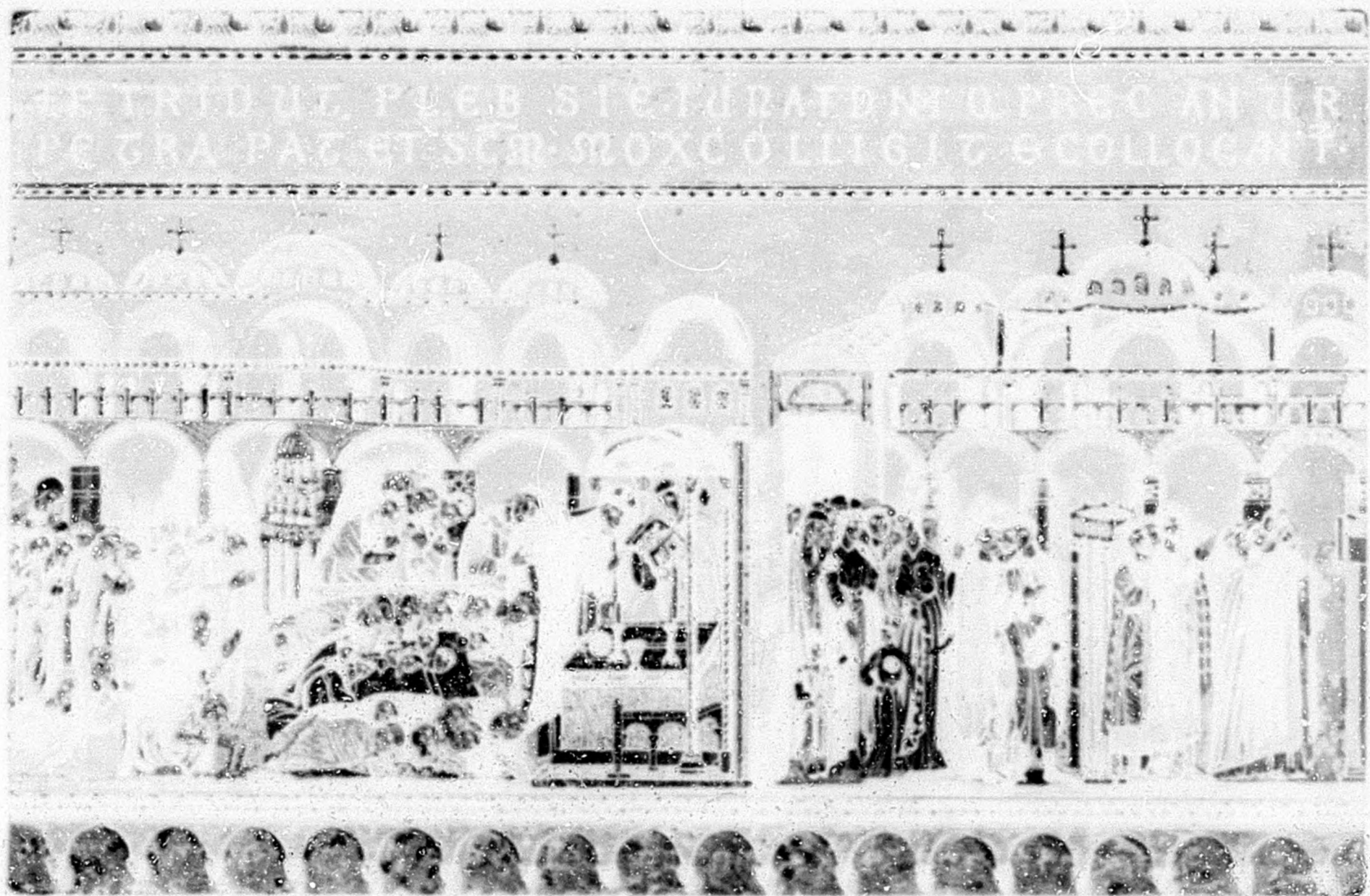
