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Miss Sally Loving
929 Locust Ave
Charlottesville, Virginia

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Dear Miss Loving,

Here are the results. The x-ray showed that the remaining fluid has thickened keeping with the symptoms of a pleural effusion. Therefore I will be getting discharged either this month or in July on advice to get an x-ray every three months to be sure that I do not contract TB, etc. I must also get my rest and watch my weight. Whether I will ever get rid of what's left is doubtful. Some do, some don't. [illegible] The problem is that I must not put myself in such a run down condition so as to be susceptible to getting tuberculosis of the lungs. Otherwise I am okay.

I shall stop off in Charlottesville to see you on my way home and give you the complete details. The doctor says the Uni. of Va. would be ideal for me, especially since he went to the Uni. of Va. for eight years himself. Naturally he liked that.

It certainly will be good to get home again. I am going to stop off in Charlotte to see the Yorks, in Norfolk, to see some others, & then to Charlottesville to see you.

I will write you just when I get discharged. If there is any certain time you will not be in Charlottesville, let me know & I shall plan accordingly.

Love,

Claude