

Dear Kahn;

Oh! Sorrowful Woe, For such stupidity I should be boiled in oil, drawn and quartered, and punished in other appropriate ways for my uncalled for egornorance.

In case you are wondering why i'm blowing off like this, the ~~xxx~~ inclosed envelope should be self explanatory. In case you can't figure it out. I made the dopey mistake of addressing my letter to you (Oakland, Calif.) I remember hearing you speak of Oakland several times, Didn't you live there at one time?

Mind you I'm not trying to make any excuse~~s~~ for my blunder. But a bum excuse is better than non.

I was so discusted when I got the letter back ,that it took about six weeks to get up enough courage to send it to the right address.

Well to change the subject for a while. We finally finished the job up in Chappaqua. It turned out pretty good. At least we think it did. I'm home now, and things are a little slack., but i manage to get in a day know and then. Put in a small rock garden the other day, and it turned out pretty good.

The landscaping season is coming in soon, and we hope to be busy until late fall. I'm serious about wanting to go out to Cal. this fall. If I can get enough dough together to buy gas, oil and grub for the trip I'll be there. Try to let me know if you can find room for me on the nursery, or any landscaping jobs you might have. If you can find something for the winter, let me know a good time to get there. If things are slack out there let me know so that I can make other plans. Hoping for the best anyhow.

Hope to hear from you soon. And also hope that this letter gets to you,

Well So Long.

Howard

P.S. If you don't get this letter, let me know. I'll bring the next one over myself, if I don't get lost.

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