

one 155 lbs. Last Friday I watched
the soldiers shooting at Creedmoor.

Hoping to see you + Papa
Sunday in the auto, I remain
Your loving son
Carl.

P.S. Will take both this evening +
will put on remaining clean clothes.
Then I will have no more, but
those I have will last me until
next week Friday. So if you come
bring out some cuffs (2 pair) kerchiefs
underdraws, + shirts (both kinds) also
several pairs socks. M. chaque jour.
Love + kisses to all from

Carl.
P.S. Got ~~will~~ Will's stamps last night.
Enclosed find some stamps for ² Carl.

Queens, L.I.
May 8, 1903.

Dear Mother;-

As I was waiting to hear
from Will about stamps, I did not
write sooner. The last few days, I
have been wearing the blue suit
that I brought out with me. It and
flannels cost \$1.50. Sunday, David
+ I went to church + then met
Cousin Mary + Will at station. Tues-
day went to Brooklyn + saw
Grandma, Margretta + Dorothy.
Aunt Marion + Snippy - but were down
town. Grandma was glad to see me, +
so were the others. As there has not

I hope Papa is better & Lillian also.
Ask Will if he has written for a
permit to play tennis in the park.
Also tell him the Wⁿ stamps we
want are the 3, 6, 10, 15 which he
can send as soon as he gets them.
I see in the papers that Al George is
married.

This morning before I was up
a dog had killed & eaten a little
chick & had come back for another
but Etzel chased him away. After
breakfast I took U. C.'s 2 barrel gun
& shot at a target hitting it in 23
places, - practising to take care of
the dog when he comes again.

In my winter suit & overcoat I
weighed $158\frac{1}{2}$ & now in the thin

been anything special to do, I have
been helping Link & one of the men
put pipes together for irrigation; also
helped Uncle Charley put new flow
together. Yesterday noon U. C. left
for West Virginia.

I suppose T. M. told you the
worst she could about Camp Idley.
T. M. absolutely refuses to let David go
with me there. Just before U. C. went
away he told me he had enlisted
Chauncey DePew & the Governor of
Pennsylvania on his side. So T. M.
David says he does not want to go,
but, to me & U. C. he says he wants to
go. If you come out Sunday I
will tell you more about it. Of course
I keep still, but do a heap of thinking.