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Dear mother

Sorry to be so slow again
but I am still lazy.

Did never thank you for the things you
sent up. If not many thanks
we are all going strong & are well now
even though the colds sometimes crop up for a
little while.

Lucile & I took David & drove down
country about a hundred miles the 18th
& had a very nice little trip going 20 hrs.

Very busy of late but no great cases.
Milton's family are OK as you know.
Dr. Monson just returned from Mammoth
where he saw Buleah. Said all was
well there.

Give everyone hello & I must close
& make some calls.
Loveingly your son
Douglas

Berkeley, Oct 17-1938

Dear Mother Pearl:-

Sometimes I feel terrible when I think I do not write oftener when you write such enjoyable letters, but I am getting to be a very poor correspondent since I lost my Mother. I'm even guilty of neglecting Father.

I was disappointed I couldn't go with Douglas to see you. I had been "after him" ever since our return from Idaho to go to see you, but Nelle had spoken for that particular weekend so I couldn't leave too.

Tomorrow is our 15th anniversary and we had planned on getting away for a

few days, but I am afraid we won't. It is hard for Douglas to leave and Sunday seems the same as any other day - calls to make - phone ringing.

Mother Jean, we are going to have a nice new home! We are anxious to get away from this lousy corner with our Baby. He is outside all his "waking" time and he isn't safe. We will have a nice bedroom on the main floor which I hope you will occupy "every now and then". We will have more room and we do need it. The plans and specifications are out to Contractors for bids now. I do hope we receive a reasonable bid.

Maybe, sometime, David
and I will go down to see
you. I want him to know
his Grandma and you ought
to hear him talk. He talks
like a three or four year old.
He said "when I get big I
am going to be a Policeman."
Forrest said "big, like Forrest."
he said "no, big like a Police
man."

Today ^{is} ~~was~~ a meeting
of the "Daughters of the Pion-
eers". I decided to stay
home and write you and my
Father. I have a practise
tonight. I am on the go too
much. Have a big family.

I hope Lida and family
are O. K. Give her our love.

Douglas will want to
add a note. I will wait until ^{he can}

We hope your good
health continues.

Love, from all
Lucile

Oct 19 - I left this for
Douglas to add a note and
will add one too.

Yesterday Douglas, David
and I left here about 14:00 P.M.
(we wanted to leave earlier)
and went to Big Basin - a
very beautiful place about 75
miles away. We returned at
1:00 today. We had a very
nice time but I wished the
children were with us. We
will take them sometime.

Love

Lucile