Dear Mom:

Back safely after an easy and pleasant trip. We got into Springfield in plenty of time to make the early, 6:35 train. Mary Holdsworth and Kay Machmer and her sister all from Amherst were on the train. They hailed me and we played bridge all the way down. The sister left at Hartford and shortly after a young midshipman joined us as a fourth. It turned out that he was from Amherst, too, but being quite a bit younger than the other girls, they didn't know him. I reached home about 10:15.

There is no news at this early date, so guess I'll stick this in an envelope just as is so you can know that I'm back in the old routine safe and sound. Will be alone at the apartment this evening; plan to do some washing.

Will write again soon. I so enjoyed being home and I've thought all day about that wonderful meal we had yesterday. Hope you will enjoy it the rest of the week.

0000dles of love,

Julia

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