

Wed. ~~7~~ after.

12:40

8-18-43

Dear Dad:

I was I who overslept
this morning. I never even
woke up for reveille but
the Pres. Luck, Shulton, took
care of it so I got an extra
2 hr. sleep.

I'm going down to the or-
dery room around 1:00 & get
my pass for tonight so I
can go right into town
right after school. Boy I
can hardly wait!

Find all the boys who

I started to school with,
graduated & married & other
furniture & more they are
shipping to other camps. Yes -
today one left for Laredo,
Texas & gunnery, 2 for Mar-
tingen, Texas & gunnery, 1 to
Switched Hill, N.Y. (think) and
another to Fresno, Calif. I
don't know where the rest went.
Some of them are still here
but not many. Of the or-
iginal bunch. There are
6 of us left here. Two of
you which back 10 wks.,
the rest of us from hospital

The "Quiz Kids" worked
80% of class "49" back so
if I don't write everything
it'll be because I'm studying.
His suggestion I got in about
the 1st of the week.

I hear by the radio that
the battle of Stalingrad is over.
The big push should come
soon. I hope it does & I
sure wish I could be there!

I'm afraid I'll have quit
~~now~~, Dad, & make my
bed & go down & the

