

Monday 6:00 P.M.

Dearest Elsie,

I am ashamed of myself for not writing oftener than I do. When I haven't anything to do I am lonesome but I have been busy most of the time last week. When I wasn't working at the smelter I was working around the house with some little job.

Mawin was lucky last week and he had a chance to get his shifts in by Friday night so he went to Topeka last Sat. with the Life Insurance man. I worked on the Copper Sat. & shovled under the Converters on Sun. which is lots hotter than the copper.

Since you have been working over-
time do you work Saturdays. If I get
my shifts in by Friday night I will
put "Henry" on the road toward Logan
for the week end, because it seems like
a headache since I see you.

Tonight the Smelter Smoke is come-
ing down over our house; It is stronger
than it was out of "Black Rock" the
day we drove through there.

I was to tired & sleepy to go
to Church last night so I am going
to make up for it this night & go
to Priest Hood Meeting. Marvin wants
me & "Henry" to call for him on the
way so I guess I better leave right

sway quick.

Elaine did you have a sheet in mind something like Gene's? They have a line of them to choose from, almost a hundred different patterns. Do you prefer a light finished or a dark finished? I want to be sure that I get ^{you} one like you had in mind & the only way to know that I am on the right track is to be told or at least given a little hint.

Elaine, I have found out a little at least of how it is not to have a letter come for so long; have I done something that you don't like or are you pretty busy trying your new

machine. I like to see a letter
when I come home & I know that
you do to so I'm hear on for a
little while at least I will write
more often.

I want you to know that
I think ~~to~~ you are the best girl
that I have ever met & I want you to
know that I am trying as hard as
possible to do things that will make
you proud of me.

Good night Sweetheart,
Faithfully and
Sincerely forever,
Howard

(To Be Continued)

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