

Gertrude had looked forward to her trip to Minnesota with a great deal of pleasure, but her health was not good and on July 8, it virtually reached the breaking point, after which she kept largely to her bed. You will recall that she was operated on the 10th of last January. We had hoped to take a trip together, perhaps as far as Australia; but we cannot count much on the future right now.

With very best wishes to you both and with continued interest in you affairs and success, we remain

Cordially yours

Gertrude and W. C.