

wednesday:

Dear Home folks:

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Just a few lines as I wanted to send some money as I wrote you I would send it as soon as I got it. I got paid yesterday, but for some reason we did not get paid last Monday as I thought we would. Hope this will find you all well, I am about the same as usual. I just got a letter from Emma Dean today, she had not got back to work yet, she said they called her back to work while she was at home. why don't you all write to them as she said she had not heard from you all since she got back to Dallas.

Just got a Card from Alford yesterday, he said Empie was leaving tomorrow (Thursday) guess she is going to Myrtie's. Alford said he guessed he would start picking Cotton next week if it didn't rain. It is still hot and dry up here, but it has rained around quite a bit,

have you all got any rain yet? hope so. guess I will hear from you by the time you get this. I haven't got my glasses yet as I haven't been to town sence I got paid, but guess I will get them this afternoon if I get to go to town.

I want to go up to Cousin Elzie's this week end if I can get off. I promised myrtie I would come to see them if I could get off. I want to go to myrtie's as Empie might be up there, you see I can go and come up there the same day. Cousin Elzie told me he might come down there about Sept 1st and stay a month or two, he said he would come to see you all if he come down there.

well; Dennerd it won't be long untill you will have to start to school again, guess you will be glad; will you not. Are they going to run a school bus, and did you have any trouble getting transfered before August 1st? they may want you too pay bus fare again, but I hope not. Say Ellis have you got anyone to help you cut some stove-wood

yet or did willie cut it for you? how is your cotton holding up and has the boll-weaver hurt it very bad? hope not.

I ate dinner at Mr Luke's last Sunday. I went to Church Sunday morning and went there from Church, but they was not at Church, he came by after me after preaching, they sure are nice to me, I sure like to go down there, we went driving around Sunday eve, we went to a big swimming pool, but I didn't go swimming, the sun was too hot for me and I didn't care anything about it no way. It is a sight to see how small the girl's and boys bathing suits are ha. e; some were almost "nude." Ellis are you still planing on going to Dallas? you all use the money the best way you think ~~best~~ best. mama I don't want you to think anything strange about me sending this in Ellis name as you know the reason. I am not sending it in your name. you all please write me the very same day you get this as I will be worried until I hear from you, take care of yourselves, and real soon.

Love,

Denard.