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Monday

Dear Bob,

I intended to write
you much earlier than
this but I've been going
in circles. Everybody I see
now wants to do some-
thing for me and I've
been trying to attend to
some business.

We were disappointed
and not seeing you when
you went through Louisville
will be interested in hearing
why things didn't go as you
had them planned. I saw

Charles and today I had a letter from him telling me where to get gifts for our shop. He and Rose seemed very much interested.

I have seen you as much as I have been able to walk her in. Went to the fair with you & Edna Sunday - have spent several ~~much~~ hours with her and will do it again tomorrow. Had a call from Helen Sherry today. Tomorrow Nellie is to have a birthday dinner for Laura Moore and me. Laura's is the 18th - mine the 19th and still another friend's (Mrs Betty) the 20th. I'll see the latter on that day.

I went to the claim office of the
L. M. in Louisville and heard their
report. It ~~differs~~ varies slightly
from what we already knew. I'll
tell it all just as they read it to
me when I get back. I explained
that I was there just for information
the man asked if I planned to
make a claim and I told him I
hadn't & really thought about it. He
told me they have similar cases
on an average of one a month.

The Labrys have changed
very little. They bought this new
house in May and it is lovely.
The furnishings is just about perfect.
It's more conveniently located than
their old house. Mr & Mrs Percy
Snider of Savannah (managing editor
when Bill was there) are here this
week. I've missed them but may see
her Friday. Nellie and Gene are having
dinner with them tonight.

I haven't heard from George yet but
still hope he shows up. His work at
the fair is wonderful. I called the

photographers who took the
pictures of Bill in San Francisco
and they have all the
negatives on file. They are
mailing all the proofs to
me so I'll bring them home
and if we want any they
can make them.

John Spahrman wants
to give me a job which
I will take if he'll save
it until I get home. Will
be in D.ville on census
week from Jan to Sept
which sounds alright to
me.

Am getting gifts lined

up and may need some to Martha
any day now. I explain to all of
them that I'm a dealer and they
are all nice to me. The man in
Cross Town remembered me just as
I told you he would.

I'm just rambling on and
could keep on but I'll save some
of the things. Gene Jr. is going to
mail this for me and he's about
ready to go to bed -

Love to each of you and
thanks so much for my lift
to Louisville. Edna went on
to Cincinnati and spent the two
hours with me -

Mama