

Brusher and a number of papers arrived before dinner. He stayed till quite late in the evening. After supper we played poker. I won 19 cents. Have of late looked over number of old papers in my room & after cutting from them what I wanted have thrown them away. But in that room stand two large piles with which I do not know what to do. The summer comes on & still I dally. To bed late.

Monday 13<sup>th</sup>

Got away late in the morning. Spoke to young girl next door this morning a few words. She is odd looking; that is she is strange looking. She smiled sweetly. In the office where I stayed nearly all day and had nothing to do. I was given nothing. All I could do was to go to Bath. Spend my time there, reading & looking over papers. Have letters to. in desk. May have been there for many.

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>

Had to resume over coat of late owing to colder weather. I had it resting in Papa's office. Now it is handy. The weather has suddenly changed from quite warm to quite cool. Went my usual way to N. Y. & back to Bath with nothing happening in my favor. Positively bad outlook. No theatre in weeks. Yet once how or when I spend more than I should. Found Curtis about \$1 about this time. Hoped to give some money. Hurd.

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>

End of Herald week. Just one thing given me in 7 days & that only then necessity. Brought in clumsy looking & cheap umbrella from Bath as the weather looks like rain. Shall in consequence have to carry them all day. To Newark. Aunt Sue got supper of course. George to theatre. Will & I passed <sup>not very</sup> pleasant day.

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>

Played 11 games of billiards. Paid for 5. My contestants, Geo. & Will, one Henderson & a fat tall man. Did not leave Newark till 3.50 train. All the Newark folks at Aunt about Dad's factory. Bought dram. here. Made out bill for \$2.60. To Bath. There whiled away evening. No work at office. In evening.

Friday ~~RECEIVABLE~~ 17<sup>th</sup>

Allowed my heavy bill of \$2.60. An assignment to my great surprise. It is a small affair. Down for a quarter. To 69<sup>th</sup> St. got Keys from Aunt Mary. The little girls home again. Brusher & May there. To meeting of Yale Alumni. Wrote a column about it. This cut down to less than half. Started for up town late.

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup>

Auntie intends to stay where she is. She has commenced arranging her rooms. Mary & self sleep heads. Breakfasted together off tea & bread, both good. Jim De Cue turned up. Then I left. To office where got nothing for my trouble. Stayed there until after 5. Then after slight repast to Bath via N. Y. Stopped some time at Waterhouse & chatted with Louise.

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup>

Pleasant weather. Visitors Brusher Mrs. & Marie Williams & Mr. Mrs. Browne. The first stayed all night. Me then for a short time. Myself shabby. Kept out of way. To the beach. Saw there two odd sorts boys & young young. Smoked with them. Saw D. Walters. Also young Keener. Played ball with Brusher. Poker in evening. I the only loser. To bed late.

Monday 20<sup>th</sup>

To City by way of Fort Hamilton I think. Believe I got nothing so came home the same way. Believe also met Louise Walters. Not sure. Cannot remember very well what I did to day. Have letters lying in desk for a long time which I am too lazy to post. I buy the Boston Globe nearly every day & waste 5 cents each time I buy it. I like to keep trace of the Cornille Folly Company, but time for me.

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup>

Saw Louise Walters. Passed the evening with her. Had a pleasant chat. She is a simple girl yet sensible in a good many ways. Have heard no word from Miss Rebecca V. Newhead. She has not paid the least regard to my letters. To City & back. Did not care to get any thing and did not get it. Weather quite cool.

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup>

My day for visiting Newark. I did not visit however as they expect company there. The Pecknaps are down here. Very changeable weather. Had to know the day before what fine or damnable weather the next day will bring forth. Hard work to remember facts as have helped writing.