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Dear Anna

Forgive the briefest of notes, (meanwhile, in answer to your airmail of Jan. 16, I return a page of the Journal showing all the correction that I think is required. This you can safely print.

Also I return the extract from my previous letter which you do not need to print. It was written just to explain to yourself how it comes about - quite legally - that valuable vacant land is thus exempt. It comes from the definition of "value" as used for real estate assessment purposes.

Terribly sorry you are so seriously in Doctor's hands. Do, do be very careful and look after yourself.

Have so much to write you. The latest Bill of the Government (Town & Country Planning) is a frightful surrender to landlordism and I fear a grave blow to our movement. The Tory-Socialist alliance & conspiracy is revealed. Just as well that S.C.R.D. is out of it. What could he say or do? Fight it and bring about his own resignation or expulsion from the party?

See next "American City". By cabled request from Mr. Buttenheim I sent him comments by air-mail.

Yours ever & love from Rily and Jean
Arthur

This is written Saturday at home. I am engrossed on an urgent manifesto against that Bill!