

Wednesday night
May 19, 1943

Dear Dad,

Here is the biggest news that I have had since joining the air corps. Two boys of the D section have been transferred to the engineers. As a result Captain Whiting selected the two top men, academically as well as militarily, ^{of section C,} and placed them in section D-1. Those two were Minker and Stillwell.

And further. This week-end section E leaves for San Antonio and as a result section D becomes section E, section C becomes section D, etc. Section E begins flying Monday and leaves for San Antonio after three weeks. Thus, you see, I have had my training advanced by almost a month. We will have ten hours of dual control flying in tubes by the way.

That's all I have time for now as I am cramming for finals in all my subjects here. Today's mail contained letters from Uncle Marion, Grandmother Minker, Julia and Shirley. The telephone number here is 27788. Love, Lee