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AMERICAN RED CROSS

Dear Mimi:

It is Saturday night and I will start this now.

I don't believe I ever told you of our activities while interned by the Japanese at Los Baños. We had certain camp duties, so I did vegetable duty - that is cleaning and preparing vegetables. I also cleaned rice. Then those of us in our cubicle had a garden. We had to plow it up as well as cultivate and water it. Then every day the vegetables had to be cooked, fire wood had to be gathered and cut. Clothes, bedding, etc. had to be washed, and I hope I will never have to wash another sheet. At the present I don't possess one. So all in all I was kept very busy.

I broke the crystal to my watch yesterday and have a piece of cellophane over it stuck on with adhesive.

I don't remember whether I ever told you, but Beaumont Shaw and I have been together ever since war was declared.

Here's another thing, while we were under the Japanese, I note every time I was given an opportunity which were few and far between. By any chance did you ever hear from me?

I am - Dementally illegible
To look you and Ernest
love to
with love



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