

May 25, 1949

Mrs. Harry F. Johnson
Wymore, Nebraska

Dear Dorothea:

I don't know who owes whom a letter. I took an air trip to Brainerd, Minnesota, leaving Kansas City Thursday morning, May 12, and returning to Kansas City Friday night, the 20th, where I was met by Dolph, Marie, and John, and joined them in a nice dinner at the Kansas City Club.

Mary Beth, young Medlock, and I left Lawrence shortly after 3 o'clock Monday to drive to Minneapolis, Kansas, to attend the graduating exercises of Mike's class. We were detained an hour and forty minutes by a road block by a highway patrol car checking program. By driving furiously, the rest of the way, sometimes going nearly 80 mile an hour, we arrived in Minneapolis where Janet and Mac were already to go to the school house. Not stopping to eat but each drinking a glass of milk, we were fortunate in arriving at the school house and occupying a very front seat by the time the program started.

Mike was class president and made the response for the class. The program went off nicely and Mike received a nice lot of presents from various friends. My stay with them, although short, was very pleasant.. I left after dinner yesterday in order to be home to vote on the school program. The ride home was uneventful and the school proposition went over with a bang with a 3 to 1 vote.

I don't believe I have heard from you, perhaps since your letter of May 7, and I am sure I wrote you from Minnesota, and you may have addressed a letter to me there. I had a very pleasant visit with Grayce and Don despite the fact that Don developed a sore throat about the second or third day I was there and reacted violently to a shot of penicillium. It put him to bed for several days, but he was able to be up but not out by the time I left on the 20th.

I hope you and Harry and the boys are all well.