

Vernal Utah

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Dear Leland: -

Happy New Year even if it is late. May Gods blessings, success and happiness be yours thru out this new year -

Did you have an enjoyable holidays? Hoping always that each one are well to enjoy the X-mas spirit, thats the main thing in life any way.

We still have all our Xmas snow of course its settled then we got 6 more inches at New Years, making about 20 inches in all. We really had a cold spell last week it was from 25 to 30 below zero some said 34 below. It has been 15 the last nite or 2. Radio says more storm due Utah today. I feel we've had enough, I sure hate the cold spells -

We enjoyed X-mas, no special happenings, just the usual day. Cista & Rep came over on the bus stayed alnite & we took

-them back the next day.

Mom wrote that she had got word that Kenneth had an appendicitis operation on the 27<sup>th</sup>. He was pretty miserable for a while, they got ahead of them breaking. He must be getting along alright as we haven't heard any more.

Merrill's baby has been quite sick, was cross & feverish again when we were over last sun.

Don has been up in Idaho with Reed for a few weeks. Reed & Lois and 3 little boys brot Don home Sunday while we were there so we enjoyed a short visit, they were going right back. Don wasn't going till Tues. & then take Betty & maybe Rulon was going for a couple of months work too. They said there was only couple of inches of snow up at Boise Id. hardly any winter. Guess Ken & Elsie were having cold weather as we were they expect it to go to

45 below zero. makes me chill.

Say I'm sending your negatives now with this mailing. Thanks so much for the use of them, hope they get to you all okay. I've tried to take good care of them. Never thought I'd keep them so long but seemed like I couldn't get money together for my wants, soon enough. Thanks again.

How about your winter are you having any big snows?

Seems like I don't learn much news over here so will say bye for now

Love as always -

Pearl.

Drop me a card when you get the negatives so I know you got them okay.