Dear Sonne,

I was so happy to have your telegram and to know that you were feeling better. Absence of any direct word from you disturbed me very much. It is extraordinary how much a fear which seems so little at the time can bother one. I am happy that you are following the doctor's orders for that means that it is only a question of time before you will be your usual self. I need not tell you how often you are in our thoughts and I made like to write you but it would take too much. The winter has been very good for you - that is quite cool. Marvin and I are both well.

Mr. Allen a good deal of your friends who are very kind but I make me engagements ahead of time so as to keep myself free for any calls from the President.
in his minsters. Prosecs has sent me a letter; one cannot be optimistic or pessimistic at this place. The ministers do not understand the electricity problem. I think they do, or make it appear they do. Bruns and I are doing our best to make them understand all the pertinent facts and factors. The President wants the problem solved and we are in the right way, but so far I do not know if he has given any directives to his ministers. I think this next week will be a busy one and that we will see a good deal of the
Memorial and I hope that President
will see the President this week on an
Event. He is so much more understanding
of these things than his ministers and
so much more responsible.

He has asked me not to visit him
more than twice a year. There are so many things
I wished like to write about but they
will have to wait. I too give one
friends here the best impression. I
look and I am in the whole optimistic
that they will see reason in all these
matters and do the things which
so obviously they must do in this.
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Marvin greets me, and sends love to you + Nettie and Eula + Grace. The weather has ideally been wonderful here for February. Cordially,

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