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Dear Mother,

I should have written before but it seems as tho when I had the time the spirit was missing tho thinking of you very much. You have been in my mind much the last few days during Christmas & your birthday on the 28 of this month, also before & since. I hope you & dad are well & all the rest.

We are all well over here and the chances are we will remain well for many years to come. We had some lonely sweet corn on the cob for dinner to night & it made me think of the many times you have cooked it for me. (I wish I could be with you now it would be so nice.) We have plenty of fresh fruits and vegetables now & will continue to have plenty for many months tho at times it is not quite wise to be any thing but very particular what you buy in the vegetable line. All well so far.

Fabain & Ruth are doing fine now as always. They & the children have had a little cold but are all well and nearly so now. Fabain is doing all right in his work & is worth just a little. If he stays here a few more years with his start most of his worries will be over so far as money is concerned provided he lets well enough alone. But I suppose he will be like all the rest & want just a few thousand more all the time. That seems to be one of the main or outstanding characteristics of those that have money or valuable property.

The mining industry is booming now even tho' the stocks are down. It is a good chance for investment if one has a little money to spare.

Ruth, G. & I are very happy together. It all seems more like a dream to ~~me~~ now but I guess we will wake up to the clear cold reality of the case before another New Year comes around to greet us. We miss Beulah very much & can only reconcile our selves by remembering that she will be with you & dad making your life much happier.
Love to you both
Ken & Ruth.

Dear Mother and Dad,

We were so glad to get your letter and hear that you are well again. The were very proud of your pictures and the account of your wedding.

We had a very happy Christmas. Ruth gave us a tree cut from the tip of one of her trees and we still have it up. He spent an hour of Christmas Eve watching the children open their packages. John is so cute now. He walks and wants to touch everything, and of course, he was very interested in the tree with all its shining trimmings. Fabian took Ken and me, with another couple, to a Chow Mein dinner downtown at 7:15 and then Ken and I went home. The opened our presents in the morning, and there were plenty as three huge boxes had come from home - "Shower Boxes" - with gifts from many friends for our wedding.

We love our home and Ken is wonderful to me. He gave me a lovely hot point electric plate for Christmas and now I don't have

to make a wood fire in the kitchen stove, when anyone comes in to tea. Hen can make good tomato soup on the plate, too.

We bake our own bread, cakes, pies and cookies, and it's lots of fun. I wish you could come here and visit us.

We had two visitors here for eleven days during a Convention and we will be paid for the room.

We miss Beulah so much - she was loved by everybody, and no wonder as she was such a grand girl.

We get so sleepy here that no matter if we rest in the afternoon we can go to bed early every night - eight thirty or nine.

It is warm during the day but cold at night, and we have to have fire every evening.

Good night and best love,
Ruth and Hen.

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