

with you & have
some hours of liberty
But - I am breaking
my rule - for I want
to be out of doors at the
time, & in the evening
we are both to sleep
that after the supper

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THE OAKLAND HEIGHTS
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there does not
seem much
time before bed
I shall have I am going
to go to see
cathedral school &
the market & get
a pair of shoes
if each may be found for
between the school & the
hill sides, mine are
credit to the family -
hope to get father to go
for a ride while I am
at camp. If it is
fine we can drive a week
afternoon

ful little card
appreciate letters,
We have been having a perfectly
delightful week - Monday we went
for a long drive - over the Summit road
Tues - we drove out to the Vanderbilt
mansion wh. is like Aladdin's palace
only it has taken somewhat longer to
build - in the afternoon we went for
a long walk over the top of Beacon
Mt. Wed we walked out to Sulphur
Springs I came back in the cars
& after dinner father went to town
& I took a little sketch - Today
we drove to a place called Gold
View - the view was wonderful &
panoramic, but not so picturesque

but I saw more of the people & the wretched state of the Guacantean dwellings & dwellers in them. We put a man on horse back with 3 big covered waggons, one drawn by two mules & two by 4 - with a man riding postilion fashion & cracking a whip like a coachman so they had come nearly 40 miles camping out in their waggons to bring down tobacco to town & take back supplies. They wear such old-fashioned clothes & wide awn hats & looked like African boers - nearly all the women take snuff even the girls at the mission school are so fond of it, that they hide it away. for it is against the rules - We went for a walk after dinner. Father is quite well again. I enjoy this beautiful country exceedingly. It was a pity he lost, so much time, for now the holiday is nearly over. I am sorry for Muriel. it does seem hard, but perhaps she will be allowed to come round.