

Dallas, Texas
February 15, 1942

Dear Mama and Ellis,

I got your letter Tuesday but
can't remember whether I answered
it or not. Hope you all are o.k.
I have some Cold. Lillie is
about as usual.

Guess you are having some
had gardening weather if it is
like ~~this~~ this down there. Getting
Colder with a mist. Lillie says
she would like to have a garden
if she has a place for one. She
has been talking about getting
about six little Chickens. But
you know that is just, probably,
talk I guess. Pruning all these
tomatoes is going to give a big
job. Are you all going to stick
them? Lillie has already been
buying fresh turnips and greens.
Don't guess you have any
yet or do you?

I meant to put that true
story in those things that
we sent to Dorothy but I didn't
think of it until they were already

wrapped. Hope Ellis' underwear
 fits. He has me to thank for
 them partly because Lillie
 said something about not
 knowing what to get. But guessed
 it would be a pair of socks
 and I told her you needed
 underwear so that's what she got.
 She got me a ^{brown} skirt to wear
 with my yellow feed sack blouse
 mama, so I have just finished
 it yesterday. Oh, yes, since
 True Story is just a dime now
 Lillie has been buying it. And if
 your subscription is out this
 month I can send you them.

I'll bet that duck was good.
 How did you fix it? Roasted?
 Roast duck is really expensive
 if you go to buy it.

Answer real soon.

Love,
 Emma Deew