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Dear Sue:

Your letter of November 23 arrived about a week ago and would have brought forth an answer before this time had it not been for the fact that Civilian Personnel activities have not diminished.

I'm glad to see that you are beginning to like Fort Snelling; as I told you, the Middlewest is still the best part of the Country. That fact you will find substantiated as time goes on and the midwestern hospitality becomes more apparent to you.

The gang here at the Civilian Personnel Office all miss you, and as far as the efficiency of your department is concerned, we miss you even more. There are two girls working under filing now, and the amount of work they produce in a week does not measure up to your output of three or four days.

By this time you probably have begun your schooling. I don't imagine it is very easy, or that you will be afforded much free time, but stick with it and we all know you will successfully complete whatever assignments may be given to you.

Business in this office has not slackened one bit; in fact, if I'm not mistaken, we have added two more girls since your departure.

If you find a few spare minutes when classroom and study activities are not taking all of your time, drop me a line as I am always glad to hear from you.

Speaking for all the gang and myself, I wish to extend our best wishes for a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year, and if you return to the East, remember you have a moral obligation to stop in and see the gang.

Sincerely yours,

