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My dear Justice Brandeis:

I thank you most sincerely for your very kind letter relating to my retirement from active service in the Court. During the years in which we have been closely associated I have come to have not only great admiration for your ability and judicial work, but true affection for you personally. I shall hope to have the pleasure of seeing you from time to time after our joint work is ended, and shall also hope that the friendship formed in the years that are gone may be projected long into the future.

Faithfully yours,

Willis Van Devanter

Mr. Justice Brandeis.