

May 3, '24.

My dear Bishop:

Your letter just received. am ashamed that I have been so occupied with my own daughter's operation for appendicitis on Monday Thursday together with my travels and important mail to New York, as to forget to write you and express my regret at the necessity of Edith's operation and Mrs Ferrando's consequent journey home. I do pray and trust that you will now hear good news from her. God grant that she may be safely delivered from the ordeal and given her health again completely.

You have my letter by this time saying I will see you next week. There is to be a meeting, I hope, on Tuesday night of the Hospital Board, at which I trust you can be present, and on Wednesday I want to take Mrs Wheaton to Quebrada Limón. I have several things I want to talk to you about. The letter in the box offering is enclosed.

congratulate all of you.

Can you tell me what has been the total of the tithe offerings made toward the 1923 quota account? I am very much interested. Perhaps the Dept. of Missions could induce many of us to do the same thing this summer, for one month while the receipts are very small from the congregations.

Hoping you will soon have good news and looking forward to seeing you next week, I am,
Very sincerely & affectionately,
+ Chas. B. Colver.