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Dear Jimmie:

This is just a word to acknowledge your letter which you dictated over the phone. You should not have taken the trouble to write me, but Marion and I are glad to have this word from you.

Mr. Draper spoke to Nat Samuels on the telephone this morning and I spoke to Nat briefly and he tells me that all is going well. When I last spoke with your father he said that you were being permitted to walk in the corridor of the hospital and I am sure that that was quite a thrill. I am so happy to know that things are going well. It must be a big trial to you and June, but the most important thing is that everything is going well. It is going to take a lot of time and a lot of patience, but in any event all that is happening is encouraging and you can look forward to a future much more free of preoccupation.

I am on the whole feeling pretty well, but I have a great deal of discomfort. One day I feel fine and the next day I am bothered with these abdominal pains which my doctor here says have nothing to do with the hernia of the oesophagus and which are not serious. I am pretty well discouraged because the pain can be pretty bad. I had not planned to go north until the beginning of June but if I do not feel better during the next two weeks or so I shall go north to see the doctor there.

There is much to write about but I want to spend the week-end in Cuernavaca so this is just a very brief note to tell you how glad I am that things are going so well. Our thoughts are very much with you all and we miss you here.

Marion joins in affectionate good wishes to you and June and to the family.

Cordially and faithfully yours,

  
George S. Messersmith

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