November 30, 1944 Mr. C. H. Hoinville 908 Railway Exchange Chicago, Illinois Dear Charles: The package of John's letters arrived today. Thank you very much for looking after these matters. I am sending you herewith a pair of pigskin gloves which I trust you will find useful in driving the car back and forth on these cold days. This is in remembrance of your birthday which occurs on this date. The thermometer in Lawrence this morning registered at eleven above zero in most places and was thirteen above on our front porch at home. The sun came out so that the day has not been unpleasant, but it will be the end to outdoor plants. We have had an unusually long and abundant season. I am glad you had the opportunity to visit your sister and hope that you will be with some of your family on Christmas Day. We appreciate very much indeed the many kindnesses you showed to Brother John. We shall be glad to see Mary Jule and Vera; also the Lieutenant if he is lucky enough to be here. With love, Your Brother WCS:df Attch.