

Haugesund June 11.

Dear folks at home:

Here we are on our way to Oslo. Arrived here by boat, ^{Fjordbot} about 2:30 P.M. Mr. & Mrs. Gjerdal are with us. We are going by sunshine bus over land to Oslo & on to Trondheim by train and by boat back to Stavanger. Gjerdals are staying in Oslo until on in July so we won't be seeing them after we leave there. We have a very nice room here on Kong Harald hotel. Pa & Gjerdal were out to see the Statue of Harold ^{king} Harfager here while Mrs & I were window shopping. Everything is so

expensive. I got 2 films
and paid over 5 crowns
so you see we have taken
quite a few pictures.

We were back to Karmøy
last week from Monday to
Sat. Saw Grandpa F. Had
dinner at Olaf's and went
from there to Haugen &
Took some pictures. Heard
that George Olson was married.
It was nice to see all the
cousins again. I just love
the water, we were out in
Tobias' boat. Went to the
light house called Jettungen
by boat from Sjøe. We went
back to Stanger by Kopperik
as it was rather rough
sea and they would not let
us go by Kvitøy I don't mind
the rough sea and look
forward to our boat ride
home. Aunt Olga and

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Ann Carrine are leaving
N. Y. to-day on Queen E. and
we plan to be back to meet
them in Strog. We were
sorry to hear about Mr. Hazen
passing, it was so near home
Please give Mrs. Hazen & family
our sincere sympathy.
We came back from a funeral
of Mrs. Bertha Tarperson
Bennie Hollands Aunt where
we got the letter. Also saw
Strog. fjord with the Mpls.
Choir and heard them ^{sing}
Got a letter from Jennie &
& from Eunice many thanks
It was nice to see (Isted) Motors
Pa was pretty proud we also
enjoyed the pictures of Alice
she looks so cute, we were

proud to pass it around.
we had a lovely rain &
everything looks nice & green.
It was badly needed all over.
Glad to hear things are going
good at home, hope it warms
up so things will get a
chance to grow. May was
lovely here but after the
rain it has been much
cooler, but we hope for
nice weather to cross the
Mts. we leave at 6 AM.
So will sign off for to-
night and write from
Oslo. We are just fine.
Pa & I. Mrs Gjerdal is a
bit home sick and hopes
they will be able to go
home before Nov. We enjoy
their company. Love Mom & Dad