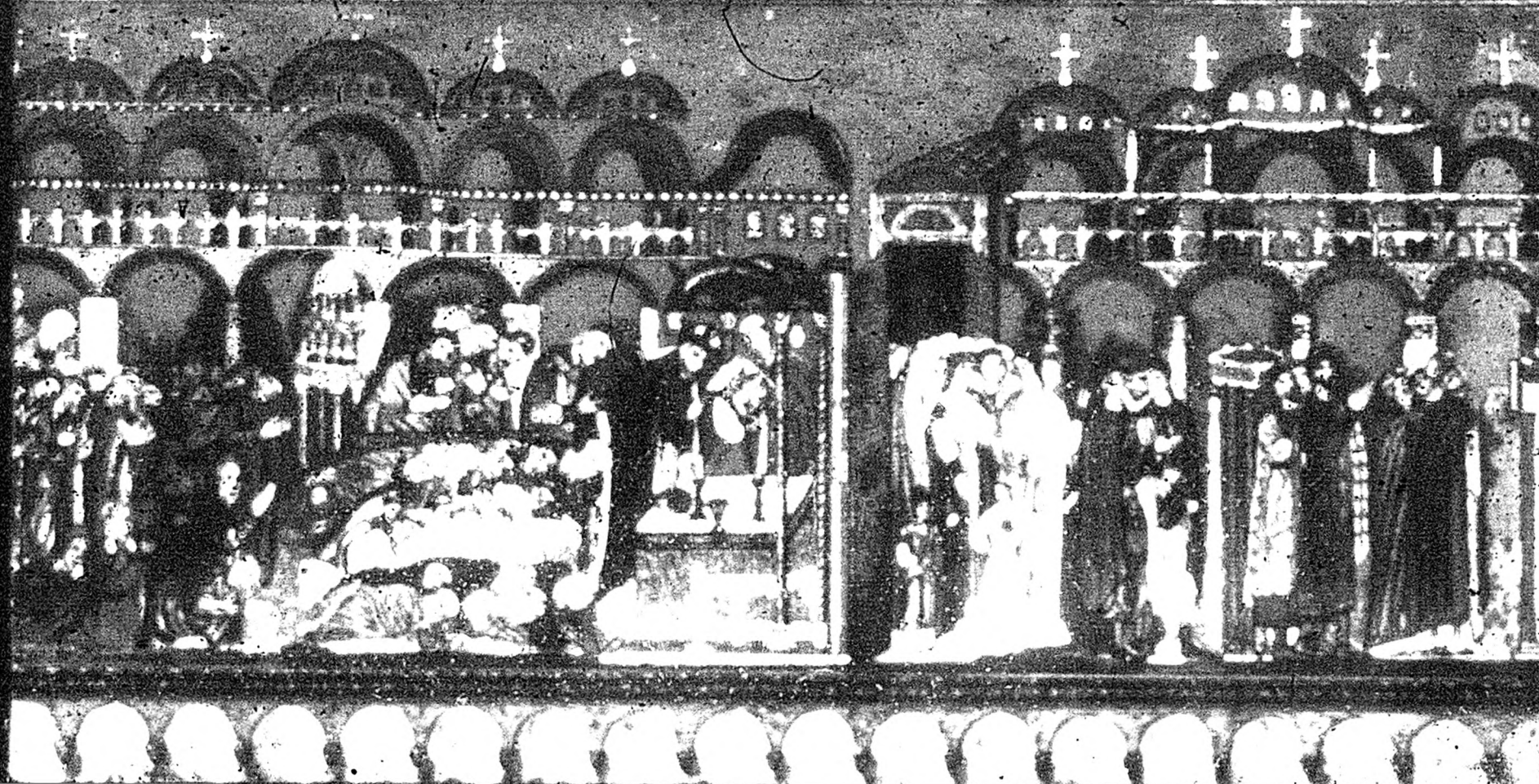


