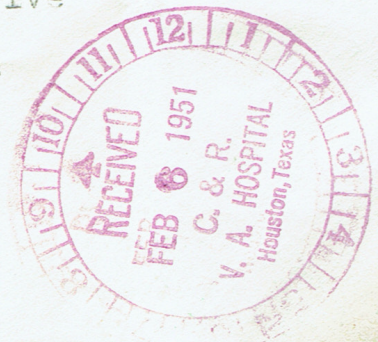


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Dear Children:-

That is some ball of yarn you have, Gusta & Bill and I am sure it is capable of a splendid rug with draperies to match. With such material and such weavers there are great possibilities. And it isn't any joke. Bill can handle it. No doubt the Jack Smiths were interested and could give you ideas. Hope the road and weather were good and safe for that trip. Fine that Bill is expert on icy roads. In this connection I am reminded of a statement of your cousin Annie Fletcher. They were playing some game, I believe Croconole, and an ie proclaiming her expertness said Oh, I was borned on a croconole board. I am glad you are using the less hazardous route to the office. That other route could give you several sumer-saults tumbling down.

Elmer Key, we have enough vitamins to go through Friday 9th. We think they are helping us. If you have the others you spoke of we shall be glad to get them. Our friends tell us we are swallowing dimes when we take them. We saw in the paper what we think is a picture of Charlie Squires' girl. I guess he is right in saying you get home makers out of homes. Tell us about some of the fun you are having at parties given for the Lummis wedding. They are not by any chance planning to make it a double? Just a thought for economy sake. I am sure you are working on the New York proposition and we will be hearing from you soon. A happy phase of it is you have a good berth while you plan.

We have set ourselves to finish compiling figures for income tax report and go in with them this week. It is our custom to get it figured before March and come home and wait till March to send our check. We think it will be less than last year but will have to wait and see. The sale of lll will come in on this one but that is not as large as the sale of the lots. At Britling's Sat. night we saw John and Gladys Bryan in from Taladega to attend a wedding, but they were so cold they said they were going right back. Mother offered to lend Gladys her coat but Gladys said she had another in the car. Have not heard from Ermer so I guess she is doing alright. Walter McNeil died in Atlanta Sat. and is being buried here to day. He was 42 and had been in real estate six years. We are well and O.K. Weather is little warmer to day. Mother has club meeting Fri. and we have Scottish Rite Club dinner Fri. night; ladies night. Idene, I hope you and Maria are taking good care of Idene Key. Love and best wishes from mother and papa.

Your father
E. C. Sanders

Walter McNeill Jr.

Walter McNeill Jr., 42, native of Birmingham, died Saturday in Atlanta, relatives here learned yesterday.

Born in Birmingham and educated at Birmingham-Southern College where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity, Mr. McNeill moved to Washington several years ago. He had been in the real estate business in Atlanta the past six years.

Son of Mrs. Walter McNeill and the late Mr. McNeill of Birmingham, Mr. McNeill Jr., was a member of First Presbyterian Church here. Graveside services will be conducted by the Rev. E. V. Ramage at 3:30 this afternoon in Elmwood Cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, the former Miss Elizabeth Cryer of Anniston; two daughters, Susan and Elizabeth; his mother and a brother, the Rev. Robert McNeill of Jacksonville, Ala.; two aunts, Mrs. Gordon McBain and Miss Scottie McNeill, Birmingham, and two uncles, Frank A. McLeod, Sumpter, S. C., and D. C. McLeod, Birmingham.