Dear Family -

It was good of you to call the other day. I had been thinking of calling you. I have written five letters recently as I have been busy with visits from the States, the inauguration of the new President brought all kinds of people. Services come but was there only 30 hours and we had only one time to talk. He did not know well and on his return home went to Vallis. And as you know, the perfect day, from what I got from other sources, it is only what I got from other sources, it is only an outline of what I am hearing of the scene.

I hope it isn't how he carries the load.

The door is beyond me.

He will spend Xmas at Cuernavaca

and the girls will be with us. One

of Maria's nieces from Volunteers & her
Last week, and then Allison and Anne dug after
the storm for three weeks.

The weather is better now - less rain, but hot
and much sunshine - and cold both here and in
Cuernavaca.

Saw Peter in New York at the Hotel Stork.

having some dental work done and will be
there until about 5:00. Didn't do

with him.

I'm feeling some better but still don't
have any weight and can't get any strength
back. Marvin is wonderful - she keeps going

almost too much. She has a bank and
doesn't engage. I think every day this

week including the dog -

Bob left the ambassador here, so
Coming for lunch with me alone at the house today. He is very young (21) but very intelligent.

The article in the last issue of Time on Fidel, Mallos, the new President here, is good.

It is based on a 3 hour interview with Fidel. Mallos by me of Time last month.

You can draw your own conclusions, but all I can say that the interview is very accurate.

The Mexican government is not friendly to American businesses now - but they must make money from the U.S. then or they will have to seek other sources of money. We will have to wait a few months to see how things go.
order came back Wednesday - it is leaving
again Saturday. I think the new Committee
will keep him in Washington a lot more
than he stands, or at least more than he
admits.

I'm looking around for a good
rehab. Would like to get at my
memory. I've decided to reread the
words I didn't even touch in the
first dictation.

Wanna join in much less to your
wife that you and all the family had have
crazy happy times. Always faithfully.

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