**Bishop,  
Mildred R.**



ET TRIDUUM PUEB STELURATUM U PAUC AN UR  
PE TRA PAT ET SUN MOXC OLLIGIT E COLLOCANT





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# Basilica di S. Marco in Venezia

## Mosaico (all'interno).

Scoperta miracolosa del corpo di S. Marco.

Découverte miraculeuse du corps de St. Marc.

Discovery of the body of St. Mark.



*[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text, possibly a return address or recipient information.]*

*[Handwritten address:]*  
Cassa di Risparmio  
Fischer Antimobiliare  
Indirizzo postale  
129 Milano  
A.

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The Bryn Mawr Club  
137 East 40th Street  
New York

May 7, 1919

Dear Carl,

I was very  
glad to have your  
note this rainy morn. It  
is certainly quaint.  
I suppose you have so  
thoroughly swallowed  
up in this maelstrom  
that time passed  
unheeded.

Lots of things have  
happened to me, are  
happening and will happen.  
So tie with us all.  
The

II

The Bryn Mawr Club  
137 East 40th Street  
New York

The faithful Aircraft  
Bureau offered me a  
position in Detroit which  
I declined. They then  
sent me word Washington  
considered my leave of  
absence had lasted  
long enough and I  
must return or resign.

5. — here I am.

This club is a  
most home like place.  
I am fortunate to be  
able to stay permanently  
instead of for the customary  
two

III  
The Bryn Mawr Club  
137 East 40th Street  
New York

two weeks. I hope  
you will dine with  
me here when you  
come to New York.

Anstiss has not  
yet succeeded in getting  
out of the Harry  
Parkham Day Park  
is a beautiful place.  
But 2 years of the  
Harry is about enough  
for A. She asked  
after you the other  
day. This

IV  
The Bryn Mawr Club  
137 East 40th Street  
New York

This week I suddenly  
cancelled all my en-  
gagements and went to  
work once more. I've  
worked at Columbia until  
the end of the scholastic  
year. I go there on  
the sea-going bus  
each day. The drive  
up the Hudson is always  
wonderful.

The only fault  
in your note was its  
extreme brevity. How  
is everything?  
The

The Bryn Mawr Club  
137 East 40th Street  
New York

The size of this paper  
is a discouragement to  
long letters. As I ever quote  
to you this delicious  
utterance: "excuse this  
long letter; I hadn't time  
to write a short one."

Write to me soon again.  
I'll be glad to see you  
when you come to New York.

Believe me  
As always

Arthur Hays Sulzberger



May 10th, 1919.

Miss Mildred R. Bishop,  
c/o The Bryn Mawr Club,  
New York City.

Dear Miss Bishop :

I have yours of the 7th ; I would like to have menu cards of all the hotels and cafes where you happen to be, from time to time, as I want to make a collection of these, showing style, prices, etc.

Particularly would I like to get some unprejudiced information regarding the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. I have heard rumors that the Ritz was not a paying proposition and have heard other rumors that it was an exceptionally good paying hostelry. We have an indirect inquiry from one of the Ritz brothers. If you happen to have any opportunity to get any first hand information about the Ritz people and how they manage the various hotel enterprises under their name, I would be glad to have it - and will be very glad to pay you for any trouble to which you are put.

We are also very busy these days. Miss Rossiter just returned from a business trip and I have accumulated mail and all the necessary work in preparation of the Races.

If you happen to be back in Detroit any time this Summer, I may get to see you some time, as I expect to go up there occasionally.

Sincerely yours.

CCP:R

The Bryn Mawr Club,  
137 East 40 Street,  
New York City.  
June 19, 1919

Dear Carl,

In ten days Remsen will have been  
dead a year. I can't yet believe he'll never  
come back.

You will be interested to know that  
Anastasia is announcing her engagement  
— to a man (she met in France, a doctor  
in Grand Rapids. No one in the family  
has met him. At present Anastasia is  
still in the Navy, and stationed at  
Philadelphia. She will probably be  
married in the autumn.

I believe I wrote to tell you I could  
not get the hotel menus for you. I've  
been very busy during the week I  
was out of town for every week end. The  
bathing in these parts is good  
— it's the best thing here, in my  
opinion — but it is very uninteresting  
compared with the wonderful bathing  
at Alton Beach.

Mama & Sarah have gone to the  
Georgian Bay with Harold & Bill.  
I shall be here all summer. You'll  
be in New York one of these days, will  
you not? Be sure to look me up.  
How are the hotel plants getting  
on? The papers told the Speedway  
race had a wonderful crowd, but what  
tragic accidents occurred.

Write to me now. Forever me

Cordially yours, Arthur Remsen Bishop

June 23rd, 1919.

Miss Mildred R. Bishop,  
c/o The Bryn Mawr Club,  
137 East 40th Street,  
New York City.

Dear Miss Bishop :

I have yours of the 19th : I am just back from Miami where I had two weeks of wonderful weather.

We are getting along very nicely with the Hotel plans, altho' they are slow.

I expect to be down in New York some time in the near future - and will be glad to call you up. I had hoped to be in the East this month but cannot make it now.

I am making an effort to get the names of all the lady tennis players of the highest grade who play at New York or around New York. If you can get these names for me I would like to have you do so : it is perfectly alright for you to hire someone else to do the job for you if you haven't time.

