

Sunday. Helmer is some better - throat
 still very sore - very red & angry -
 she called and said Helmer will
 not go to school tomorrow.
 Hazel & Owen went to Sunday School.
 It has been quit cold.
 Monday. Helmer seems better
 she is very weak - she came down
 stairs and dined but has been
 lying down most all day. Last
 night - she came down and
 had a bath. She looks awful.
 Tuesday. Helmer has been up
 part of the day - she doesn't feel
 like doing much. Dr. Lindsay
 called her last night and
 told her for her own sake to
 not go to school to morrow.
 We are expecting him to call
 any minute now - I don't
 know what to think of Helmer's
 throat - on the right side it
 seems bad to night - it hurts
 her all the time if she swallows
 or not. It was bleeding to night.
 Hazel & Owen and Aunt have gone
 to mutual. I went to P.S. today
 Ab gave me the check \$75.43. No school -
 what it should be. I cannot get in
 touch with Ketches nor Richards.
 C.D. said to fill that check back - He has
 money in for it now. Will try and see
 Bill S. Parks soon. Good night - Love Mavis

Thursday night.
 Dear Wesley - I am sure
 lonesome to night and
 have been all day. I am
 so worried about Helmer
 she seems very bad. She
 came to the bath room
 about 7. I thought she
 was going to faint and
 helped her lay down
 then she threw up was
 as white as chalk - we
 got her back to bed - she
 aches all over - her ears
 too. She drank a few swallows
 of milk. It is ^{part} eleven now
 she just came to the
 bath room again she
 thought she felt a little
 better. I was helping
 hold her up when she
 fainted dead away - after

he did not stop. My went but -
I do not feel like I can write
any more. I must lie down.
I will be glad when morning
comes!

Good night dear.

Dear Wesley - Helen's ears has
an awful throat she did not
sleep much neither did any of
us. The Dr. came - said he was
nervous about "that throat" - he
left some medicine to wait it
with - some more to gargle with ^{night}
capsules, and tablets - ~~sulfadiazole~~
every two hours, but it made her
so sick he said to give it every
4 hours for a while then every 2 hours
again. This is Friday - I was
bad when the Dr. came - It made
we feel better. There is such a
lot of sickness around -
William Lindsay has double
meningitis - fever 105 then
dropped to 94. But he is normal
now if they can keep it that
way. There is a lot of scarlet
fever around. The Reid twins
have been going to school
again. They will not give up
to having it - though.

some time we got her
back to bed. She is just
as white as the pillow.
She could not even
gargle she is very weak.
The Dr. gave her a skin
test to see if she is sus-
ceptible to scarlet fever.
He said if it is even pink
as large as a small pea
she is in twenty four
hours. It felt it is about
1/2 hr. and there is a spot
as large as a nickel.
It is almost midnight
and I am very tired but
could not go to bed until
I wrote a line to you.
How I wish you were here
tonight. I do not think I
can sleep, but will go
to bed. and will write you
how she is in the morning.