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Wednesday afternoon

Dearest Moms:

I phoned you last evening around 7:30 but no answer.

I just wanted to tell you that I got the job! I was all excited. Now that I have gotten over it a bit, am writing instead.

I had another conference yesterday afternoon with Mr. Brown and he said he would like me to work for him, so I said I would like to, too. I only hope I like it, but from all reports it is about one of the best jobs in the place. And, hold your hat - he offered me \$5 a week more than I asked for! Figure that one out! I will be getting \$70!! I never dreamed I could get another job at that figure, anywhere - and especially here. Well, it all sounds too good to be true. Time will tell.

I had a very busy day here at the office yesterday - so busy I didn't know what to do next, let alone have time to think about being sleepy. Have been very sleepy this afternoon, the, the work having gotten caught up and therefore more time to think about it. However, I was in bed last night at 10:35 and went right to sleep and slept like a log through until 8 this morning. But what a time with that old alarm clock! Can't imagine what happened to it to make it gain 1 hour and 40 minutes during the night. I hope the GE place on Walnut Street can fix it. But maybe not, as it is pretty old. Father bought it, I remember, so it must be 18-20 years old. If we need a new one, I will buy it. You get it and I will pay for it, because they are nice things to have.

This weekend I am going either out to Fred's or out to the Thorne's in Oyster Bay - don't know which yet - for part of the weekend, at least. Haven't heard anything more about who from Winchester is coming down to meet the girls. I don't believe I will attempt it, especially in view of my new job, which I will start right in on next Monday. Mr. Baldwin has been very nice the last two days. Would really like to stay here, but if I can't have the best, will take the next best, and I may like it even better.

He has gone home and it is just 6 so I am now going, too - early for me, but I could stay doing work here ad infinitum! Tomorrow night I am going to stop off at Franklin Simon's (they are opened Thursday nites) and get my much needed hair cut.

What a beautiful 2 days we have had. Too bad it wasn't like this over the weekend.

Guess that's all for this time. Had a wonderful weekend, dear. Take care and write to me.

All love.

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