

Littlefield
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My Dear Julia

Sarah received a telegram yesterday saying her mother was not expected to live so she is leaving this morning for Gonzalez. She could not take the children. No one to look after them. So I have to give up my trip, and stay with them. I could not deliberately go off and leave them when they need me. I feel like weeping over it, but I guess it is all

for the best, I will look at it
in that ~~light~~ any way.

I hate disappointing duty and
Honence, more than my own
disappointment. I received a
letter and check from duty
yesterday saying he and
duty Wilson would be at
the depot to meet me. he said
they were counting the days
when I would get there. he
said the check was to buy my
coat and telegraph ahead and
have my meals served on the
train. So I would not have to get off
telling how long Mrs. Harrell
will linger and Sarah will have
to stay. Some how I feel that I
will not get to go at all, if it
turns cold and bad. I will be
afraid to risk going, for it always
gives me a cold and sore throat
to travel in the winter.
There house is all torn up Building
so we will take our meals at the
hotel. I will not have any
cooking to do.

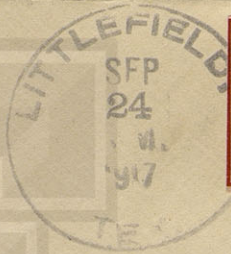
Friday C. J. Gladys and I went
to Lubbock. we spent an enjoy-
able day with Tom and Ellen
Tom had just gotten in, their
house will be a beauty, and
so convenient. I ran over to
see Mrs Kennell & Adams for a

few minutes, they were so glad to
see me, begged me to stay and
make them a visit. They both
look better than I ever saw them
they sent their love to you and
said they wished you would
come back and make them
a visit.

Well I have so many letters
to write this morning. I must
quit.

It is real winter this morning
Gladys joins me in love to
you and Yoda.

I will write to Vernon soon. Ben
jamin is a sergeant now. A telegram
yesterday said they had impeached
Hergerson. Lovingly Mamma.



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