

February 16, 1943

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Room 858,
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Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Owen:

I was very sorry indeed, not to get in touch with you while I was in Chicago. I left here Thursday night, got there Friday forenoon, the train being two hours late, and left on the 11:50 Saturday night for home. We tried repeatedly, both Friday and Saturday, to get you and when Mr. Hoinville asked why they had not been able to contact you, they said we must remember you were being drilled sixteen hours a day. I should have liked very much indeed to have seen you.

I know you are coming along all right and I have a lot of confidence in you. You have the brain and the physique to make your mark anywhere. As I told you, I think they are piling it on to you boys for the purpose of weeding out those who "can't take it." In the longrun, I feel sure that the experience will prove both interesting and profitable.

Remember, your old grandad loves you and will be glad to do anything for you that he can.

Lovingly yours,

WCS:JM