

Monday, February 14, 1944

Dear Lee<sup>++</sup>:-

The snow is still with us and I believe we are going to have more before many hours go by. Roads are still treacherous with plenty of ice. This morning about 11 I drove to West Grove with daddy, as he had to see about a potato cutter for the school. Tomorrow he is scheduled to have a meeting at 11 with the Council of State Agency Executives, after which he will leave for N.Y., to be gone until Friday.

By this time you have received daddy's letter telling you about the possibility of getting a ride via the ferry command. Here's hoping that we are able to work out the quickest way home by the time you graduate. Did you learn anything new from the class which graduated a few days ago?

A letter came this morning from Shirley asking that I send her an evening dress so she could wear it tomorrow night. I sent it air express and hope it gets there in time. There is a big college formal banquet (daddy and I were invited) and I believe she is to sing there. One of her many cadet friends, Joe, graduated last week and she went to the commencement dance Thursday night. He left Saturday for Nashville, where he hopes to be classified as a pilot.

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There was a broadcast from Wilmington England yesterday, at 12:30, from P.S.School- telling of the work done by the Atlas, Hercules and duPont Co. Music was furnished by the Capello Club under the direction of Mr. Wyatt.

Bernice started back to school once more this morning. The Capello Club is now working on Brahms Requiem and Mr. Wyatt has asked her to join them for that. They meet every Monday night from 8:00- 9:30.

The Student Prince is coming to Wilmington February 28, and in it is Mr. Raymond Jacquemot, who used to study with Mr. Wyatt and was in Grace Church choir for a while. I cannot recall whether that was before you went to college or not. I think we may try to get tickets for it.

Do you remember Graham Taggart who married Ruth Collins? He has been stationed near Manchester, N.H., in some phase of the air corps, and is now seriously ill with pneumonia. Ruth has joined him.

Grandmother Minker remained with us over today and will go home tonight I guess. We had a delicious lemon meringue pie yesterday for dinner. Do you continue to get good meals?

Lots of love from all of us.

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