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ABBAY OF GETHSEMANI
TRAPPIST, KENTUCKY

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Dear Victor:

Your letter with the proof arrived last week, about the 11th I think. It was postmarked the 10th, from Lost Creek Ky. I presume that Lost Creek is a postoffice that has no other purpose than to handle lost letters which are shipped up the Creek by pixies. This is a curious facet of Kentucky life as yet unexplored. But in any case there is nothing wrong with the proof and I did not rush to say anything about receiving it as by now the broadside is probably finished, no?

I did not, need not, repeat how much I enjoyed the last visit, with Bob MacGregor here. Some time around the 19th of November would probably be good for the meeting with the anti-Catholic professor of political science who, I hope, will enjoy seeing Gethsemani. Does this seem like a good time to you? It is most convenient for me.

As the little house progresses, through obstacles and misunderstandings, I must think of a few simple furnishings. Do you know of anywhere that they still make hand made furniture for instance back in the hills? if there were some person back there still doing things like that I would be happy to buy some chairs, a table, etd. I think of a very simple rug almost like sacking for the floor. Do you know of any possible source for such things?

As ever, very good wishes and blessings to you both.

Cordially in Christ

M. Louis

I have had too long some library books, but I am working on the Gandhi carefully. Is there any rush for any of them to come back? I want to get through the Chinese art one if possible.