

Saturday evening  
June 16, 1945

Dear Mother,

Today I am twenty one years old. I do not feel any different today than I did yesterday but I know that I have grown, especially during the last twenty eight months in the Air Force. I only hope that I am growing as you and Dad would want me to.

Plans have been changed again since my recent cablegram to you. At present it is very probable that I will be here another month. This afternoon I received your letter of June eighth; continue writing until I get home, to help relieve the great monotony of just sitting around.

Yesterday a troupe of sports stars serving in the E.T.O. visited the base to talk about and demonstrate their sport. Captain Horton Smith of the Army Service Forces represented golf,



George Lott and Tommy Falckenburg  
represented tennis and Sol Sniff  
represented ping pong. In the  
evening movies of the 1944  
World Series and football season  
were shown.

Love to you all.

Lee