



LODWICK AVIATION MILITARY ACADEMY
AVON PARK, FLORIDA

Tuesday P.M.

Dear Sam & Cecil.

Well, here I am at Primary all set to start flying. We got here yesterday afternoon, by five o'clock. Last night I was assigned to a flight and had already put in an hr of drill. This morning a couple of buses took us out to the field and I drew my flying equipment; this afternoon I went to a couple of lectures across the lake in the casino and tomorrow I start flying. I don't think I am going to have much time to myself. Look Sam, I am going to tell you a couple of things about this place. Now you don't have to believe me. In fact I don't expect you to believe me. Al ~~tord~~ told me today that he wasn't going to tell anyone about this place, they would only say that he was a good boy before he started taking the needle, and forget about it.

I feel the same way. It would cost me about .50 to mail you ^{this} letter if I was to write all about the place. Last year it was a swanky winter resort. Now it is a military academy with 300 students, I happen to be one of them. It is under government supervision but it is run by civilians. All our ground and flying instructors are civilians. We have two buses here, that take us to classes, which are held in the casino across the lake. They also take us to the flying field which is about four miles



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from the hotel.

I am, I will have to close now. I have to do some
studying now.

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P.S. I am a doze. Here I have been talking about
myself for the past half hr. and I haven't said anything
about you people. How are you and the kids? Did you
receive the packages? I will send you the
watch as soon as I can get to a post office. That will be in
about two weeks. Have you heard from Edith?

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P.P.S. On the other page is a diagram of my room -