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I slept late

We stayed at home today

We three took a walk down the rd -  
Mabs & Edna discussed the various  
flowers & shrubs - tourists have scattered  
a good deal of trash around & we took  
back aluminum which Edna sells

Mabs worked in Edna's garden

Edna showed me how to put new  
zippers in 2 of the dresses Clare gave  
me - under her instruction I did  
most of it with the machine sewing

First Reticulation in America

We had more disc - Mabs gave  
more detail on the assault she had  
undergone when a young black man  
had attempted to rape & murder her  
in about 1971 - when he tried to rape  
her she got him off, he then stabbed  
her 3 times & ~~threw~~ 2 objects at her  
face, leaving her for dead - she de-  
scribed the plastic surgery she had  
which was remarkably successful

I learned of the fusion of each  
sister - Mabs is able to get along in her  
community, supplemented by her home

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Teaching - I don't think the nursery is  
returning anything to her & her partner  
that they don't get back in the busi-  
ness but she says they have a firm  
foundation & all equal reputation -  
the horse is run down & needs much  
wh but she requires to sell it on a cord  
of the garden

Edna plans to retire in another yr<sup>1</sup> -  
she makes twice the salary I do &  
Alice says her 17,000 - most of her  
surplus has gone into the house &  
" & she will get retirement pay from the  
pub. dist. until all enough to draw  
see see "

she has still more to do

Edna made pags for the return of  
Sue & whom she has rented the  
downstairs - Sue is expected this weekend -  
Edna has cooking, laundry & sleeping  
paid already, is moving her  
dishes & cooking equipm

I washed my hair

For dinner we had some broiled  
chicken or boiled potatoes & a salad

I read Radicalism in America

Went to bed about 12

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