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January 10, 1980

Mrs. M. de Stuckenbergh
P.O. Box 197
Saratoga Springs
New York, ~~NY~~ 12866

C H C personal check for $600.-

Dear Mrs. de Stuckenbergh,

I was all prepared to send the enclosed check off to you tomorrow morning in case Mr. Rubinstein's check to you had not arrived in the mail, but to ease your mind I am going out to mail it now - our postoffice is almost across the street from us. It is my fault, as I wrote Mrs. Rubinstein as soon as she had left N.Y., that I had forgotten to remind her to make out the checks for you - but that I would send my personal check to you to arrive on or before the 15th - and when Mr. Rubinstein's check came I would forward it to you so that on the reverse side you would write: "Payable to C. H. Clemans" - and your name" + return it to me. - and all would be in order.

I am so sorry - life seems to be so full of so many things - but that is no excuse for me. And I am so sorry that you did not get a card from me. I just looked in my Christmas card book and your name is checked off. I send out about a hundred cards - and I was doing them at 2 o'clock in the morning sometimes - maybe something went wrong! But you know I wish you the very best of everything, always. And please do not worry about the future checks - I have notes to myself all over!

A HEALTHY, HAPPY NEW YEAR!