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## Levi Pennington Writing to Don Beede, February 28, 1947

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February 28, 1947.

Dear Friend:--

It was good to get your letter of the 23rd. and to know that you were released by the court -- we are supposing that that means that you are entirely free of any charge by the government.

Hope you got a chance to make the trip home in a comfortable way and without too much expense, and glad that you got on your way as soon as you did, though it would have been pleasant if you could have stopped here and played a game or two of chess, to help celebrate our 42nd. wedding anniversary, which is today.

I returned yesterday from the Oregon Council of Churches annual convention, where I was on the program. We got resolutions adopted declaring against war as a national policy, against conscription and universal military training, against liberalizing the liquor laws, against gambling and asking for the abolition of the pari mutuel betting system from which the state takes a profit, and one calling for increased gifts for relief in view of the great need in Europe. Hope you see the account of the report which Herbert Hoover makes to President Truman in regard to the conditions in Germany.

With kindest regards to all the family, whom I hope you have rejoined before this letter arrives, I am

Sincerely your friend,

Don E. Beede,  
768 East Short St.,  
Whittier, Calif.