

far away, but it was always the same
 fresh in the day times and warm around
 at night, but it made me no difference
 at all. June 29. Faura gave birth
 to a little girl, and it was far from
 april like she told my mother, so as
 I have promessee her that I would go
 take care of her, I ask Emile Can I go
 and he said, yes we'll go, so I went
 to take care of her Emile came to sleep there
 at night but I didn't see him in the
 day times, Faura name her little girl
 pressillee, it was her 4th child.
 I love that baby as it would have been
 my own, and I taught how it would
 be nice for me to have my own little
 girl to take care of, I always love baby's
 so much, 3 weeks pass, and one day
 Ojine ask Emile if you want to come
 with us Sunday, I will rent a car, and
 we will go see Faura and Estelle's mother,
 Emile said yes we'll go, so on Sunday
 we leave for Carbon. Faura was extremely
 anxious to show her little baby to mother.
 So I was so glad. I will see my mother,
 when we arrive at mother home.
 my step father was out door, and he had a
 lots of things to show them, so I went in
 with Faura. Mother was glad to see us
 she kiss us and the baby, but not long after
 she let Faura have it, and food.
 she said you lie to me, you wrote
 me to send you Estelle to care for you
 you were having your baby in april so

and you just had your lady, you lie to
 me, you wanted to tell to get her married
 to Annie's Brother, she said I never
 knew that I have raise a daughter be
 lie such a liar, and she said Fannie
 I want never forgive you for this,
 Fannie starts to cry and mother was
 crying too, and I don't have to tell you
 that I was the first to cry, I went
 in the living room and sit at the piano
 and try to make believe that I was
 playing, but my tears was falling on
 the piano keys, and I didn't even see
 the piano keys, the man came in
 and step father came and sit beside me,
 and he saw, I was crying, and he
 said dear little girl. If I you are not
 happy there, you can come home
 anything that is yours to come anything
 you want to come back, he said,
 I would have give you a big gift
 and I would have been so glad, to be
 your father at your wedding, but we
 were not even invited at your wedding
 I know it's not your fault, don't cry
 darling he said, and he took 50c from
 his pocket and give it to me, and he
 also said your mother cry all day the
 day you got married, and he kiss me
 on the head, and I was crying so
 hard, I could even say thank you father
 he went back to the kitchen, and
 after a while I went and wash my
 eyes and I went to see all over the house

in all the rooms upstairs even the attic
 in the cellar. The cellar was filled with
 nice woods well piles, it was smelling
 so good, my mother she had many things
 I went to see mother's garden to.
 But later in the afternoon we had to
 go back, so Ozma said alright get ready
 its time to go. Fama started to get her
 baby ready, and me I couldn't it being
 at leaving my mother, I went and hid
 Behind the garage, and I start crying again.
 They look for me all over the house,
 at last they find me, hiding there crying
 Emile said Come we have to go.
 and mother came and took me by the
 arms and said Come Emile, I can't
 keep Fama and she was crying to.
 so I know I had to go. so I got in the
 car and we leave. The next Emile said
 now Fama is well, will go back home.
 so I had to go back with him to his parents.
 about few week after, my step father
 wrote a letter to Emile, and he ask him
 if he wants to go work for him, he needed
 man on the construction, and to
 my surprise Emile said yes will go,
 oh my mother in law was so mad
 about Emile to take me to leave in
 Caribou, she said if you want to lost
 your wife go. But she was very mistaken
 I was married in the names of the Lord
 and I promise myself to give my
 life instead of shame my mother
 and Brothers and sisters, by leaving my.

