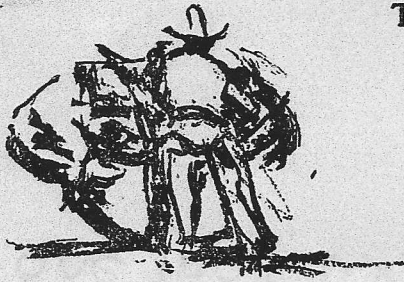


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Dear Mr. Rushmore -

I don't illustrate anybody's writing
but my own - I guess you understand why that is -
for two books coming out at the same time, with
my illustrations, would sort of confuse, even if one
of em was wrote by Jane Grey - I thank you for
thinking of me - And I would like to suggest one
mighty fine western artist who could sure do that well
for you, color, or black & white - This young fellow has
been with Charles M. Russell for ten years and I
guess that says enough. You could write to him -
He's Joe De Jong - at #5 Chapala Court
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Yours truly -
Will James.

