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My dearest -

Jim attaching a letter from A.H. He writes me almost every day and I don't believe I could have stayed out of the hospital the last week if he had let me down and hadn't written me and sent good reports. They have been my morning coffee - served at the right time and cooked the right way. Please take 2 or 3 hrs. out now and go out and find a spring suit or two - 2 or 3 shirts - perhaps the old extra shoes ~~that~~ ^{that} Jim ~~is~~ ^{is} not going to use soon and are not too new and send them to him, also send him 3 or 4 of my less beautiful ties and a pair of pajamas or two - Do this at once cause Jim writes him that they are on the way. This will thrill him I think and we must help and encourage him all we can. I hope you can write him a nice commendatory letter. Also tell Aubrey you think his trip ^{and drive to S.H.} accomplished wonders.

I had a rather interesting day - Worked until 1 or 2 past night - think I really did my country some good yesterday. Will see how things turn out. Will be back in S.F. tonight and hope my places up that way are still in tact - I love you (over)

Weisel tells me that Joe Forrester has had a rather serious nervous breakdown. Since I don't always get complete coverage on what happens even with my boys look into this and give me a line if true - It troubles me - I do hope it 'aint so'.

When does Aunt Effie arrive?

I had long, sweet, letter from Ray Miller.

I'm very fond of him and hope you have lunch with him once in a while. Ask his advice and suggestions. I know he will be quite helpful -

I guess you don't see much of Sam - if so please let me hear. I love him and wrote him but

got no answer. On March 15 early in the morning call Miss Downs and tell her to wish See. I wish a happy & many more happy birthdays for us.

Love - Miss Mary
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FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

REGIONAL OFFICE
ROOM 305-810 FOURTEENTH STREET

DENVER, COLORADO
March 9, 1942

Mr. Lyndon B. Johnson
c/o Empire Hotel
San Francisco, California

Dear Lyndon:

I received your letter a few minutes ago and rushed downstairs to the WPA Office and weighed on their scales. I weigh exactly $134\frac{1}{2}$ pounds which means that I have gained five pounds in the five days I have been under the Doctors orders. I am doing everything that the Doctor prescribed and I am religiously making an attempt to gain that twenty pounds. I never dreamed that I could eat so much breakfast. I think that the vitamin pills that he has given me are helping out quite a bit.

He requested that I come back to see him in two weeks and if I had gained as much as three pounds he would be satisfied. I am almost tempted to go by his office this afternoon and tell him that I have gained five pounds, but will wait until the end of the two weeks and hope to be able to show him that I have gained ten pounds. I believe if I gain that much in two weeks that I will be able to pick up the other ten pounds in thirty days.

Albertine called me a few minutes ago and said that you had sent the baby one of the cutest and prettiest robes that she had ever seen. She is waiting until I get home to try it on her, and I can hardly wait to see her in it.

Enclosed is copy of letter that I have written O. J. this afternoon. Will write again soon and hope to be able to tell you that I have gained ten pounds. It sure is lonesome in Denver.

Lots of love,

Sarah K. Hasty

P. S.

Paid my income tax today.

March 9, 1942

Mr. O. J. Weber
c/o Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson
1320 New House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Dear O. J.:

Another pay day rolled around and I am enclosing money order in the amount of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).

You may expect another one shortly after March 23, which is my next pay day.

Sincerely yours,

Sam H. Johnson

P.S.

I have not taken any alcoholic drink since December 1, 1941.

(Signed)

Sam Houston Johnson

Lyndon really haven't touched a drop & don't miss it a bit - Sure do appreciate your help - At the rate we are going it won't be long with it?