

Aug. 11 - 1933,

Omaha Neb.

My darlings: —

We are here waiting for our moving orders. Papa + I were walking around, + we heard the news that Omaha was expecting Gen. Miles, and the regulars uniformed and the band were all here to meet him so mama hurried to meet him but got left. We saw two regular cowboys on horseback bootéd + spurred, Aug. 12) We watched the sun set on the prairie last evening. This morn we woke up in Colorado, + a rain storm

but it has cleared off
and we are passing
through the plains.
part of it very desolate
just now through wheat
fields irrigated, we are
passing little adobe
houses here and there
on tree claims, with
four windows. We see
cattle galore, little
prairie dog's cities,
Umma wants you to keep
her letters for her when she
gets home, early this
morning we passed through
Julesberg made famous
by Mark Twain. We

Be good boys, Mama
thinks of the story we read
"The Witch rider". I am
going to send you a flower
picked in Colorado.

Papa says have all the
fun you can only be
careful. We will soon be
at Denver. God bless you
and keep you. Don't neglect
your Bibles.

With much love.

Papa + Mama.

P. S.

Our train has 10 coaches.
our car has banners
on both sides.

Dept Michigan G. & R.
Headquarters.