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Dear Bob:

I have just received your good letter of the fourth instant, and we are trying to dig up a size 12 pair of shoes for you, even though they are worn somewhat. We will try to get them off to you shortly. Our property man says that we are bereft of no. 12 shoes at present, but I'll see if I can perform a miracle. I assure you that if there is any way to get you a pair of shoes pronto, we'll do the job.

We'll be glad to see you around December 1, and extend a hearty invitation for you to work out with our group. The caliber is better, but they are very youthful in age. None of the oldsters are returning for awhile.

I can appreciate how busy you are in your school work, and I imagine the Rebound serves as rather a bit of recreative reading, and in getting you away from the grind of navy duty and study. I am glad that you had a chance to see Ray Evans; he is a great chap. Bobby and my son-in-law, Lee Hamilton, had a visit with Ray also. Bobby was here this last week end. He had a group of casualties to deliver to the Norman, Oklahoma, hospital. Here is his address: Lt. (jg) Robert Allen, USMC, U.S.N. Receiving Hospital, Geneva Avenue and Moscow Street, San Francisco 12, California. I am sorry that I do not know his telephone number, but if you do not find the hospital number, my oldest daughter, Mrs. L. P. Hamilton, 860 Center Drive, Palo Alto, California, could probably help you. She is my daughter, Mary, and has three children, Lee, Joan, and Elizabeth. If you call them and tell them who you are, they will doubtlessly be able to give you Bob's number. Bob thinks Tokyo will be his next call; he is expecting it any moment. So, be sure and call the Hamiltons up, they will be glad to hear from you, and I am sure you will be able to get on the track of Bob because he is just arriving in Frisco about now by plane.

Kansas played a good game against T.C.U. However, you would have been delighted to have seen the Iowa State game. It was a wonderful game, and Kansas played fine ball.

I'll remember you to Mrs. Allen, but Mrs. Hulteen is not with us now. She gave up her job July 1, and is raising her family now. She is expecting George home from Burma most any minute.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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