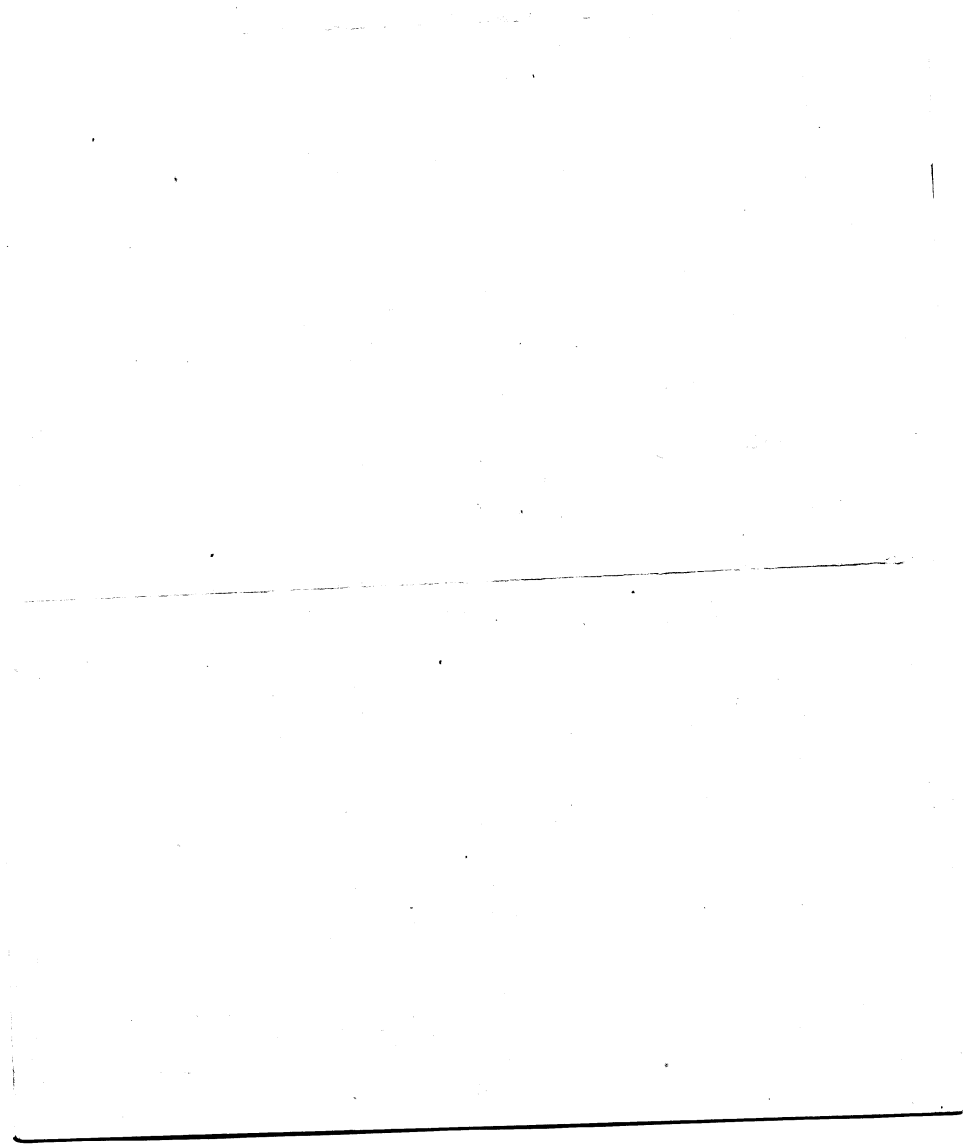
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