Schulenburg, Texas

Den 17. April, 1936. Will heute wieder einen Bericht für die Zeitung schreiben.

Am Oftersenntag habe ich Fran Chrift. Rudi Dilje gelefitet, und am Oftermontog, vormittags fam mein Bruder Brit Gobler, welcher mich - abholte und wir uns bann nach feinem Beim begaben. Er wohnt zwiichen Freiburg und Engle. Am Roch mittag wohnten er- nich feine Frau eine Beerbigung bei, und ich verbfieb folange bei fein Cobn Beinrich und Familie. Am 14. hat mein Bruber mich roch unfern Bruder (Criftoph) in ber Rabe von Datland gebracht; er If noch immer to befund tole er let-13 Jahr an jeinem 88 En Geburts-Tota and 11 Mas war.

Mm 15, April befuchte ich meine Freundin Frou Rarl Bretting, Sen., bon ba aus habe ich ihren Bruber Brit Bug und Frau fehr mit einem Lefuch überrascht; diese sind beide frank und tonnen foon leit langerer Beit nicht arbeiten. Am Donnerstag brachte mein Bruber mich wieder nach - 20 Grange. 36 begabe nach Dr. Belicher's Office, biefer mar aber nicht ba, jondern aus der Stadt: fo begab ich mich noch Dr. Anolle, um meine Rafe nachseben zu laffen. Er fagte, - das es micht vom besten aussieht, ich hatte ein grebs. Morgen muß ich wieber jum Doftor welcher mir frifot Pflaster legen wird. Dier hat es an Donnerstag (gestern) gut geregnet Es foliegt und gruft

Marie Road.

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Today I will again write a report for the newspaper.

On Easter Sunday I provided help for Mrs. Christian Rudi. On Easter Monday, before noon, my brother Fritz Gabler came, picked me up, and then we went to his home. He lives between Freiburg and Engle. In the afternoon he and his wife attended a funeral, and during that time I stayed with his son Heinrich and family. On the 14th my brother took me to our brother Christoph, near Oakland. He is still as healthy as he was last year on his 86th birthday on May 11.

On April 15 I visited my girlfriend, Mrs. Karl Bretting, Sr. From there I very much surprised her brother, Fritz Suess and wife, with a visit. They are both ill and have already for a prolonged time not been able to work. On Thursday my brother brought me back to La Grange. I went to Dr. Belscher's office; he was not there, but out of town. So I went to Dr. Knolke to let him look at my nose. He said that it does not look the best; I had a cancer. Tomorrow I must go back to the doctor, who will lay fresh plaster on it. There was a good rain here on Thursday (yesterday).

Closing and greeting Marie Noack

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