

Mrs. Don A. Freeman

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they are as fine a pair of boys as ever lived. They are so manly and have such good sense.

I presume that you have been having some bad weather too.

You have the correct idea in regard to my pictures. I am a pretty mild mannered gentleman, but unfortunately I characteristically look mean. Blanche sent me a photograph of herself beautifully framed as a Christmas present.

I was quite interested in the clipping you sent me for I think unquestionably that was the girl who was a passenger with me on the automobile to St. Cloud last April. She was such a refined and nice looking little girl and knew how to meet people without either seeming scared or too bold.

I hope I merit the good things you say about me, but I think maybe you view me through loving eyes and do not see my faults.

I think you will like my genealogy when it is completed. A young woman, a Mrs. Parrish, who with her husband will take the place of Otis and Margaret when they leave in June, has been with me for a few days and has copied 38 pages of manuscript. It reads pretty well and at least shows that we are making progress. When she comes back Saturday, I may be able to have her finish the work.

Remember me kindly to Mrs. Bisek and her children.

Today has been my letter writing day as I have already written to my three daughters.

I love you a lot and think of you everyday. Give my love to Don.

Lovingly, your brother