

Sunday. Helmer is better - throat
still very sore - very red & angry -
she called and said Helmer must
not go to school tomorrow.
Hazel & Alva 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 the time if she swallows
her all the time bleeding to night.
or not. It was bleeding to night.
Hazel & Alva and Aunt have gone
to mutual. I went to P.S. today
Ab gave me the check \$75.43. Washburn
what it should be. I cannot get in
touch with Ketches nor Richards.
C.D. said to fix that check back - He has
money in for it now. Will try and see
Bill S. Parks soon. Good night - Love Mamma

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 - aft

he did not stop. 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 says she has an awful throat she did not sleep much neither did any of us. The Dr. came - said he was worried about "that throat" - he left some medicine to wash it with - some more to gargle with ⁱⁿ 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 us feel better. There is such a lot of sickness around - Billard's disease has double pneumonia - 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 Bird twins have been going to school all day. 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 susceptible to scarlet fever. He said if it is even pink as large as a small pea she is in twenty four hours. I felt it is about 12 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 to night. I do not think I can sleep, but will go to bed. and will write you how she is in the morning.