

University of Virginia

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Dear Dad and Mother,

Hope you will excuse this pencil but I have been using the ball point pen all day doing case briefs and am sick of using it. It is thick and makes my poor penmanship poorer anyway. I haven't bought the typewriter yet but am weakening. If I should get a dividend insurance duck from the VA that just might do the trick.

This weekend I think I will go to Roanoke and try to see Uuck Pat, maybe Dunster Pettit, and also the VA office which is located in Roanoke. I don't want any foul-up on my G.I. Bill and this will be a good opportunity to see them personally.

Your letter arrived this morning, Mother, with the account of