Virginia

The food for meals is planned and selected by the camp dictitian and we have well balanced meals, good food, and plenty of it. Breakfast is eaten soon after rising and personal inspection, and the girls find that sleeping in the fresh air has given them a hearty appetite even for breakfast. The inspection that I just mentioned, takes place as soon as the girls are dressed and have washed. They must have their teeth clean, their hair combed and brushed, their hands and face clean - in other words - ready to start the day off right. The bugle for taps blows at nine and the rising bugle at seven - so you see each girl is in bed to hear taps, and up before reveille has ended. The girls have little opportunity to become over-fatigued, because of the spacing of their very active periods with the more quiet ones. In the afternoon, right after lunch, we have rest hour, during which the younger girls must sleep, and the older girls may read or write letters in their cabins. I should like to ask this one thing of all the parents, that they do not send candy or pastries to the campers. We have open candy store three times a week, just after the noon meal, and we think the girls have adequate chance to fill a longing for sweets at this time.

Joie L.S. Mr. Grant and I have spent quite a bit of money this winter, giving Nancy music and dancing lessons. I hope the talent that she has developed will not be lost during the summer, because it will be hard to start all over again next fall.

Virginia Margaret can tell you just what we do offer along those lines and I'm sure you will be satisfied after hearing her.

Margaret

Each of the counsellors are here, not only because of general ability in camping, but because we have special interests and abilities.

Jane, has had much experience with dancing, folk, modern, and tap and has many plans for the summer program. Elizabeth, majored in dramatics at college, and she will have much to do with our plays, our puppet shows, and pageants. Marion here professes an ability to sing, which we cannot see, but we do know how well she does in teaching others. She supervises singing at meals, all musical talent shows, and has charge of the Sunday choir. These girls are examples of the specialists we have in camp.

Mrs. Grant

That is fine. Another thing, Mr. Grant and I have talked about is, since this is our first experience with camps, what experiences will Nancy have at camp that she could not have on a two week family vacation trip - for instance?

Maragret

She will have an opportunity to meet girls of her own age from many different types of homes. Miss Anderson has interviewed the parents of every girl, looked up her school record, and found out something about the girls character. We have a group of girls, whose parents are every bit as anxious as you that their daughters should learn how to live with others, share their fun, and work together. Each girl has certain duties, such as kitchen police, making her bed, and doing her part to keep the cabin clean. It is all done in groups so these rather hum drum tasks are really fun.