

Barracks B,  
Cull Field,  
Wichita Falls,  
Texas.

Director, War Service Bureau,  
Rutgers College.

Dear sir:

I have read the winter  
letters now and then when  
I was able to get them  
from other Rutgers' men.  
I have intended sending you

my address for some time but  
have neglected to do so until  
now.

There are two Rutgers men  
here now beside me - Lieut.  
F. W. Flanagan '13 who came  
down as a cadet with me  
from Princeton on Jan 9.  
Blackman '20 is here also. I  
should have been there here  
two months ago but was laid  
up in the hospital for about  
three months. I am perfectly

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will again but at present  
am not flying because we  
have no ships to fly. Wash-  
ington condemned the Standarde  
we were using and now we  
are waiting for the Curtiss  
planes to be assembled.

Howard Huber '16, who re-  
ceived his commission here a  
couple of months ago, has  
returned to Camp Dick, Dallas,  
Texas, after acting as pilot



at the Artillery Observation School,  
Post Field, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Bingham '19 left here about  
7 weeks ago after obtaining a  
transfer to the <sup>402</sup>O. T. C.

Wishing you continued success  
in your work, I am.

Yours in Rutgers,  
(Cadet) Lansing P. Shield

Enclosed you will find snap shot of myself.  
L.P.S.



June 26  
1918.

Cadet Lansing P. Shield,  
Barracks B.  
Camp Field,  
Wichita Falls, Texas.

Dear Mr. Shield:

I am glad to have your address and am  
sorry that because of illness I have heretofore been  
unable to send you the service letters.

The news of yourself and of the Rutgers  
men with whom you come in contact is greatly appreciated.  
Thank you also for the snapshot of yourself, which will  
be placed with our growing collection. I am sorry to  
know that you have been ill but glad that you are well  
again and able to return to service.

The summer session starts on Monday. It  
seems only a very short time ago when you were rushing  
around the campus as the right-hand man of Dr. Elliott.  
He wishes to be remembered to you.

Very cordially yours,

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Barracks H.,  
Camp Field,  
Wichita Falls,  
Texas.

Director, War Service Bureau,  
Rutgers College.

Dear Sirs:

Since last communicating  
with you, I have changed  
my rank slightly and my  
address still more slightly.  
My new address is as above,

and my rank, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut, R.M.A.,  
which, as you may know, stands  
for Reserve Military Aviator.

I should greatly appreciate  
it if you could send me  
Ritchie's ('15) address. I received  
a letter from him while  
he was at Houston but since  
then have lost track of him.

Yesterday I received a  
service letter. The importance

of them to Rutgers men  
cannot be overestimated.

They are the strongest link  
which binds us to our  
Alma Mater. I have talked  
with a number of Rutgers  
men in the service, all of  
whom have the same  
opinion as to their worth.

I expect to remain at  
this field about two



months.

Yours in Rutgers,  
(Geo St.) Lansing P. Shill.

POST CARD



**Earl Reed Silvers**

**Rutgers College**

**New Brunswick, N. J.**



Address:

Ellington Field

Houston Texas

Lansing P. Shief  
2nd Lt. A.S.C.

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