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Mr. J. Netick
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Dear Mr. Netick:

I understand that you were recently in Columbia. There is a possibility that I might go to Columbia and for that reason I would like to know a little about living conditions there. Would it be all right for me to visit with you in San Antonio sometime? If so what is your home address?

Very truly yours

H. B. Stenzel

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I would, of course, be happy to see you and tell you anything I can about the country.

I have been in Venezuela for a long time, and occasionally across the border in Colombia. The living conditions depend on what you do and where you are. If you were in Bogota, altitude about 9,000 feet you would find the climate cool & pleasant. The coastal towns are (ew)

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Generally, I bet Venezuela is the highest place in the world for an American to live; however, Colombia is much cheaper for one thing the money exchange is much more favorable.

I am very busy today for tomorrow I shall be on the way to Venezuela for two or three months stay, otherwise, I would write you more about Colombia.

I would suggest that you read the book "Guide to Colombia by K. Romoli" but I forgot the name of the New York publisher.

I would be glad to hear from my address will be:

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Very truly yours,
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