

June 10

Dear Mrs. Rudis,

a letter from L. A. tells us that you have had letters from Hursh, himself. I want you to know how relieved & happy we are. We were almost in despair as the days went on. He seemed to be one of the last ones to check in. Also, to know that he is in good physical condition - well you are one of the lucky ones!

Bob's mail is weeks behind so he apparently doesn't know any of the good news yet, as he is still hoping that Hursh

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wouldnt it be wonderful if they could meet over there. Bob met several 104th boys in London, so some of them are making time there. Bob has left London again for S. Eng. but will be back again.

whether he could get to Turkey still is doubtful as he can go only where his work takes him. Bob and his friends have played hide + seek all of these months. Only one meeting has worked out. He had three days in Paris with a sailor, who lived in the same house with him in college - and the son of my best friend.
what the future holds for

our boys - ³ we can only guess.
I doubt if H. will be sent in
to the Pacific, now. We do not
even know what Bob's real
wound is or whether he will
be put back into active service.
He seems to be able to do
everything that he has ever
done so we are not worrying.

I am hoping that Japan will give
in before too long. I would hate
to have the boys start in another
war.

Remember me to your sister,
Florence and tell her how happy
we are - as Hersie seems almost
like a part of our family now.

Thanks for returning
pictures!

Sincerely,
Edith Hall