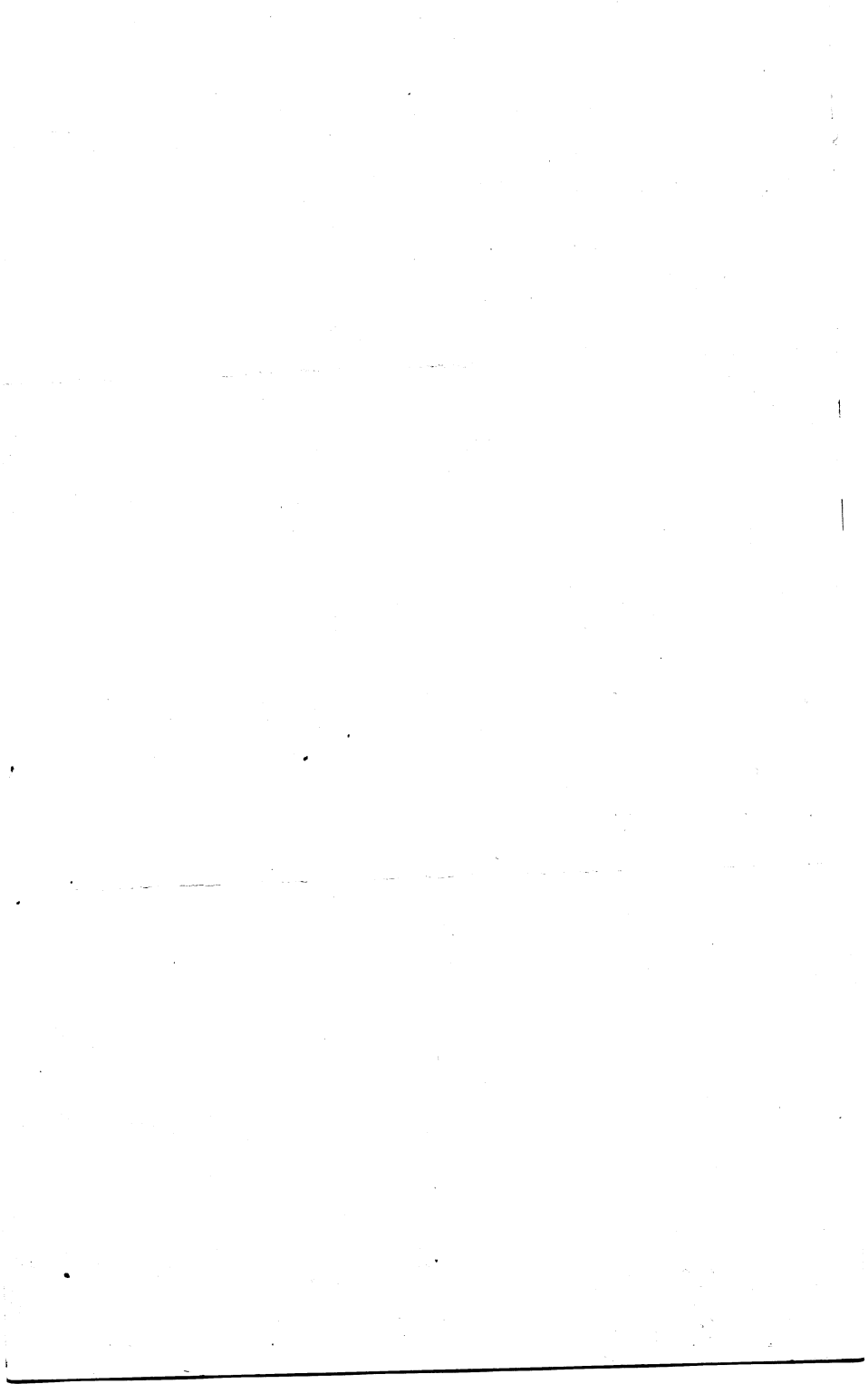
Dear folks at home:

