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Dec. 10 - 1911

Dear Scotty: -

The lily himself is  
with his feet in the mud.  
Never having studied botany  
the lady lily escapes me.

Please do not call me  
"man" even to yourself. I  
am not "man" but "skald".  
I claim my privilege of  
saying my song.

I cannot dare to say that  
I have looked into your heavens.  
Patiently William.