

Monday, May 7-45

Dearest Emmett:

Received two of
your letters today, one
written Apr 24 - other Apr 28.
Somewhere in the shuffle
your Apr 24 letter must have
been delayed since we re-
ceived one Apr 25-26 last
Saturday - nevertheless
they were greatly enjoyed.
Had to laugh at your
sheep building again, the
other nite the program
'America in the Air' was on
the radio & they were
dramatizing a story of a
B-29 crew, where when
you are just retiring. Imagine
the conversation took place
in the bus - for one of the
boys was building a sheep,

I listened very attentively for I think
it might be your crew. But I guess
that is a promise of many of the boys.
Now you have your bomb decorating
above your sac. that must make
an interesting decoration. did I tell you
we mark on our map each of your
missions, with date.

Your new crew sound like a lot of fun.
I can hear the Southern fellows getting
off some of his wisecracks. strange that
he likes to work, being from the South,
but perhaps the risk of the crew is the
heavy & he suggests. When you plant
your next flowers you will have to put
up a sign "Keep off the Flowers". I'll be
glad to send you some seeds. perhaps a
package in two or three letters.
Will write Auntie Peg about the paper
right away and have her mail them
direct to you. shall ask her to send
us a copy also.

The radio has been busy all day
broadcasting news of the unconditional
surrender of Germany. however it will
not be official till tomorrow when each
of the Big Three broadcast to their people.
Churchill & Truman were ready to
give the news today but Stalin held
them up for some reason - so tomorrow

will officially be V & E
day. I suppose there will
be some celebrating but
the consensus of opinion
is that they should wait
until VP day arriving - &
heartily agree. The Japs
would like nothing
better than to have
business stop for a day,
especially in the war
plants. The youngsters are
sore because they aren't
getting out of school..
I washed this morning
& went to Ursuline
Auxiliary this afternoon -
in fact I had to preside
in the absence of the Pres.
Jack is rehearsing his
skit for the Music Club
tomorrow night they
give it. Must say goodbye
to the family with them too
soon ever & forever. Mom