

FOLEY HOTEL

MODERN THROUGHOUT

W. H. VOGEL, MANAGER

LA GRANDE, OREGON

Sept. 21-1919.

Dear Bess & Babe -

Will do my  
duty and see what I can do  
towards writin' a letter.

Sure would like to be home  
today with "The Wife & Kiddie" - ~~and~~  
would enjoy it more here  
than here especially what I am  
doing today - which is nothing -

Well I've had a pretty fair  
trip and hope to make the rest  
of coming week better than I've  
had so far. Have given Bob  
information as to most of my  
movements for next week so  
won't repeat now only that I  
hope with good luck to get home  
by next Sunday - Guess I've

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received all the mail you have sent and sure have appreciated every word. Kind-a-expected a line from you here but there wasn't anything for me. May get some in the morning. Have been having great weather and am feeling fine. This is a dandy little city and lies in one of the prettiest valleys in the state. It is surrounded by mountains the valley is about 25 miles long by 10 miles wide.

Making this trip has been a great deal more pleasant than any so far as it sure makes a difference when one isn't alone. Will have to get a nurse and take the Misses after this - eh!  
Sure do hope the babies will

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be good and give you a chance  
to get some rest and hope that  
you will not try and put your  
self on the farm by working to  
hard putting up fruit & etc. you  
know we like the fruit but no  
use to play yourself out putting  
it up.

Don't hardly know what to  
say regards having to move  
sure do not look forward to it  
with any great deal amount of  
pleasure. We'll have to figure  
that all out when we get  
together. Last Sunday Correns  
and I spent at Herds deer  
hunting and were disappointed  
in not getting one for we  
sure worked hard enough

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and long enough - Charley & I jumped a bunch but never got a shot at them. Next year I'm going to take a fant a whole week off and go out after them right. Will enclose snap of Bessie's youngsters taken in the yard. That box we sent them went through fine every thing reached them in good condition.

Borners just came over and says he's quitting me for the rest of the day so suppose he's gone on a hunt. Well here's luck to him.

We went to the Round-up on Friday and enjoyed it very much had dandy seats. Our day was enough for me though some

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Came on thru to here yesterday  
arriving here last night. I'll  
very likely leave Corvallis at Baker  
Friday or Thurs night and head  
back towards Portland stopping  
a day at Pendleton and a  
day at Wasco.

Well Bessie dear will  
call this off for now and  
chase out for another eat  
Will try and get you another  
letter in a day or so in  
the mean time will see that  
a postcard goes thru to let  
you know how goes it.

Lots of kisses and hugs -  
For all from  
Lonesome Dad