

December 2, 1948

Mrs. Harry F. Johnson
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Nebraska

Dear Dorothea:

I have your letter dated the first so it must have come through very promptly. I am not surprised that little Dolph was omitted from Gertrude's list as it, undoubtedly, had been made almost entirely before he was born. I think we shall be able to find something that he can remember as coming from his grandparents. I shall be glad for any suggestions that you may make.

I am proud of your children, as I am also proud of you and your family. I think Harry is a splendid specimen of manhood in every way.

I received a very fine letter today from Amy and Tom Larremore, and on second thought, I am going to include them in this letter with the request that you return them to me.

Mrs. Murphy and Ann have not been successful in finding an apartment and I have not been successful in finding someone to take their place. There are many things in their favor. They, undoubtedly, have kept the house as Gertrude would have liked to have it kept--neat and clean without having to disturb the general arrangement. They have their limitations, but on the whole, I appreciate their good qualities. They seem to be interested in my comfort, and at no time has any unpleasantness arisen since they have been with me. This cannot go on forever because Mrs. Murphy may wish to return to her home at Caney and Ann graduates in June, but it is alright for the time being.

You are a dear good girl and I love you very much.

Lovingly,