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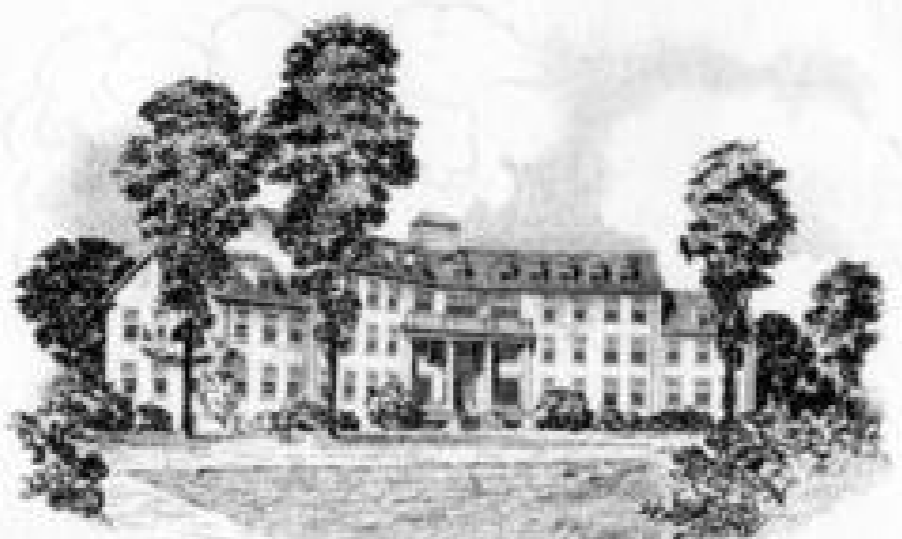
Dear Bess:

Well it was very good to talk with you this morning. Roy & I went to breakfast immediately afterwards, looked over the hanger across the road, took a walk toward Columbia and then he left for Springfield. I've had lunch and a nap and have been reading last night's Star and Journal along with today's Post-Dispatch and Globe Democrat.

It's funny how things change around in 13 months. I'm on the front pages of the N.C. Star, St. Louis Star-Times and N.C. Journal for yesterday and am on the front page of the Post-Dispatch Editorial.

section for today and mentioned in
about three or four other places in the
other parts of the paper and the globe.

Had a nice visit with the family and
with mamma and Mary. Went over to see
Aunt Ella and Nellie & Ethel. Do you
know that they have never been to see
mamma since she was hurt? I
don't understand it. I've saved their
jobs and their location on two speci-
fic occasions and I'd do it again
but I think they should at least have
shown some personal interest in
the old lady I'm most interested in,
don't you? Your mother looks fine
and so do they all. I saw everybody
but didn't get to call Mrs. Jontzen be-
cause I got your letter from Hyde as
I left town and was half way to
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to call her. Frank said that Albert
is going to stay in the Ott house. He was
having dinner with Frank & Nat the evening
I had dinner with your mother.

I am just about to go back to
bed again and get more sleep.
That ought to put me in condition
to meet the situation from noon
tomorrow until Tuesday mid-
night. Hope you & Margie enjoyed the
day. Kiss her for me. Love to you
Harry.