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Kankakee, Ill.

Dec. 2. 1940.

Dearest Clarence

I just finished reading your letter a second time, which I received tonite.

I am glad to that you really want me to come and I will try to do my best not to disappoint you.

I told them at work today, that I was leaving. Boy, I was scared but I finally got it over with. They were very nice about it.

I am going to take the "Pacific Limited" on the Northwestern. It leaves Chicago at 11:35 Wednesday (Dec 18) morning and arrives in San Francisco at 9:30 Friday nite (Dec 20). It comes into Market Street Station at Ferry Depot. Be sure to meet me. I hope the train doesn't get snowbound, someplace out in Desert. That would take the cake.

As for Harry knowing, I am sorry to inform you that he already knows. The Erlandsons, wrote to Mrs Thayer, and of course she told Harry. So that is how it goes. I was so disappointed, that spoils half the fun.

I was home over the week end. We were all invited to Lowery's for dinner, yesterday. It was very good, and we had a very nice time.

Boy, is it every cold here. It will be about zero tonite. Gee, I hate to think of walking to work in the morning. Well, my friend I am freezing so I will have to go to bed to keep warm.

I will be at Verona, Ill from the 14th to the 18th, so in case you want to reach me at the last minute, you had better contact me there.

Goodbye now, and I hope to see you soon.

Love, Lorraine

Be sure to meet my train, or I will be in a mell of a hess. I would feel safer if you sent me Ruth's address or telephone number, so in case anything should happen, I would have someplace to call.