

6/17/20 Rochester Minn.

Dear Bertha & Carlyle: No

doubt you will be guessing why your dad is writing so often, but I had wanted to visit the folks at Diboll and Lufkin before returning to work, but had made up my mind that I would stay here till I would only have time to get home for the reunion. To day a letter came from Maria along with yours and then as she urged so

strangely I made up my
mind to go by there.

Will leave here Saturday
night getting to Luffkin
about Monday, will have
some two or three days there
and we will all go down
home together.

You and Carlyle must
try to come if you are
well if not you had
better stay at home for you
know how rough the roads
are out home. It might
cause you lots of trouble

I am so anxious to get
to see you and your husband,
and, too get back to work.
I have gotten much
good out of my work, and
feel that I am able to be
back on the job.

Now Bertha I love your
letters so much and
would, love so much
better to see you and
Carlyle soon but don't
you come unless you
are well. Lots of love
and kisses Your dad.