

Tuesday. a.m.

Stuart dear,

Prepare yourself for being bored as there's just aint much news that you would be interested in. N.D. is in the bathroom (which aint news) Scott is painting (which aint news) Kurt is scratching on the door (which aint news. Now you have it.

N.D. has a new grandson and we have a picture of him at 2 days of age and he looks like a darling. His name is Newton Regua Smith (ain't that cute?)

Had a long letter from Peter at last — he is fin'z having his open heart surgery + also writing a column for the Mayo Clinic newspaper.

Suzie sounds very enthusiastic about school and seems very happy which of course makes Ma feel good.

Martha + Lon Mahen came out Saturday night for dinner and Martha brought two of her paintings. They really are not too bad — in fact Scott says they are pretty good for a beginner.

Bo called yesterday 10:31 m

that Helen had pitched a rock thru his
back door window so he threw an empty
whiskey bottle thru her car wind shield.

So you can see that all is status quo.

M.D. + I went to the Jewel charity
ball + had a great time. I looked in every
store in Rh. Worth for a dress - finally found
a shocking pink chiffon for \$12.75 and had
a lot of compliments on it - can you believe
it? Being that cheap I didn't know if it
would hold up for the evening but it
did -

Darling this is dull but just don't
have anything more to write -

I love you -

Ma -