



Dear Grandma,



Greetings from the
Engler Girls

1908 - 1917

This is a collection
of postcards sent by
Emilie Engler and
her daughters, the
Engler girls, to their
grandmother,
Carolina Engler.



Carolina Engler
about 1884

Caroline's daughter Emilie married John Fredrick Engler Jr. They had ten children.



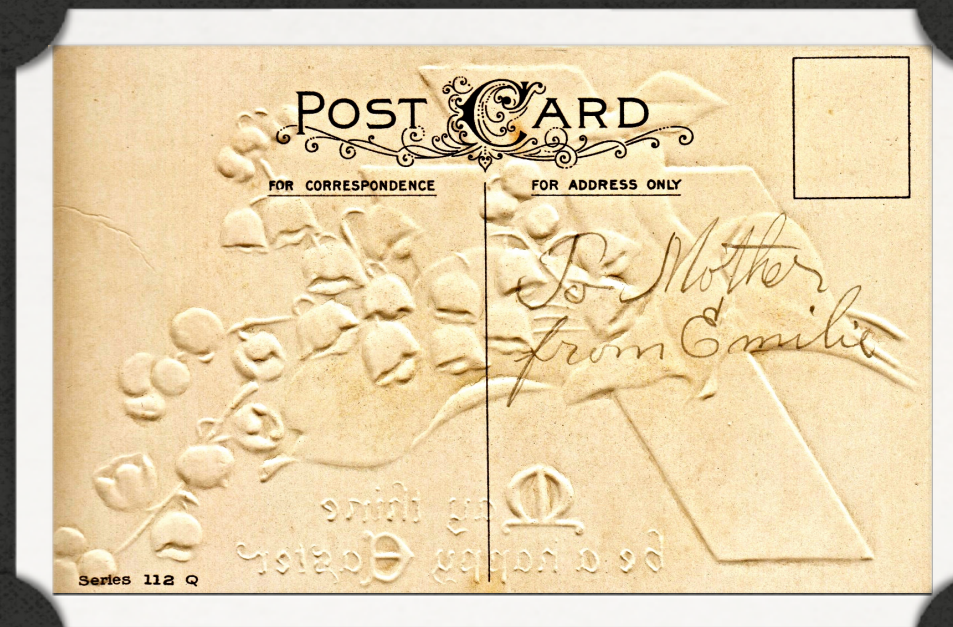
Emmy & Fred Engler



Some of the Engler girls 1916
back; Louise, Muriel Hoefler (a cousin), Ida,
Emmy, front; Emilie, Helen, Augusta holding
Margaret

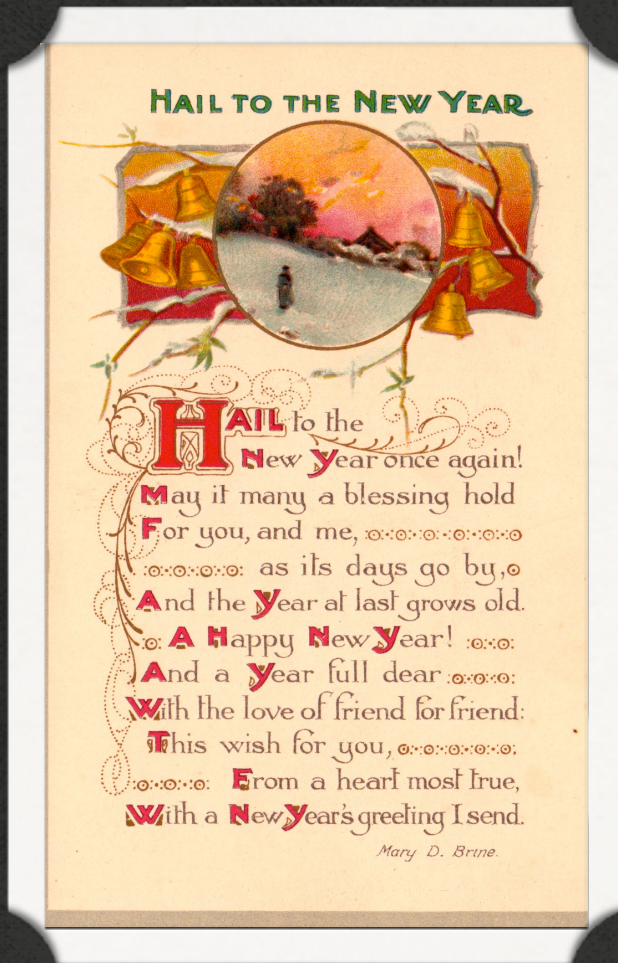
Dear Mother

Postcards from Emilie to her
mother Carolina





Dear Grandma,
with love,
Augusta









Dear Grandma,
 May 1, 1913
 I am going to send you this card wishing you a Happy Birthday.
 Dolly has a little colt. It was born on the 2nd of May. We don't know if it will live or not as it does not act right.
 I don't know when I will get to come out as I am studying sewing now. I am going to summer school again. The school here will be out tomorrow. With love,
 Augusta.

