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Dear folks at 321:-

Arrived safely after a very dull trip. Train was crowded up to Montreal, but from there East it was not too bad. I met a couple chums there so I had someone to talk to at least.

When I got back I found out that I was drafted, but I don't know just where I'll be going as yet. It seems rather difficult to get back into the old grind after such an enjoyable, but all too short a leave. I find myself wanting to come back already.

I suppose by now Carol & Marion have become well acquainted with their new teachers & classes. I hope they will get along all right in their studios.

I sure was glad to have you

you folks down on Wednesday evening and I surely enjoyed myself. I guess Gramp was rather tired seeing as it was after his bedtime. Give him my best, and tell him I am fine. I often thought since I left that he would be rather lonesome without Grandma, but I guess his plants & what not keep him occupied.

By the way when I arrived on the morning of the eleventh there was a letter from Helen waiting for me. So it couldn't have wasted much time. I guess she really misses me after the way I missed her for the last 3 weeks. She'll probably get some sleep now. If all else I find little to write about as yet so will close for now. Lots of love to all. Say hello to Marion & Carroll for me.

Lovingly
 "Chick"