

March 26, 1943

Dear Summer:

Good morning!

I suppose you smile when you read this greeting because you know that by the time I reach this office you have already done a half day's work. I hope by now that you are really getting something out of the work.

How are your feet? Have they responded to treatment? Do they bother you when walking? I hope you will not hesitate to tell the doctor just how you feel and that you will not think it sissified to complain if treatment is not coming along as satisfactorily as you would like.

There is no special news to write this morning. We are getting along nicely at 184 and we are enjoying each day as it comes along. I am kept busy with the office, with the Draft Board work and with the forthcoming campaign of the Jewish Federation, which is out this year to raise \$47,500.00. It is a very large amount but we have an excellent organization and the indications point to a successful campaign.

At Montgomery Street things are going well, in fact grandma seems to be getting stronger. Thus you see we have much to be thankful for.

I hope your lonesomeness is definitely wearing itself out. Is there anything I can do for you?

Mother just 'phoned the letter she has just received from Mrs. Bowman of Richmond, who wrote as cordially and warmly as we anticipated,

considering the very friendly relationship between Mother and her. She wants you to make her home your home and she wants you to come to Richmond where she will make things very happy for you. I suggest, and Mother is in accord, that you accept this invitation. We feel it will lead to many more not only at her own home but at other homes where you will meet persons to whom you will be attracted.

Mrs. Bowman's son is a big shot in the USO and JWB; so you will have another friend and adviser in him. This is an excellent contact.

Good luck to you.

Affectionately,

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Mrs. Bowman's telephone is Richmond 4-7909