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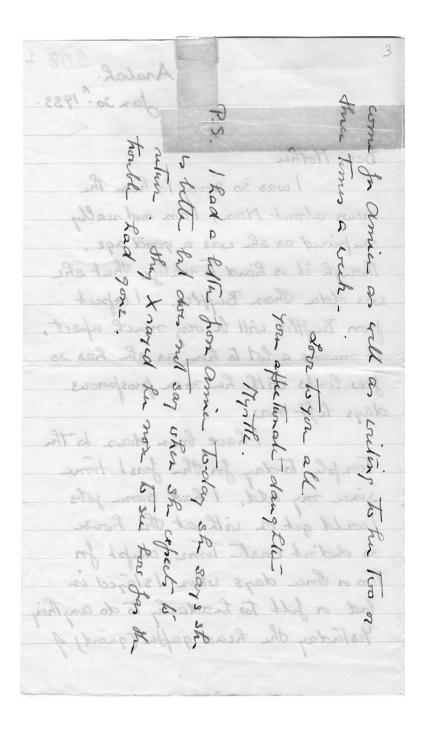
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Love to you all Your affectionate daughter Myrtle.

P.S. I had a letter from Amice to-day she says she is better but does not say when she expects to return. they X rayed her nose to see how far the trouble had gone.