

Nov. 4 1927

Dear Grace

Dr. Gardner rendered a bill for \$800.00 for the care of Etoile and I have sent him a letter, copy enclosed. Julia said that she and Charlie were favorably surprised as they had presumed that it would be a thousand. Just why he should charge a thousand dollars for a case of that sort is hard for me to understand and I shall not pay it willingly. I believe that a suit for damages against him might stand a fair chance of success, altho I do not suggest such action.

I sent a copy of the letter to Louis first and while he thinks I am right in principle he had rather pay than make Julia mad. I had rather not pay than make myself mad. I should have a mighty poor opinion of myself if I paid the bill without a protest.

I should like to write you a long letter but have no time. Gertie has just called for me to come home to lunch as it is now 12:30 and she has a church tea on for this afternoon.

Dolph goes up to Lincoln Nebr. tonight to see the game tomorrow and to attend a sorority party, the guest of a little girl we met last summer at Hot Springs, S. D. Janet is here for the week end. In the psychology test made at the opening of the university this fall, Dorothea ranked with the highest twenty per cent. which is not bad when you consider how young she is.

Doctor wants to come back to Lawrence and it is making it a little hard as his presence interferes greatly with our regular home life. I cant leave him out on a limb however.

Lots of love to you both. Tell we honest what you think of my letter. The kick in the clipping is in the last paragraph.

Your loving brother,

Collie.