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Jan 8

Dear Bonnie,

There is no news. The trip so far is proving restful and comfortable. We keep very much to ourselves as while there are many passengers and are sure many nice people, they do not look interesting - or arouse our interest. We read, sleep, eat, play gin rummy, and Marion is rapidly taking all my money away from me. Today I have spent hours on my income tax

return for 1950 as this must be
filed before we return from B.A.

I'm making a good many notes
for my work in B.A. and certainly
have plenty of time to think. I'm
hoping to get some letters at
Rio.

The hope your shoulder is better
& more comfortable and that you
will take things a little more
easily for a while. It is very
irksome to be so long on

Such constant news as to what



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is happening in the area, but
I can catch up at the Embassy
in Rio.

We will be in Rio all day
January 23 and arrive in B. A.

Jan. 29.

It was fine to have had these
days with you. Wish you were
making the trip with us. Warm
greetings in love & fond wishes to

You all - Truly yours

Wendy