

Ruth to her mother Anna L.H.  
re arrival of Lois'  
first baby.

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801 Dorchester Ave.  
Thurs. Oct 23<sup>rd</sup>,

Dearest Ruth -

We were delighted  
to at last get news  
of Lois yesterday & that all  
had gone satisfactorily.  
Of course now we are  
trying for further news &  
detailed descriptions. I  
am afraid we will not  
be able to know more  
till Monday & that seems  
a long way off. The

Kinstons are so delighted at  
its arriving on their Anniversary.  
The desk chairs & books  
arrived safely. Thanks so  
much. The chairs are  
an especial recognition to  
our small establishment.  
The desk too is far more  
convenient than I remembered.  
What a pity the books have  
been so badly broken. It was  
so spoil them & of course  
makes them useless for any  
practical use. I do not  
seem to have heard from  
you for weeks, & expect  
that from day to day you  
have been expecting things

to happen. My tests have all been very  
free lately & just a little acetone. Dr  
Field came to see me today & says things  
are not at all unduly large. They  
are going to hit me up gradually now  
for a little longer. I am going to  
get up before tea now which will  
be nice. I have been putting on  
pounds lately. I can hardly realize  
that it is only 6 weeks from Monday  
we have been having such lovely  
presents of duck & prairie chicken  
today. Ted & I are going out for a  
try walk now to the reservoir. We have  
had snow the last few days.

Love so much love & all

Xath.