POST CARD.

THIS SIDE FOR CORRESPONDENCE
 9-14-1913

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

U.S. POSTAGE
 ONE CENT
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Dear Grandma: How are you now? I have been wanting to write for a long time but I am so busy getting my pupils ready for the examinations that I don't have time to write to anyone. My school will be out in five weeks and then I am coming out there to pay you a visit. With love to all. Augusta.

Mrs. Carolina Engler,
 Pine City,
 Minn.
 % Mr. Louis Schmidt.



Woman's Building, Minn. State Fair, Minneapolis and St. Paul.



POST CARD.

Dear Grandma: - How do you like such cold weather? It been quite cold when the north wind blows. We have about four inches of snow but some people still use buggies. Are you keeping well this winter? I am feeling better than ever, but have a cold. Love & I wish you & Uncle Louis a Merry Christmas & a Happy

Mrs. Carolina Engler
Pine City
Minnesota
Schmidt,



POST CARD



The grounds here are beautiful. I like it better down here this year than last. It is nice to study when the weather is cool as now.

Dear Grandma:
I have just been to Genoa and heard a fine sermon. I like to Mr. Louis Schmidt.



A Merry CHRISTMAS

POST CARD

FOR CORRESPONDENCE

FOR ADDRESS ONLY.

PLACE STAMP
HERE.
UNITED STATES
AND CANADA
ONE CENT.
FOREIGN, TWO
CENTS.

*Dear Grandma,
Hopes
you had a Merry
Christmas. We will
be home alone for
a few days at
papa, mamma
and Sara went
to Uncle Miller.*

*Happy New Year
To
Grandma
from
Augusta & Florence.*

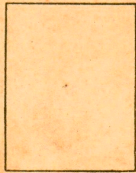


*May your
Christmas be
a Happy one.*



POST CARD.

THE ADDRESS ONLY TO BE
WRITTEN HERE.



*Dear Grandma:-
Am hoping you
will have a Merry
Christmas. Love & B
will try to see you if
we can get out there.
Love to all, Augusta.*

Mrs. Carolina Engler



Dear sweet grandma: - just a
 few lines to let you know I
 have not forgotten you. One you
 mentioned - I am kept so busy
 with my school work that I
 haven't any time left to write
 letters you. I have met only a
 few of the people here. I like
 my school real well and have
 35 dolls here now but will have
 more later. Love to you & Uncle
 Louis. Augusta. Pine Island, Minn.

POST CARD



Mrs. Carolina Engler
 Pine City
 Minnesota
 % L. J. Schmidt.



With kindest
 thoughts,
 and good
 wishes.

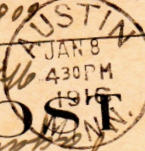
Dear Grandma:
 How are you
 now? I was going to
 come out to visit
 those Xmas vacation
 but then Herman,
 Walter & mamma
 were sick in bed
 with a bad cold so
 I could not get
 away. Now my Uncle
 Louis & Uncle Herman

Dec. 5, 1915

Mrs. Carolina Engler
 Pine City
 Pine Co.,
 Minn
 % Louis Schmidt



POST CARD



POST CARD

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U.S. POSTAGE

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This side for Address

Mrs. Carolina Eng
Pine City
Minn
c/o Mr. Louis Schun

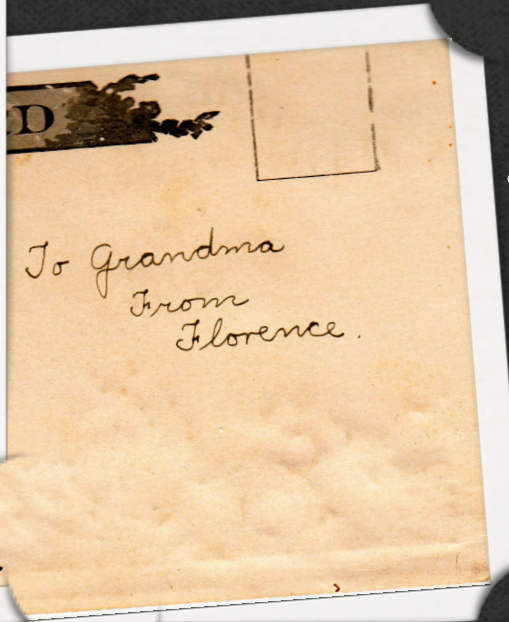
4-16-16.

