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Dear Bettie –

I hope you didn't run into the rain we had about five - thirty – It didn't last long but it was good and wet while it did last.

It is now nine and I am in bed – There was a big black bug on my bed when I turned the sheet down and I had to kill it myself – but that wasn't

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the first time I had wished for you.

I would love to know how you are settled for the night etc. Hope you didn't find either one of the two you mentioned in your tent.

Mrs. Mize and Mary spent the evening with us. They are quite enamored of army life.

How did you like playing around with another lady to day? Did you and the jain Jean have a good time?

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Did you have a good dinner at Tanganoxie? I could see you weren't going to get out of going there first.

Lots and lots of good night kisses — I am going to read one story & hope I'll be asleep before I finish it.

Yours
Bess

Monday A.M.

It's just 7:30 and I've had breakfast! Natalie & I are going to K.C. She saw a sweater ad yesterday that intrigued her. Am busy - will write tonight. (Not ~~to~~ going to bake any cakes tho')

Loads of love
Bess

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