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## 1937-07-19, Evabel to Jack

Evabel Bell

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NOTIFY  
YOUR  
CORRESPONDENTS  
OF CHANGE  
OF ADDRESS



Mr. Jack Bell  
51 Groveland St  
Oberlin  
O.

E. S.  
1239 Lenwood Ave.  
Detroit, Mich

Dearest,

Well here I am at last answering you. Well today I was out job hunting to-day (smat ik?) but nothing doing, this is a very dull season right now for jobs. But I imagine in a month or so they will start hiring.

No, honey, I haven't cut my hair yet. I think I'm going to change my mind and not cut my hair at all.

So you & some girl were discussing your love affairs. Well you can never tell, misery loves company ~~for~~ but you can't tell sometimes misery falls in love with its company.

I had a date last night with that fellow again and I have a date with Barney's brother. Letting to be quite a steppa aren't I? you don't care though do you honey?

that right when they say God punishes  
all sinners. He sure was no good.  
But of course I shouldn't talk like  
that about some one that is dead.

Downtown to-day we saw a girl  
fall right down in the street she  
didn't faint. It looked to me like she  
didn't have any thing to eat. and was  
weak and couldn't take it any longer.  
Boy I sure felt sorry for her.

Gosh something happened to  
my watch and trans cockeyd.

It would cost me about \$3.50 to  
fix it up but I haven't got no money  
so I am just out of luck.

Where did you get your smaggy  
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bought some.

Well honey, nothing more to say  
so I shall conclude the story with  
so long until —

P.S. Loads & loads of kisses  
Evelyn sweet,  
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Do you mean to tell me you got  
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brother now I know it's gone to your  
head.

my brother Jim doesn't ever write  
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To see if he is home.

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When do you think your cousin  
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It's just as much yours as it is mine.

Gosh that sure was a surprise  
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A. Kiss to the sweetest  
Boy in the world.

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[[written upside down on back of letter (would appear right side up when folded):]]

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