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Dear Mr. Simons:

Each day, since we've been away from Lawrence, we've vowed to write you. Being too busy sounds trite but it's the truth in our case. We've painted and carpentered and <sup>stopped</sup> hardly for food during the working day. My dad-in-law thinks I'm quite the handy man.

We spent three days last week on a trip to Weatherford, Oklahoma. I was called <sup>there</sup> for an interview at Southwest State College. I'd never heard of the place. The town has 3,500 population and the school has 1,200 students. The President of the College, R. S. Burton, told me that Dr. Hall had recommended me very highly, and if other investigations turned out o.k., to consider myself hired. We think I have the job, but ~~don't~~ <sup>won't</sup> count our chickens just yet.

We've been wondering where we've been cooking that 3 minute egg for you and