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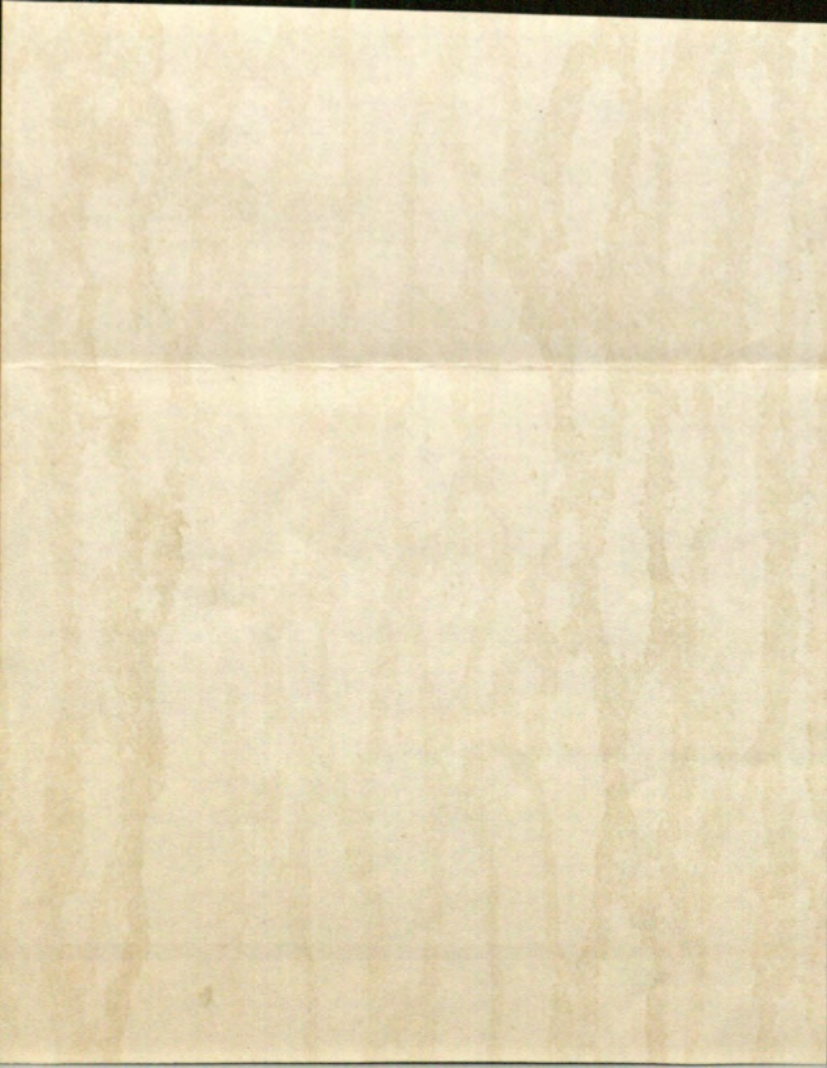
Dearest beloved,

Jim and I are having a lopping holiday here in the country. It looks like Ymas and would be perfect if you were here with us to enjoy all the good things life has to offer. I do hope you, too, spend a pleasant and not too tedious Christmas and New Year and very soon we'll all be together again to live our happy life as in the past. Stay well, my darling, and Jim and I will love you even more than ever before - if that's possible. Just don't worry.

Had a pleasant day and walked with Bess and Jim along the road near the home. It may snow tonight and we're undecided about going to midnight mass with Martha and Jack. Jim is just fine and enjoying himself to the utmost. The Ymas tells fascinate him and he's as good as always. I miss you every minute but keep delaying and thinking of you always. But this I wish for all the things you desire and may they be fulfilled at once. My best to all the boys and I send kisses, hugs and all our love from Jim and
Happy New Year to you.

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