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Dear Mother & Dad:

I thought of you folks a good one on the 11th and wish you many happy returns of that day, but just failed to put it on paper then. I stuck around the office all day had a few calls. About 6:30 was called on an emergency case of a 3yr old boy who was scalded from the nipples down and the inside of his arm. Poor kid only lived 8 hrs. - very sad case.

You were very thoughtful to write me on my birthday. Lucile has planned a surprise for me & it certainly did surprise me. But they were all surprised also for I had no more than got home but had to go back and deliver a woman who gave birth to a 7½^{lb} girl. But in spite of all that I was back at the party by 10 P.M. and we all had a good time. Strange as it may seem I will soon be 40 and only beginning my career.

Business is going fairly well,
but I am not sufficiently established
to hold all major cases.

I just had a cute appendicitis awago
who went to San Francisco for their
old family Dr. Only after 3 trips &
most ardent pleading was I able to
convince them that the child was critically
ill. I finally begged them to have the
child operated on even if they had to get
someone else for I hadn't seen her lie there & die.
I had ruptured & she looked like Milton when he was
ill. I haven't heard, but hope she lives. $5\frac{1}{2}$ yo old.

A special newspaper that we saw
Milton & family Sunday & they are all OK, Helen
likes it & they think a lot of her.

He are all well & happy.

Hope you people are all OK, that Dad is
feeling better.

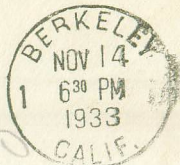
Let's hope that you both are able to
go back to Dao's next summer.

See Dao hello for us all I

Love from all

Douglas.

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Handwritten arithmetic calculations:

$$\begin{array}{r} 52 \\ 5 \\ \hline 260 \\ 140 \\ \hline 800 \\ 265 \\ \hline 26 \\ 25 \\ \hline 25 \\ 25 \\ \hline 66 \\ 170 \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 28 \\ \hline 150 \\ 180 \\ 260 \\ \hline 60 \\ 130 \\ \hline 5 \end{array}$$

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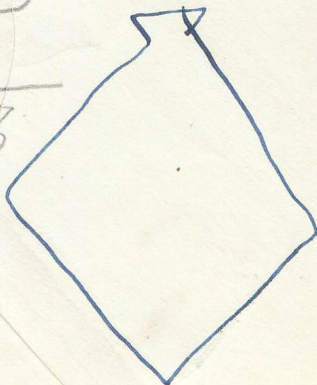
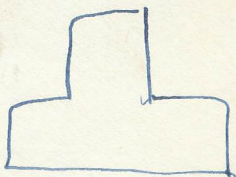
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