

5. Eva's Collection of 55 very old postcards of the Bay Lake Lodge, and several of other resorts nearby. Some have gone thru the mails to family members & somehow survived. Jack or Mae (or Greg) at the Lodge may be able to put approximate dates on them -- I would guess early 1930s. There are 7 pictures of the lodge exterior including one of very early architecture, eleven cabin views including a winter scene, 7 interior views (5 of the dining rooms, 1 of the lobby fireplace, 1 of a cabin with fireplace, 17 exterior views (including 8 beach scenes, one playground scene with swings, sandbox & slide, 1 of tennis court with players, 1 of the approaching drive to the lodge, 1 of the golf course, and 2 aerial views, 3 cards of horseback riding. (including a duplicate) and Ruttger Island with raft. ,one view of the lodge entrance sent Eva Ruttger, 1986 One picture of the store & garage adjacent to Lodge. 5 views of the Green Lantern adjacent to Lodge. Also included are picture-cards of 6 nearby resorts of early days ( On Bay Lake there are several scenes of Oaks Resort, as well as Birch Lawn Resort, Sissebagamah Resort, Simon Inn,. and the Warren Place on nearby Crooked Lake. There is also a postcard of the picturesque entrance to Knieffs place (Bay Lake) Some have post-notes on back as told to me by mother. (Eva Ruttger)



LAKE SHORE COTTAGE  
RUTGERS ON BY LAKE  
DEERWOOD, MINN. 12

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Cottages at Rutger's Bay Lake Lodge in Deerwood, Minn. T-309

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Sleeping Quarters Are Comfortable At Rutters Lodge, Bay Lake  
Deerwood, Minn. 34-9



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Scene at Rutger's T-320  
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AIR VIEW OF BAY LAKE

DEERWOOD, MINN.

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Lake, Deerwood, Minn. N1351

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Toboggan Slide at Rutger's Bay Lake Lodge, Deerwood, Minn. T-312




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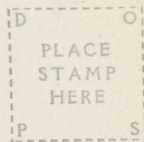


*Green Lantern on Bay Lake near  
Deerwood, Minn 11341*

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Green Lantern Bathing and Dancing Pavilion  
Rutger Lodge Bay Lake, Deerwood, Minn.

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*Green Lantern Bathing and Dancing Pavilion,  
Rutger Lodge, Bar Lake, Deerwood, Minn.*

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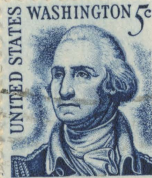
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Tuesday A. M. - my Dearest - the  
Dining Room had such  
RUTTGER'S BAY LAKE LODGE a nice  
Deerwood, Minnesota

Golf, Horseback Riding, Children's Program,  
time out Water Activities. here last Sunday  
P. M. - Enjoyed their Smörgåsar  
So many good things to eat - Hadn't  
seen Mylle & Alice for so long -  
Dad will be leaving Thursday  
for his trip to the Island in  
Ant. Near Sioux Narrows the  
ferrying service will pick them  
up on Sunday - dad will love  
that - Jimmy will go too - then  
right away Monday - Mac & Ann  
want us to go again to the  
N. Shore with them - I can hardly  
get it all in - will write you  
perhaps Thursday after dad  
leaves (a letter) Hope Alice is fine  
with you there - Much Cooler this  
Morning - Love it Much love "Nana"



Post Card

The Sam Bates Family  
65-E Pleasant Lake Rd  
Northlake  
St Paul, Minn

56110

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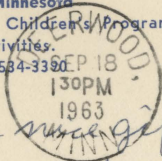
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Dining Room  
**RUTTGER'S BAY LAKE LODGE**

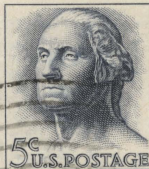
Deerwood, Minnesota

Golf, Horseback Riding, Children's Program,  
Water Activities.

Phone: 218-584-3390



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L. I. Cook Co., Milwaukee, Wis.  
from an Ektachrome Transparency



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Dear Eva: -  
Thanks for the ~~surprise~~ gift  
and birthday greeting I  
found in my kitchen today.  
Alec & I took Mr. Zucker  
to see Birkeland's this  
afternoon and Rosie must have  
been here while we were gone.  
Alec arrived Sun. afternoon  
after a good trip of 2100 miles.  
Bill & Maudie came in yesterday  
when at their house for something.  
Seemed pretty good. Sorry we didn't  
get you folks over for dinner.  
Our big crowd leaves tomorrow &

Mrs. Edw. Ruttger  
Box 186  
Brainerd, Minnesota

Eva Ruttger



Dining Hall  
Ruttger Lodge - Bay Lake,  
Deerwood, Minn. - 33

I just called the Boys  
Dorm for Ray & a Bul.

