Mr. Augustin Basave, Chief Editor, EL NORTE Monterrey, Mexico.

Dear Mr. Basave:

I must beg your indulgence for so late a reply to your last note. It has been necessary to postpone attending to some personal matters and thus to the subject of our friendly correspondence. If you still desire it I shall try to send you the material by about June first.

When a busy man retires from an official position he is still called on, enlisted, in many enterprises which exact much time and as a consequence he, in this case I, has little time left for other matters. That is my situation.

Sincerely yours,

Emil Lorch