Wright's, Cal., May 9, 1899.

Dear Walsh,

How have I done it—fairly well?

Yours in virgas haste, Ambrose Bierce.

Say, your uncle is keeping a good hotel in Santa Cruz. If you still wish to come to California why doesn't he give you a place as clerk? I've taken the liberty to ask my good friend Dr. Doyle to suggest it to him.

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