Husband. I' would hide my tears and sorrow
to the end. I' taught to myself. Mother
woud never know, what I' am suffering,
so I' was glad to go to Caribou, so Emile
could work because we needed money
very badly. We stay for 3 weeks with my
Brother Patrick, he was moved to Caribou
now. he was still a blacksmith,

so Emile start working for step father
and we pay our board, for 3 weeks and
after we moved with my sister Anna
and her husband Hiram Sarguis,
he to was working for step father, so
he had a car. so Emile travel with him
they were building the Caribou dam,
Anna was working to. so I' was alone,
and in the spring after the house
were done. I' want to pass the day with
mother. she was Canning Vegetable and
fruits for winter. so I' help her all day.
it was so nice for me to be there,
I' said thank you Lord, to be able to be
with my mother today, but every day
about 4 o'clock, I' had to go back to prepare
supper, and I' didn't want Emile to
know that I' was passing my days with
mother because I' know he would be mad.
so at 4 o'clock, I' leave mother to go home
and I' pass by a little short cut.
That short cut was between, spring at
where mother ~~live~~ live and Sweden, st.
and in this short cut, there was a
little brook, and on the brook, to cross
over there was 4 planks to step to cross over.

and every when i went home i stop before
 morning, and at the side of the brook
 there were trees, but one was much
 bigger than the other one, and i put
 my hand to this big tree and cried and
 cried for a big half an hour, every
 day i cry at this tree, and when i thought
 i had to go home because i will be
 late, i wash my eyes, in the brook
 and went home, and i hurry to cook
 supper. Emile and Benoit arrived
 at about 15 minutes past 5, and Anna
 to, and i kept my eyes and head down
 as much as i could, so they wont see
 my swollen eyes, poor mother she never
 knew, the tears i shed during her
 every days, nobody know beside myself
 until today, one day Emile coming
 home found 50 dollars near the feather
 2. 20 dollars, and a 10 dollars, folded
 no billfold or nothing just this 50 dollars
 in the mud, so we went at a furnitures
 store and we bought a new bed 25 dollars
 and a new trunk, we were rich we had
 a trunk and a bed to ourselves, and
 we had little money left to buy, shirts
 and pillow cases, every week we
 could by some things, towels, and Dishes
 rag, and what we need the most
 Emile was paid good wages, and for
 me stop father ask Emile to work for
 me just because, he wants me out
 of black lake, because there was lots
 of men who was looking for jobs in
 Caribou

Amy was I: was so glad to be out at about Lake,
 I think the Lord every day for it.
 at the beginning at Sept. Emile said we
 will go pick some potatoes, at Washburn.
 so when time came, we moved at Washburn
 and Emile's uncle Macfar, puller
 was moved there for potatoes picking
 to. so we stay with them, Emile took
 a small job, for Gent Hale, and
 a boy from St John, name name
 R. Laurent Gilbert, pick for Emile.

I pick to, and I board Laurent Gilbert.
 but one night I wake up in flood
 in the bed. I wake Emile up and said
 You wet the bed get up so I can change
 the bed. he didn't say nothing, I made
 him change (and I change to, and
 lay down again; The next day I had to stay
 home to wash the bed clothes, &

I was laughing to myself because Emile
 had wet the bed. I told my Aunt Madeleine
 Emile wet the bed so I couldn't go pick
 today, I got to wash some little girl she
 said it was the first time since

You got married, I said yes. Well she
 said You are not finish washing wet
 bed clothes, because Emile had always
 wets the bed. she said Emile's mother
 told me that she try everything, and
 she couldn't stop him from wetting the bed
 in the day time. Emile heard that I
 have told Aunt Madeleine, about this
 when he came home he was so mad
 at me, he give me all sorts of names

and he said, if I am said anything
 about this again I will get it.
 And he came to hit me, madame Aunt
 madeline just had time to put
 herself between us, and she said
 oh no, you won't hit her while she
 is with me, leave her alone. I was
 crying, and I tell you that I learn my
 lesson I never mention a word
 about his bad writing to no one,
 but this bad writing last for years
 and years and years, and he was
 wearing long underwear summer like
 winter, and in winter he always
 sleep with underwears and shirts and
 sweater, and he never get up for me
 to change the bed cover, I change the
 bed in the morning, I get up and change
 because I wake up 2 or 3 times a week
 all wet. I change and put dry sheets
 under me, and let him be, it was
 this way that he been raise, sleeping all
 dress up, and stay wet, he likes it this
 way so, I left him the way he likes
 him to be, but sheets and blankets
 yes I wash & God almighty only know
 about it this had been another cross for
 me to bear. one morning still at
 Palatka packing I paint, I couldn't go to pick
 and Aunt madeline didn't want
 to go to leaving me in the field no more
 so I stay home and cook and wash.
 Aunt I like her a lots, she sing, she
 was a very good singer, and I like