This side for Correspondence

Dear you I hope you will
have a jolly in
Easter. I shall be
three weeks. I am
glad for thinner
getting. You must
again. I see the
you will see the

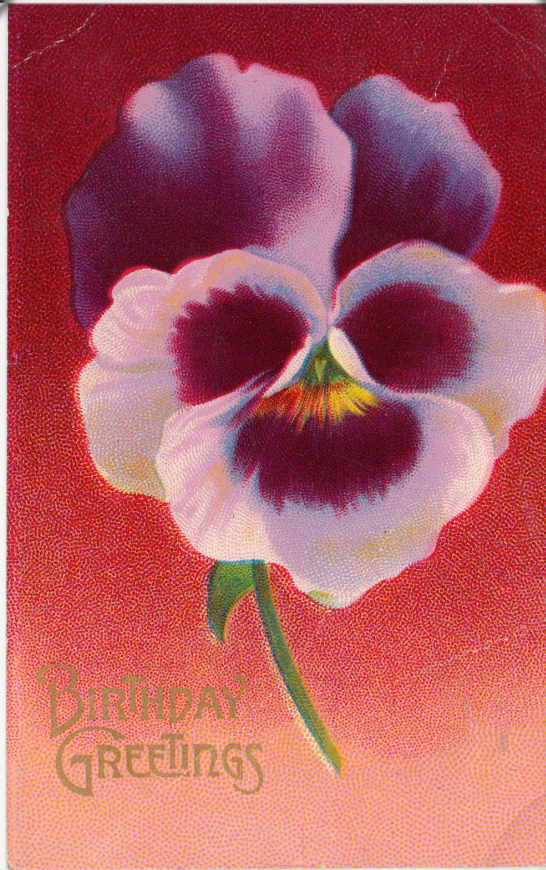
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To Grandma,
from,
Florence









Easter Greetings

There's a world of
capability for joy,
spread round about us.

THE SINGER COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.



AMERICAN
THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN
ON THIS SIDE.

POST CARD

Dear Grandma:
I am sending this card to wish you a Happy Easter. How are you now? Am fine as ever. I am not going home for Easter on account of the bad roads. Have five weeks of school left. A couple of weeks ago I was in P.C. at a wedding. How is Uncle Louis? With love,
Florence

Mrs. Caroline Engler,
Pine City,
Minnesota.

(7) Mrs. Louis Schmidt



Court House, Pine City, Minn.

CARD

BRANAM
SEP. 17
6 AM
1914
ADDRESS



CORRESPONDENCE

Dear Grandma:-
I'm going to send
you this ^{card}, let you
know that Edward
and I are coming
out to your place
a week from Sun.
if it doesn't rain
I'm quite busy with
my school work.
With love, (Florence)

Mrs. Carolina Engler
Pine City,
Minnesota.
(Louis Schmidt)



Mrs. Carolina Engler
Pine City
Louis Schmidt Minnesota



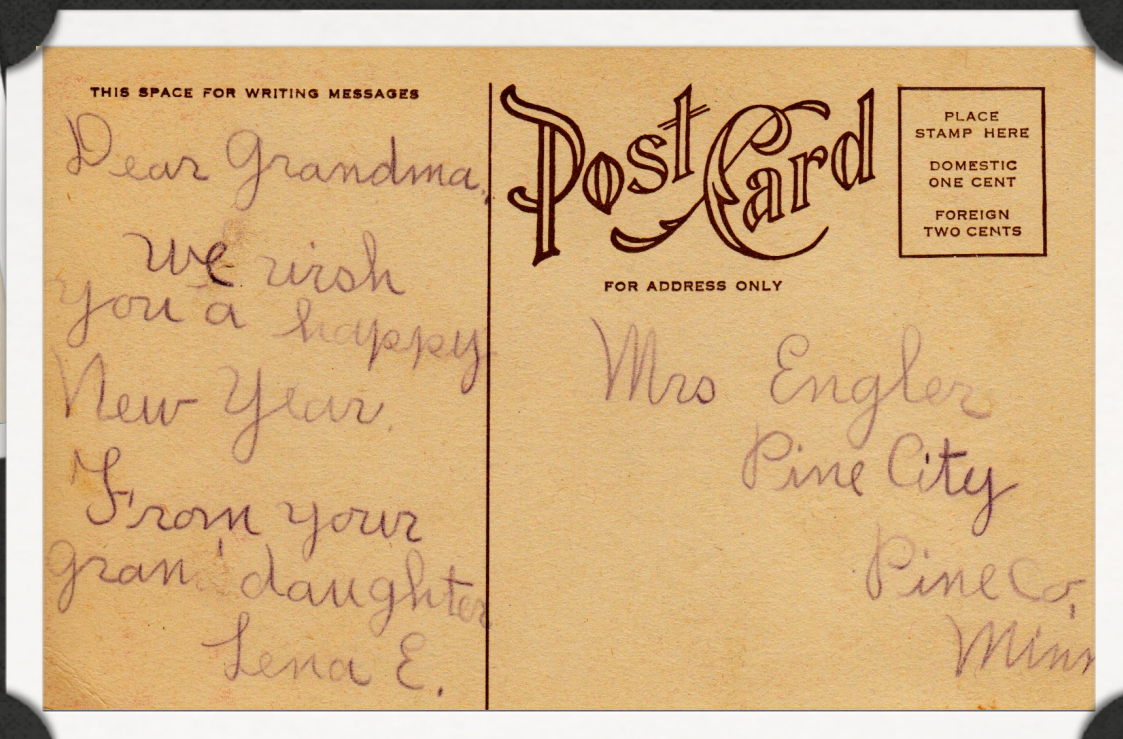
Dear Grandma: Graham, Minn. Aug. 2, 1916.

