

LETTERS FROM CAMP WEED  
June 1927

June 27, 1927

Monday, 8:00 p.m.

*Dear Mother,*

*I have given out of paper and had to borrow this from Miss Cobb. I haven't gotten but two letters and a box from you.*

*Saturday we went across to the island in front of here. We went in two boats. We stayed there and went in the Gulf then we had supper. After supper, we came home and put on our best clothes and had a dance. I danced with almost every girl.*

*I am quite sure I am going back with Arthur Platt a boy from Jacksonville. I think Eliza Marshall and Sarah Cawthorne are going back with him.*

*If I come with Arthur Platt, I will stay at Marianna and try to see Daddy.*

*I am eating everything in front of me. I am having a better time now than before Give my love to All. Joanna and Randolph left Sunday....*

*Lots of love and kisses.*

*Your son, Arthur Perkins*

**Friday, 7:10 p.m.**

*Dear Mamma,*

*I would have written before this if I would have had some paper and envelopes. I asked Mrs Cobb how they were going back, and they said they were going back on the train.*

*I have written you twice before this.*

*It has been so hot for three days that you couldn't sit still without sweat running off your face.*

*I haven't burnt at all. I have had the biggest appetite.*

*Everybody is sweeping and fixing their beds for inspection.*

*I like it alright except they have too many classes.*

*I guess that is all I have to tell you except I am still having a good time. I haven't got but seventy-five cents left.*

*Give my love to all. Tell sister hey.*

*(I am writing Daddy now.)*

*Your son,  
Arthur Perkins*