ary, Alpha Lambda Delta. The following year she entered the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, where she graduated "with distinction" in 1933. While attending the University of Michigan, she worked part time in the Economics Department. Upon graduation, she was employed in the Bureau of Appointments and Occupational Information of the University of Michigan, doing Personnel work including Psychological Testing and in charge of placement for summer work.

On June 16, 1934, she married Gilbert Lake Dobson of Tulsa, Oklahoma. They both continued their graduate work at University of Michigan. Mr. Dobson received a B. S. in Mechanical Engineering and a M. S. in Industrial Engineering; while Ruth divided her graduate work between English and Psychology.

They moved to Detroit, Mich. in June 1935, where Mr. Dobson became a Production Engineer for Ternstedt Manufacturing Company, a subsidiary of General Motors.

Inheriting the Moorhead family's interest in writing and newspaper work, Ruth began writing her first novel, continuing her Graduate work at Michigan as a special student. This book was based on the customs and beliefs of the Amish