Yours very truly,

GGF:R



ocean. The bathing  
is wonderful, the  
water part, at  
least. The poor  
beach is all  
mashed up with  
jetties and bulkheads.  
There is a wild  
island in the  
Georgian Bay that  
is always called "The  
Wrath of the Gods".  
Parts of this beach  
mud

Long Branch,  
New Jersey.  
July 5, 1919

Dear Carl,

I'm glad  
to hear you are  
coming east one  
of these days. It  
will be nice to see  
you again.

I have enjoyed  
spending these  
few days in the  
ocean

might be called  
that.

Tonight I return  
to N. Y. on the  
Sandy Hook boat.  
It is such a lovely  
trip. Last Sunday  
I went down to  
Oyster Bay and  
came back to N. Y.  
on a sailing  
yacht. We got  
treatment opposite  
Brooklyn and reached  
town.

town at 1:30 AM there are  
few yachts about this year.

They say the sport was  
killed by the war, but is  
expected to come back again.  
Looking forward to seeing  
you, Fisher me.

Sincerely  
Walter P. Remsen Bishop

November 19, 1919

Miss Mildred Bishop,  
c/o Bryn Mawr Club,  
137 E. 40th St.,  
New York City, New York.

My dear Mildred:

I haven't heard from you for some time and I am just in receipt of a letter from Miss Johnson in which she advises us of your continued interest in the Beach. Since you did not answer my last note I thought probably you had moved back to Detroit. I didn't get to New York this year and that is one reason I didn't look you up. Atlantic City was as far East as I managed to make. Drop me a note.

Very truly yours,

GGF:RP



The Bryn Mawr Club,  
137 East 40 Street,  
New York City.

Dear Carl,

I heard in a roundabout way that you were happily settled in Alton Beach once more, and I had thought of writing to you to ask for the news of you and Alton Beach, in spite of your not having replied to my last letter. I expected to hear from you when I returned from the Georgian Bay. I shall not live in Detroit again. As far as cities go, New York is much the best to live in. It is so near the sea.

I am surprised that you thought my interest in Alton Beach was in any way diminished. The beautiful place exercises a fascination over me that I can never shake off. I think of it a great deal, especially at this season of the year when the scenery about here is so unattractive. I have spoken to a lot of people about it, and shall always recommend it most warmly.

I've been playing tennis a great deal lately, singles with men. But now that the outdoor courts are alternately freezing and melting, we are playing indoors, at the Tennis Association. I am playing better than I have for some time.

My darling sisters are both in N. Y. at present. Anstiss broke off her engagement permanently a short time ago. It is just as well. Isabel and I are enjoying riding together, different nights, and I ride in the park and she in the ring. In a way this is better, because she wears my one winter riding habit.

My work is in the top of the wonderful Metropolitan tower. My position is not particularly interesting just now, but I have lots of consideration and a large salary. I had thought of coming to Miami for a visit in Feb. Some of my friends have kindly asked me down. I can't resist the charm of the place for very long.

How is everything at the Beach? Tell me lots about it. I was very glad to hear from you again, and only regretted your letter was so brief.

With warm regards for your mother and for Mrs. Carl,

Cordially yours,

Mildred Hansen Bishop

November 25, 1919

Miss Mildred Bishop,  
c/o Bryn Marr Club,  
137 East 40th St.,  
New York City, New York.

My dear Mildred:

I have just received your letter and it is good to hear from you again. I don't blame you leaving Detroit for New York. Detroit is commencing to be too crowded entirely. We are shy this year on tennis players. I am expecting Goleman down next month.

We have a big string of polo ponies coming in. Five arrived today and we will have polo every day in January and February. Things are booming.

I hope you will decide to come down after the first of the year.

OGF:RP

March 24th, 1920.

Dear Miss Bishop :

I have your note from Jacksonville. Am sorry I didn't get to see you before you left as I wanted to talk to you about taking over the secretarial and financial end of the Beach Club next year. We are going to turn the Casino into a Club - going to remodel, plans by Chalpin; put some handsome furniture in it, and sell memberships - and we want somebody there upon whom we can depend to look after the money.

I will be very glad to make you a proposition a little later in the season, if we decide definitely. You can have this in mind and let me know if you are open for it and whether we can depend upon you to be here the first day of December, or possibly as early as the middle of November.

Sincerely,

CGF:R

Miss Mildred R. Bishop,  
Bryn Mawr Club,  
New York City.



