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Wardner, Idaho, Nov. 6 1905

Mr S. A. Easton

Kellogg, Ida.

Dear Sir,

Referring to #15- I would say that most all the people around town have him sized up as a spotter. #66- Ransdell and Dexter have all spoken to me about him to-day. Dexter says that all the saloons and the dance hall have him "sized up"- that way.

I spoke to him about his reports as you suggested and also told him that you had called me to task about something he had said about me, to the effect that I was gruff and uncivil. That report was made on the 24th, I believe, and he admitted he was never in the office until the 30th. He has not been in the office since. I told him I had not seen the reports- you just told me about them. He said you had misunderstood his report concerning myself. &c.

I harbor no animus, and if he is giving you any information worth while ~~but~~ I'll take some pains to

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put him on to things, but so far as his getting
on the inside is concerned, I doubt think he can
make it.

Yrs &c
MCP.