

nurses suffered a great loss in greenhouses because  
of a recent awful windstorm - apparently ours or theirs  
didn't fall apart because of the direction of the wind.  
Jim is at Camp Savage, June & Jo-Jo are with him.

I'm enclosing a letter from Art - that's all that's come  
so far except for the Scouting magazine.

The shoes for Mike aren't here yet - maybe they'll  
come tomorrow if you managed to buy some somewhere.

Wah had 2 teeth extracted this afternoon - so is feeling  
not too good. - She's been watching the kids when I  
go ~~to~~ wash clothes, dishes etc. I don't know what she's  
planning to do about going to work.

We miss you honey - but are getting along -  
I'll be powerful Katinika in a couple of weeks with all  
this water & coal carrying.

lots of luck - hope the trip wasn't too awful. (it's raining  
now)  
done - Saely

Thursday into -

Dear Nan: Thought you'd like a letter when you get into  
town - things are going along in sort of a mad  
merry-go-round fashion but we're getting along  
okay.

Mike isn't going to Denver - the doctor says  
he doesn't want to do any more work on the palette  
for another year because of the excessive scar tissue -  
I don't quite understand why we were told in September  
that another operation would be performed in 6 months -  
Yuni is going with the group & I've asked her to see  
the doctor and ask him a number of questions -  
it seems to me that we're mixing up with a  
lot of contradictions etc.  
In the meantime - both kids have colds & I'm coming



On Wednesday I took Kanayo & Miki to the Baby Clinic  
with Wako help - I was disappointed because K<sup>III</sup>  
only put on 1/4 lb. & grew 1/4 inch - isn't that surprising?  
He seems so much bigger & heavier. Mrs. Narumi  
says the scale is no good - she would, of course.  
Miki weighs 23 pounds with her clothes on - I weigh  
114 with clothes on too - So there you are - how  
much do you weigh!

We haven't had a stove explosion since your last  
one - it's not my technique - a new load of coal  
came in & the ~~wood~~ chunks are bigger.

Dick apparently is up & around but hasn't been once  
here at all - I saw him in the laundry once.

Choko wrote a letter - she said Gii went to California  
(no reason given) for a short visit - & said that many of the

down with one - they're<sup>-2-</sup> very quiet tonight - sleeping  
well in spite of awful noises from stuffed up noses.

Miki wouldn't have gone even if they said okay because  
of the cold - She was in the pink of health last time  
and came back so worn down that I think it would  
have been awful to have her go this time when  
she hasn't even recovered from the flu yet. Mrs. Hudson  
spoke strongly against sending her while Miss Peroni  
said it would be alright - I'm inclined to feel the  
way Mrs. Hudson does. I had a bit of difficulty  
with Yuni about this because Miki was going to  
be her excuse for going to Denver (+ she really is anxious  
to go) but she managed to angle another way & so is  
going (to help Miss Peroni with the diving - Yuni's suggestion)  
I was so mad that I had to tell Mrs. Narumi  
about it.