

Sept 1935

Ida → Nora⁴
Helen

Mon. Sept. 1935-

Dear Mother & Helen -

I'm glad you are getting along alright at last and will soon be coming home. Jean came the night Milton said he would - I did not get the telegram until a little before 10 P.M. and hurried down with the key just in time. He arrived at 10:30. He has lost 20 pounds and his clothes are simply ragged. I feel sorry for him. Lois wrote and said she was coming but has not yet arrived - I don't know why but Jean said he didn't think she was coming at all which is just as well.

School is quite a grind and I get so tired Jean hardly breathes. Mansue Ward is in my room. Ricky started him a quarter out at the Lowell school - Ida Cooke is his teacher - He is just crazy about it and seems to be getting along fine - The baby is having a lot of trouble with her teeth and is as cross as "Lally Hammeaux eyes" - believe it or not.

I suppose you are going to have quite

a gathering here for your golden Wedding
day - I hope everyone can be here.
Mrs. Mearns calls up and asks about
you every few days - she sure is a good
friend. Rents have all gone up a lot
and hardly anyone will take anyone
with children - so it maybe that we
will have to build a house after all.

~~W.S.~~
I have not heard from P.D. for a long time -
I hope Ken is still married - and still
happy. He seems quite contented.
Ruth (P.D.) said P.D. did not think much of
her but that is alright so long as Ken &
his Ruth are satisfied. I'd say -
Well mother I hope you continue to
get a long and be your self home & get
over the trip down. Every one up there
seem to be doing all they can - I hope
Helen feels pretty well -

Lots of love to all - and write
as soon as you can - Thank Helen for the
cards - I paid 2 mo. telephone 2 light - 1 water & gas
and have \$1 left. That was pretty good -
Love. Ida