Florence wanted me to write to you and let you know she had a little four pound girl. She was born last Saturday noon. Florence is doing fine and the Baby is so good. She sleeps all the time nearly. I am going to stay several weeks. Florence said you and Uncle Louis should come up. Love to all from Edw. & Florence & Augusta





Lena





Leedle von! you
kin look down
on sutch as me,
so long as I kin
look oop to thee.

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CORRESPONDENCE

POST CARD
PINE CITY
APR 13
4 PM
MINN.
FOR ADDRESS, USE ONLY

Dear Grandma & Maude:-
I will drop you a few
lines to let you know our
love. The sweetest little sister I've
ever known. I send my love to
you for me. I am all well and
hope you are the same. I would be
glad to hear from you soon and stay
a couple of weeks. But I suppose
you are busy. Love from
Louis Schmidt

Mrs Carolina Engler
Pine City,
Pine Co.

% Louis Schmidt



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Past,
Present,
Future.

Glad
Memories.
Golden Days.
Naught but
Gladness.

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Ida





Louise



Would you be a musician if you would sleep on music sheets?



Post Card

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UNITED STATES AND CANADA. ONE CENT.
FOREIGN. TWO CENTS.

FOR ADDRESS ONLY

To Grandma
From Emilie
Engler

Emilie

FOR CORRESPONDENCE

The little colt is black.

FOR ADDRESS ONLY

from Emilie
to grandma.
May 7, 1914.

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Caroline Engler
died
February 15, 1918.



Children of Carolina Engler

Carolina Homberger -
b May 9, 1845 Germany
d Feb,15, 1918 Pine City
Married Louis **Schmidt**
Emilie 1871
Louis 1874
Herman 1877

Johan Fredrick **Engler**
b 1834 Germany
d August 3, 1906 Pine City
Married Charlotte Fisher d 1876
Ida 1867
John Fredrick Jr 1869
William 1871
Louise 1875

In 1884 Carolina Homberger Schmidt married
Johan Fredrick **Engler**
Therese 1885

Grandchildren of Carolina Engler

Emilie b 1871 Ohio d 1963 Pine City, married in Texas 1889, moved to PC 1903
Married John Fredrick **Engler** Jr b 1869, d 1929
Augusta 1892 Ida 1902
Florence 1893 Louise 1905
Carolina /Lena 1895 Emilie 1907
Herman 1897 Helen 1910
Walter 1899 Margaret 1915

Ida Engler- b 1867 lived in Oregon
Married John Fredrick **Homberger** b. 1854
Mary 1885 Bruno 1896
John 1890 Dora 1898
Ida 1892 Idella 1901
Katy 1894

Herman Schmidt b 1877
Married Lena
Leonard 1910 Helen 1914
Lawrence 1912 Walter 1919
Hattie 1914

William- b 1871
Married Louise
approx dates William 1896 Carl 1904
Fred 1898 Elizabeth 1909
Ruben 1901

Louise 1875, d July 8 1953
Married Emil **Hoeffler** b 1873
approx dates Emma 1896 Marie 1905
Raymond 1897 Royal 1909
Margaret 1900

Therese- b 1885
Married George Ernest **Kick** b1884
Carl 1910 Glen 1922
Florence 1913 Harold 1924
Margaret 1915 William 1926
Waldo 1918 Clark 1928
Robert 1920



These postcards belonged to Harold Kick, a grandson of Caroline Engler.

This book was created in 2013 by Judy Scholin as a Pine City, Minnesota local history project. This book lay forgotten until 2016 when Margaret Holler and Clark Kick provided the photographs of Caroline and the Engler girls.



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