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My dear & dear friend

Detroit, Dec 11th 1885

I beg to thank you "ex
toto corde" for your very kind favor of the 8th inst.
You have been the witness of the many internal
storms which have agitated & disturbed the Church
within the last thirty or forty years in the United States,
you have observed how jubilant the non-Catholic
Press seemed to be, believing each revolt & storm to
inflict a mortal wound on the very life of the Church;
& you have lived to see, that the Church has surviv-
ed them all, & continues to flourish.

Our Canadian trouble I hope to be ended by the
letter of His Eminence Card. Simeoni, & the Priest
revolt may try our patience for some time; but
it too must end in a good lesson for the rebellious.

Please, accept the kindest regards from Yrs. in Christ.

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