

October 4, 1950

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Dear Margaret and Otis:

I was very glad to get your good letter of the 29th, and am glad to know that you like it in Weatherford. I know that teaching in a college will be a stepping stone to something still better. I don't have to tell you of my appreciation to both of you.

I had another little trouble with my pump and spent a day or two in the hospital where I needed little or no medication, but rested for a couple of days. This is my second day at the office, but I am not taking much of a load. The office is so well organized that it can run along without me.

I am glad Otis takes his work seriously, but I don't want him to give it so much attention that it may impair his health. I think it is wise to work hard at the start when one ~~is~~ getting established because the incentive is much stronger at such a time than it might be at the closing of more or less uneventful and wasted years.

The Maloneys had mentioned to me the pleasure they had in having you call. Pat's recovery is almost a miracle, and is due to three things: first, his indomitable will; second, the study of his case given by his doctors; and third, the loving care that Blanche has given him for so many years.

The dollar in your letter surprised me because I did not consider that you owed me anything.

Mary Beth and Charles have been in. We had quite a homecoming of the children, and I am always very happy to see them.

I shall be glad to have you write me whenever the spirit moves you, as I am interested in your wellfare and success.

Your friend,

WCS:bjh