ago but you will  
understand how busy I have been.  
I have written to those persons re  
Dear Pat & hope to hear soon.  
You know just how I feel about it  
all.

I am back at the office today  
for the first time having been  
in bed almost from the day of  
the Poll.

I lost the seat but reduced the  
sitting members majority from over  
3000 to 293, I lost M P through  
my own fault but trust that I  
should do the same should a  
similar contingency arise.

I did it all on the spur of the  
moment in the heat of passion but  
after I had done it my first thought  
was "Pat would have done the  
same" so I was quite happy & though  
some won't understand me, you will; I  
am really a better man for having lost it  
by that action than if I had refrained  
from doing it & got in. The facts are



as follows:- I discovered my Agent was  
not running straight over money matters  
he was out for corruption & I warned  
him against it, later I found  
he was still doing it, he also told  
me two deliberate lies re money. I also  
had a complaint about his conduct to  
a full club & so I sacked him on  
the spot. He told me it would  
cost me the election & I kicked  
him out of the room.

Pat would have done just the same  
only he would not have lost his  
temper & I did.

The experience I gained is great &  
I shall win next time.

We have a quiet Xmas but we were  
all together.

I do hope Tommy is better.

Heaps of Love to all.

Yr Affectionately

Robert. He

PS It was my party who knocked out  
Macdonald, Henderson, Anderson &  
Lowell.