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Wednesday night

May 12, 1943

Dear Bernice,

After a three day drought I received letters from you, mother (2), Mrs. Abrams, Julia, Bob Cassel, Ralph Lower and President Corson. My copy of the Echo has not come yet but I am on the lookout for it. Ralph goes with the Marine reserve on July 1 and Cassel goes with the rest of the Enlisted Reserve Corps from Dickinson on June 7. President Corson sent me a copy of the address that the Chaplain of the Naval Academy gave at school on War and Religion. I believe I told you that I liked it then. It was printed by the Wilmington Y.M. and Y.W.C.A s.?

It was good to talk to you all last night. I wish Dad had been there too.

The folks hereabouts are surprised that we have had no dust storms this spring.

Friday we take the P.T. tests over again so I guess we'll all be stiff for the dance Saturday night. Tomorrow night a group of the California boys are taking on the Nebraska varsity, which was activated with the R.O.T.C., in

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basketball.

Today was rainy and cold after a week of good weather.

How was Helen Wehrle?

Mrs. Abrams raved about Shirley's singing at the Church School Banquet.

Will you please remind Dad about the fraternity bill so that he can get it paid before Virgin and the others leave for the army. Would it be possible to send me the News of the Week section of the Sunday Times? I wish you would get another set of pictures developed from the negatives (maybe two). If you want names send them to me and I will send them back with names attached.

Love,

Lee