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Daggett, California

March 4-08

Dear Papa -

It is sprinkling a little this morning so I may not be able to get this mailed in time for No. 3, but I'll try anyway.

We are all right here and things are going smoothly. I help Mary a little with the cooking, and she sweeps my shanty for me, and the keeping of it in order is very easy. Do we don't miss Miss Brodt. I got a nice

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letter from her yesterday telling of her safe arrival in Berkeley. She also wrote to Mr Van Dyke thanking him for his kindness to her.

I got my money order cashed yesterday and will set up with Mr Van Dyke today.

How are you? I do hope you're not living up there all alone on bread and tea. Mary wrote to me a few days ago and said she wished you could come there to eat often.

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May says Hal Colman's boy  
has been very sick. I'm so  
sorry. When you see Hal  
remind me to thank all, &  
tell Dorothy I won't forget her.

Mr Van Dyke was in  
town yesterday afternoon and  
said to tell you that he had  
made inquiries and found  
there was no grippe or bad  
colds in Daggett now and  
hadn't been for some time, and  
for you not to worry about  
that.

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It looks now as if it was  
going to clear. It is not very  
cold, and besides my shanty  
is cozy and comfortable.

Take care of yourself so you  
can come back to me soon.  
Give my love to Nanda when  
you see her.

Always lovingly yours  
Helen Muir

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