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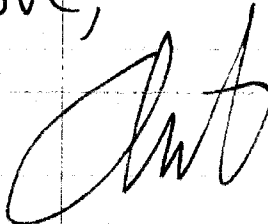
Dear Floyd and Nellie,

You may not get this until you get back from the east, as I remember, you should be gone by now. I just wanted to thank you again so much for your hospitality. You practically saved the life of a tired, broke, bewildered, travel-weary student missionary! The restful sabbath, interesting things to see, and everything was really fine. My trip on north with Dana, Duane and David was very enjoyable, they deposited me on the doorstep of the bus depot in Portland - only a few hours from a most joyful reunion with the most beautiful girl in the world, Ronda Rose. I drove on home from Walla Walla, and then came on out to Ekalaka which I consider ~~to~~ to be the prettiest town in eastern montana. Have you ever been to Ekalaka Floyd? It is beautiful country here.. Medicine Rocks state park, and much more. I am working for Joe Barrow who is a beekeeper. The work is enjoyable and Barrows are wonderful people to work for. We are in the middle of honey harvest right now. Today we brought in 9000 pounds of honey from 4 different yards. I am very grateful and indebted to you people, and I thought I could at least pay my telephone bill.

To College Place - my sweetheart	525-1826	7 min.	July 20
To College Place	525-1826	9 min	July 21
To Eugene			July 22
College call from San Fransisco.			July 20

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Thank-you so much!
I hope all is well with you!

Love,


P.S. Here is a copy of a letter I sent
my folks explaining my engagement—