

St. Cloud

Sunday

March 28, 1949

Dear Virginia:

If you are looking for a log cabin, remember the oldest log cabin in St. Cloud is preserved as a memorial in Riverside Park on the East Side.

Do what you please about the bookcases. They are yours. We have no need or place for them now that we have three built in bookcases.

Your description of the new apartment is indeed exciting. We shall look forward to inspecting it someday. Be sure to send your new street and number.

Mother says you can borrow the sewing machine. In time however you should plan on buying one for your own use.

Apparently Charles has decided on the U. of Minnesota tho he has enrolled at Iowa. He had good grades for the winter quarter 2 A's, 2 B's and a C+ His old pals [?] and Carleton Graves have had an influence on Charles in favor of Minnesota.

I have a very interesting English publication, similar to the Kiplinger publication from Washington which claim to preach the low down and the confidential inside information which doesn't get into press. When you come home I want you to read the two copies which I have – inside [dope?] on the Knig'h illness, on the great influence of Lord Mountbatten on the royal policy (not regarded as wholesome). Regarding the world situation the report is extremely pessimistic.

Ned got home on the bus that leaves Mpls at midnight and is still dead to the world. I suppose he had a great time.

Last night Mother and I listened to the 10:30 broadcast by the United Churches and today we plan to attend church and contribute.

Afternoon

Ned got up at last with a tall story about his grand time with Eleanor and at the tournaments – both State and De [Molay?] They lost to the Duluth team in the second round. Duluth chapter had a team [compared?] of University Branch students.

Ned and Charles have both received appointments for work in the Idaho forests at increased pay but Charles for for a road and trail maintenance job in Glacier Park.

Love

Daddy.