

Bob Johnson

We spent a peaceful night at the Allerton Hotel, but were on our way the next morning at 9:15. We were to arrive at Ann Arbor that afternoon at 2:23 and therefore, Dr. Allen had planned for us to not eat on the train, but to wait until we arrived at Ann Arbor. We had to change our watches and alarm clocks at Niles, Michigan, where the time had jumped one hour ahead of us. It was around this time of the day that three or four of us became very hungry and, upon finding that we were not to eat until we arrived at Ann Arbor, we wrote a petition and gave it to Dr. Allen. The petition is as follows:

Hear Ye!! Hear Ye!! Hear Ye!!

We, the undersigned, while not wishing to press our case, must, nevertheless and notwithstanding the aforesaid, call to your attention the fact that we feel strange gnawings at our innards. We presume that this must be caused by a deficiency in the quantity, if not quality, of the nutriment. It is upon this point that we wish to register our protest and to query: When the do we eat?

Signed:

Robert E. Allen                      Charles Walker

Bob Johnson                              Bill Hogben

Howard Engleman

Vance Hall

John Buescher

Jim Arnold

John Kline

"Solly" Sollenberger

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