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Dear Moo,

In that great redundancy, wherein I sought to understate in the enumeration of those of my characteristics that so endear me to you, I became so engrossed in that difficult project (which I should have realized, with all your many demonstrations that you understood it this way, was unnecessary), that I forgot to include the enclosed.

It is a minor commentary on when the news becomes unfit to print: on printing.

If this is not doublegoodspeak duck talk (Jim might enjoy explaining this to you and I do think you'd enjoy the explanation), it is super Orwellian 1970. Present as that limy was, he didn't conceive of the rewriting between editions!

The shortened version is from the editions of record, and for the subway trade, the largest circulation.

It is not because I have the slightest doubt of your ability to read and comprehend the language that I have taken the precaution of marking the omission in red.

It is simply that I know how exhausting a 10 to 4:30 schedule can be. I'd find it killing.

Best wishes,