

Germany
Belgium
March 30, 1945

Dear Mother, Dad & all,

After what seemed ages and ages, I received your letter of March 18. It sure got over here in a hurry, ten days, and I was damn glad to get some late news from you. I'm glad that my letters are getting home to you in such short time.

We finally got a two day breathing spell due to the weather, and it sure was a welcome relief. We started flying again today and things are really looking good. Jerry seems to be on the run and our troops are going great and taking a lot of ground. At the present rate, it won't be too long before it is all over.

Wonder how Glenn is making out now, that he finally got called. I'll bet the navy has already lost some of its glamour now that they go to work on him. I think it will do him a lot more good than harm.

It surprised me to hear that Jimmy Cunningham had also gone into

the navy. He was just a little kid the last time I saw him.

Must be some pup you have now. I'm glad you got a cocker cause I always did like them. We have another one now and is it a cute little rascal. It's what they call a blue roan cocker - black and white, and it's just like your dog - all ears and felt. About all it wants to do is sleep. Can't say as I blame him for that.

Just got a letter from Lorens but it was mailed before she had her baby. I'm glad that she is alright and didn't have trouble like she did before.

Do you know whether Paul is a Jap or a German P.W.? I don't think he will be too bad off if he is in Germany, but you can never tell about the Japs.

I haven't heard from Bill or Ken for over a week, but I guess I'll be hearing from them soon. Met was getting along O.K. the last time I heard from him. He told me to tell you he said "hello".

The first thing you know, the kids will be out of school again. Boy the time seems to be going fast. It will soon be three years since I enlisted, although it doesn't seem that long ago.

Some new fellows came in the other day and who should be among them but the instructor I had at Key Field. We all had a regular old bull session about everything in general. This time the tables are reversed a little. I'll be telling him what to do.

Well, I guess that's about all I have for now so take good care of yourselves and tell everyone I said "hello".

For
Jules.