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Wednesday morning

June 9, 1943

Dear Shirley,

I suppose by now you are a sophisticated young graduate. How does it feel? How did your graduation and bacalaureate [sic] go? Who spoke at each? etc.?

I had a bad mix up with Julia's corsage. I assumed that Conrad would hold graduation on the same night a {sic} A.I. and so ordered her flowers for Tuesday instead of Thursday.

Ever since Friday we have had a steady rain here so of course we have had no flying either. I'm still stuck at seven hours and will probably be mighty rusty when I get up again.

How did Bernice's party go?

I just finished reading "One World" by Wendell Wilkie. I liked it very much for

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it is interesting as well (part of letter missing) political common sense.

One of the boys here with me was in Bossick's class at Muhlenburg and played football with him. He says that Bossick was a good hitter but weak fielder in college. I guess you know that Bossick was Captain and one of the "touch-down twins" of the all time great Pennsylvania high school football team - Winber of 1938.

Did my package get home? If so you can see that I am striping [sic] to a bare minimum. I'll ship home my camera, other letters and maybe the suitcase when I leave here. The only time I can use the suitcase is on furloughs and it is only an added burden in shipping so—.

Are you going to work this summer? Are you going to college in the fall? Are you going to try out for the Brandywiners?

Love,

Lee