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Answered,
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Dear Jimmy -

This is just a word to say that Warren + I
hope you + Jane + the children + family have a
happy Xmas + that the new year will be filled
with all good things. It is thoughtful of you
to send us World Report again and appreciate
it. I hope ^{you} will not do it another year for
it is time I subscribe myself.

We go to Cuernavaca Friday the 21 and
stay until after New Year's day and will have
the house full most of the time. We look forward
to the time when you + Jane can make us
a real visit here.

Loni was here and I spoke to him
privately about the situation here and I
would suggest that you talk with him
as he can give you the real background

for your personal information. I prefer not
to write but ask him to give you the story
for your personal background.

The nervousness & colitis are better, in
fact very much better, but I still have to take
too much calming medicines but am able
now to cut that down. Bought a microscope
a few weeks ago but that is getting better.
But this morning the doctor tells me I have
caught some kind of intestinal infection &
that means more medicines. On the whole
I'm in better shape, but still haven't much
ambition to write. I do keep busy and
my friends seek me out for counsel
sometimes more than I like - but I can
never stand to be unhappy if they don't.
Marian is well but always worried
about me.

W. Jordan + her husband spent about
 two days with us in Mexico City + Cuernavaca
 in Novmbr. She is as charming a woman
 as she is a great doctor and we had
 really a wonderful visit together.

I hear your father is getting on normally
 and I am happy to hear that. I wrote
 him several weeks ago. Give him my
 love as well as to your mother + Edna
 + Horne.

I hate to write by hand but I
 did want to get off these few
 illegible lines. May the surgeon
 bring you all health + happiness and
 joy of life + in life -
 always faithfully

Jimmy