

Osaka, Japan

Dear Folks,

June 21, 1953

I guess you think I've perished as it's been at least two months since I wrote to you. Things have happened so fast since Jake got back from America that the weeks have just flown by.

I guess that you have read and heard about the good revival which we had here in our school. It still continues to be felt though it has reached our pastors and churches as we would like to have seen it.

We had good Mission Mtg. and Conference sessions the first wk. in May. We were busy entertaining as our mission family has grown to 14 adults and 9 children.

At conference time Jake was given an interpreter and business manager to travel with him as an Evangelistic Team. His interpreter is one of the graduates of our Seminary this Spring who was really filled with the Spirit during the revival and called to do evangelistic work. He preaches part of the time. They sleep and eat in the tent, spend the morning in prayer and study, the afternoons in calling and street-mtgs with the service in the evening. Their schedule is full until Christmas. Their

first series of mtgs. they had 120 decisions  
for Christ. The next at Sendai there were  
270. They are at Onahawa [sic – probably Onagawa] now. It takes  
Jake away from home most of the time  
and leaves lots of responsibility to me.  
I'm planning to spend July and August  
in the mts. We have already sent our  
luggage and Jake is coming home

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to take us up on the train. Our maid  
got tired out so is resting this summer.  
I have an older woman working for me  
now. She is a whiz with the work but  
spoil the kids if I don't watch her.

Paul will soon be in school. I guess  
that we'll send him to the Army school  
unless the Lord directs otherwise. I don't

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know whether John will start kinder-  
garten this fall or not. Mark is just getting  
over measles – also has had a kidney  
infection but is alright now. He is almost  
no work at all to take care of – crawls  
all over + walks around things. I don't  
think I told you before that we are  
expecting our fourth the end of Sept.

(Jake wants another boy) Out of space so will close

Love, Florence Jake

+ Boys