

5-13-40

Sunday evening.

Dear Mildred,

I try to write now and see how far I get before something interrupts me. Dorothy went home and if she came back early enough we were going to Owensby Lake but it's 5:30 now + she isn't here yet so I guess we won't go. Katherine + I went to S.S. this morning and then came home. She, Alma Taylor, Lwila Loy, and I went to the College Farm and ate our dinner there. It's a little like a park. We came home at two and I've been trying to study ever since but so far I haven't accomplished much. Friday afternoon I was so ambitious and I got all my Geography up to date but since then I haven't studied much. I cleaned our room and the hall Friday evening and washed Saturday. Katherine + I fixed two dresses for Ruth and got 50¢ for it. I hope she gets some more clothes to fix.

There's a week of picnics for us this week if I have time to go—a fine thing right before exams. Tuesday evening we have our Rural Leadership Club picnic and Friday evening the Baptist Sunday School class has their picnic which I'd like to go to. Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Gootch planned on all the girls in both houses to go on a picnic this week. Thursday we have our Current Affairs final and the location test in Geography.

Friday afternoon we may have our Science finale - I hope we do. I got an E on the last Science test and if that was an E I got on the first test I should get an E out of the thing, but I don't need to be too optimistic because that won't happen to me.

Wednesday evening we saw a show. The band played at the Kennedy Theater so the college students got in cheap. Mr. King, State Supt. of Schools, spoke in assembly Wednesday morning, but he wasn't so hot. Some of the kids heard that we get our Echo tomorrow but now I'm afraid I won't get any. Jo said last year they had to be in school three quarters before they could get one. But we <sup>(winter quarter students)</sup> got our pictures in it, which they didn't formerly, so I'm hoping we'll get one.

I got a letter from Herbert Schemmer this week and Lillie Hurty is rehired. I sent an application to Liberty Grove yesterday. I sent it to Crock Nissing, he's a member of the board isn't he? I didn't know the district number tho. I don't know what to do about the correspondence course. I sure wish I knew whether it would help any if I had a few more hours. I'm hoping I'll be able to take 5 courses next summer - I'd rather do that. If I don't get + S's ~~or~~ I hope I get one E to help the other M. I have high S averages in Rural Ed., Science, + English and I'm hoping I can get an E out of one of them. I'm afraid I'll never get that correspondence thing done.

Mom + Esther probably have a lot of work + I'd hate to sit + write all the time. I'll have to spend every minute of my time on it and then next fall again. I could get it because it would be good a year. It's \$10. + not \$20. and I won't need to buy a book because I have it already. I can get a check cashed but you don't need to send it if you think I wouldn't need to work on it.

I have my last exam on Thursday afternoon (I think) + I wrote Esther I'd probably come home that night. However, I talked to Esther + Orieta last night after I mailed the letter + their dad is coming after them Friday (going home Fri. afternoon). They are staying for the commencement exercises Fri. morning. I asked how much they would want and whether they'd have room but they don't know yet + said they'd let me know. Should I come home with them a day later, if it'll be cheaper? You try to find out from mom before you answer. However if I should get Orieta's school she might think I'm awful nervy. I would make me feel a little cheap.

I can't think of much more to write. I just read the letter and it's all I-I-I but that's all I know about anybody you know here. Edgar Wein asked me if I went home for the

wedding & I said I didn't. He said, "I imagine  
it was a very elaborate affair." ha!

Aileen tried to point out Connie  
Williams to me in the library the other night.  
Aileen was sitting at another table & I couldn't  
understand her message so I didn't see Connie.

Aileen knows her.

I'll quit now & get supper. Half a  
pint of butter beans, I had intended to eat, spoiled  
and so part of my supper is gone.

Sis,

Eunice