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Ever precious Blanche:

"This is a term of endearment that I would not apply to any ^{other} woman now alive, and I mean it. You will always be precious to me. Your letter of May 6th has just reached me. As long as I ^{am} able to write you may be sure that I shall write to you.

My two weeks in the hospital brought no improvement. Rather I have grown weaker day by day. Walter R. and Pat are both employed by the University and while they protest my leaving, I know. When I report to my doctor at the week end, I shall make plans to go to a Veterans Hospital and there end my days. For me, 87 years are enough. The longer I live, the more disabilities and ailments I shall expect. Later. At this juncture I went to lunch.

I do not possess the strength and energy to write more. I hope to see you this week end. It may be our last meeting until we reach that Better Land. My warmest greetings to Ralph and all of my love to you.

Devotedly
Llewellyn