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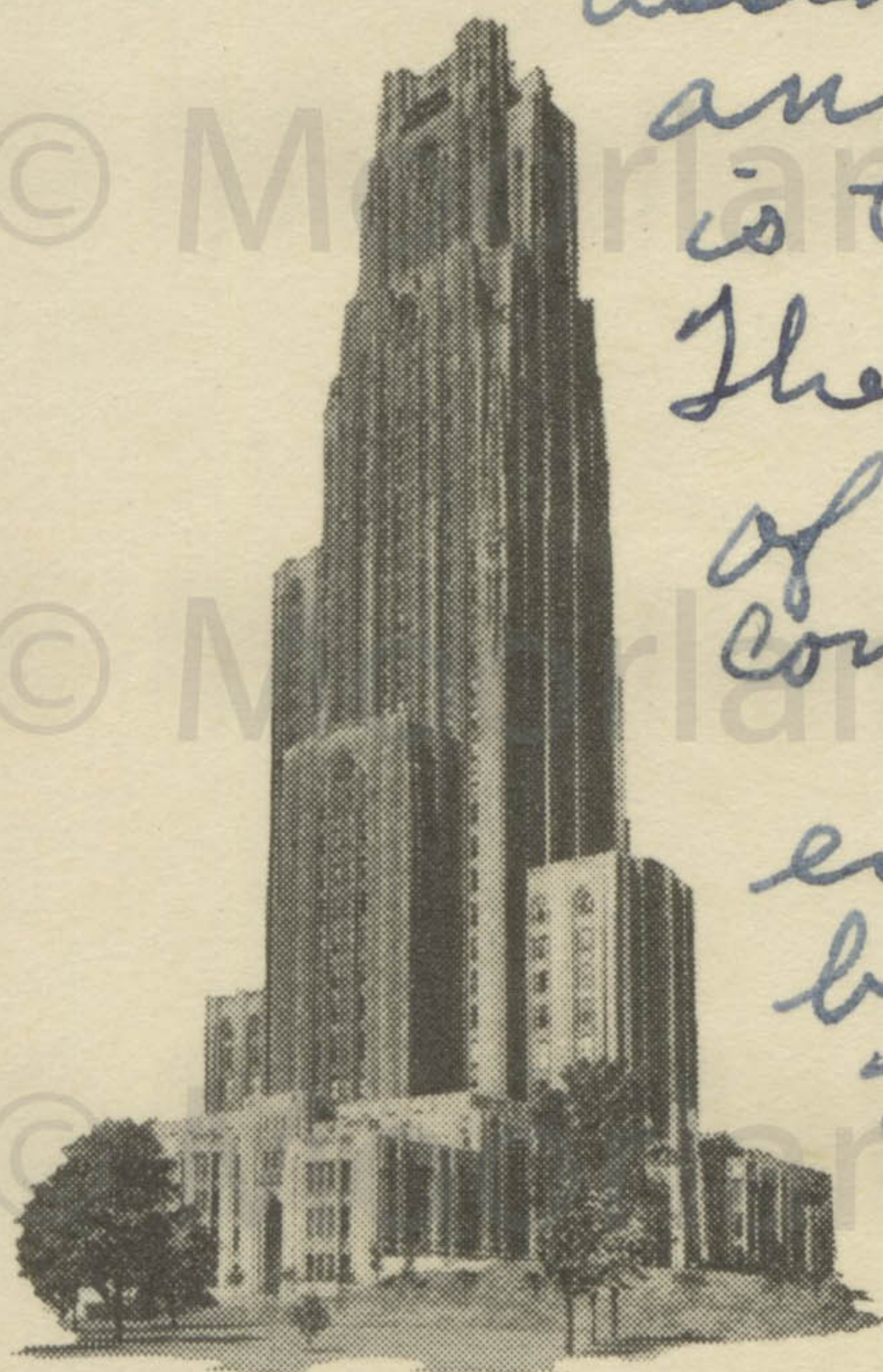
Dear Dr. Tate,

I was very glad to hear the news of the Howard community. I hope that the school is shifting back to normality. I have also heard news of our engineering comrades through people here in Pittsburgh. A bit more news that I add here is that we are being reduced to one; Farmer is being transferred to Penn State University on the basis of his term III in engineering being incomplete. Technically, he is a BE II, and Monday he leaves to join the other boys from BE-II who are already at Penn State. That leaves me in the company of 185.

The course in Chemistry is quite difficult but very interesting. It takes a long time to do each week's assignments in problems, questions, and analyses, but doing them, I find, is the surest way to learn Chemistry. The little quizzes at the beginning of each recitation have become common to us.

It would take me three week-ends to see five plays. The interval between the new week is so short.

The play "Connecticut Yankee" is playing here. I may see it.







Have you heard of the other BETH's?  
 I do not know what the next term of this program will be like, but it has been said that there will be certain subjects to choose from including a language.

Well I hate stop here, but I feel that old urge (necessity) to start on this week's Chemistry grind.

My best wishes to the Howard community.

Yours truly,

Pfc. Thomas A. Sharpe

P.S. Thanks very much for the snapshot. I showed it to the boys and someone exclaimed, "Of all the students, who looks like he's about to fall asleep?" - Tom.

