



UNITED STATES ARMY

Tues Eve.
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Dear Doc:

Thanks for the grand letter. I don't know when I ever read a letter that said so much - so well.

If I have a chance at all for a direct commission, I'm sure your letter will do me lots of good.

I was accepted by the Officer Candidate School Board a week ago last Fri. I took my physical exam today. Now I am on the waiting list to be called for Officer school. Rather than wait for the call, I have decided to make application for commission without attending school. I have some very good letters, including your own, which should go a long way toward