

Providence July 12, 1947

Dear Leona I was pleased to hear from you I was wondering where you was. Even if you have done some things not just right, there is still a soft spot in my heart for you and I like to hear from. It will seem funny to work under a boss after being your own boss for some time or was you I should like to come up there again and go to the temple the temple here has food lights on some nights I can see it from here we had a very nice celebration here on the 7 of June the president of the church dedicated the monument on a church house ground, people that ever lived here came, Maggie Baer ^{husband} and was here she look well quite fleshy.

Luella was in bed for 3 week with her daughter Ethel, ^{my big girl} when she went through Riverside she would liked to have got off to see your father. but no time well strawberries are good and raspberries are one one thing after another and then winter again, we had quite a frost about two weeks ago nothing in our garden but other places, there's a ball game up here on the square I should bet that I have a dance knee don't feel like walking up there.

I think you will have to work to pass the time if you was here you might get a nursing job. Remember me to Edna and can you read this scribbling family. Aunt Ella,

About
my
mother

Sunday

OCT. 5 - 1948

Dear Leona.

what do you know Seth's
wife gave birth to two girls on
5 Sept 4 weeks old today they are
growing and pretty little thing
they were average size. That makes
2 boys and 5 girls some family
he bought a farm in Mendon
will move there in the spring
I am pretty well but still use a
crouch. I spent last week with
Genevieve in Kayville, I
wish it was coming spring
instead of winter. They family
are all well I hope Bertha
Haderli had a stroke about 10
day

have not heard how she is
she has only one girl living
close to her when you have one
stroke there will be another and
dont know how soon or when I
believe I am owing Edna
so make this one for both of you
they named the little girls
Colleen and Beth Charleen
when they move I will be
alone in this big house it
will lonsume dont you think so
I cannot of any more
to tell you.

Love aunt Ella

(please return
I'll send father)

Sunday

Dear Leona what a beautiful day but
piles of snow around my house and the streets we
will have to have a warm wind and some rain
to make it go you have plenty there and cold it came over the
radio. I never knew that your mothers name was Laura it
was only Rosalie on the record as far as what she did when young
it was the same as I did glean wheat and help drive grass
hoppers she liked fancy work better I liked books better she
would spend evenings to Sister Traber's doing fancy work
that is all I can remember, we walk to Logans and did washings

for is & rest we are all well here the babies are growing will soon be gone
old one was very sick with pneumonia she was in the hospital a
week of course her mother was with her she soon picked up of
course they are spoiled babies, I try to help what they let me
this washing and drying so many clothes has been a tiresome
thing. Genevieve's husband was operated on for gall bladder
trouble but is coming along alright they live in Kayville
(oh what scribbling) can you read it blame it on to the pen
Lavinia's boy is on a mission in California doing fine.

Love to all aunt Ella

I hope Corrie is getting alright and your father to
I don't know why they gave her the name of Rosalia

Answers
Jan. 21
for all memo

Dec 27 1950
28 snowing a little

Dear Lona

I received your box and did as you said ate it all in the week with the help of others I think it was better than ever I still have 5 lb to eat and get fat had a very nice Xmas and I hope that you did, Genevieve and Lamont came Xmas we stayed all night next day we went to Windsor and had dinner with Seth and family which was very nice and they went on home to Kayville.

Genevieve has arthritis hobbles around Hazel and husband went to Cal with his brother I don't know if they will go near your father you know the question I asked you well I got a card from Gladys telling me of she and her husband with her father and he has improved so he gets around in the house I hope the treatment he took helped his drunk

Stagel's girl that has been in bed so long is able to be around she came over here Tuesday eve she looks fine I don't know any thing about Elsie, Luella generally tell me about people, Lavenia's son come home from his mission and now worry about the draft we sure have funny weather have not seen the sun for nearly a month so foggy but no snow and not so cold which I am glad, well I have run out of news so.

Love to all Aunt Ella

tell Edna I got her card and thanks

yes pretty good renters I don't like them as well as Hoffmann's

there is a baby girl 12 day old but that does not bother me yet, I guess this is all this time