

We plan to have a spread to-morrow night after school if nothing happens.

Rathernie and Christine are coming over next Saturday night to stay over Sunday. Won't we have some fun?

We have planned a good time for Saturday night and I guess we can find enough else to do the rest of the time they are here.

The small pox seems to be spreading doesn't it? I wouldn't be very much surprised if they had the scholars here all vaccinated as they are doing it in the other schools.

Why don't Ernest & Herman write?

Neither of them are going to school and I don't think they might find time to write once in a while.

It is getting late and I am rather tired so must close and go to bed.

With love to all

Harriet.

Had to cut this paper to get it into the envelope.

It is a cloudy morning & it looks as

though it was  
going to rain  
it did not  
free any  
last night.  
I am glad  
the days are  
growing longer  
but I don't  
know I  
shall not  
see the  
morning  
star today  
Flein Joh  
when I  
get up  
I have to  
hurry to  
get to  
Frankfort

Graham Manie.

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My dear Mamma:-

To morrow will be  
Washington's birthday but we have a school  
just the same. Mr. Entley <sup>was</sup> keeps a school  
every day that he possibly can. He  
would never give us a holiday if he  
had his way about it.

Grace came last night and brought all  
the things you sent. Those things you sent  
me to eat I thank you very much for. The  
chocolates are the best I ever ate. Have  
not tried the cake yet but know that it  
is good. I finished my skirt to night  
after school. Was very glad you sent it  
back but I think you must have had  
so hurry awfully to get it ready to send.  
Sunday the walking was very bad &  
I did not go to meeting. After dinner  
Rhoda & Maria came in and we read

stays nearly all the afternoon.

One of the other girls came in after supper and stayed until nearly nine.

Monday morning we studied most of the time. Marjorie Higgins had a friend come to see her and we were with them part of the afternoon. Got your letter also one from Polly + one from Mildred Hamilton.

Miss Fickett, (the best teacher in the lot) invited us down to her room in the afternoon. Eunice Phodot & went. She read astronomy to us it was very interesting and we had a very nice time.

Last evening the fire department was called out and we had an awful time none of the girls knew what to do as they are new ones who have never been in the companies before at least most of them were.

Every girl on my company was new at the business and I couldn't get anything through their heads. The fire stood still and stared at us.

so don't  
have any  
time to  
look for  
slaves.  
Yesterday  
morning  
we ate  
breakfast  
without  
a fight  
it seems  
good.  
They will  
have to have  
lights this  
morning  
it is so  
dark the  
bell is  
ringing so  
naked sleep  
Harriet.

We got our horse tangled up with one of the others. I got a horse round around my feet & another around my neck. One girl got on around her and I pulled her down stairs and around a corner so quick that she did not know where she was. Things were in a hubbub for a while. I went up over and down over with flights of stairs in less than fifteen minutes. I then had to put up my horse alone all the rest of the company run off and left me. I don't fancy that kind of business and I was rather tired when I got back to my room. Folding a hundred feet of hose onto a rack and running up and down stairs that way is hard work.

Today has been a lousy day. The walking is very bad here and so I don't go out any only to school.