

Sunday morning
5:30 A.M.

My dearest Edna,

Sunday morning and all ready for work which starts 6:30 this morning because I have to warm up the cat before the trucks get started. The regular cat man was off yesterday afternoon & today.

It was surely good to hear your voice even if I couldn't see you. Some day I hope to be worthy of seeing you every morning when I wake up.

Marvin was off today so he went home because his folks were having the thanksgiving dinner, and, well, what it is when papa and ma, and all the kids & grand kids get together and have a picture taken.

Thanks dear for being so good to me and writing such swell letters. I will try to write more often, because I know that you like to see a letter as well as I do.

Well, I must start "Henry" & go to work before 6:30 so I must leave, but the mail don't leave until 5:30 ~~now~~ Monday night so will add to this before it is sent.

Lovingly and Faithful forever,
Edna

Sunday night and just got back from
a swell testimonial sacramental meeting.
Drove out all day & got along fairly
well considering everything; was
making a road for trucks ~~out~~ to
run out thru the mounds. All week
I worked on the cement crew 8 hours,
then on the cat 4 hours in the evening.
Since last Monday morning I earned
\$62.70, all that isn't clear because
living expenses are higher than any
place I have ever been.

Since I told you I would see
you Mrs. I have been thinking. Maybe
if I am able to do as well one more
week out here I should not have become
two weeks in quite a long time when
one isn't working; well, we will see how
the tide turns in the mean time.

Yesterday a fellow from Gratevill
got a letter telling him not to report to
the mission house until Feb. 3 but he is
going to S. America, so that is maybe
the reason for the delay.

Paper & ink are scarce as
fisher teeth at least so many you
will excuse the wrinkles & graphite,
until Wallin gets in with the
supply.

You know I wished a dozen
times that you could have heard
the testimonies that were given by
some returned Missionaries. Even if
there were 25 people sitting on hand
since the Spirit of God was there,
& administered and helped give the
testimony then God my ~~testimony~~
testimony in an upward way.

Thanks again to you will
be sure to thank for the good
cookies & cake & biscuits they sure
have good when I came here from
riding the cat boat with even if
the boxes were a little bit but the
contents were unharmed.

It is about four for me, but
I haven't seen that letter that I
expected the last 3 days, and the
next time I shall be going to
my home so I can hear your voice
more.

Good night sweetest, may

all that long journey may be to you in
the west. Keep up the good work
and remember that you told me once
that a smile went the furthest.

Travelling faithfully,
Your husband

Oh you don't know who reads the

letters after me, but I don't get
lost & my heart is in the home.

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