

Monday:

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Dear Home folks:

I was very glad to get your letter this morning and to learn that you all were O.K, hope this will find you all well; I am about the same as usual. I am glad you all got back home O.K and that you all had a nice time on your trip. mama, the reason I did not ans your letter while you was at Lillie's, was that I did not get your's in time for me to write you so you would get it before you all went back to Tyler, but I would have sent it to Lottie's, but I did not know her address. Say; didn't you and Dennerd get home the same day

you left Jacksonville? As you
you wrote my letter Thursday morning
and said you stayed at Jacksonville
until Tuesday and ^{said} that you all
got home Wednesday. Well; mama, I
don't think you should worry
like you are about things that
you can not help, as it does not
help things a bit to worry about
them it just only makes things
worse for yourself. I know that there
are things that happened at Lillie's
Everette's that could have been
helped. I just got a letter from
them this morning with your letter,
they were O.K., but Lillie said she didn't
feel good.

I went visiting again Saturday
eve. I went up to see Cousin Elzie.

spent the night with him and most of the day Sunday, he is O.K. He ask about you all. I saw lots of pretty Cotton. I saw Myrtie and them, she ask about you all too. I thought Empil was suppose to go up there when you and Den went to Tyler. Myrtie said Empil might come up there this week end.

I was sorry to learn that you all were still so dry, sure wish it would rain as the feed crop and other crops need it so bad. It still hadn't rain up here yet.

I don't think W. Lee. I will have much trouble to win no-way as he is so far ahead anyway. I haven't got my paper yet. I would like you need not send me the paper, as I got mine ~~the~~ today after I wrote this letter.

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For you to send me the last Friday's
Timpson Times as I am so anxious
to learn how the County election
come out.

You ask how I liked what I
am doing now; I guess I like it
O.K as one job up here is about as
good as another, I don't have
much to do only when I work in
the kitchen and I work three or
four days a week in the kitchen.

Say, Ellis I know you sure
have a big job tearing that shed
down and rebuilding it. You better
try to get Alford to help you a little
bit. Has Willie finished making the
ties yet, and how many did he make?
I ask you about it in my other letter.
I have written you all three or four

letters, did you get them? I will be
glad when I get paid so I can get
my glasses as my eyes bother me
without them. Ellis how long do
you think it will take you
to fix the car shelter? have
you got your ~~reparing~~ stuff to
cover it yet? Guess I will get
paid next Monday. Guess
Emma D is back at Dallas as
she said in her letter that she
guess she would go back, look
like she would stay at home a
while as mama & den were gone when
she got home; hope she can get her
job back if she go back to Dallas.
You be sure to put your return address on my
letter's. Don't forget to send me that paper,
and one real soon.
Love, Lenard.