

December 7th. 1917.

Mr. Harry M. Allen,

Juliestown, N.J.

Dear Harry:-

In looking over commissions granted at the second Officer's Reserve Training Camp at Fort Myer, I have not been able to find your name. We are of course very anxious to keep in touch with all Rutgers men and we would appreciate a word from you advising us whether or not you received a commission and if you have received a commission, what rank you now have and your address after December 15th. I sincerely hope that you will give this matter your immediate attention so that our college records may be as complete as possible.

Very sincerely yours,





Earl Reed Silvers

Rutgers College

New Brunswick, N. J.

May. 18, 18

Dear Sil :-

Arrived safely at Camp  
Meade Md. My address is :-

H. M. Allen

4<sup>th</sup> O. T. S.

Camp Meade

Md.

B'l'd'g. AA 47.

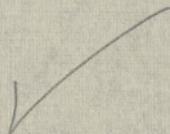


"LONG MAY OUR LAND BE BRIGHT  
WITH FREEDOM'S HOLY LIGHT"

Camp Meade Md.

May 18, 18

Mr. Luther H. Martin  
Rutgers College  
New Brunswick  
N.J.



Dear Sir:-

My present, temporary address is:-

H. M. Allen  
4th Q. T. S.  
Camp Meade

B'l'd'g AA47-

Md.



FOURTH OFFICERS' TRAINING SCHOOL

CAMP MEADE, MARYLAND.

May 22, 1918.

FROM: The ~~COMMANDANT~~ Adjutant,  
TO: Rutgers College, New Brunswick, N. J.  
SUBJECT: Candidate accredited to this School.

1. This is to advise you that Mr. Harry M. Allen,  
\_\_\_\_\_ a candidate, accredited from your  
institution to this Training School for Officers has been  
duly inducted into the military service of the United  
States, has been accepted as a candidate and is now en-  
rolled in this School.

*J. D. Farhake*

Captain 304th Amm. Tr.  
Adjutant.





"WITH THE COLORS"



July 4, 1918.

Dear Silvers:-

Please note change of address. We landed here last Fri night. You see the Training Camp has been moved from Camp Meade. That is, the Field Artillery Training School. There are about 4400 men here training to be Field Artillery officers. Sure are some bunch when you get them together.

Very truly yours.

H. M. Allen

10th Battery, F.A.O.T.C.  
Camp Taylor

H. M. Allen





ARMY AND NAVY  
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION  
"WITH THE COLORS"



Aug. 6, 1918.

10th. Battery,

F.A.C.O.T.S.

Camp Taylor, Ky.

Dear Silvers :-

Just a few lines, so that you may know that we appreciate what you are doing in order to keep us informed what is going on around the college.

To begin with will say that I met "Doc" Halcombe ex 14 in Louisville last Sat. night. He is a first lieutenant in the Medical Corps. Only saw him for a few minutes so don't know his address. He is located here at Camp Taylor. He is married. I believe his wife is staying in Louisville.

They surely are working us hard here in this country. So far it has been good weather. That is up until a few days ago. Then it began to get hot. Yesterday it was 105° and still growing hotter. Surely this make the sap run.

All the Rutgers men who are located here are in this Battery except Briggs is



to another Battery in this camp.  
He was transferred. Among the Rutgers men  
whom I know of are: Cloke '08, Merrill, '08,  
Jones '11, Peebles '12, Regendahl, '14, Fisher '15-(?)  
Hurley (2), Chambers '16, Meyerend (?) Beyer, Howell's  
can't recall any more.

Well, guess I had better stop, as it  
almost time to go on guard again.

Very truly yours

Sam Allen

Harry M. Allen.



Fort Sill, Okla.

Dec. 7, 1918.

War Service Bureau  
Rutgers College  
New Brunswick, N.J.

Dear Silvers:—

Letter ~~xxx~~ just reached me. Needless to say I was very glad to hear how things were running back in N.J.

Have been looking forward to this letter for some time. Wanted to find out about that football game with Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Sorry to hear it. Here's hoping for better results next year.

We arrived here about 3 weeks. Fort Sill has had the reputation of being hard. So far I have not found it so. We have to study, of course; but not so much as I had expected. We have signed some papers requesting our discharge. Hard to tell when we shall get out. Hope it will be soon. I am anxious to get back to civil life. The Army is all right as long as there is something to look forward to; but, since that incentive is gone, we are all anxious to get out of it.



Surely was disappointed not to get to go overseas. The Regiment was all ready to go over. Cloths and all overseas equipment had been issued. We were waiting for notice to entrain, when the armistice was signed and everything was off.

Have seen but few Rutgers men here ~~here~~  
Archibald '15-'16, a first Lieutenant, Mitchell '13  
a second Lieutenant. Roesch '15- was at Camp  
Mc Clellan instructing. Beyer '18? still at  
Camp Mc Clellan. That is about all the Rutgers  
men I have seen lately.

Here's hoping you have success in your  
collection of war relics. Sorry not to be able to  
send some. Guess you have plenty of such as  
I shall be able to send.

Yours for Rutgers

Lt. H. M. Allen

Ce Cars 47

Fort Sill

School of Fire, Okla.



December 12, 1918.

Lieutenant Harry M. Allen,

Class 47.

Fort Sill, Okla.

Dear Harry:-

Thank you for your letter of December 7th and for your news of the Rutgers men at Fort Sill. Be sure to let me know whenever you are discharged, as I do not want to lose track of you. If there are any war relics at all which you can pick up be sure to send them to us. We have received nothing from Fort Sill as yet.

With all good wishes,

Cordially yours,