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Dear Blanche,

Although you have been here and gone quite recently, I am still hungry to see you. I have a great big place in my heart for you, and I am always interested in what happens to you and the various members of your family. Knowing what a good time I had with Marilyn and Bob, I know that you had a happy reception and enjoyed being with them. What happened to Bob's foot which caused him to have so many stitches taken?

A few years ago I wouldn't think anything of driving down and back, but I don't feel so self-confident now. I know you have had a busy and yet an interesting summer, and I hope that your housecleaning and redecoration will not upset you too much.

I think it was fine there could have been so many present at the get-together with Bob and Marilyn. Little Odie was chasing around on his scooter when I was there last, and the first thing I know, he will be riding a bicycle.

I am very happy that Pat is getting along so well, and feel sure that he has his old enemy whipped.

We have not yet had a killing frost, which is unusually late. As I have told you before, I always feel that we are apt to have a killing frost anytime after September 10.

Dorothea and her sons I think will arrive tomorrow. Elinor has been rather busy the last few days cleaning house upstairs and down. They are a likeable young couple, and I am fortunate in having them. Elinor is a graduate