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Saturday night

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My dearest Sweetheart -

Well darling how do you like Wichita Falls? I sure hope you are having a better time than I am tonight. This is the first Saturday night I remember staying out here in I don't know how long, but I went to town this afternoon and thought I would go back again tonight to see Martha and Gordon, but I sure did get fooled. When I left them last night, I told them I would phone them and probably we could meet somewhere. I didn't want to phone right in the middle of the afternoon because I thought maybe they would be resting and I could just as well phone a little later. Well I went to a picture show and saw "The Woman Game". I don't know who played in it, but she was awful good looking. I got back out here just at six o'clock and went right on in to supper and as soon as I came back I phoned Ethel to find out what they were going to do. Malthair (?) answered the phone and said that Boo and Ethel had gone to take Martha and Gordon to supper. Well you could have knocked me over with a feather. He said he didn't know where they had gone and that they also said they were going riding later. Well, I at least thought they would let me know in some fashion or other or maybe come out and get me like they did last night, but no such luck. I'm simply stood up and I can't say as how I feel any to (sic) good over it either.

I'm awfully lonesome for you tonight dear and would give anything to be with you. This old moon is so pretty.

I surely was glad to come out and find two letters here from you to-day. I can't imagine how that letter got to the C. of C. The address on it was alright wasn't it. I suppose I read the wrong letter first because when you said something about catching your train, I couldn't imagine what you were talking about, and then at the end you said Wichita Falls. I sure was anxious to see what it was all about. Have they ever located that dress for you dear? I sure hope so because it sure was good looking.

No darling you just keep those pictures and give them to me sometime when I'm up there. What kind of an argument did those pictures start sweetheart? I am real anxious to know.

Gibbons said when he left here that he wouldn't be able to be in Dallas for the wedding. From here he was going to Greenville and then to some point the other side of Waco. He said he didn't know how long he would be there.

You know for the last two weeks or more I always wake up so early in the morning and I never can go to sleep again. No matter how late I go to bed. It seems like the later I go the earlier I wake up. If I go to bed early, I wake up late. Something is wrong somewhere. I am going early tonight, and then work in lab all day tomorrow. It's another Sunday and I just hate them, so as long as I can stand it I'll work on Sundays.

My but I'll be glad when Summer comes and the Sundays will belong to you and I again. That's when I love a Sunday, but without you it holds no charm.

You should see the new Easter clothes I got. Oh I have been very extravagant, invested in the sum total of a new beau tie. I am not going to buy anything until I have to, so they won't all be worn out when you come down. Don't be surprised if you get a letter where in I'll be trying to float a loan.

Well sweetheart mine, I sure hope you have a good time, but don't meet any unmarried oil magnates. Pleasant dreams dear.

I love you - with all my love.

Otto