

University Registry, Oxford

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Dearest All, (to family)

Today is just about the slackest one I have met so far, and already, at 11:30 I have run out of all work. Miss Shearer has been sending me over to the Indian Institute to find out where various people were for future reference - that's how little there is to do...

Thanks for your letter Mummy, and will you thank Olly for her super post card when she get back. I'm glad they are having a nice time, but do tell me what she said when she discovered she had to sleep miles away through a wilderness of gorse and bracken. Also I want to know the result of Jif-scholl certificate if you can make out the meaning of Scholl.

When I next come home I have got an Adventure to relate. Now I have tantalised you havn't I? But it is much too long to write decently in a letter that wasn't a miniature novelette, and even though we are slack, I still havn't got time for a work of that sort. At any moment I feel sure I shall receive a great pile of letters to be re-done from the Registrar...

Do take good care of my poor darling little Black Fellow, won't you? And Judy is to go on taking him out when she gets back.

Tons of love,

Your distant Jane, age 20