The Bryn Mawr Club

137 East 40th Street

New York

March 30, 1920

Dear Carl,

I shall be glad to consider taking the secretarial and financial work in connection with the proposed club of which you spoke in your recent letter. I will interest me to hear further about it when your plans are more definite.

I think the idea of transforming the present house up that manner is a splendid one.

The first of  
December

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The Bryn Mawr Club  
137 East 40th Street  
New York

December or middle of  
November would suit  
me to come down. I  
expect to be free at  
that time.

Looking forward to  
hearing from you  
again. Believe me.

Very sincerely yours

Richard Graham Bishop

April 7th, 1920.

Miss Mildred R. Bishop,  
c/o The Bryn Mawr Club,  
137 East 40th Street,  
New York City.

Dear Miss Bishop :

I have yours of the 30th : I am supposed to receive a Committee in the next day or two to consider a proposition for the sale of the Casino. If this sale goes thru, I shall be free from the Casino worries - but I can no doubt find you a position with the Hotel which may be just as satisfactory.

I will let you know later what happens.

Sincerely,

CGP:R



The Bryn Mawr Club  
137 East 40th Street  
New York

May 18, 1920.

Dear Carl,

I thought you were going to let me know what you decided to do with the Casino. I'm always interested in Alton Beach, and beside that I want a "job" down there next winter. I still consider a winter, however gay, not spent in Miami a winter lost.

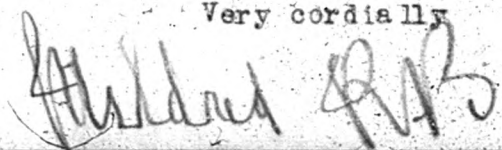
Not so long ago I saw some of our mutual friends who winter in Miami. They said wonderful things in the way of building were going to be done at Alton Beach in the near future. I am going to do some work on the side this summer for a successful interior decorator in New York, and I should like very much to find out whether there would be a chance for her to do some work at Alton Beach. She has done some 40 club houses in these parts, and all manner of private houses. She is a very competent person.

I believe you said Mr. Chalfin was to do something for you. It occurs to me that you may have given him charge of these things. I could go to see him here in New York in that case, should you think it would do any good.

I'd be grateful if you would let me know about this. I suppose you must be in Indianapolis by this time. I hope all your affairs are prospering.

Please give my love to your mother and to Jane.

Very cordially



May 26th, 1920.

Dear Miss Bishop :

I have yours of the 18th - For awhile we thought we would sell the Casino - then we definitely decided to turn it into a Club, and I am going to have Mr. Kren, who is now in the East, secure a Manager.

In all my separate enterprises of this kind I would like to have somebody around whom I feel can give me the inside information of how things are going along - and particularly somebody to look after the cash - and as this is going to be a Club affair with a great many ladies as members, I think we should have somebody in sort of a dual capacity to act as cashier and generally keep in touch with the ladies.

Mr. Chalfin is going to redesign the entrance and stairs and we will make these changes in November. Mr. Kren, who is wholly in charge of our new Flamingo Hotel, is going to handle the furnishings.

I will be very glad to give you a job down there, and I suppose it will be necessary for you to be on the floor about the first of December - or any time from the 1st to the 15th of December will be alright, except that early in the season you might be getting thorely in the harness and getting plans all made.

Let me know if I shall depend upon you so that I won't make other arrangements. If I come East, which I expect to do very shortly, I will have a talk with Mr. Kren and we will then decide something regarding dancing instructors.

Sincerely,

GGF:R

Miss Mildred R. Bishop,  
Bryn Mawr Club,  
New York City.

Gramercy Park  
Manhattan

~~Detroit~~

142 East 40 Street  
New York  
June 4, 1920

Dear Carl,

I was very glad to have your letter. We've been moving (Club closed for the summer) and now I'm existing partly at the club to which this paper belongs and partly at the above address with some friends. Mail reaches me promptly at 142 East 40.



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Gramercy Park  
Manhattan

The position you describe sounds very interesting to me. Details such as salary are always most generally arranged by you. The only reason I might not be able to come down is that I can't leave the ma. She will be in New York in a few days now, and I'll ask her whether she will come with me. I think she will for the road. Alton Beach.

National  
Arts Club  
New York

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rather spend the  
winter there than  
any place on Earth.

I know it so im-  
portant you should know  
definitely about this  
matter. I'll let you  
know in just a few  
days.

