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My Dear Rufus,

It just occurred to me that if I don't write soon I won't have a chance to, and it may be that you won't get this letter, so if you don't let me know at once please.

My what a time you must be having!! It's easy for you isn't it? all the auto and horse back rides,  a graphic representation of the development of a sigh, and weddings and people and I'll bet they all make a lot of you too, don't they? Be careful you are not spoiled by much attention.

There isn't much to tell because my new existence is so self-centered, but as to myself I can talk freely but not interestingly.

Last night the Freshmen gave the Juniors a hay ride and dance at Huffakers and we didn't get home till morning, but what a time — great!! The Sophomores didn't get wise to the party at all so we were not molested. We all got acquainted ^{that} with each other, and it helps a lot for us poor Freshies who know nothing and no one.

This morning I got up early and fixed up for church. I took a young lady from the hall — I won't tell her name

because you know her - just
as I did once before, and in
just the same way was
urged to leave her to her-
self, and try to sing. In the
congregation were a couple of
Profs. and a bunch of students,
and I had to carry the tenor,
before such a bunch, with a
voice that had shouted every-
thing from "Put Your Arms etc."
to "all that I ask is Love", all
the way from Reno to Huffakers,
the night before. I'm sure
they were all impressed. till

we have no school Tuesday
and for our next English lesson
we must write an explanation
of a process. I wrote some-

thing about the electric light
business last time, so to show
my versatility I am going to
get up tonight at 10'clock
and watch the circus set up.
If the theme is no good
Prof Paine should at least
appreciate the effort.

Our poor new stenographer.
She is small and afraid. She
goes around as if she was afraid
some one was going to jump on
her every minute. I guess she
can work the machine all
right but I like people with
positive dispositions.

If you go away to
Berlin before you come back
here I hope you flunk in

the entrance exams. I'm
no hand to wish people ill
luck but there's my sentiments.
Now you just look here - ah!
it's no use. But say isn't it
a good feeling tho' to know
you're going to do things like
that. I hope you succeed but
please come home first.

It has been my good for-
tune to be invited out to
dinner three times this week.
The third dinner is to come
in an hour so if you will
excuse me I'll prepare my-
self. Let me say tho' that the
change from one grab to another
is great. And now peace be unto
you, amen. Sincerely.

I don't know Fern's
name now, but give
her & her my wildest congratulations.
Yours.