

forest service in Montana, and one of the extra duties in the job is to be prepared to fight forest fires.

There is no big news in the office. The little red head (Juanita) has gone because her husband has left school, and Grace has not hired any one to take her place. Eddie Bumgardner will do the work of Grace when she and Earl go to Las Vegas to visit Eddie early in September. Leo and his family leave Sunday for about 10 days in Colorado.

I am looking forward with much pleasure to having the family together in Chicago but the gathering will be short. I know you are looking forward with much the same pleasure to having the McNalley family with you. I wrote another letter a few days ago encouraging the Phi Psis to give Michael much attention.

The flowers are doing very well at the cemetery but it has turned dry in the last few days and things are needing water; The attendants have wisely not cut the grass on the new sod on the graves so that it will get good root growth.

Ship Winter still is in the hospital and I am going out there now just to say hello. He should be out in a few days and the staying at the hospital is largely the doctor's effort to have him get an enforced rest.

I do not know the definite plans but we should be returning to the cottage Sunday or Monday and it will be good to see you again. I hope your health has remained good and that you are as happy as you could be under the circumstances.

Love-

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