

June 12, 1950

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Dear Blanche:

I missed getting over to Eileen's to tell them goodbye today. I was out of town all day yesterday, leaving quite early to go to Auburn to attend the funeral of Mrs. Nelson.

There were a host of relatives, all kindly and likable people, and neighbors and friends had showered the family with everything in the way of food to be served cold. The funeral was held in the Presbyterian Church of which she was a member, and the service was excellent. The remarks made by the minister were the kind to sooth rather than to sadden you. The cemetary is upon a hill, beautiful in this time of year, but, as someone remarked yesterday, rather bleak on a cold winter's day.

I am so happy over the good words that you have been able to send us in regard to Pat's condition. If you give him half a chance that boy is going to get well, and we shall be so happy when that time comes. I happened to see Edith Gililand for a moment at the cemetary. It was she who was Gertrude's nurse for a time in 1948.

I thought it was very nice yesterday that Janet and Mac drove up from Minneapolis and stopped at Wymore to bring Harry and Dorothea to the funeral. I have not heard another word from Betty, whoever she may be. When she called I asked her to come in and see me, but so far as I know she has never made her appearance at the office. I am not worrying because I shall make it in some way.

Lovingly,