

My dear William Boy-

Do you suppose you could help me out on a financial difficulty of mine? I have just received a telegram from Pres. Kroeger of Whitworth College at Tallahassee that I am elected to the position of Deane there. The salary is about \$1,000.00 and I shall owe Mr. McKay \$50.00 immediately or have to give him a note at 6% interest. Could you lend me \$50.00? I'd be more than glad to pay you the interest if you want it, but anyway, I'd be under everlasting obligations to you. I'd like to borrow it, with the understanding that I will return it after I get my first month's salary, but if you can't lend it for that long, I'd borrow from Dr. Bradley and pay you back. Can you lend it to me?

And will you kindly tell me by return  
mail & if you have the money, enclose it  
otherwise tell me you can't and I'll try  
to make other arrangements. I like  
to make you answer immediately,  
but it would do you much help unless  
you did.

I'm awfully busy today & so can't write  
more now.

Hoping to hear from you as soon as  
possible -

Lovingly  
Your sister

Mary

130 Howard Street, New Haven Conn.

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