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At Father & Mother Kinney  
3. a. m. Md. June 14, 1911

Dear '07s, "Tried and True";

Jay Woodrow has just wandered through the room, pencil & paper in hand, remarking as he slipped gingerly over the fragments of the old '07 jug on the floor - "I'm just trying to gather up some of my thoughts to write and I haven't found any yet," & trumpeted conversation was just then heard above the general babble saying to Rae Stock "I left mine in my pocket-book upstairs" - "Maybe they've quieted down again" - soon another jug will be sealed -

The grass has been very kind to us all and it seems to grow to be here! Mother and Father do not look one day older, though some of their children are beginning to show gray hairs and there are ten '07 grand children - and they are just kinder and more interested than ever. - Not one of those present but has made good and climbed higher and been a credit to our class - There are many changes and many are absent - Roscoe Bacon is the only one gone out from us. - What is most gratifying above all is that the class spirit is just as pure as wholesome as true as ever and the life rings deeper.

I don't say I am more proud than ever to be one of the class and my sincerest wish is that when this "jug" is opened we shall each and everyone have stepped a notch still higher in character and service, that we shall be just as loyal to old D. U. and that we shall all be here at the reunion -  
as ever your classmate -  
Ethel Mae D. Morris -