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My dear Grayce:

There is nothing much to tell you. We had all of the children, or nearly all of the children, in for the last week end. Janet could not come, I think largely because her brother-in-law, Doctor Joe McNalley, is there and is in poor health.

Little Carl Wayne Olander is coming along very nicely, and is three weeks old today. Eileen has had a practical nurse helping her but is largely looking after things herself I think now.

Marie, Dolph, and John will go to Ottawa tonight to see John play football. I would like to go but it is going to be a little chilly and the seating arrangements are very inadequate so that a good many will have to stand to see the game. This will be an important game as I think the winner will be the champion of the Northeast Kansas high schools.

The weather has been very pleasant, a little cold, considerable rain for the month of October, and this afternoon the temperature is a little above 40. Flowers immediately south of our house are still in bloom but all of those in more exposed places have frozen back.

Our K.U. football team seemingly has come to life the past two games, and the next game will be Saturday at Lincoln. I think Dolph, Jr., expects to play perhaps both as tackle and as a punter.

Last Sunday marked the first anniversary of Gertrude's death. I had a beautiful floral piece of gladiolus at the church in remembrance of her and afterwards took them to the cemetery.

I do not know of anything further in which you would be especially interested. I hope that everything is o.k. with you and Don.

Lovingly, your brother