



GRITTI PALACE-HOTEL

VENEZIA

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Alberto Mondadori,
Editore,
Milano.

Dear Alberto:

We had a splendid trip down from Cortina and the weather was excellent until today. We lunched with Federico and made plans for shooting Saturday and Sunday. The weather has turned from sight-seeing weather to duck-shooting weather so everything looks very good.

Your arrangements at the hotel were excellent and Mary is enchanted with the town. We both miss you and Virginia very much and we never had a more enjoyable time than with you both and the other companions of the "Bota" at Cortina. Please remember me to all the friends and I will keep in touch with you. Everything I told you verbally is the same as though it were written. In publicity do not have them use any Cheyenne stuff. I am still running as an American writer.

Best love to you both from us.

Your friend,

Walter Paga

I will send you a list of books to, which I suggest you secure the rights immediately for the ~~books~~ series. Then we can publish them when it is

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