

Sept 23 Thursday
Eggs University St.
Montreal

Dear Edward

I don't think it is a bit nice waiting a whole week to hear from you, it seemed such a long time that I began to be afraid that you had forgotten me altogether -

So glad that you have got a boarding house for I do you expected to say now didnt you 'cutie pie' -

On Tuesday we all went up to the mountain to get leaves to decorate the house I wish you could have seen us, we got great masses of scarlet Virginia creepers and wore them around as like capes we looked too funny for words quite like moving forests -



Poor old Bernie did not like his job we made him carry a whole tree full of thorns. →

(please do excuse my rough illustrations but I can explain better that way than in words) —

Clare and I decorated the drawing room. Every body said it looked lovely. Here again I will have to draw you a sketch
← light.

Creepers trailed across the room



at the back
Sumack trees
+ vines also
beautiful red
bushy things

← piano furniture
+ asteris on top of it.

Bride →

← groom

(This is decidedly missionary but
cheer up Edward! ~~my~~ ~~the~~)

Ruth looked perfectly beautiful and so happy - her eyes were just sparkling like diamonds. Ascent it mean of me? just as she was coming down stairs I got the biggest bowl of cornetti that I could find, and gave her the whole thing right in the face the poor dear did not know what she was up against -

~~That~~ Here is something else crazy that I did - At the beginning of the show Prof. Penhallon came in to the room he had one of these dark grey frock coats on, I thought it was his over coat! and so naturally said 'would you go up stairs + take your coat off?' And then I saw what a mistake I had made. We were both so embarrassed! - ' - ' - ' -

This is also crazy Dr. Owens threw a great handful of cornetti at Dr. Peterson, and

then jumped behind me, you can
imagine what followed. —

Warent it fun every body sang
"for they are jolly good fellows" for
Ruth & Ted -

I am sure you will realize
as I do that this is a most
disjointed account of the wedding
but I have not got over my
excitement yet - last night I
could not sleep a wink what with
excitement fatigue etc.

Oh Edward at last I can
tell you that Con is engaged & mind
they are giving it out today - Con
has gone to get the ring this morning
exciting eh! — Of course you
knew long ago for it is not a
very new story -

Con said to tell you that you
are a lobster why I dont know.

The spoms you sent are perfectly adorable - just the kind Ruth likes - Her present list is up to about 150 now, her checks amount to about \$200 - not so bad.

Somebody told Sir William McDonald that the new Engineering building was so fire proof that they believed no students with wooden legs were to be admitted, also that some of the block-heads on the staff were to be requested to make their exit - I think this ~~is~~ is quite good don't you? -

I am going to send you some wedding cake for you to dream on - don't you dare dream of the wrong one -

Please Edward do come home as soon as you can it is no fun here with out you. If you can put this ^(xxx's) in your letter so can I. x.

24 in 4
6 in 1 1/2
132 in 2

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(Lady Dawson)

Poor Grandmama is very ill, she was not able to come to the wedding yesterday - The doctors came this morning they seem to think there is very little chance of recovery. but they say that we will just have to wait because she has such wonderful vitality - It is very hard for mother -

The very end of your last letter amused me greatly. You certainly were a copy book. Tell your relations to be nice to you & to give you good suppers on Sunday.

Ruth loved your note, she thought it was so sweet of you to think of her -

Will lots & lots of my very bestest love - don't forget to write, do draw me some sections of rails or whatever you call them - I remain what I am always
Loving -

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to show destination
pertaining

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