Your new plans  
are certainly splendid.  
I wish you every success  
in them.

Very cordially yours  
Hubert F. W. B. P.

June 7th, 1930.

Dear Miss Bishop :

I have yours of the 4th : We are building a twenty-room apartment-house at the Beach, which we anticipate will take care of a great many of our assistants - and I see no reason why, if your Mother wishes to come down, you could not be very comfortable in one of these apartments.

We have not yet figured out the rent but I imagine it will be about fifty dollars month, since most of the apartments will be taken in the Winter season and probably vacant during the Summer.

I will be very glad to have you advise me if you want this position. We will pay you two hundred dollars (\$200) a month salary and allow you one of these apartments or we can increase your salary to two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) and deduct for the apartment, which is probably the best thing to do as all of these apartments will be rented on the same basis to our various employees.

I expect to be in New York before very long and will call you up.

Sincerely yours,

CCF:R

Miss Mildred R. Bishop,  
142 East 40th Street,  
New York City.

The National  
Arts Club  
New York

Peekskill, New York  
Gramercy Park  
Manhattan

July 4, 1920

Dear Carl, you'll never  
guess what I am doing  
here. I'm playing in  
a tennis tournament - mixed  
doubles. Last week  
a tall young man I'd  
never seen before and I  
defeated the local  
champions and now  
I'm back home

W.C.



We may win. We  
have a match this  
afternoon.

Next week end

I'm going to visit an  
old camp in the Berkshires.  
There's no lack of places  
to go around here  
in the summer. I had  
been in the Adirondacks.

Your old friend,  
Anstus, sails on a  
Japanese boat from  
San

The National  
Arts Club  
New York

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Gramercy Park  
Manhattan

San Francisco on  
July 26 for China.  
She stops in Honolulu  
for 2 days where I  
have friends who will  
make it very pleasant  
for her. She expects to  
be in China for  
4 years!

Don't you  
write Anselm a  
little farewell note  
addressed.

address...

Miss Annetta B. Bishop,  
S.S. Shinyon Marie,  
(Sailing on July 26)  
San Francisco, Cal.

~~I know you would~~  
~~like to hear from you~~  
~~I'm looking forward~~  
~~so much to being in~~  
~~Albany next winter!~~

~~By this time you must~~  
~~have received my letter~~  
~~accepting the promise~~  
Cordelia  
4/12/33

July 14, 1920.

Miss Mildred Bishop,  
142 E. 40th St.,  
New York City, N. Y.

My dear Mildred:

I have your telegram of the 14th, also your previous letter regarding the Miami situation. Am inclined to believe you had better forget Miami this winter.

I wanted very much to have you look over this Kansas City outfit, for me, and give me a report on them, but apparently your affairs in the East are too absorbing at this time, to help me out just when I need some quick assistance the most.

Wish you luck just the same.

Yours truly,

CGF:BC



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SORRY CANNOT POSSIBLE LEAVE NEWYORK AT THIS TIME

MILDRED BISHOP

825A

August 5th, 1920.

Mr. L. A. Young,  
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Mr. Young:-

We are now dredging Flamingo Bay and drawing a part of this dirt upon the high ground. The building sites along Flamingo Bay are already some 8 to 10 ft. higher than tide water. A big part of this work on the North part of the property has already been completed and it is too late now to come back to it, but when you get down there this fall if you and the Senator have some ideas that you want to carry out we will be glad to accommodate you. I believe you are going to be satisfied with the progress we have made.

If you will elevate your house  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 ft. you would really be able to look over the first story of the bungalows located along the bay.

I understand that you are interested in some ponies and are going to bring down some this fall. We are going to have a tremendous season and hope you and the senator will come down early. A good many of us are going to be down by the 1st of December, and that will give the game polo players a chance to get a little practice before the experts come down.

The next time I am in Detroit I will look you up.

Very truly yours,

CCY:EM

Michael

Bishop

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The Bryn Mawr Club  
279 Lexington Avenue  
New York

February 1, 1921.

Dear Carl,

You were good to have someone write about me. I haven't seen the letter but it seems to produce a sufficiently favorable impression.

I have a very fair chance of being sent abroad in about three weeks by the American Committee for Devastated France, on account of my knowledge of French. I'd love to see France again.

I hope you are having a splendid season at Altos Beach. I hear the Flamingo Hotel is wonderful.

