

## LUTHERAN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND WATERLOO COLLEGE

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Dear Mother:-

Here I am again after so long a time, but as usual without anything extraordinary to relate. September is approaching its close and so far the month has been ideal. I don't think we have had a single frost this month so far, which is very unusual. But to day the weather turned rapidly colder and at the same time the wind died down to-night I shouldn't be surprised if we had a fine white frost in the morning. I noticed in looking over the calendar that I started up the furnace last year Sept. 20. So I have already gained a few days over last year's record; and I think we can probably hold out this year until the first of October. Yesterday the boys and I hulled the most of our beans. They made more than a large dish pan full and we still have a considerable pile to do. I think we will have plenty to last us until next spring. I also chopped down and piled the corn stalks for conflagration when a suitable day arrives. I had Bonnie to put me up 10 jars of brandy peaches last week. Those I had put up a year ago were very good but are all gone now, and these will come in good next summer or later. My Elderberry wine is the most beautiful wine you ever saw and tastes quite as good as it looks.