

Business has kept up remarkably well and it looks as if this would be the best year the paper ever had. We have had our handicaps and it has meant a little closer attention to business on my part than I should like to have it.

Everything looks beautiful out home and you must come out before frost gets in its work. We have just made over than back bedroom, downstairs, into a den for me and when the book cases, which have been ordered come, we shall have it looking real good. I shall have thirteen book sections in this room.

Well, it is getting near noon and I must get some other letters out. Lots of love to you and yours. Come up soon and often.

Lovingly your brother.

Collie