

Mrs. O. W. Maloney, February 12, 1951

I think I told you about the nice, folksy letter I received some time ago from Bob Riggs. I appreciated it very much. I enjoyed the little visit I had with them last Thanksgiving and am so happy for them that they are getting along so nicely.

Dolph, Jr. and John are naturally somewhat up in the air. John has been a midshipman, I think, for some months and it is my understanding that Dolph also would prefer the navy to the army. It is extremely unfortunate for our nation that at a time when astute leadership is necessary we should be so lacking in that element in the White House.

Everything is going along about as usual at home. Mr. and Mrs. Parrish are still thoughtful and attentive and I am very fond of both of them. Yesterday I took Mrs. Rankin to dinner at the Eldridge and then spent perhaps an hour or more with her and her mother at her home. Janet was up for a day at least last week.

Write me often because I am always very glad to hear from you.

Lovingly,

WCS:bjh