October 20, 1945 Lt. Otto O. Schnellbacher 0-2099769 Sqd. I Br. P. 0. #3 Hondo, Texas Dear Snelly: I was mighty happy to have your letter of the sixteenth instance. I watched with great interest your game against the Oklahoma Sooners and I know what responses were back in your cranium when you battled those boys down there. It is splendid of you fellow to write regarding Pvt. Edward Sobczak. I am writing him today and sedding you a carbon copy for your approval. Nothing would please me more than to see you back at K. U. along with Pvt. Sobczak. When do you think you will get out, Snelly? They are opening a new term on November 1 but I imagine they would not let you out that soon on account of football at Hondo. However, if they let you out immediately after football season mabbe gou . could enter a month later and get eight hours credit for the eight weeks remaining of the twelve. Then you could enter, of course, the regular term. It is reported that Charlie Black is ready for discharge and may perhaps enter school sometime around November 1. However, the grapevine is working in that direction. It would be great to have some of you boys back. Our prospects are fairly good but the boys are young. A little aging would be beneficial. When do you expect to drop by and see us. You are always welcome. My kindest regateds to Mrs. Schnellbacher.

Sincerely yours,

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Director of Physical Education,

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