

Mrs. H. F. Johnson, May 22, 1950

this time whether I shall be up there until after the wedding on June 17, which is only four weeks away. I think I should tell you that I am feeling very much better than I have felt for some time, and it came about in a strange manner. Dr. Johnson had been giving me pills and tablets, but had never told me when to quit them, so I found myself taking a lot of medicine; however, one day I forgot to take any medicine at all, and I have felt so much better that I have taken none since and feel that it is greatly to my benefit. I am brighter mentally and more active physically, but I am not going to try to overdo. I have not talked the matter over yet with Dr. Johnson, but shall do so.

I have not turned the television on for several days, preferring to give more time to reading. I have just finished Detours of Old Trails, whose author could easily become a humorist, as she has a rare sense of seeing the comical side to many things, and has a facile pen to describe such occurrences. I am now about half-way through reading Kansas, It's Exterior and Interior, written by Mrs. Robinson, the wife of the first state governor of Kansas. While the book was written nearly one hundred years ago, it recalls a lot of early day history with which I am somewhat familiar. I have other books, good books, piling up, but doubt if I shall ever find the time to read them all.

I am happy to hear from you and I am intensely interested in the progress of your husband and your fine boys.

Much love,