

for ~~lower~~ <sup>upper</sup> berth, we leave  
at 12:10 P.M. tomorrow on the  
Sunset Limited over the Southern  
Pacific. We then walked down  
Canal Street, & saw the ferry  
crossing the Mississippi River  
it is a very muddy & dirty  
looking river. Passed the Custom  
Office & reuniting Barracks  
on the way back. Went to the  
Post Office up St Charles St.  
& got some stamps & posted  
cards. Came home & cleaned  
up and went out to supper  
saw a parade, & Bands of  
the Schminers going down  
Canal St. had supper at  
Childs Restaurant, every thing  
good but high in price, cost  
us \$1.90 and did not get

much to eat at that. Fred  
nearly got in wrong. Taking  
another mans coat by mistake  
they are not very good travellers  
and we are having some time  
watching them come back  
early to the hotel, started to  
get ready for bed, and then got  
a shock looked in my coat  
pocket, and the purse our  
tickets & berths were in, was  
gone. we searched the whole  
room. then went to the clerk,  
and out to Childs Restaurant  
where we had supper and no  
trace of it. then took a  
street car to station to see  
what we can do. and just  
before we arrived the clerk  
called the station and said