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Dear Lee:-

Although there is little or no news I do have quite an envelope full of clippings ready for you and I expect they will be more interesting than a letter. Uncle Marion called last night. He will be in Wilmington at the duPont hotel for about six weeks he says, taking some kind of a course. As we haven't seen him yet I can't give you any details about it. Aunt Mary is working at nights in the office of one of the airplane factories in Baltimore, and the children are staying with their grandmother in Arlington, N.J.

Shirley thinks now she would like to take a course for a medical secretary, so I have started to write for catalogues. If this goes thru she would go either to a junior college or a girls' school, as it is a two-year course. I hate to see her drop her music. Whether or not the two could be combined remains to be seen. She is taking one lesson a week now from Mr. Wyatt, but he will be leaving for Ocean City, N.J. as soon as the performance of the Brandywiners is over. May Hanning has been accepted at Oberlin.

It's too hot today to do much thinking, so I'll just include this note with the clippings, hoping we'll hear from you before the week is up. Love.

Mother