Please give my love to your mother, and to Jane.

Very sincerely yours,

Arthur Remsen Bishop



February 7th, 1921.

Miss Mildred R. Bishop,  
The Regent Club,  
279 Lexington Avenue,  
New York.

My dear Mildred:

I have yours of the 1st instant.  
I have been thinking for some time of writing  
you a letter but we just have been terribly  
busy and the week has slipped into another.

I was in hopes that you would  
get down here for a while some time this season.  
I have been considering you several times in a  
position as hostess to some of the cottagers.  
If you would like to have a position of this kind,  
I wish you would drop me a note, providing your  
France affair does not turn up well.

Yours very truly,

CGF:V

The Bryn Mawr Club  
279 Lexington Avenue  
New York

February 25, 1921.

Dear Carl,

Mr. LaGorce's article in the National Geographic Magazine is one of the most delightful things I have read. He writes in a charming style, and the pictures are beautiful. I don't wonder you admire the Angel Fish. All that he said is most interesting.

I do wish I could come down. You were kind to offer me a position. If the American Committee for Devastated France would decide whether or not they want me to go abroad, I could come. I am afraid, however, by the time they do decide it will be too late.

If I do go to France I shall probably be back by next fall. Perhaps you will have something I can do next winter, beginning about December 1. I shall be homeless then, my contract with the Bryn Mawr Club having expired. I want so much to be at Alton Beach. You don't know how homesick the newspaper pictures make me feel. That was a splendid one in the Times of somebody's boat, with a background of Miami Beach.

We have had just one perfect winter's day and one spring one. Now we are enjoying the brown snow and black mud which mark the end of winter, with no spring in sight.

Please give my love to your mother, and to Jane. Jane owes me a letter. You owe me two or three.

Cordially

Mildred

March 3rd, 1921.

Miss Mildred Bishop,  
Bryn Mawr Club,  
279 Lexington Avenue,  
New York.

My dear Mildred:

I have yours of the 26th ultimo. It is too late to do anything this year but next year I would like to make a deal with you early in the Spring as a sort of Assistant on Entertainment. We need someone very much who can give little parties and entertainments to a very large number of people whom we cannot handle. My idea of this would be for you to have one of our cottages in which you could give teas and make a sort of a headquarters for golf parties and tennis parties etc.

I would like to take this matter up with you in the Fall when I get back or the first time I get to New York so that you can come on here by the first of December.

Yours very truly,

CGFAW

JULY  
20th  
1921

Miss Mildred Bishop,  
24, Boulevard Jeanne d'Arc,  
Soissons, (Aisne) France.

My dear Mildred:

I have your letter of July 4th and very glad to hear from you. I am not sure whether you will ever receive this letter so I am sending one copy to the Bryn Mawr Club and the other in care of the Committee named in your letter-head. God knows, if you receive the letter addressed to France it will be thru blind reading and not thru any attempt of yours to give me a permanent address.

We are having very warm weather here and I wish I was in Miami and expect you do you too. I will be glad to see you in two months. We already have two or three prospects for you to start to work on when you get going in November. Miss Langlin, the crack tennis player, is in Paris while you are there have a talk with her and tell her that we would like to have her at Miami Beach this winter. We will take care of her three weeks at the hotel and put on a big benefit match for her and guarantee her \$500.00 towards her expenses. See what she says.

Write me if you receive this.

Yours,

CUP:AM



Indianapolis, Ind.,

Aug. 23, 1921

Miss Mildred Bishop,  
Comite Americain Pour les,  
Regions Devastees,  
24 Boulevard Jeanne d'Arc,  
Soissons, (Aisne)

My dear Mildred:

I have yours of no date. Am sorry you did not get to see Madame Lenglen, but I expect she was on her road to the States when my letter passed her enroute. By this time you have seen the papers regarding her default to Mrs. Mallory. Unless she comes back and beats Mrs. Mallory she would be no great attraction for us at the Beach. I wouldn't want to pay her a big salary for two weeks unless she is a world champion.

Very truly yours,

GGF:DLG

Comité Américain pour les  
Régions Dévastées

Address → 24, Boulevard Gramme, etc.  
Soissons,  
(Aisne)

Dear Carl,

I was very glad  
indeed to have your letter  
both copies of which  
have now reached me.  
I'm looking forward  
to next winter atillon  
Beach. o

The heat here is  
almost as intense as  
ever. (Name of the water)  
and mice have tried of  
bathing with the and  
are in Belgium. We  
moved to 4 miles, while  
the

They were here, along  
 The Chemin des Dames.  
 Horrible sight. We went  
 across to Compiègne,  
 passing Rheims where  
 as you remember the  
 armistice was signed.  
 I may have mentioned  
 this to you before.

