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Dearest Eva:

By a happy and almost symbolic coincidence, I came upon your address just now. My last letter to you I have addressed to an older address of yours in London. I do hope it reached you.

The spirit of Christmas is forever fused in my mind with another anniversary concerning only yourself. The first signs of the approaching holiday have been just as stirring to me now as they have been ever since 1915. It isn't exactly the subject to write about. One day you will ask me over to Oxford for Christmas. Then, together, we may find it possible to give the three-fold anniversary adequate expression.

A Merry Christmas to you and all of yours and a Most Happy New Year. I could add to the tenets of mankind's fervent prayer for Peace: May Peace come and restore leisure and contemplation and the blessings of cultivated friendship.

My love to you always.

Obermann