

June 20, 1949

Mrs. H. F. Johnson
Wymore, Nebraska

Dear Dorothea:

I received your letter and also the pretty tie. I also had a tie from Janet and a wire from Blanche. I don't recall just what it was you said about Mrs. Johnson, but whatever it was, it would be o.k. with me. We have had them as guests before, and have found her most pleasant.

I was a little disappointed in your not being down this week end, and unless you come up to the lake, I shall probably not see you until about the first of September. Margaret and I will leave not later than Friday of this week, and John is to accompany us and will take the burden of driving off my hands. Dolph says that he is an excellent driver and that he and Dolph, Jr., did all of the driving going to the coast and back and that he and Marie occupied the back seat.

I had a dinner party at the Castle yesterday for three members of the Stough family, myself, Margaret and her sister, and Mrs. Ranking, Charles and Lili. The meal was excellent and the service good. We were sorry you were not with us. I had also invited Mary Beth who was visiting Miss Zillner in Tongonoxie, and Eileen and Carl who spent the day with the Anthonys at Leavenworth.

Last evening was hot, but thenight turned off comfortably for me on the porch and about 8 oclock this morning the thermometer stood at 86 degrees. I don't know where our fans at home were put, but I spoke to Ramsey about them, so we shall have them going today. They add materially to our comfort there. I hope the many storms that Nebraska has been having will miss Wymore.

Give my love to Harry and the boys.

Lovingly,