

Georgetown Idaho.
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Mein lieber Schatzli,

(you said once you did not care if I said that)

There is a new word for you to learn.

(Schatzli) I couldn't remember it for the longest time, but it came like a shot this morning.

I shamed today and that could be a good reason for an appropriate word to come to me.

You see I had not shamed for a week.

Well, you should have seen me. I looked like a porcupine. I've been weeding garden and hoeing again today, and believe me its plenty hot. We have almost as hot weather here as they do in Salt Lake, during the day, but thank the lucky stars it cools off in the evening.

I couldn't ~~to~~ get all of the french in the last two letters, but I will before long. Also I want to ask what you meant when you said "Noth kennt kein gebot" Oh! I see now I've written in down, only it seems that I can't quite make out the Noth. It means some sort of extremes knows no law. The other expression you used meant. To me it is all the same (mir ist alles unerle)

So you don't give a 'hoot' whether your letters are interesting or not. Is that what you mean? Gee! they are always interesting to me, but I hope that you cared whether they were or not. You surely are funny sometimes. You change so quickly. Did you know that it has been found that Carbonic acid has been found to be mostly a bluff anyways its not really as effective as once thought. OH! Well! 'doh de doh' It looks like I have to toughen myself and not let things worry me.

Say, about the snaps. They should be here any day and then as soon as possible I'll send them to you. I hope that is soon.

The dance that was scheduled for tomorrow evening has been postponed until Tuesday. I wish they would make up their minds. I am pretty stiff now though, and a few days to loosen up a bit will help. I don't know what I'll loosen up for though. It seems that I'm not so crazy about the idea as at first.

Say, in those crazy dreams you have where I'm around some other woman, all you had better do is to remember that dreams go in opposites. That would make things much nicer for me.

You must not get any dream ideas of me
running ~~around~~ around with someone else's
wife. When I take a girl out I hope that
she does not foul me by making me believe
things that she has already told someone else.
I guess I'm funny that way. If you
want to get rid of me, just get married,
divorce your husband and come around I'll
probably say "Yes dear I love you more
than ever" (like heck I will) I wouldn't
say it anyway.

Now I think I'll sign my name

Pure Concentrated Sulfuric Acid Clark

Now forget all that, I guess I'm just a little
piqued at the way you ended your letter.
The beginning was so good and the end
so — so. Not at all like the old German
Proverb "Wie die Anfang so die Ende"
(How the beginning so is the end)

I guess the beginning was too good so the
end had to compensate.

Anyway, I guess such things are the
spice of life. Keep it up, just so there is
compensation as much one way as the other.

It's funny how a fellow reads things
into letters. When I sat down to write
your letter seemed the best ever and the

more I read it the more I read into it I guess
I had better put it away and read it again when
~~in~~ better humor.

I wish I could see you tonight and talk to you.
I've so much to say that will seem funny on paper.
I'm afraid I'm a pretty poor correspondent and
you might read things into it also. Then let's
hope that I'll get better in my writing, because
I guess it's improbable that I'll see you soon.
Oh. Dat. Now here I am getting blue etc.
I'll cut this rotten letter short and
hope that the next one is very much better.

I really miss you alot 'Dorcy'

Auf wieder schin to the sweetest
girl in the whole world

Respectantly

Ellsworth.

P.S. Don't worry about the 'can de vil' and the
contemporaries. I have promised.

⊗ (not habitual)

believe as you will about the sentiment
you know me better than most
people I believe

That last letter is a laugh for get it I'll try to not be
so confounded morbid and serious another time. Just a
passing mood.

Lots of laughs and love,

Ellsworth.

What you are saying is all right
I will do what I can to make it

Why do I always seal my letters
& then them to poke a hole in?

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