M<sup>rs</sup> Longden had  
 caused the CARD  
 much "bad blood" as  
 we say here, by breaking  
 her contract with  
 them. However, I'll  
 try to see her when  
 I am in Paris. I  
 haven't

haven't time to  
go there of ten.

She is a most

capricious person,  
somewhat spoiled  
by retrospects of fancy.

There is an  
epidemic of a trench  
disease in the villages  
hereabout. Some of  
us have had a touch  
of it. How long-lived  
germs are! We

have the most  
pitiful cases brought  
to our attention. Many  
of our chauffeurs  
drove cars in the  
front during the  
war and are up to  
any thing.

Anything.

You'll write again  
soon, I hope. It gives  
me much pleasure to  
hear from you. Please  
give my love to your  
mother and to Jane.

Very cordially yours

W. H. Miller

The other day we passed the little  
stream Alette (I forget how you  
spell it) which, you remember, ran  
blood for a week. In its sluggish  
green water people were fishing,  
entangling their lines in  
the barbed wire in its depths.



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SOISSONS le 23 Septembre 1921

24, Boulevard Jeanne d'Arc,

Dear Carl,

Thank you very much for your letter, which reached me a few days ago. At that moment you were just going to New York to try to find a place where you could escape the heat to a certain extent. I suppose you went to the seashore, and are now back in Indianapolis.

We are now enjoying the exquisite autumn of France, with its misty mornings, resplendent middays and mellow afternoons. The soft light of the early evening and the faint odor of wood smoke in the air (concealing others not so pleasant) lend a melancholy charm to the "Liberated Region."

Man from Paris: "I have no patience with the people in the Devastated Regions. They are going back to live in a section which always has been and always will be over-run by enemy forces."

Man from the North: "Yes, and if we didn't go back to our homes, Paris would be on the frontier."

At the indirect request of the heads of the Paris office of this Committee, I wrote you a letter outlining a plan the Committee has for arousing interest in the work in Florida next winter. This letter was given to Miss Morgan, and will probably reach you by and by. I really think it is a project that will interest you.

Thank you so much for saying I could call upon you for assistance. You are very kind, and I know you mean it.

Please give my love to your Mother and to Jane. How are they? Write to me soon.

Very cordially yours,

Mildred

P.S. I'm looking forward to Miami etc. in March!

November 1st, 1921.

Miss Mildred Bishop,  
Soissons, Aisne, France.

My dear Mildred:

We all expect to leave here some  
time around the 10th of the month.

We have a thirteen day old boy in  
the hospital and my mother is quite ill. We may  
have some delays but if nothing unusual comes up,  
will be in Miami Beach before the 20th.

Yours -

GCF:M

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(AISNE)

24. Bd Jeanne d'Arc.

Dear Carl,

On my return from Italy yesterday, I found the copy of your letter to Miss Morgan. Your letter was very well expressed indeed, and I'm glad you take an interest in the matter. I am quite of your opinion that the indoor tennis court would be the best place for such a performance. I thought this sort of thing might give Alton Beach some desirable publicity, as well as helping the Committee work.

Mama and I had a gorgeous trip all about Italy, as you may have noticed from the post cards I sent you. Sicily was especially lovely, and Taormina reminded me greatly of the coloring and climate of Alton Beach, though of course it is mountainous. It made me feel quite homesick for Florida.

I have had to postpone my departure because of this trip to Italy, but it meant so much to Mama to go. Mama sends you her regards and asks me to tell you that having seen Italy she feels you cannot get the colors used at Alton Beach too bright. We spoke so often of Alton Beach and our delightful winter there. It is the ideal winter climate.

Therefore I expect to sail for America about January 10, which would enable me to be at Miami about the 25th, when the season would be reaching its height. I hope that suits you. I should like very much to come down earlier, but since I am acting as Treasurer at this Centre, I cannot get away until the end of my six months. We have a very good but complicated system of book keeping, and I am learning a lot.

Please give my love to your mother and to Jane. I hope you are all well. Write me soon and give me the news of the developments at Alton Beach.

Very cordially yours,

Mildred R.B.