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Tues. May 26
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Dearest Family,

you can't imagine what a wonderful week end this has been - ideal in every way I can think of. There is so much to tell you and of course Dad will have much to say, too.

We left Mon. at 7:30 in morning. Mr. Brower left Mon. night at 11:30. Now, I will have to explain. Boots had not written home for a week so Pops was worried and called her up Friday night. In the course of the conversation she mentioned that my Dad was coming to see me. Well, in an hour or less. Pops had taken a bath, packed his grip, bought a pound of Bruner's candy and hopped on the train for Waaster.

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He surprised us entirely - came
in about fifteen minutes,
after Dad came. You can't
imagine our surprise.

Boy it surely was great to have
them both here at the same
time. It gave us both a
chance to be alone with
them so much more but
still we were together enough
to make it so companionable
Both of the men stayed over
at the Lodge (that is they
men's room) - Mandy took care
of my Dad - Hoik Tubbe took
care of Pops. He had
hasn't spent such a quiet
leisure week end for some
time. We sat out under
the trees in Warner Lawn
all day Sat. I think Dad
enjoyed our C. E. very
much. Who we went to
visit Leas' den. evening
They were lovely to us. I
Dad refused to give the
mormon project at Church

Sunday so he could sit with me in the audience. We four sat together. I listened to about $\frac{1}{10}$ th of the sermon then pulled out Dad's sermon book from his pocket and read the rest of the time. Got much more out of reading his sermon notes than of listening to this gentleman's preach. Dad led Hoover morning prayers & also spoke at Life Service Group. The one sentence in ~~our~~ all our conversations that has been impressed on my mind is this — "When you are blest it is because someone has bled — if you bled someone will be blest"

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I think that is such a beautiful thought and I can't get it out of my head.

Well I've made 615 points towards my 800 for a W.C. We played an awfully funny game last night inside. Fifth section (men) were to play a game too & so I got the rumor started that the girls were playing 5th section & so there was a crowd went out & got fooled & even now they can't understand ~~the~~ the game out to.

Dad will tell you all about the Tea house & how it came about.

Everything is all settled. The Dean & Co. is all in favor of Miss Gould gave her yes yesterday.

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Saw the room and in the little tower where I will live. and it is adorable - just newly fixed up. - oh I'll not write about it but tell you all about it in a little over two weeks.

It's almost chapel time so will close & perhaps add a little later.

Muchest of Love

Beau.

Just will say a few words. Before I close this and mail it have to make a poster this afternoon. Has the birthday package gotten lost, stowed or stolen? Am beginning to review for exams today. Mr Vogel gave his lecture in chapel today - introduced by Prof. Leav.