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Salem, Oregon

Dear Folks,

I suppose that Junior + Fran are home from their vacation now and everything is getting back to normal again.

Jake and I got back from Wash. camp on Monday. Wed. evening Jake left for Oklahoma. Thursday I didn't feel well and Thurs. nite [sic] went to the hospital + had a miscarriage- The baby (a boy) had a spinal disorder so wouldn't have been well anyhow so perhaps it was a blessing but of course, we were disappointed. I came home today, Sat. and am feeling O.K. I suppose that Jake will change his plans + come back to get us so we'll probably be a couple of days later getting to your place.

The children are enjoying their stay here so much. Paul + Carol are with Jake's sister, Ruth, + Helen has had the other two. Jake's mother isn't very well, she's having so

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much feet trouble.

It has been real cool here -
almost cold, but nice. I'm dreading
the heat back in Kentucky but
am getting anxious to get moved
in.

Happy Birthday to you, Mother,
in case I don't get a card sent.
I'll try to bring your gift when we
come.

Must close,

Lovingly,

Florence