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5 La Salle apte 1028 Com ave n. m. Washington 6- D.C. Mrs. J. R. adams Edgewater Sulf Hotels Edgewater Vark, miss Mississippi. RJA Zaz

Friday, July 19th Dear Mrs. adams -I know you must have, at some time, wondered about me - if I am still alive and, if so, if I ever received that mast appreciated and enjoyed letter from you. Mell, I am alive and I did get the letter and you can never know just how much it meant to me and how I loved hearing from you again. I had every intention of ausmening it right array and here I am just now doing what I have wanted to very much to do force many days life here- It is leave home

well now and hope you continue to enjoy good health. How I would love to see all of you and especially monld I love to have at nice long chat with you. Hes, Sister, Brownie and I are living together here in Moshington. Me are in a small afactment at present but hope to make a more of some kind soon. Me have wanted so much to get settled back home - buy a little house in Memphisand have trued hard to get transfers to memphis But so for have not succeeded. There just is it augthing there now in one defailments for us to get transferred to- We feel it would be best for

early in the morning for the long day at the office- returning between five and six o'clock most too tired as a rule, to attempt to do augthing. Especially has this been the case since the way started - Regular Saturday work ended the the last of June except for lost Saturday when we had to work to make up for the Friday after the Fourth of July" which Congress finally, and so kindly decided to give with the understanding it be made upon Saturday. Now with Saturdays off me can have more time to rest and do Things we want to do that too often have had togo undoneand even the so many years have elapsed since the three delightful ones lived in your home, I stell at times find myself reliaining and enjoying many of the hopfy and enjoyable times we had to gether They are memories I shall always cherick. know to hear of each member of your Samily and so happy to know all are getting along so well! I didn't know about your long illness in 1942 until received your letter. Mr. Huger (I never know how to spell his name) told me once you had been very ill but I didn't know it had been so serious. I am so glad you are

us to be back there with and near the rest of the family The house has been closed all this time, which of course isn't best for any place, but we didn't mout to rent it. We hope now me can sell it even tho it will be hard to fort wethert. It has been home to us for so long and we love it so. It has been the scene of much fog and happiness in Jeans fast ant since the terrible terrible shock of del's going me just Louit feel me can even live there - Too, it is much too large a place for the three of us. We are going to toglialia last of next meek and hape me con

do something about it while there. Oh, miss Evice the outlank on life has been so changed since Del mas snatched away from us as he was and for a long, long time I had a struggle to keep from being bitter. There are times still when I border an such a feeling but I fight it with the thought that Del mould not have me be like that and I thunk of what a fine Christian character he was. He meant so much in every way to all of us and his death was a blow me can never recover from. I know the Lard has been goods to me in many ways-for more than I deserver and I am greateful - but oh if He could only have seen fit to spare Leddell in that harrible accident. you said Lucia has two grown doughters and a small son. I just can't realize she has such a big familyand for has a family too. but you didn't say whether Boyce had any children of not. and Rivers is still all name boy Heary be he is like Clyde Heely-four remember him don't you! He used to pay he knew his mother laved him but he didn't know about a wife so he wouldn't morry and he didn't either until after his mothing dut.

Talkat and his family. his mife, son daughter in law and 14 year old granddaughter, drave up to see in first meck in June and me did enjoy them so much Me are looking forward to seeing all the loved ones when me go down next week but oh me mill miss the ones not there. Sister and Throwing asked to be remembered to you and please remember me to each member of the familywhole heaps of love for zan franc-Pollge