New Germany, N. S.,
June 25, 1908.

Dear Mother:-

Your kind and interesting letter was received last evening and read with pleasure. As I will be busy after this evening for the rest of the week I thought I would take a little time this afternoon to write you a few lines. Bro. Murray, the President of Synod, arrived on the train this morning. He is present with me now, but I have given him a chance to take a little nap while I am writing to you. In as much as I have selected him to marry me, I have placed him at Mr. De Long's through the Synod. Our convention begins to-night with the Confessional service and sermon by the Rev. McCreery. Only two delegates have arrived so far but most of them will be up I presume, on the train this evening. We have the promise of good weather now, having had rain yesterday and heavy showers this morning. It is pretty warm now but not oppressively so. I finished my paper on the doctrine of the Church the other day, and while I didn't get it shaped up as I would have liked to have it, I suppose it will do as a starting point of the discussion. I suppose Herbert has received the letter I wrote him the other day. I was very much put out over Weaver's action in the matter and I wrote him a pretty strong letter expressing my sentiments and from the tone of his reply I judge that he is a little "huffy" over it. But I consider that I had just cause for indignation and will tell him so when