

Dear Nollye,

I have to report that when I finally got Mooty Sloan cornered, he was out when I got to the hotel, so, too bad. I think he has shipped out since. I'm still going in high gear, and I'm slated to graduate the 17th, which brings a diploma and the triangular camera which is worn on the right sleeve. Also the Tech School Medal for Photography, which will make me look like a 2nd class MacArthur, along with the Marksman's medal for rifle, sub-machine gun and carbine.

By the time I expect to come to town I shall probably be wearing an additional stripe or two.

I'm another vein now. I'm really elated by the actions of the younger members of Sigma Phi. They're really putting us old boys to shame.

From your last letter it's quite apparent that social life isn't quite dead at home, so if you'll all keep pulling together, we boys will have something to come home too. Regards to all.

Best wishes,
Jake

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