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Dear Lucile and Bob,

It was only in the last couple of days that I received a letter from Pat Beery telling me of the great misfortune that had happened to Bob nearly two months ago, when he had a stroke that from Pat's description sounds as if he is not likely to be able to work again. Eileen and I were very upset to hear this news and of your own deepest sympathy in your time of trouble and our heartfelt wish for a very speedy recovery, though this seems an unlikely event.

Bob was as full of energy always that it is hard to picture him incapacitated and he will fight all the way towards recovery. It sounds as if his speech will be affected and this is always a most frustrating thing for anyone, and especially some one like Bob, who has so much of value to impart to those who are interested to listen.

It is just over a year ago that we were having such an enjoyable time with you both and we recall it often with the greatest pleasure. Apart from seeing our son in Greece and our daughter in London, our stay in Cincinnati was the highlight of our time overseas.

I do hope that Bob is making good progress and that his speech is not too much affected, for this is the greatest burden of all for a man like Bob with so much of value to impart by word of mouth.

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We have both both well since our return, though Eileen at present has a very persistent troublesome cough which has been present for many three weeks. The only good thing about it is that she has given up smoking, and I'm hoping she'll make this permanent.

You will remember Mrs Spang, my secretary. She is going to England in two days time - 30th May. to see one of her sons who has been over there for a couple of years & she will see a little bit of Europe. She plans to be away for three months but will not be going to U.S.A. ... I hope that Bob is making good progress, though

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Pat Barry's report was not a very promising one. Though
he had theoretically retired, he was still doing very valuable

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Keith & Eileen

Yours affectionately

work and his advice on so many problems was so important
especially in the realm of pollution at the present time.
Eileen and I send you love and very best wishes
for a speedy recovery, though the afraid it will be a slow and
at times a frustrating slow recovery.
I do hope you are keeping well yourself and that this added
worry of Bob's illness does not take too much toll of your strength.