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Dear Mother,

I got your letter this morning - I don't mind your leaving my letters at the station, for then, I get two. The one that you have to write and the one that is already written. So that is alright. I guess that I will get the other one to-morrow. You know, we do not have our mail twice on Sunday, as we used to - just once and that time is right after dinner.

About my new dress - I was not dissappointed at all, for I had planned all along to wear the dress that Miss Etta gave. I have not worn it up here and so they do not know it, and besides all - juniors do not have to have new Easter dresses as do Freshmen, and other infants. This dress will look better anyway, I think for it is still a little early for me to feel "exactly right" in entire white, altho they have been wearing here a long time. Don't you worry about the dress - just fix it when you have the time, and don't "break your neck" trying to finish it for the next Sunday, it will keep a nice long time, and won't it look nice when I come home, and with a new hat, oh! I'd much rather wear my pretty things at home than here.

The Y.W.A. is going to have a big Easter egg hunt this afternoon after classes. Every one is supposed to dress as children and to go in couples - boys and girls. The hunt will take place on the campus. They have dyed about five hundred eggs - more than enough for all the girls who will come. Did you know that there are fourteen hundred girls here? Isn't that some enrollment? 1400. Well, back to the Hunt - I think that I will help to hide the eggs this afternoon, but I don't think I will go, for I may study.

They came for me the other day, saying there was a lady down in the office who wanted to see me - of course I thought that it was Mrs. Nabers, but when I went down, I was supposed to see Mrs. Randall. They seem to have had a holiday (April Fool's) and she was chaperoning a crown - they came in a car, and Louise was not with her, off in another crowd. She said that she would not get home until five o'clock the next morning. Characteristic - eh? Well I was glad to see her, or any one whom I know. She was here only about fifteen minutes. She sent her love to every one, and to you.

Mother, I believe after awhile I will write to Mr. Lasater - just a card. You know I promised to write him, and he may consider that I am not keeping my word by not doing so, but he did make me mad. Would you send a card if you were I?

I am really glad that I am not going to Temple for this week end, for you see there are a lot of things that I should be here for. I only wish that they would come over here this afternoon so I could invite them to have Easter dinner with me. They feel so strange and not at home at all here in the college - fact! the Temple folks think they own this place as much as the Belton folks do. Maybe they will after awhile. I am going to have an exam. in my Anglo-Saxon, and one in Sociology Tuesday, and I think that it is criminal to give ~~an~~ one on a Tuesday, I think for we never do study very well even though we do have a longer time. Then I have a theme that will have to be handed in Tuesday in my other English course. It is rather hard too, on the four phases of Nature that Wordsworth discusses in his poetry especially in his "Tintern Abbey". I have done some reading in the subject which he did not expect us to do, but still I do not have enough material to make the theme as long as he wants it. Then you see, I rather hated to leave my Sunday School class the very first Sunday - I will some other time, but I had rather be here to-morrow. But I had made up my mind that I would go - to Temple if they asked me, for I told them I would before I had the class. I imagine that I am going to have good times in Temple, but she will be gone before she hardly gets started in Temple.

There are about five Baylor U. girls here spending the week end - old Baylor C. girls who have gone there & there are a good many of our girls there this year. I have not made up my mind yet what I will do, and suppose that I will not until the end of the term. If we can't decide that it will not be more expensive there than here, then I will see if I can finish next year alright, and then if I still want to go, well I will.

I got real mad yesterday, they are so funny here, at least it seems that way to me. The bulliton board has such an independent air about it - every thing seems to say "Pay now or get out!" And I suppose that you did not know that payments had to be made upon entering, and if they were not they drew interest - well that is the way it is now, and that is what Dr. Hardy got up and told us twice in Chapel yesterday. I am seeing about getting my bill ready to be sent home. The room is eighty dollars, and I am trying to get it for seventy five. You see this one is on the front side, and costs five dollars more than the ones on the other side - but I did not know it when I was put here, for I naturally supposed that I would have the kind of room that I have always had. Miss Campbell is not here, but they say that I should not pay more for this room, because Miss Campbell wanted me to room with this girl. However, I don't believe that I will say anymore about - it. I would not move for it now, anyway this room is much nicer - cooler and lighter, we do not have to have the lights during the day, and in the other room we always had to have the on account of the sleeping porches. Well goodbye, and love, RUTH.