

May 28

Dear ones,

I will have spoken to you by the time you receive this - but this letter will serve for the sake of the record and as a reminder of a very pleasant few all too few minutes on the phone.

The first lap is over - I have 2 more to run before I break the tape. The last day was pretty sad, two very tough exams and then the quelling experience of the floor taping. I had to start a few of my buddies but there was no choice. As some one just said - "just put it down as a bad day." as for me, I passed the exams. I think I am fairly popular -



I KNOW I HAVE THE STUFF

but I not kidding - dull has  
me scared - I am afraid I  
am on or below the borderline  
in dull - which counts so  
disproportionately in the present  
(when and if I start to worry I have  
plenty of food for worry.) But I  
am not tense, I continue to be  
at ease - but as they say,  
next week is the week we  
really sweat it out. just  
understand the temp. tension  
here as we await news of the  
interviews; I wouldn't be  
human if I remained calm  
and cool, but dull is in my  
mind - something to continue to  
worry. Realize however that  
I am not worrying about what

DO TOO.  
HERE  
BOYS  
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HOPE  
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is beyond recall; I hope for the best.  
I am prepared, I want you to be  
prepared for the worst. O.K. we  
understand each other on this  
point and all associated points.

△ the food & nuts came. Sweet;  
Thanks.

△ summary is the speech. I'll  
be ready for it. I will have to  
practice a little tonight but I  
have managed to get hold of the  
rifles I am deciphering and that will  
help. Please don't get the idea  
my effort is exceptionally  
technical - it is not - in 10  
minutes it can't be.

all is well - keep rooting  
for me.

Don  
Lumney