

may be needing just such a young man right now, and if not, you may know of others that are. It seems to me important that such a well-prepared worker should find his right place, and anything you can do to help toward this will be appreciated.

I have not met the young man, but I know he comes from excellent family and certainly his record speaks for himself. One of his teachers, so his sister informs me, wrote to the family stating, "This is the first time I have ever been privileged to teach a genius."

I know how interested you have always been in helping young folks to get started, so I wanted you to know about Mr. Atwood. I am sending you full name and address, with needed data, about his preparation. I have the feeling I am rendering a service in letting you know about him- it is quite a remarkable record, isn't it?

Do not feel this letter requires an answer-- I know how very busy you are--my one purpose in writing to you is to let you know about this fine young man and to ask your assistance in helping him find his right place of service. I shall be more than happy if in turn I am helping you to find a worker of such special talent and ability.

Kind regards to all in the family.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed - Henrietta Heron)

Sent to
Dr. Harold Smith, New York City
Mr. George Berni, Proctor & Gamble, Cincinnati.

Maarden, april 10th 1959

Dear Erna

In January my friend, who always accompanies me on my vacation-journeys, warned me, she probably could not afford this year, to travel around for several weeks, as we mostly do. She got a new flat, and it made a lot of new furniture necessary, which is not cheap, you know.

And all at once, a thought crossed my mind: "Then I want to go to the U.S.A.!" I dreamt about for years and years. But as long as my dear parents lived, I never came to, for I didn't want to go so far away from them.

I asked my schoolboard for a "non-activity"-permit (vacation without salary) of 6 weeks, and finally got it. In addition to my summer-holidays it makes 3 months to visit the U.S.A., and meet you all personally, at last, after a lifetime of corresponding. I can hardly believe it to be true! And yet time of departure comes quickly nearer. If I get my visum (which I am not afraid about) intime, I will leave Holland on June 1st by K.L.M. airways. At least I ordered my ticket for that date.

I want to stay at New York for about a week, then drive to the Niagara-falls and perhaps to Toronto ^{Canada} to see a friend who emigrated a year ago.

Then back south, see Washington and crossing the Blue Ridge mountains, go to Cincinnati by Greyhound-bus. There I should like to make a 2-weeks stop, to meet all my family. Of course I hope to see you and your dear ones at Jeffersonville, during this stop. It is not so far away from Cinc., isn't it?

End of June: on again. Detroit, Chicago, Salt Lake City, Yellowstone - and Grand Tetons National Parks, San Francisco - Yosemite Nat. Park - Los Angeles - La Jolla.

I wrote to Alice, that I hope to visit her, during my stay in California. Probably, La Jolla ^(his wife Conice) will be my residence for the last 2 weeks. You know, they visited us in '56, and it will be fine to meet again.

Erna, I am so happy thinking about our meeting. Hope to find you all in the best of health and spirits. Give my love to all. ~~your~~

AEROGRAMME
LUCHTPOSTBLAD



← NIETS INSLUITEN / ICI / HIER OPENEN

Mrs Erna Skwood
434 N. Randolph Street
Jeffersonville
(Clarksville)
Indiana
U. S. A

PAR AVION / PER LUCHTPOST

EXPÉDITEUR / AFZENDER

Prof. Majowsky, Gen. Doulaan 51
Naarden
Netherlands

NIETS INSLUITEN!

INDIEN ZULKS TOCH GESCHIEDT, DAN WORDT DEZE BRIEF PER BOOT / TREIN VERZONDEN

For yourself my kindest regards!

Yours affectionately

[Signature]