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Tue. Night

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Dear Folks:

another day - another
H. 80. His belly gonna
burst & save if I wanna
say a "sing" when I come home
on full length. Now his gonna
do it, don't know but his
sure gonna try.

One more day of towers,
day off, C.T.U. & then graduation.
Boy, am I glad it's done & the
end.

I can't tell you too much,
Dad, but I had an order today

which signifies that ^{the} things
are due to really start prepping
is 5 or 6 mo. at the most.
And I've got excellent chances
of being good if, if I make
gunning!

I worked in "mock-ups"
today. They are replica sections
of the radio compartment of
a B-17 & we constructed
so as to work & call when
anyone is in it. We operated
Gunn's sets & kept "logs".

It was very interesting.

I have really learned a
lot in the few days in towers
& most important of all —
I've discovered two things:

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(1) I know a lot more about
Radio operation than I ever
realized, and (2) I've really
learned to like this work.

Two things, I believe, are
very important because con-
fidence & interest are two
of the most important factors
of success! Love I might say.

I wrote Ruth a letter this
morning & finished up just a
little while ago. Gee, what
I wouldn't give to see her!!

I got two letters from ^{you}
one from M. nurse, this morn-
ing. Not bad! Also a letter from

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I want to go down to
P.O. so ~~all~~ tomorrow

Love
Shirley