

Monday -

Dear mama:

Just got your card. I just haven't felt like writing you or any one else. I told Emma to write you. Then to she is planning on going down there this week end if she can get off & I thought she could tell you ever thing.

I got in from work to-morrow night will be three weeks ago & Everett was gone had takened ever thing he had. I havnt heard a word or seen

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him since, I'm just about crazy. From all I can hear he went off with another woman, he's been going with her almost a year. There's been several people told me he was still in town one person said they saw him right before last with this woman I don't know whether he's with any one or not. but I'm just about sick with worry. & I'm not well either, I wish I was strong enough to just not care. I know I

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ought not to want him
back if he dont care
any thing about me &
wants this other woman
I dont see how he can
want her as she couldnt
be any account to break
up a home. some day
she will suffer just
like I'm suffering now
I'm going to move, as
I cant stay here & pay
rent on a whole house
& I guess I'll store part
of my furniture or
sell it one, I'm afraid
I'll get sick & no one
here but me, Emma
has to work such

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funny hours & here its
so far from her work
to, If we can find a
place guess I'll move
in with archies folks
as mrs anderson will
be there in case I get
sick, I just cant stay
by myself, & shes been
good to me since hes
been gone, stayed right
here with me.

sure hate to hear
about Ellis, but make
they wont take him
dont see how they can
but I guess if they do
the government will send
you & Lunnard so much

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each month, I dont know what would be come of me if I were to get sick or lose my job, dont seem like theres nothing but trouble in this world any more.

Well I cant write any more, just dont worry about my trouble as you've got enough of your own. Thats one reason I have it written you. Mrs Anderson said tell you that you wasnt by your self having trouble, that she had rather see
(over)

Everett in the army
as to do like his doing.
but we cant help it,
we will just have to ^{to} ~~to~~ ^{do} ~~do~~
do the best we can.

Just dont say any
thing about this to
any one as I dont
want any one to know
this down there, so
take care of your self
+ write soon

Yours Lillie