

Friday nite  
[September 10, 1943]

Dear Lu,

I've started school!  
Ogh! Bah! Humbug! All  
my teachers except one  
~~is~~ ~~a~~ women, and  
all except two are  
new to A. 2. Up to  
date all we have been  
doing is making  
schedules, changing them,  
and changing them  
back again. Of course  
we had the grand  
opening assembly where  
Mr. Dowle told us all  
not to chew gum, not  
to run in the halls and  
to mind your mommy!

Lu, please send me  
another insignias,  
I promise.



It sure was a shindig.  
On 198<sup>th</sup> marched and the  
Aberdeen band played.  
After the parade there  
were speeches, which no  
one listened to, so we  
all went and got cokes.  
15,000 people watched and  
over 1,000 marched in  
the parade.

Shirley and Ben are  
out doing the tours again  
tonight. Mom and I  
are sitting home sewing.

Walt's birthday is on  
Tuesday. Will be better.  
Yip-ee! Now we can  
duck the curfew. He also  
starts school then. What

My schedule is: Gym,  
English, History, Music,  
Plane Geometry and  
French. When? Missie is  
taking the same, except  
with Physics.

Sports have not been  
decided at A. S. yet.  
Brown has scheduled  
seven games and A. S.  
and High School are  
having teams. I'm  
not sure about Conrad.  
Walt comes back  
from football camp  
tomorrow.

Last night Sis and  
I marched in the Third  
War Loan parade in  
full A. W. V. I. uniform.



an occasion.

Peter Dunlap, Jones' big  
bro, is home after a  
trip to Alaska and the  
Elihuans. He is with the  
Army Air Corps Ground  
Crew, and very tall and  
well built. Jane is in  
Connecticut with Meredith.  
She is coming home  
soon.

Well, I suppose I better  
stop.

Lots of love,

Bernice

P.S. I snitched some of  
Shummy's paper. Don't  
tell her, please!

B. M.

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