

(in top margin; Everts (?) has not been here for about 3 weeks.)

Chamal, Tamps, Mexico

Jan 30, 1932

Dear Mrs. Gorham,

Your letter received day before yesterday. I was sure glad to hear from you and to know you and Josh were O.K. We sure have missed you. Everyone on Chamal have had the flu. But we are getting over it now. Ed and Lola and Lizzie were in the store yesterday eve. They are all well. I told them I heard from you. They said tell you Hello. Lizzy said tell you

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she missed you and hoped you would be back soon. Little David sends kisses to you. She said for me to tell you. Ben and George were here last night. We had a radio party. Vesta & Levere & Glen were here also. We have a literary started again every Friday night. The folks wish for Josh to play the violin! Mr. & Mrs. Derr went and spent Xmas at McAllen. Vesta went with them. They all came home

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with the flu. Well Ben just came and brought me some eggs. He said tell you they were getting 25 eggs a day. Ben sure is growing. I think Ed is working up at Seymour's. Mama has had the flu too. She is feeling better, but she is not strong yet. I guess you heard about Mr. Slaughter dying. Hattie Crawford is here with John & her dad now. I guess Dicy won't come back. We have been having

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lots of visitors from the states this winter. There are 2 cars here now. One from McAllen, 3 men. They are friends of Nichols and Vernie has the other people from Okla. I think one of the boys is Vernie's cousin. There are 2 of them. They are up at Vernie's ranch hunting. Vernie moved back to town. He lives in the Ingram house. They had to move down to put the kids in school. Marrion Flores still

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lives in Vernie's old house. He still runs a little store. They are building a house for the post office on the north side of the Plaza about middle of the block. Don Bernardo ask for the building where the office is now. So they have to move! I hear the Jap (?) Dr. Is moving over in the lumber building as soon as the office moves out. Well old man Everts is still as crazy as ever. Those poor

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poor little girls. I sure feel sorrow for them! He hardly ever takes them any place. He says one of his oldest sons will be down soon. Said his wife might come. He has been talking a lot about them lately. You ask about the cow we bought from you. No, she hasn't come fresh yet. I am milking the big old mulie Jersey. She lost her calf. I feed her good and she gives all the milk and butter we can use. I guess you heard that Lola's sister

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Carmin got married about 2 months ago. She married Satero Reyes. They have been separated about 3 weeks. I think she must be crazy. Well I guess I have wrote about all the news. I guess you heard Evia Nichols and Mr. Klinging Smith married. Uncle George Hamblin has been sick but is OK. Now. He is making his home with Vernie until he goes to the states. Write when you feel like it.

Your friend, Delanie and Bob