We had a wonderful trip from Montreal, The Catskill Mts, Champlain lake Hudson River. we also saw beautiful trees all the way. The scenery changing all the time.

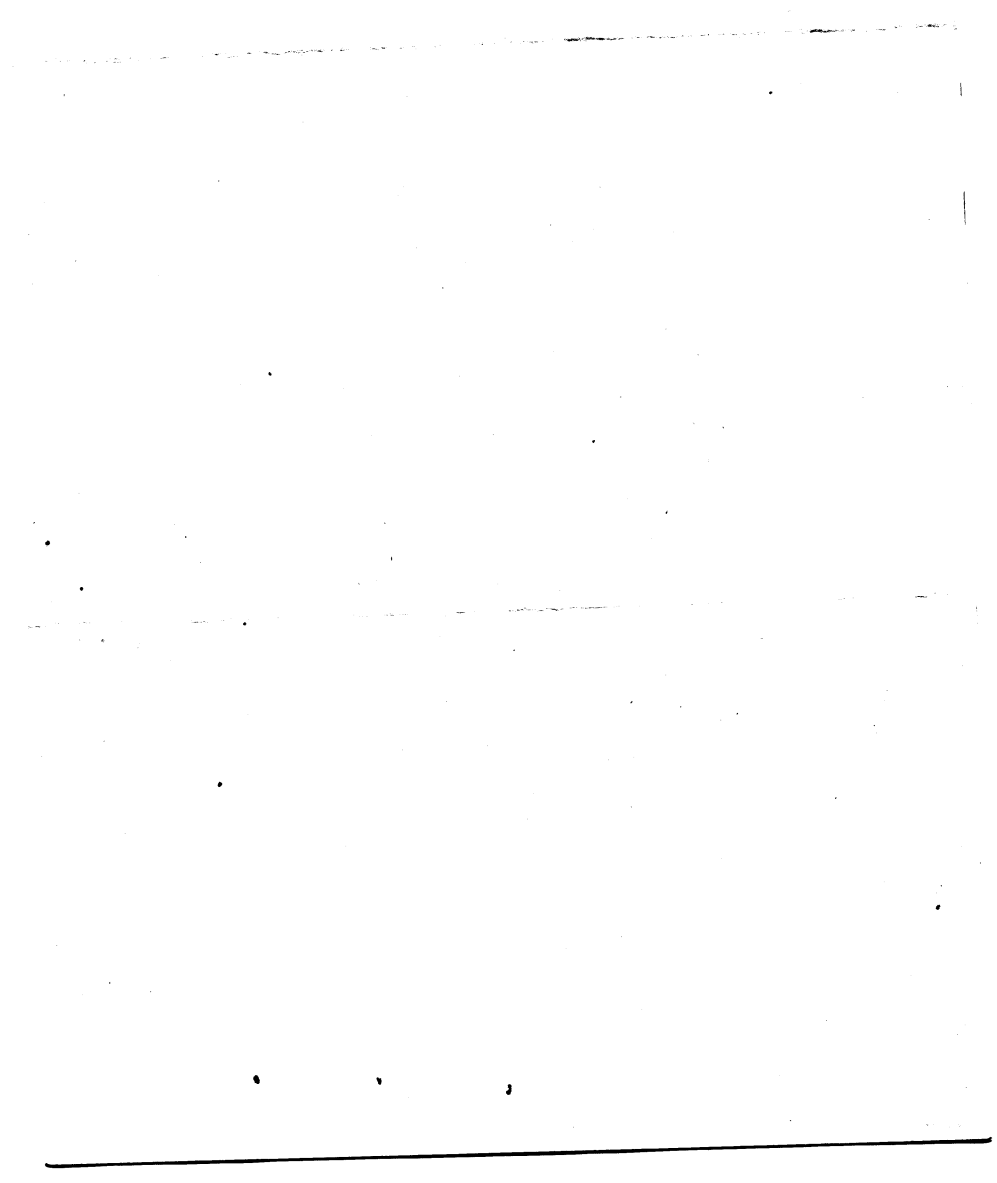
We have had a grand time to day. Went to Radio City or Rockefeller center on a guided tour. Landed on the balcony where we over looked a large part of the city from all directions. we have tickets for the E. State Bldg too but we were too tired



Will care² them for coming home. We were not at all scared and the elevators (the fastest in the world) did not effect us in the least. We walked from here & back so we could see and we did want to be out on our own, we did not have any trouble either way. It was fun to watch the lights & one and move with the mob. If we had been younger the evening of course would be the nicest, but we have been down in the lobby ever since we had our supper. It is such a huge place and looks pretty all lit up. The dressy up darkies strutting around



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look very smart. We bought
2 white shirts 1 for Pa & one for
uncle Alfred I got a few Easter
cards, sent one to Evelyn
and to my folks & Nettie my
secret friend, she will of course
guess. We left the Gerdals
in Montreal and they were
not so sure if they would
come before to-morrow
morning just in time for
the boat. If we'll enjoy
the rest of our trip like we
have we will be sure to
have a wonderful trip.
It has taken us some
money but if we should
just stay in our rooms
we would not see anything
and this is just as much
the trip as going to Norway.



I have worn my suit &
both here & in Montreal.

I looked a little far some-
thing for your birthday
jennie but Pa is not
much for going in
shops so I'll just wait
until we get to Norway
and we'll try to bring
you all something.

The weather is nice here
the snow stayed by us
until we were about
2 hrs. from N.Y. The East-
ern Canada has a lot-
of snow Montreal was
much colder than Moose
Jaw. Well tomorrow
this time we should be
on the boat on our way.
Hope we will like it as ^{trav.}

Mrs. Gjerdal said George
would be home soon
so I have int written to
him. Wasnt so sure of
his add. either. Wonder
~~if the snow has started~~
to thaw and how you
all are. So far we have
been too selfish to think
of the farm. But we
have no worries as far
as our family is concerned
It would have been fun
to be able to share it though
Wonder if Eunice is home
with you Budrum? and
if Norman has moved.
To Morrow is the day!!
Good night and God bless you
Love Mother & Dad.
