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Mr. Bob Allen
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Dear Bob,

I have written Roland Logan asking him if he has sent the tickets on to you for the Army-Navy game on the 29th. If you do not receive them in the next few days it might be a good idea to drop Roland a friendly note telling him that you are appreciative of his kindness in getting them for you and asking him when you might receive them.

This is the morning of the Aggie game and everybody is dashing madly about, and some have hopes of a victory. I am afraid, however, that Zelsnack and some of the other Aggie huskies will prove too powerful for them. It should be a good game. Dr. Peete and his family are coming down and are going to the game with us.

You will pardon this short epistle, but I wanted to be sure of the tickets for you.

Our school does not dismiss here until the 26th. I am to speak at Cape Girardeau, Mo. at a banquet that night so I will leave after my 10:30 class and drive to Cape Girardeau. I could catch the train out that night at St. Louis and get to Philadelphia in time for the game, but I would have no chance to visit with Jane in Chicago and I think it better for me to save my money and wait until such a time that I can have more of a chance to visit with you. Mother may not go although she has nothing to tie her down as I do. If she doesn't come you can plan on selling the two tickets to some of the boys who might want to see the game and if she does come, then you can sell the one. I want, of course, that you and Eleanor should see the Army-Navy game because it is a great spectacle. A world's champion prize-fight, the Army-Navy game, the World's Series and the Kentucky Derby are things a fellow should see once in a lifetime if he is lucky.

With love and best wishes I am
Affectionately

Your Dad