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Dear Mother:

As it is Sunday evening again and I am at home, I will try to write you a few lines. I received last week two letters from Herbert, the first giving a full account of Bessie's sickness, death and funeral, and the second containing Pearl's beautiful tribute and a picture of Bessie's flower-covered grave. I thought I would get around to write to Herbert before this, but owing to pressure of duties have not been able to do so. And as I am not sure just how soon I can write him I will enclose the histology of Bessie's case which he wished to have returned and I will ask you to give it to him. Herbert wrote a very pitiful letter and I know he must feel his loss very keenly. May the Lord bless him in it and give him strength to bear it. We too feel very bad over her untimely death. Her pleasant cheerful disposition endeared her to all and we cannot help but feel her departure as a distinct loss. The boys over at the Seminary are having a skating party tomorrow night and they phoned me to make them an humorous address; but in view of Bessie's recent death, I didn't have the heart for it and asked them to excuse me. We