Dear Friend: -

I expect it is my time to write as it always is. I only have about ten more to answer when I get around to it. Gee but I'm busy now & tomorrow will be exams for the first Semester Subjects and as luck would have it Im exempt from both Eng., Hist & Sociology.

We have started our Basket Ball at last & last night we played the town girls & beat them by a score of 29 to 5. Going some "vot". I play forward & Bertha centers & sometimes forward. I am captain of the H. S. team again this year. We are also doing gym work now and I'll tell you its just lots of fun. we are getting to be real sports. Oh yes, Mamie Stricker plays on the town team now & she certainly is a good player.

We received a letter from Paul several weeks ago he is somewhere in France. he didn't write very much because they are not allowed to We have a late snapshot picture of him it sure is good he is getting to be some kid & real nice looking too (as if that were possible in our family) hair & face.

I don't feel anymore like writing this evening than I would to walk to Genesee & talk to you personally. I have three pages of German to translate & have to look up every word so you can imagine how fast that goes & I also the darndest bunch of Physics problems to work you ever saw or was Physics easy for you.

Gee I won't know how to act next May I suppose you know I am going to graduate this year with $17 \frac{1}{2}$ credits. that is if I get them all & am doing this in 3 years. With that & Literary & Basket ball & work at home my time is all taken.

How is Viola? Is she still going to school & in what grade is she? Tell her "hello" for me & that I wish her luck if she is taking <u>Physics</u> for it is my hardest subject.

We are going to have a Home Talent play here tomorrow night & several of us girls have to sing some <u>"The Hell mit the Kaiser"</u> songs. We will give our H.S. play Feb 1. We gave it as Keuterville & Ferdinand already. Well Im running short on space so goodby till next time.

<u>Carrie</u>

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