to hear her sing. I learn some very beautiful songs from her, and I sang for her too. She show me how to Cook macaroni and she show me to bake apple pies, we were leaving right over our apples orchard, so we made sauce and apples pies, after potatoes finish, Emile said we will go pass the winter over father and mother, so I had to go live there again before coming down. we bought some clothing for the winter, and after being dress. I bought few more sheets and blankets, Emile's mother was glad to have is Emile back. For, one I didn't count. For then she rarely speak to me, I done all I could to please them so they would like me but in vain, Emely and Clarice I have nothing to say, I get alone well together. Emely show me to Crochet, at first I discourage my self, and stop at trying to learn, but she said to still try again, I'll show you, so I try again and I did learn, and I could work for the Crocheting Company after that and made myself a little money. it didn't pay much. 43,50 for a doz. sets of sweaters and caps and booties, and I was not use to this, so it took me a long time to finish a doz.

but Asarare she didn't talk to me at all. and now in law she was a good singer to. when she sit at her spinning wheels and sing, how beautiful, it sound. but as soon as she sees me listening she stop stop.

Emile was never home he hunt Rabbits
 and at night went to see Cousin Ramio's
 again. he was working for far his uncle
 Herbert, Hubald, Ramio's father and Emile's
 father and uncle Hubald, Hubert. They
 were all brothers. But Ramio's father was
 leaving in fact Kent, and Ramio was
 working for his uncle Hubald, he was
 leaving there since he was a small boy,
 so Emile as ever was never home.
 in January, I find out that I was to have
 a baby, I was sure. Tanna she was leaving
 about 100 feet from the island, and Emile
 didn't want me to go see her. because
 he said Opine and Lanna all they far
 is fill your head with Junks.
 so that day, wants or not, I went to Tanna
 to tell her that I thought I was pregnant
 and I said I wish it be. so I can have
 a little girl to, she was glad for me
 well she said next spring when Emile
 works. buy some of lanellette and I will
 make you some diapers and little shirts
 for your baby, I was so happy. I pray
 dear lord, give me a healthy little baby.
 I will be so happy. and I will have
 some things to pass my time and I
 will be less lonesome. I was waighing
 125 when I got married but now all
 I waigh was 92 pound. I was weak and
 I faint a lot. I couldn't do nothing to
 please my mother in law, no matter
 how I try, and Emile and me was
 like fire and water, everything was black

in front of my eyes. I had to stop Crocketting
 I was badly sick. and morn in law said
 that I was lazy, and Emile believe it to,
 I did all I could so they would like me
 but nothing doing. I hate my husband
 I pray God please Help, one makes one
 love my husband, or take us apart
 We are so miserable, you put us together
 you can take us apart, no matter how
 or one, take one of us. but nothing
 doing life had to go on. We went to live
 with Laura in the spring, and Emile went
 to work for is uncle Ruland to plant the
 crops, and as soon as he could. he give
 me 10 dollars, with I give to morn in law
 to buy me some flannel for my baby's
 clothing, and Laura had a new sewing
 machine, so she start sewing for me.
 How nice it was to feel this baby clothes
 to my face, and I taught how nice my
 baby will be, in is flannel gown and
 shirts and diapers. All I live for was
 to see my baby in my arms. all mine
 and mine alone, I didn't think about
 the father, because he didn't care.
 before my baby was born. ^{Emile said} We will go back
 home so mother can take care of Laura
 when the baby come, so we move back
 there. and I did all I could to please
 morn in law, but in vain, I saw
 she was hating me. and cure to
 and Emile believe all his mother and
 cure says, but I didn't mind
 no more. I taught I did all I could.