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Nov-20-'23

Dear Rowland:-

Now nearly 8-o'clock  
time to go home, but  
I'll pen you a few  
lines first, seems  
so many little duties  
to be my time.

I'm always so glad to  
hear your letters.

I'm always thinking  
of you and wishing you  
success. Have confidence  
in your ability to suc-  
ceed in your undertak-  
ings. so if you take your  
seat among the Kentucky  
Solons, I feel you will  
be on the side of justice

and fairness. We certainly  
 have a rotten thing in  
 ofahoma. If only God  
 of our great U.S. had  
 ever been so rotten  
 and soft headed. History  
 does not record -  
 say, I think I like  
 the house, though it  
 does not appear as I  
 had pictured in my  
 mind. We are having  
 some beautiful weather  
 have never had a killing  
 frost yet, although  
 the light frosts have  
 made the leaves fall  
 some trees still green,  
 others bare. My rose bushes,  
 one full of buds

have set out feed tanks  
 This fall, want more  
 roses for the Spring.  
 Every thing this week  
 seems very dull.  
 Last Saturday was a very  
 good day. We hope the  
 holiday trade will be  
 good. Dear, it is now  
 8-o'clock I'm going to  
 lose store, wish you  
 were here to-night, we  
 hear such cozy fires  
 of home at night, radio  
 works good. I do not  
 listen much. Always  
 want to read Good night  
 more to-morrow.  
 Have just had breakfast,  
 which consisted of half

Grapefruit and 2 nuts;  
 I know you wouldn't care  
 to share it with me.  
 For two years, I have  
 not eaten any breakfast  
 out side of fruit.  
 Every thing come over.  
 The radio so good last  
 night. Listened to "Mu-  
 chants of Venice". Good  
 Cooked from Louisville Ky.  
 10. J. Then a prize  
 fight from Atlanta Ga  
 The boys get most any  
 thing they want over.  
 Cloudy this morning, think  
 we will have some  
 ugly weather in a day  
 or so. O, I do hope you  
 can find it convenient

To come soon, I know  
you are busy and look  
like a waste of time to  
leave and make such  
a trip, but I'm like  
a child, I want to see  
you so much.

Write at once and tell  
me all. Lots and lots  
of kisses for you this  
morning. Remember  
I shall think of you  
almost every minute.  
My heart and soul is with  
you sweet heart.

Yours always.

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Edmonton, Ky., Sept, 9, 1923.

Mr R. G. Railey,  
Forkton, Ky.

Dear Mr. Railey:

I am in receipt of two letters from you. Am glad indeed to hear from you. I could not understand your long silence. I have often thought of you and of your loyal friendship. For all of which, I am deeply grateful. There is no one in my entire acquaintance that is better qualified to represent the great common people than you, but just as to whether or not you should enter this race is a matter for you to decide. I think you could get on the ticket. I would like to see you but my business is so arranged that it will be impossible for me to meet you in Louisville next week, but if you can make it convenient to come to Edmonton, will be glad to talk with you. Write me further I will be glad to confer with you.

Wishing you success, prosperity and happiness, I remain

your friend always,

*M. O. Scott*  
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May 10th 1923

My Very Dearest Boy: -

Yesterday we had such a big rain. Today Cool enough for fire, although I hav'nt any. Expect lots of farmers will have to plant Cotton over. Crops in, old, look well. People seem to be taking lots of interest in the farm work.

Every thing very dull in the Drug line. We are constantly pushing some side line. The Druggist, that has the Fountain, is doing some business. I've postponed putting in the Fountain for another year, I dread the extra work a Fountain will make. Boyless has always

been buying for one,  
Glad to ~~hear~~<sup>know</sup> your business  
interests are looking better.  
If you are building you  
will have your hands full  
for a while. I still know  
it will not be the job for you  
if was for me, because  
you know more about  
building and building material.

Am thinking of going to  
Denison tomorrow by the  
weather is not too un-  
certain looking, will trip  
with my friend for a  
few days. Had it been  
a way from Boswell, since  
early last fall. We had  
to put down the pen of the  
see my writing thoughts  
'have finished'. I note you  
say, 'we will see each other



soon" - There will be one  
glad girl, seems so long  
since you were here  
O, I do hope your work will  
run smoothly and the  
family will keep well,  
Dear, I want to see you so  
much & you can never  
know how much I think  
of you and how often  
I wish for you.

many many good wishes  
for you, yours with love  
and lots of kisses  
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P.S. I'm always anxious to hear  
from you, I write again  
soon.

Louisville Ky.  
5/14 - 1923

Mr. R. G. Raily  
Harkton, Ky.

