Dear Dannie,

There isn't any news but I want to send you just a line. We are still having lots of rain down in Cuernavaca and very little sunshine. The dams in Mexico are full except Necaxa where we lack only about 70 millions. Drapers are gone and the Tailors have taken the Drapers' old house. After all the trouble in getting their dog to San Francisco, the day after they were in their new house, the dog was shut up in the house and seeing a man in the garden, jumped thru a big picture window, shattered it, and cut himself so badly that he died of death. It will save the Drapers a lot of money, for they would have had law-suits for damages, as the dog is vicious and would have bitten some people there who would not have taken it like they did here.

We have an advisory committee meeting this afternoon. So far as I know, there is no change in the Government's attitude towards the company and it is dangerous for the Company and Mexico.

Last week was a busy week for me as I had to do a good deal to help my friend Bob Hill.

I had a letter from Sara Jordan and she says her husband's eye operation went off quite well. I had written her about this hernia of the oesophagus, and she says quite often they develop after the kind of stomach operation I had. It is bothering me much less than it did, but still causes me inconvenience and somewhat restricts me in things I would like to do.

The reports which the Senate Committee for Foreign Relations has asked some research groups to make on the impact of science, etc., on developments in foreign policy are beginning to appear, and the one just published prepared by the Stanford research people is very good. If you want these as they appear, you can get them by writing to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations in Washington. Two have appeared so far and are very good. There will be some 17 or more in all.

Marion is well. We follow the usual routine and enjoy the week ends in Cuernavaca but I can't stay there more than three days at a time without getting bored.

Hope you are all well and that the weather is good now. October should be pleasant in Greenwich. Your birthday will be coming on soon! Many more of them.

Marion joins in lots of love to you all.

Faithfully,

GEORGE