

St Louis Mo
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My dear Mother.

I guess you will be rather surprised when you get this letter so soon on top of the other one but I had a few things I wanted to ask you which I forgot to mention in the other letter and so I am writing again I guess you will begin to think I can't

write a letter home
without wanting something
but I guess it don't
hurt to express ones
wishes anyway.

I wondered if you would
let me get some yarn
to knit me a sweater.
I have been wishing
cousin B. would do the
one but no such hopes
so I think I'll be a
little independent
and try one myself.
I think I can get the
yarn for at least 4.00
and maby cheaper. I
don't know just what

color I want but either
coral, oldrose, or green. with
white collar cuffs, and
belt. Now if you don't
think I need it (which
I guess is true) and
think I should put
that money in something
else. I'll be perfectly
satisfied with your decision.
I would just like to have
one and so thought I
would ask.

I was down town the
other day a few min. and
looked at some tennis
rackets. I can get them
all the way from

12⁰⁰ up to 12⁰⁰ so what ever
you want me to get
I will. Miss Southard's
father said he would
get me a racket like
hers for 6 ⁵⁰ if I wanted
him to. It is a 12⁰⁰ racket
and that is whole sale
price. I haven't seen
about swimming but
one of the girls said
to-day if you furnish
your own suit and all
that you can get a
season ticket at
Loralie for 2⁰⁰. I think
I'll see about that
for it doesn't seem
quite right. Turner and

I neither have any money
to spend so next time
she has her afternoon
she and I are going
down town and "look"
If we cant buy I guess
we can look.

Now I have some very
starteling news for you
and it is very pleasing
if it is only carried
out. Miss Budge got
word from Washington D.C.
asking her to cut the
length of training down
to two years and a half.
If that is so I'll be out

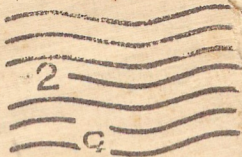
a year from September.
won't that be nice. I have
all my work planned out
If Gladys is still living
where she is I am
going to see if I can't
room with her and maby
that will be a little cheaper
than if I went to some
strange place. I'll work
all winter and try and
be real saving and then
the next summer ~~It~~
you and I will take
a nice little pleasure
trip at my expense
Now don't you think that
is a nice dis castle

well I do hope some
day to be able to do
that.

I wonder if you had
seen where I over in
England our unit has
been entertained like royalty
and that they have just
left there for France
where they will go to
the front.

Well this is enough I
think for to-day so
good night. Love from
Claire

P.S. Tell you neighbor on the
hill I would like to be
with her the first for
that is the work I enjoy.



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