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Dear Daddy, Dodo and Erna,

We received your welcome letters and hope as the weather is getting warmer, dear father, that you feel better. The English letters that my two sisters wrote were "ausgezeichnet, und collassal." Either you labored long with dictionaries, lovingly, or have prepared yourself better than I ever dreamed. We have been so happy getting precious Trudel ready for her trip to the warm south country, to my adorable sister's home in Sumter, S. C., where they will be glad to hear from you.

We are taking up with the immigration authorities, the question of the Affidavit for you, Erna.

We will find a way or make one with God's help.

They require letters from the bank, stating my balance. I have none. They require statements from the insurance companies, on the value of my policies. I have none. They require photostatic copy of deeds to any property which I may own. I own none. They require photostatic copies of bonds or securities I may hold. I have none. But at a meeting with my sister, these requirements will be gone over and if anyone has what it takes and sees their way clear, it then would be necessary for me as your close relation, closer to you than the others, to make a joint Affidavit, with whoever else makes one, and I hope we can work things out, for you at this time Erna, as your Sweet-heart awaits you.

With each other we are in heavenly happiness and improved business will make it possible, I hope for us to plan beyond your coming over here, dear Erna, so Dodo and Daddy may each in time join a united family. But one year or more may at least be necessary, after bringing the first one over. And yet, we will try to hasten everything. But we do not want to promise what we cannot do.

Our hearts are lovingly with you all, and my precious Trudel joins me in love and a hug and a kiss for each of you.

Devotedly, your son and brother,

Leonard