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Don't forget Boxes.



September 5, 1927.

Dear folks:

This is the first minute I've sat down to write since coming here. I have a front single in this darling dormitory facing clumps of beautiful trees. I and Fhis morning a little earlier when the sun shone on them - it was beautiful. - and now the birds are twittering away so merrily. This surely is a busy place.

The whole C. C. A. is meeting here. Christian Council of America, including Y. M.; Y. W.; and S. Y. yesterday afternoon Stanley High spoke on the need of missions today. He has just come from a tour in the Orient.

IMPORTANT.

Send my boxes - luggage etc as soon as this letter arrives: because they should be in Wooster by Saturday so I can use them early Monday morning. I believe I told you to send them about the 10th but that would not be early enough - so send them as soon as you possibly can.

How Fred ^(the) ~~prayer~~ will see you in less than a week now - My how time is flying.

My watch went on the bunk, and it cost me

another \$3⁰⁰ to have it fixed
and it doesn't run O.K. yet.
It stops very once in a while.
So I spent some money I wasn't
counting on. Then I treated
to a play one night - because
they (Andersons) did so much
for me. That cost me \$1.50.

Saw the "Ladder" - a rather
serious play with a moral.
Saw about Irish Rose, too, and
nearly split my sides laughing.

Spent Friday night at
Woodys. She is still as beautiful
as ever - a little fleshier but
with 2 of the loveliest and
best mannered children I
have ever seen.

Of all my N.Y. experience
to me - the most thrilling was
broadway at night - a
marvelous sight.

In the package that I
sent there are 2 things for
Fred and one for mother -
the puzzle was bought in
Chinatown - in a shop - very
near the bowery. The handpainted
tee and scarf were bought at
Hannish's Batik Studio on
Sheridan Square in Greenwich
village.

It is time for breakfast.

Love
Dean.

nick name - a
high school
teacher said
DEAN or
instead of
father.