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Dear Children:-

We have had much circulating by members of the family recently so there is not much reason for our writing but you see I have some new stationery and naturally want to show it off. How do you like it?

Tom gave us a happy surprise by calling Sat. Morning from New Orleans and he came on up Sat. afternoon. It is fine to have a visit from him and get first hand news from Idene and the children and Gusta's and Bill's visit.

Elmer Key came in at 3:45 A.M. Sat. night. We met him and fed him and put him to bed for a few hours. We had much talking and fun and got a report from Gusta & Bill in New York. Tom left for Durham N.C. about 4:00 P.M. Sun. and Elmer Key left about 5:00 A.M. to day for Houston and is to arrive at Houston at 11:00 this morning. Mother and I came home from the air port and straighten around a little. She sat down with her paper and I took a shave. I dont know why but as I shaved I found "after the ball is over" running through my mind. It was a great week-end for us; in fact, as Idene says "a great time was had by all". We got caught up with much that is going on and discussed E.K.'s business.

Tom is going to try to contact Dr. & Mrs. Cutten and then he goes home by way of Washington.

Like the rest of the country we are having cold weather but it is bright and pretty to day. Frosty and freezing.

Mother is posting the incoming bills in the gray book and we will write checks this week-end.

Gusta & Bill, we are returning for Elmer Key the box of jewelry you sent. He talked to you about it and you will understand. Hope the weather there is good enough for work on your house.

This about winds up Christmas for us and we settle down to the business of the new year.

Love and best wishes from mother and papa.

Your father

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