Shirley wrote to her  
— just beginning  
freshman yr. at H  
Ray - my brother  
Dorothy - his girlfriend (fiance)

Keep you posted on  
the details. That's  
all I know about it  
so far - Poor Kid -  
on my way to Nurse Now Shirley



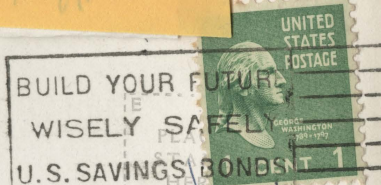
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1200 - 1st St. (from)  
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I just  
 Down for Ray & a Ball  
 Said "Is this Sh...  
 Ray had to go  
 to Dorothy's & take her  
 right to the hospital.  
 I know Ray will be  
 quite upset so I'll  
 keep you posted on  
 the details. That's  
 all I know about it  
 so far - Poor Kid -  
 on my way to Nurse Now Shulke



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 Rutgers  
 814 Quince  
 Brainerd  
 Minn  
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Friday - Dear Becky

RUTTGER'S BAY LAKE LODGE  
Deerwood, Minnesota 56444

This is where papa was  
born - only it has been  
changed since then a lot.  
I got your nice letter -  
so glad you write me  
some times I'm glad  
Kitty was glad to see you.  
She's pretty nice - glad you  
liked your Birthday Money.  
I do have a package I think  
(you will like) when you  
come up. I hope you can  
come before long. Write  
to me again soon.  
Love and a hug "Nana R"

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Miss Becky Bates  
65-E. Pleasant Lk Rd  
Fritch Oak,  
St. Paul, Minn.

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Moonlight at Ruttger's on Bay Lake,  
Deerwood, Minn.

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Scene at Ruttger's on Bay Lake,  
Deerwood, Minn. 1954



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Lodge Deerwood Minn

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Scene at Ruttger's on  
Bay Lake, Deerwood, Minn  
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Dear  
Mrs.  
Hone & Lee

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View from Ruttger's Bay Lake Lodge  
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Tennis Court at Rutger's Bay Lake Lodge, Deerwood, Minn. T-317

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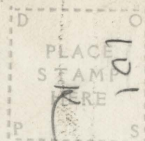


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Saddle Horses Rutger's Bay Lake  
Lodge Deerwood Minn



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**AERIAL VIEW OF BAY LAKE**

Deerwood, Minnesota

Minnesota's Finest — the "Home of the Black Bass."  
Located in the middle of Minnesota's 10,000 lakes, its  
many bays and islands give it over 60 miles of shoreline

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Play Grounds at Ruliger's Bay Lake Lodge, Deerwood, Minn. T-321



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Store and Garage, Adjacent To Ruttger Lodge. 106  
On Bay Lake, Deerwood, Minn.

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The Kiddies All Ride At Rutgers.  
Rutger Lodge, Bay Lake, Deerwood Minn. 100

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Saddle Horses Rutger's Bay Lake  
Lodge Deerwood Minn



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Play Grounds at Rutger's Bay Lake Lodge  
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Birch Lawn, Bay Lake, Deerwood, Minn. L-333

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Simon Inn on Bay Lake near Deerwood, Minn. N1937

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LR & DR  
1 long table  
it seemed  
Mr Senior died  
yrs earlier.  
Relatives helped



Owned by Mrs  
— Senior & daughter  
Kathryn — who  
later married  
Herb Anderson  
4 BR UP ← 1 BR  
down

Just S. W. of Oaks  
on Curve — next  
to Sisseton  
Resort

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*Sissebagamah Resort on Bay Lake near Deerwood,  
Minn. 1934*

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Destroyed by Toland  
Built by BA Miller  
for Margorie - later  
married her

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*Cottages at Warren's Place N1338  
on Crooked Lake near Deerwood, Minn.*



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Lloyd Warrens  
Place — west  
of Hunters Bay  
on that Road

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-THE OAKS-RESORT-BAY LAKE-  
DEERWOOD, MINN. 4.

Owned by  
B.A. Miller & Arinck  
Just So of Rutgers



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Mrs. Nellie Paddycoat  
Dunwood  
minn

FROM EVA RUTGER to  
HER Mother

Dear mamma. Our phone  
line hasn't been working for 2 days  
so I know you can't call us. Have  
been wondering if you are coming  
out today. Good! Hope you are if  
you do! After from grandma  
& daddy. We can get them.  
I added in picture on yesterday.  
P.M. Writing to Rose & a Convention  
had a lovely time. Saw Mrs. Hall.  
Hope you can come out  
today. Love, Eva.



*Scene at Oaks Resort on Bay Lake near Deerwood,  
Minn. N/235*



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Entrance to Knieff's Place, Bay Lake Minn.  
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