

Dayton O. 5 P.M.
July 25, 1900.

My Darling Wife

While my "tater" is a cookin' I will write a few lines in reply to yours of recent date. I am well and getting along all right. Received a card from Pa today saying that he would be at Wetsville next Mon. and would like to see us there. I answered him at once and told him you would be there, of course you have my letter written last Sun. which answers your question about coming home. If you get home-sick, come home certainly, but if you are enjoying your stay do not think of coming home now. I will get along all right. You are welcome to stay until Aug 12, if you both feel well, come sooner if you like. If anything occurs to make it necessary for you to come I will write you.

Have a good visit with all the folks as nearly as possible. Are they coming home this summer?

You must be out of money are you not?

The foreman failed to get my name on the list which he gave to Hockett and this accounts for the delay I will probably not get it this morn'g but will

send some as soon as I get it, Don't think of coming home this wk. I know you want to be here and if you could be here and at the same time enjoy your visit there it would suit me first rate, but now is your chance for a good visit and I would not think of having you come home before you are ready because there is no reason why I cannot get something to eat in this town. I did not send washing away as it is not much needed. Will send it next wk if you think best. The enclosed card is self-explanatory.

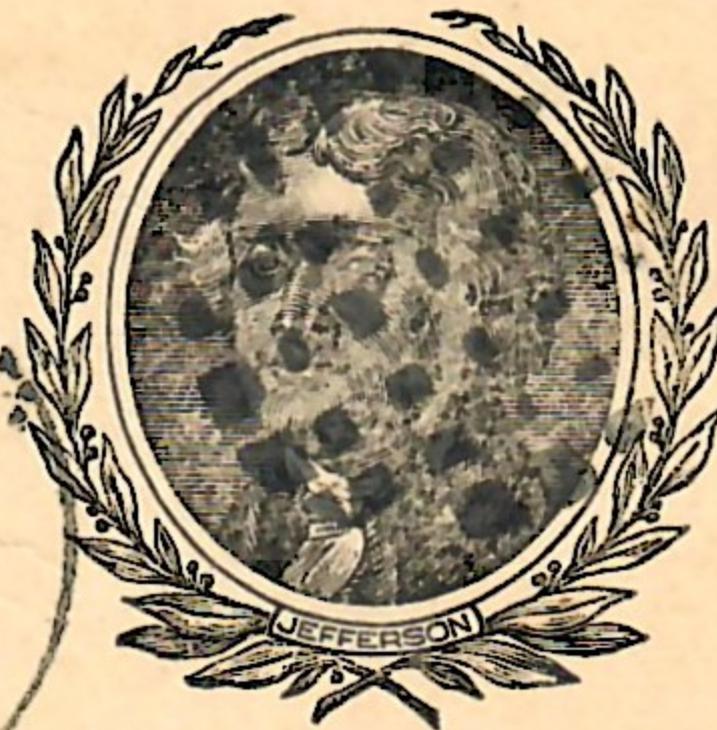
Two of the boys are working at the church. The rest of us are at the brick-yard. They are getting stone on town now so some of us will soon go there I presume you might write to me I shall. } your loving husband,
J. H. Harris.

Say Paul! when papa was in the cellar today he found a little bit of a mouse in a bucket so he set a stick down and it caught the poor little mouse's foot, and poor little mouse just eyed and eyed for his mamma to come and dit him, but his mamma was afraid and left the poor little fellow all by his alone. Janet thinks you are staying a long time. Say what do you think of grand-pa? Don't be a big fat man though. I expect he likes little boys like you. you must be careful not to holler too loud. you can holler a little if you want to, but not too loud. What do you think of your big aunts? They are nice, but not as nice as mamma are they? you must have a nice visit and go and see Uncle Otto and Aunt Fannie. If you see Mrs. Sanders tell him you are coming to college after a while. Uncle Otto in his card called you the "young governor", but you don't care just so they do not call you "too late to dinner" be good to mamma and come home after while. Papa.

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Rev. J. H. Harris,
Cor Summit St. & Monument Ave.,
Dayton, Ohio.

Wapakoneta, O. 7-24-1900.

My Dear Bro. & Sister:

I hope you are all well and happy, - including the young Governor.

I am going home next Monday, July 30th, if no preventing Providence.

I expect to be at Westerville all next week - Can't you be at home then too? I'd like so much to have a visit with you there then, all of you.

After that I expect to go on down to Abigail & Eva's for a couple weeks.

Hoping to see you at home, I am your
Sincerely Bro,
Ara.

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Mr. J. H. Harris,
Cor. Monument & Summit Sts.
Dayton,
Ohio.

675 E. Monument Ave Dayton, O.
July 28, 1900

Mr. & Mrs. Harris.

Mildred arrived
on the 10:45 last night
all safe and sound.

Mrs. Shull
seems very well
considering all things.

We hope to
see you soon.

Yours very truly,
S. E. Shull

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OHIO
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Mrs J. A. Farris,

Westerville,

Ohio.

Box 344

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Pine apple .25-
Medicine 1.00
Rubber ring .10
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