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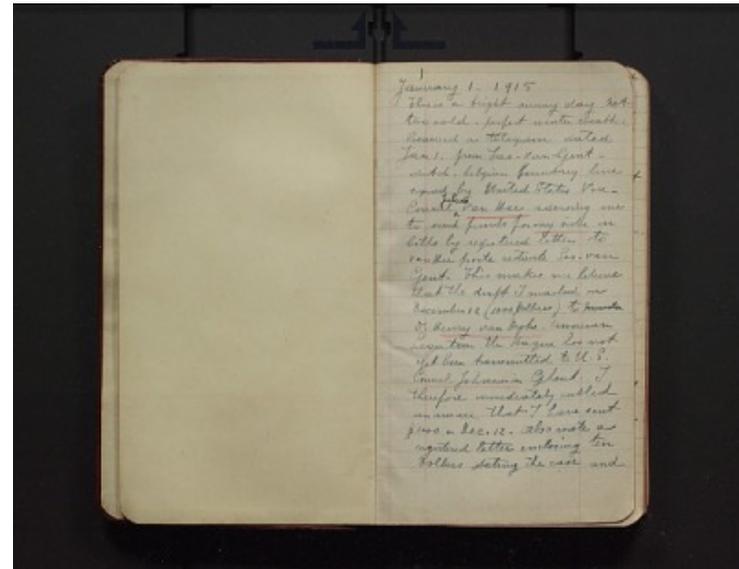
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January 1, 1915

This is a bright sunny day, not too cold, perfect winter weather. Received a telegram dated Jan 1, from Las-Van-Gent- dutch - belgium boundary line signed by United States Vice-Consul ^ ^{Julius} ~~Julius~~ Van Hee Van Hee advising me to send funds for my my sister in bills by registered letter to Van Hee poste restante Las van Gent. This makes be believe that the draft I mailed on December 12 (1000 Dollars) to ~~Minister~~ Dr. Henry van Dyke American Legation the Hague has not yet been transmitted to U.S. Consul Johnson in Ghent. I therefore immediately cabled an answer that I have sent \$1000 on Dec. 12. Also wrote a registered letter enclosing ten Dollars stating the case and



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