

August 1st /22
Lynnhall.

Dearest Edward.

I did not get my little love
note posted to you this morning, +
since I have had a most wonderful
day so I think I better tell you of it
before the joy of it fades away.

We went for an all day
picnic. The Whiteheads - ~~the~~
(Dora + Ross). Dr + Mrs Grant Campbell
The 2 Miss Bell houses - + myself.
We drove away up the shore road
to a place called Rorities point:
this is a thickly wooded point
with a fine sandy beach -
We all got ready for a swim
+ such lovely little dressing
rooms we had. Natural ones
made by fir trees + the most
wonderfully soft mossy ground

any amount of dear little
private rooms with the softest
moss floors - ! and the sun came
dancing through the trees and helped
to dry us ~~me~~ - We had a
lovely swim - but a jelly fish
got me across the arm. and
how they sting. they have spoiled
all my swimming this summer -

We had a most sumptuous
dinner a real picnic under
the trees. stuffed eggs. ham sandw.
apple pie cake etc. really
most excellent. After dinner
Some of us walked & some
rested. Don & I walked & after
tried to rest but Ross her husband
took a head long hurdle over
the 2 of us while we were lying
on our backs - which gave us
a scare he then came & shot
stones at us etc. he is most

entertaining + never lets up with
pranks + nonsense for one minute.
He found an old sailors hat on the
shore. This he donned & with a
large pair of goggles he capered
to ~~and~~ and for till we were all
nearly in hysterics — ^{This place was about} 25 miles further.

We left this place at about
4 o'clock & came back towards
home about 10 miles & camped
on another point where we had
not tea. Mr Whitehead proceeded
to entertain us again — really
I have not laughed so hard for
months. I'm afraid all the
jokes were not strictly without
vulgarity —

The moon is lovely. I do wish
you were here — it seems the
best part of the summer — all
the husbands seem to be here at
least the nice ones.

4.
Mrs Brown + Mr Jones have
just come for he to go to the
dayce will finish later.

Gay party dancing + then
bon fire on the beach - with
supper of cheese biscuits
+ coffee - very late getting
home - sleepy this morning -
will close on as nurse
is waiting for me to take them
up to dinner.

Much love
darling.
yours Lois.

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