

1717 N. Blackstone St.
Jackson, Michigan
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Mr. H. C. Simons
Lawrence, Kansas
Dear Cousin:

I have been thinking during this awful heat that I wish I were able to accept your invitation to spend a few days or longer at your summer home in Minnesota. As that's impossible I am happy in knowing you are there.

You, you can fish every day. Hillard and Betty went fishing two mornings of the holiday week end catching a good amount each time - one morning they gave the entire catch to us if Eugene would dress them! Hillard likes the catching and the eating but shys away from the dressing when possible. The fish were delicious so much sweeter than "store" fish.

Today there is a slight break in our 100° temperature - though hot