

Frank went and he
said they had a
very pleasant time
I'd digl not inside
any boys but drank
a bit of for more
of the boys from
the school camp of
to drink them.
The girls came out
and after a little
supper they went
in, and they stayed
and stayed still nearly
one o'clock. We were
all surprised that
you complimented so
much of the heat in
your last letter. We
supposed you liked
them more than we do.

Thursday, and I suppose I must try
and write a few lines. We are full
of business here. Emma G. and Ben
are moving to day and I am cooking
for all, and trying to get ready for
painting inside. The chimney was
finished yesterday and Mr Woodward
commenced painting on the outside
Saturday morning. The roof is slate
color and the rest of the house
will be about the same as before.
Mr W - thinks I would like the
inside grained in oak better than
walnut, but I think I shall stick to
the walnut. We are going to have the
parlor, sitting room and bedroom

your mother E. M. Woodward

papered. Emma g. says tell you she wishes you were here so she could give you a job. They have got the carpets down and it is going to look real nice over there. Aunt has just sent a note over to me asking me to tell you not to go to the City Saturday but wait till Sunday as they intend to go down then if nothing happens. I don't know whether it would be a good plan or not. You can do as you like. You did not say whether you received the money order I sent but I suppose you did. Nell was 18 Tuesday she got a watch with a diamond in the case and had a party in the evening. She came over a few days before and wanted me to write and tell you that she would like to have you come. I told her I would tell you when I wrote and that you could consider that you had been invited, but of course you could not come.

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