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Dear Dr. Allen: -

By this time, I realize,
my advice concerning Quitt Pyle is
very much out of date. Only yesterday
I received a letter from her saying
she had to discontinue any thoughts of the H. G.
job after consultation with her doctor.
~~And~~ I admit freely that I wrote her
almost a month ago advising against
making the change after she sought my
opinion. And my advice was given solely
from the point of view her doctor pointed
out. If Quitt were a person who could
save herself the usual might be
different - but she can never do that.
And I know from my own experience
that going back into a department where
you've been active as an undergraduate
details re-assuming many of the activities
you were in earlier and when that is
put on top of a full time job life can get
very strenuous. I must confess I
always felt a little guilty about our