Dear bro, your letter rec'd this morning  
just arrived, I have had some trouble get-  
ting me in hospital. But finally got me  
in. I told Horrie I would be back down  
there in a few days. So I did not think  
it necessary to write. I will arrange when  
I go back to Indianapolis a permanent place  
to receive all letters and telegrams  
I have been awful busy, and can not  
set down and write as I would like to  
I will be down there for 2 or 3 days last  
of week or first of sept. I hope you  
have some good ideas on some new business  
you want to discuss that are good paying  
business. your bro

G. F. Raily, over

I will be real busy while I am down  
there and will try and get there Sunday  
any way so we can discuss the business  
Sunday afternoon. one day I would expect  
to leave Indianapolis the next and something  
would turn up that I could not leave  
so you see I was detained in writing  
They are going to take xray pictures of me  
they just don't ~~know~~ know what the  
trouble is yet. Hospital fees don't  
cost me any thing. She will stay there  
as long as she is sick

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April 1st 1923

My Dear Mother:

Easter, and the day just draw-  
ing to a close. I just a min  
to tell you, you've been  
in my thoughts to-day.  
Twice you've come to me  
on Easter, and I was not  
expecting you. I've en-  
joyed those unexpected visits,  
in fact, all your visits, have  
been enjoyed. Oh, what a lapse  
of time! frightens me when  
I think of it. I'm alone, had  
a nice cozy fire, slept this morn-  
ing until about 9 o'clock, after dressing  
heard a sermon at 11 o'clock, went  
to town for lunch. This  
afternoon, been reading and listen-  
ing in radio. A Bible lesson  
first Methodist Church Dallas

Song Easter program, service  
from Pres by Union Church Dallas  
and a program by the Glee Club,  
Baylor College Waco Texas.

Maybe Mrs. Duncan's grand daughter  
dropped in, and listened in  
with me a while. This is a  
very beautiful day, with a  
Cold East wind, pleabont with win-  
ter clothes on and a fire.

Yes, I enjoy the roads, but it is  
expensival to keep going, please  
I'll keep the camp hear the expense.  
You thought of the dog on the moun-  
tain side, thank you, Dear.

We had a very very enjoyable time  
in H.S. but its in the past. I'm  
Always wondering, if the future  
holds any things worth while,  
we'll all finally, come to the  
brink, and look back upon  
the long trail of life

And feel it was traveled in  
vain? No, although, we may  
never have truly lived. Yet there  
must be some good in our lives,  
mine has not <sup>or</sup> been full, so I  
look back upon life, could have made it  
more profitable to my self and my  
fellows being and still with my  
training and my knowledge,  
perhaps so much has not been ac-  
quired, Twilight is fast going,  
must go to supper, my people  
went fishing to-day said  
they would have fish for supper  
perhaps, better rising up and go  
see, went to cafe for lunch.  
After supper and now about 10 o'clock  
I've read until my eyes are tired,  
must soon retire! I'm wondering  
just how you have spent the day,  
I so often try to imagine you  
about your many duties.

I do not have in stock Type  
ribbon, I'll send Bayless  
out in town to morrow to try  
to find if any one does,  
I do not believe there is any  
one handles them —, if I find  
one will mail to you immedi-  
ately. Please think of me as  
your truest and most sincere  
friend — Good night

Carrie

P.S. Sorry, but can't get the  
Type Ribbon.

Louisville Ky.,  
Sunday morn Jan 7, 1923

Mrs Billie Turner

Forkton Ky.,

Dear little Billie :-

Recd. your nice  
sweet letter some time ago & would  
have written but kid I expected to  
come home any day but I was a  
little short of jack. I so thought I had  
better wait but will sure see you  
all in Feb the first of it & am home kid  
& am getting to be a real home body  
cant get those blues away I must  
see my Momma & Papa & Bob & Wagners  
Bob & Bill & the rest of the family  
ye Billie give wish you were  
here to cheer me up honey your  
letters sure are life savers. gee &



wish I could write nice interesting  
 letters I would write you & Auntie  
 every day but I can't think of any  
 thing of interest to write so please  
 don't be angry because I didn't  
 ans (sooner). Say again I wish I could  
 do the New York dance called black  
 bottom for you it is a real dance  
 you couldn't do any thing but like  
 I had dinner at the Liberty Inn  
 yesterday the Chow joint boy I  
 really can eat there. Do you ~~still~~  
 still intend to go live on Elmer  
 farm I do you think you will like  
 it I bet you would like it - does  
 Elmer like down there now some  
 times I think I will come down &  
 never leave you know life is  
 so short I guess that is why

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I dont but some time I guess I not  
long before I will get tired of city  
life I say by by City well I know  
a nice way to Cook rabbit. it is  
good ficed this way soak rabbit over  
nite in vinegar & the next day fry  
2 pieces of the rabbit in flour & lard  
till brown then put all the rabbit  
in the pan & fill up with water  
put ~~plenty~~ plenty of pepper &  
a little vinegar about half cup &  
Cook till done, they try that on  
thoro tough rabbits & you will  
be surprised how nice they will  
be a plenty of gravy well I had  
better go to sleep now so good nite.

Hello Billie how do you feel this morning  
I feel just like going coasting so please  
Come go along its cold as the devil  
out side glad I got steam heat well  
Love

I must close will write more next time  
so be sure to write often & a long letter  
& the Fortson news

your little pal

Dois Pailey

128 1/2 N. Ky. St.

1000 kisses

Love to little Wayne & little Billie & Auntie  
- Mrs. Boby Bill & to Auntie & lots & lots  
of love to all

Tell Elmer I wish

I could see him & to write some times  
please ans soon