

Saturday eve:

Aug 8, 1942

Dear mama:

Just a few lines in ans
to your letter which I was very
glad to get yesterday and to
learn that you all were O.K.
hope this will find you all
well; I am about the same
as usual, but my eyes gives me
a bit of trouble as I don't have
my glasses, but maybe I will
get them Monday as I am suppose
to get paid then. Guess you
will think I got in a hurry to
ans your letter, but I like for you
all to get in a hurry to ans my
letters. I plan to go to Church
tomorrow and I might not have time

to write; Altho I dont have much news.

I was sorry to learn that you all were still needing rain, hope it has rained down there by now, it is still hot and dry up here.

As Emma Dean has gone back to Dallas; I hope she gets her job back; seems like she wants to do something for her-self, maybe they will get by o.k if Everette will ~~try~~ try to do the right thing now. Gillie wrote me about the Officers taking the tires off of their Car; looks like it is something troubling them pretty often.

I was sorry to learn about Howard being sick, hope he is o.k. by now, I also got a letter from Dorothy

yesterday she said Howard might
be a little better. Do you think he has
the thrash? Dorthey wrote me that
Robert Powers was coming up to
Mr Lule's and he told her he was
coming to see me, but I haven't
saw him yet. Did you see the
picture of Howard sitting by his
birthday Cake? they sent me one,
it sure is "sweet." you didn't write
me about you and Den having your
picture made, but I wrote Lillie that
I wanted to get one of you and Den.
That is the same studio that
made that Colored picture of
me that you have. Mama I don't think
you need to be afraid about O. Daniel
getting beat. I will try to write you again about
Tuesday. I don't have any news, I'm real won.
Love, Leonard.

P.S. I am sending you some stamps
as I forgot to put them in my other
letter

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Dear Dennerd:

You know I was very glad to
get your letter yesterday and to
learn that you was O.K., hope
this will find you well; I am
about the same as usual, but my
eyes hurt me some as I don't have
my glasses yet and don't guess
I will get them until Monday
or Tuesday as I am suppose to get
paid Monday.

Yes; I am sure you all miss
Emma Dean looks like she
would have stayed a little
while longer anyway, but I
guess she was afraid she wouldn't
get her job back and she wanted

to make her self a little money. I am glad you had a good time on your trip, as it was the first time you had been anywhere in a long time. I guess I will get one of your picture's and one of mama's, I wrote Lillie about me wanting the pictures. I hope they are good. That was the same studio that made that ^{big} picture there at home of me.

You didnt tell me how much your trip cost, I will send some money when I get paid. I wrote you a letter this week, guess you all got it about the same day you mailed my letter. Did you help Ellis fix the Car house? I bet it was a pretty good job. I bet you and mama will be

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pretty lonesome if Ellis go to Dallas for a while. Say, Dennerd please dont think anything about what Ellis told you; As I did not write him "that I was not going to have anything to do with you". I dont see why he wanted to tell you that no-way, it made me feel pretty bad. How come him to tell you that anyway? you write and tell me. Did you see very many air-plane's on your trip? these you drew on the letter you sent me; are new models; are they not? Did you help Howard eat his birthday Cak, how is he now? & K. I hope. I dont have any news, and real soon.

Love,
Denard.

Saturday night:

Aug 8, 1942

Dear Ellis:

Just a few lines in ans
to your letter which I was very
glad to get yesterday and to
learn that you was O.K. hope
this will find you well; I am
about the same as usual, but
my eyes bother me some as
I don't have my glasses, but
guess I will get them Monday
or Tuesday.

Yes I am sure you had a big
job Tareing down and rebuilding
the Car shelter, I bet it looks
lots better around there now.
Did you put that tar-paper on a
solid top and how much did

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it Cost? I hope it doesn't "leak."
when do you think you will go
to Dallas if you go? That was
sure bad about Everette & Lillie
Looseing their tires.

was sorry to learn that you
all were still so dry, hope it has
rain down there by now. It is
still hot and dry up here. I am
glad the pig got O.K. That was a
nice sume that you and Willie
got out of the ties, Guess you
have almost enough Heater wood
for the winter, Guess you all have
Cut some stove wood by now.
Ellis have you tried to work tillie
any yet? you better start working her
a little bit. I don't have any news
Ans real soon, over. Love, Lenard.

Ellie.

P.S. I guess I will send you
that kakaki suit I bought as
they issued me another one the
past week, I will try to send it
in a few days