

June 29, 1951

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Dear Friends,

I was very glad to get your letter of June 27 and to know that you are nicely located. I appreciated very much the kindly care you gave me during the months that you were here. My general health has improved I think quite a good deal. I don't know that anyone has gone ahead like Noah of Holy Writ to build an ark, but if these rains keep up it may be necessary to have one to preserve civilization. I think it has probably rained every day or every night since you were here and the river continues to be high.

I not only congratulate Leslie on getting a good job at Boeings, but I feel like congratulating the company for securing the services of such an energetic and reliable man. It is my guess that Leslie will go far in his chosen field. Leslie may temporarily feel as he says that he is in over his head, but it is my belief that he will handle the job with perfect satisfaction to all concerned. I wouldn't worry too much about not working yourself because I think you deserve something of a vacation and I hope that you will be able to have some home life.

Fortunately we have had no hail, but as already mentioned, we have had a super abundance of rain. The neighborhood children not only continue to play around the culvert, but are making use of an additional pond in the road a little to the south.

I think you did a beautiful job in moving my things.