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Dear Frank,

I hope you will excuse the delay in writing this letter, but I have been very busy getting settled down for my second semester.

It was sure nice to meet you when I was home on vacation. We sure did recall the old times.

How are you making out on your income tax. You better make it out write or else I will have to adress my next letter to Sing Sing prison.

Did you get classified yet? You have been pretty lucky so far not to get called. You may like the army now but when you get a taste of it your ideas of it will soon change. It will be better than working any other place because you don't have to worry about getting fired

or laid off. The only time you get laid off in the Army is six months after the armistice is declared. But after work you have the time for yourself. Not like me I go to school three hours and do homework for twelve hours. The only time off I get is on the week ends. I do my homework Saturday afternoon and Sunday I can take it easy. I still prefer college to the army. Out here I have all the money I want and I go where I please nobody tells me when to be in or where to go. You live your own life out here. That's why I'm not too keen on leaving it. But if I must leave I will do it gladly. Well I hope to hear from you soon.

I remain as ever
your Pal
"Ernie"

P. S. send me your full name & adress. I have misplaced it.