

3248 Burton Ave.,
Lynwood, California.,
Sunday 27th November.

Dear Evelina -

Your letter of the twenty-first arrived a few days ago. Thank you very much for writing so fully to me about Mother and all about the family and so on at Elmira . I have felt so lost and far away and out of things, being so far from you all at this time and appreciate your nice long letter.

I am so thankful that Mother had such a peaceful time at the end. That is the way she would like best to have it so that we would all feel happier about her instead of having us feel badly. No one could have as unselfish and thoughtfully kind wishes for others as Mother always had. Mother's unselfish love for humanity has helped a great many people build better and stronger characters.

Mary certainly has my greatest admiration for her long devoted loving care of Mother. We all owe her a great deal - besides just money. She has certainly been wonderful in every way. I hope she is in good physical condition at present and does not have a breakdown. I am glad she had a few days in Youngstown.

Teddy seems to have gotten over his sick spell all right. It was mostly caused from too much school, excitement of my coming home and his going places and so on and on. We took him up to Los Angeles to the Orthopedic Clinic and hospital for a complete physical examination and find he has about as perfect a throat and general physical perfection as any ~~child~~ ^{youngster} could have. Probably starting in at school has been the ~~cause~~ ^{cause} of his being under par.

Last week I took the whole family up to Santa Barbara on a business trip and the week before to San Diego . We stayed at a fine Auto Camp for two nights right on the ocean at San Diego and we all had such a nice time. The Auto Camp there was completely furnished including bedding , silverware and cooking utensils, and had two beautifully furnished bedrooms, bathroom, and kitchen. There was a private front porch right over the sandy beach. The weather was perfect summer weather and the apartments cost us only one dollar and fifty cents per day.

Since I have been back home the weather has been just like summer. Everyone agrees that it has been nicer and warmer than it had been all summer. I have been swimming at every opportunity - maybe eight or ten times. Teddy is just as crazy about being at the beach as I am

I hope you are all well now and get thru the winter without any more sickness,. I certainly wish you could all have some of this lovely warm California sunshine. Thank you again for

writing me so fully. Love, as ever, Selden



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