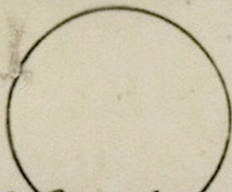


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Dear Mom Dad and all -

I've been wondering how you are all getting along with Spring back to put ~~new vitality~~ vitality into life. I'm doing O.K. and not losing any weight.

Mrs. Wyatt had sent me a book - the life of D. L. Moody - which I have enjoyed and I am now reading the life of Booker T. Washington. That's my spare time activity except for an occasional bike ride or a game of volley ball.

Don't forget to let me know if you need anything - coffee, hose, sugar or anything else that's rationed. Do you continue to use the Buick or can't you get gasoline and tires?

You can imagine how a dying soldier loves the coal miners back in the States.

Let see you later.

Love,
Bob

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