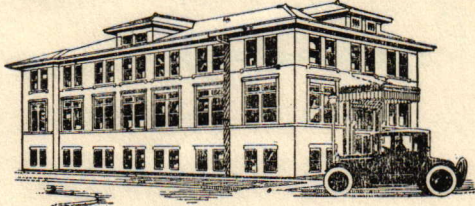


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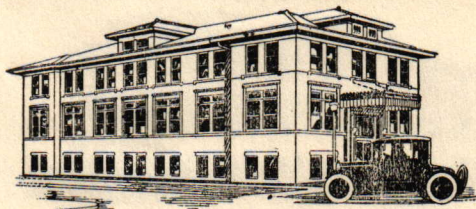
Dearest little girl,

I am one day late with this letter, but not because I intended to be late, as forgot to write.

I wrote you from Sylvia last Wednesday & wrote to you sitting in the Station waiting on a train. I got into Hutchinson that night O. K. Thursday & Friday I worked Hutchinson. Saturday I went to Haven & finished up & then telegraphed Hoffmaster, who is the man who has been working South east Kan, to meet me in Wichita Saturday night. I went on to Wichita & he met me there & we hunted up Kenzel who is working Wichita for me. I

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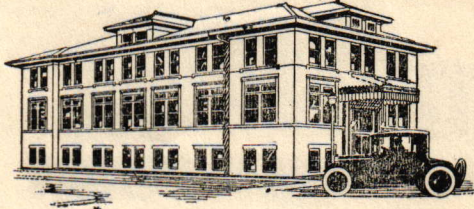
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was anxious to get all three of us together & make the final arrangements for completing the State. We went out to a show Sat. night & then talked in the Hotel until One A.M. Sunday we looked the town over and talked all day. I couldn't sneak away a minute to write you and when I arrived here last night it was late & I was tired and I just crawled in and went to sleep.

Have been over in the telephone office all morning putting in long distance calls. Will take the interurban to Burton after awhile & change for Buhler. I hope to get back to Hutchinson to-morrow. I haven't finished

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that town yet.

Am expecting the man at  
Wichita to finish this week &  
Haffman's will finish July 11<sup>th</sup>.

I hope to leave Hutchinson.

July 6<sup>th</sup>. & got to Pratt.

July 8<sup>th</sup> " Greensburg.

" 9<sup>th</sup> " Bushlini

" 10<sup>th</sup> " Meade

" 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> " Liberal where I

will complete the State. Unless  
I get orders to go to some other  
district I will go to Colo. Springs

July 13 - Pikes Peak 14<sup>th</sup> Denver,  
15<sup>th</sup>, Cheyenne 16<sup>th</sup> & start home

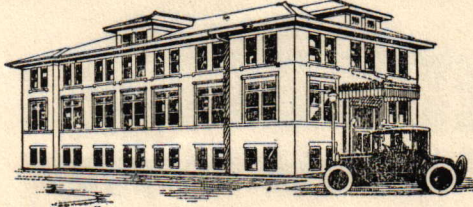
on the 16<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup> & should be there

July 20<sup>th</sup>. Just two weeks more.

Please don't count on my  
being here according to this

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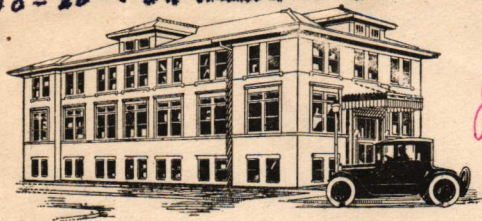
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schedule, too much, because the chances are pretty strong, that I may be sent to another State. Believe me tho I am counting the days until I can start east again.

Write me next at Meade Kansas. Must stop now & write Mother.

All my love to your dearest,  
Craig

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