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Dear Pete:

Just yesterday I received at last an ordinary-mail letter from Selfridge's, as per the enclosed. I am holding my breath until I get word from the Post Office here telling me the parcel has arrived. I will then continue to hold my breath until the package is opened and I find everything OK. If I do, I'll then write a letter to Selfridge's, on asbestos paper.

Please ask Chief Williams about the package of books etc., he was going to send me. Nothing has come so far and I'm getting a bit worried about that.

The Finance Office here is pressing me to put through the travel voucher for my recent junket. I've been waiting to hear from Colonel Pulling, or at least get back from him the carbon copy of the TR covering my trip to Switzerland. Would you please ask him about this and let me know as promptly as you can?

I am sure you are extremely busy getting packed etc., and therefore my writing you will perhaps represent an imposition on your good nature. But forgive me if so, and I'll try to reciprocate later on in some fashion, to indicate my appreciation.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

WILLIAM F. FRIEDMAN

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