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Dear Miss Loving,

I have been trying to find time to write you for quite a while.

It has been a little over two months since I came into the Army. It seems about like two years. I am training to be a code clerk with the Signal Corps now. I will finish my training in 5 more weeks. After that I don't know where I am going. There is a chance that I might be sent to Washington, D.C. I received a copy of Crossed Sabers a couple weeks ago. I enjoyed it very much. I see that Wally Leg is a Lt.

I suppose that this years Senior Class is beginning to think about graduation and all that goes with it.

It seems almost impossible that only a year ago I was graduating from High School. Well write me if you get a chance and let me know where the rest of our class is. They must be spread around all over the country by now.

Yours truly,

George Custard