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From us to you go
forth our best wishes
for a happy

1949

BERNHARDT. WALL
DORIS TURBET WALL
JAS. WEBSTER MORAY
SIERRA MADRE CALIF.

"P" "S" :: I value my
Gettysburg 1st Day Cover
so aptly enlarged
with my own etching.
Thanks, Thanks;
Barney

Sierra Madre
Calif

Dec 27 '48

Dear Stewart and Ann::

at last we are come to getting out our
new year's card. Our trip of 8000 miles had
its after effect on both of us. 69 days away.
Jim held down the house lid, and had
many a good time with friends. We left Oct
5- and got back Dec. 13. I am away behind
in the magazine - but the subscribers must be
patient with me. We passed thru Nevada,
Ariz., N. Mex., Parkland, Okla., Kansas,
Mo., Ill., stop in Springfield, and talk
Roy Basler, and H. W. Fay at the monument.
In Ill. was a guest at the Round Table,
met Bob Kirkaid there, and Dr. Schryver
Mr. Coolidge, Mr. Stern, of Ernest, Ralph
Newman, and others. To Detroit to see our
Wall enthusiast. Bill Springer; then Carl
Scharfer in Cleveland; he is it looking
so good; I may be mistaken.

Then thru Ohio to Piquette
and then N. Y. C. 1st
dinner with my nephew,
of the Texas Co, and ran
up to Pine Rock, Pa.
Then down thru N. J.,
and so. Pennsylvania
to Waynesboro to see
my Wilson letter. Mr.
Stem wants to buy it.
Was a guest of the
Pa. Lincoln Fellow-
ship at their luncheon
in Gettysburg, where
I sat with 2 cabinet
officers, and met
others. My old friend
Suber presided. Doris
and I had luncheon
at his home. The day
at Gettysburg was a
continuous downpour
of rain. Doris had a