1 INT. PHARMACY

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Pharmacist is doing paperwork behind a counter.

Ethel's friend enters. Pharmacist looks up.

PHARMACIST

Hi, how can I help you?

ETHEL'S FRIEND

I need to send a telegram.

Pharmacist pulls out a telegram pad.

PHARMACIST

Ok, to who and to where?

ETHEL'S FRIEND

To my friend Ethel McKnight who's at a seminar in Beirut at the Beirut College for Women.

PHARMACIST

Really?

ETHEL'S FRIEND

Yea, she gets around. Likes to keep busy.

PHARMACIST

What do you want to say?

Pharmacist starts to write as Ethel's Friend recites.

ETHEL'S FRIEND

Dear Ethel. I just finished an article for the Hightstown Gazette. The Board of Education is renaming a Twin Rivers School and I thought I should send you a telegram to let you know who they named it After. They named it after you. Congratulations! You deserve it.

She finishes reading and takes a moment to let it sink in.

PHARMACIST

Holy macaroni. They named a school after her?!

ETHEL'S FRIEND Yes... yes they did.