

will come out O.K. I will have only one examination at this time, but will have several soon after the school opens in the New Year. The new building is nearly done, but will hardly be ready for occupancy before the last of January as it will take some time to get the furniture and put it in place. I am sending you the snapshots Corolus took last Sunday. They didn't turn out well at all, but they may give you some idea of our interesting family. Catharine, I am instructed to inform you has a tooth and a couple others so near through that they might just as well be counted. She will accordingly be able to eat cake at Christmas. Bonnie received several Christmas presents last week, already. One was a silk undervest from her sister-in-law Mrs. Dou. de Loy and the other was two little trinkets, for which she can find no earthly use from Clara. However, later she opened her heart and enclosed \$1.00 in a letter for candy for the children. Bonnie sent her a pair of stockings, price 1.00, on which she got 10% off. So that she is in 10¢ on the racket. Muriel, Dou's wife, also sent Eileen a little pair of garters from her cousin Monica of about the same age. I haven't made any preparations yet for Christmas - am waiting for my December cheque, which will likely be along the last of this week. Weyons of Christmas trees were very much in evidence last week, but I didn't buy any. I find that they get too dry if bought so far ahead and shed their leaves. So I generally get one just a day or two before Christmas. Well, I will have to stop here for this time. My next letter will probably reach you around Christmas day. In the mean time we wish you, one and all, all the joys of the season. With love, I am

Most sincerely yours  
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