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Dec. 25. Christmas Day. Another Xmas. Day slipping to its close! Mamma came up about ten o'clock and we looked at our presents— they consisted chiefly of books. Edward had my picture: "The Mystic Sea" framed for me. We had a nice dinner and spent most of the afternoon getting ready to leave for Kansas City after 10:15 to-night. I am so glad we are going. Good-bye.

Dec. 26. Kansas City, Mo. Arrived here about eight o'clock. Snowing big flakes. We had breakfast, secured a room, and started our sight-seeing. We traveled most of the day. Went to the stockyard this afternoon. This is a good-sized city—population of some 220,000. The fine big six o'clock crowds quite resemble Chicago. I am mailing a few postals to friends to-night.

Dec. 27. Another good day; the weather is cold but not stormy. We have made good use of our time all day. This morning we started our to locate Clarence Vinick, and accidently ran on
to dinner eating a late breakfast in a café. We were certainly glad to see the old fatty. We made an appointment. We saw a play at the Empress this afternoon. Kansas City can boast of some things not the least of which is its many fine and moderate priced theatres. After supper Clarence visited us at the hotel. We had a nice talk and learned of the deep waters that our old friend has been flowing thru.

Dec. 24. Written on the train. We left Kansas City at 10:30 A.M. We have had a fine time but have not seen all of the city. We took a long street car ride into the residence part of the city. After breakfast we rode thru the city. The city has miles of fine drives.

It is 1:30 P.M. now. We have stopped twenty minutes for dinner at St. Joseph. We are still travelling along the Missouri River; low bluffs, scattered timber and familiar corn fields. We are due in Lincoln about five o'clock.

Dec. 25. Lincoln, Neb. Home again! I believe I am sorry to have our holiday trip over. All day real estate men.