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Dear Mr. Garisde,

Enclosed is the note that I received from the State Dept. today.

The Digest is out, you have probably seen it. I tried to have them take out one line in particular but could not work fast enough. It was certainly different from what I expected and was led to believe. I'm afraid I should have gone about the whole thing differently.

An air mail from Bob written on Aug. 16 said to go ahead and print anything with or without his name, he did not care. The only drawback being that I might not be able to get up to Nanking or the Japs might not allow him back in if he came to meet us. I don't think that I should do anything now until I hear what the reaction is going to be.

What about Europe? That of course is a foolish question. Maybe I'm wrong but it seems that the United States is the best place for Elizabeth right now. I feel that Bob and I should get together before we are unable to. (possibly for a long period)

I wish I knew what to do. Life is certainly a merry-go-round, but I'm getting very dizzy.

Have you any suggestions? They will certainly be welcome.

Sincerely,

Marjorie

*P.S. I think I shall stick to nursing,
I'd be terrible as a secretary.*

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