Cand. W. R. Channel, 7 Baty. 3rd Platoon, 79 AAA, OCS, Student Brigade, Camp Davis, North Carolina.

Dear Diok:

I am mighty happy to have your letter of Sunday, July 25th, and too, I was glad to know that you had a friendly greeting with Warren Hodges, Paul Hardman and Harlan Altman. Give them my kindest regards when you see them.

Congratulations on your basketball victory over the Indiana and Michigan boys. You know when you beat a boy from Indiana in basketball they think that you have done something. What do you think? Did you use a Goal-Hi when you played outdoors?

Pretty soon we are getting out a letter to all the boys in the service for whom we have addresses, and we will mail you one. This will give you an opportunity to drop your pals a postcard. And we will also give you the news of the campus. It should be forthcoming in a week or ten days.

By the way, we engaged Howard Porter who taught in Argentine High School, to assist us in our physical conditioning program. I am not sure whether you knew him or not. We have 700 A-12 boys, which are Army boys under 18, who will be quartered in Lindley Hall. Our Navy program is functioning pretty thoroughly. We are giving all of these chaps physical conditioning, and it keeps us very busy.

Lots of good luck, Dick, and we will be happy to see you back on the campus in the very near future.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education, Varsity Basketball Coach.