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Dear Sir,

I received my Howard Bulletin and was exceedingly glad to hear from the Old School. Sitting here on the Front lines in Italy it helped for a nite to vanquish all the cares and woes of a Company Commander, & believe me they are many. Back in the days of my years on the Campus, never did I believe then that at some later date I would be worried about whether my men would get Trench foot or some other strange disease. Or whether or not men would get fed today or tomorrow or even where we might be in the next 24 hours. But here we are, myself and my officers, constantly thinking about
these things. Well do I now appreciate the days I spent on the Campus and the days of minor worries of whether or not I would be in school when the "Grass grows Greener."

There with me are many Howard Men. I'll try to name a few and what they are doing. First of all there is Lt. Alfred L. Savoy who commands one of the platoons in my company. He is doing a fine job and many of his men have been recommended for the Silver Star. Lt. Harry S. Davis who is executive officer of Co. B, same Regiment and same APO. Lt. George P. Thomas, 365 Inf. APO 92 c/o PM N.Y.C., N.Y. He is Communication Officer. Lt. John Hunter, 365th Inf. Lt. Edgar McDonald, 365th Inf.; S/Sgt. Andrew J. Howard III, who is...
The Sergeant Major of the 1st Bn 371st Inf. and many others who I can't think of now. Those I have marked are serving on the Front line with Infantry Units and they are certainly doing a fine job and should make those of Howard feel very proud of them. I am sure they would appreciate it if you could arrange it so that we could receive The School paper "The Hilltop.

Give my regards to Deans Thurman and Hawkins and Mother Hopkins.

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