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Tuesday night

April 20, 1943

Dear Dad,

I received your letter and mother's package today. I'll have to meet Chancellor Schwartz. Did you write him. He speaks on Good Friday morning at the Methodist church but I won't get a chance to hear him. I'm going to try to get to church Good Friday evening for communion though and to the 11:00 A.M. service Sunday.

I couldn't resist temptation and so I opened the package immediately. I've just sampled the penut [sic] brittle so far but it all looks mighty good. Thanks a lot.

I just finished signing the pay roll. We get paid on the first of the month so maybe I can start staying out of the red again. Oh yes, I got a letter from Bill Virgin, Theta Chi treasurer, reminding me that I had an unpaid bill of \$32.15. I wish you would take care of it as soon as possible now.

Three boys broke out with the measels [sic] today so we all have our fingers crossed. I got my second tetnus [sic] shot today.

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The Nebraska R.O.T.C. was mustered into active service today. They live on the third floor of the library. Quite a rivalry has broken out between us—they are "boy allies" and we are "junior birdmen."

Did you mean that Stille was killed or wounded?

Do you think I should wire some flowers to mother for mother's day or let one of you get them for me. If you think it is a good idea to give Julia an Easter corsage can you arrange it?

They have started giving us intensive swimming every day now. Required are—

1. continuous 25 yd. backstroke, " " sidestroke " " crawl " " breaststroke
2. 50 yd. swim with clothes on after jumping from the high board.
3. staying afloat without support for ten minutes.

Lee