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Dear Mother

I was very happy to receive your nice letter recently & many thanks for the birth certificate. It will be of great value in future I am sure.

We were very happy to hear from Beulah et. al as Milton phoned you last week that they were O.K.

We are all well here, generally speaking - Each day comes so fast on the heels of the preceding one that it seems hard to keep things up to date.

4-4-43

It seems I'm growing worse daily. Interruption followed by laziness. We are all quite well here & Milton's family seems to be doing quite well to - their ups & downs seem to be quite under control.

As we look over the city we see many small gardens & have been wanting to go to Milton's to plant some potatoes but just not able to do so to date. I do feel that home gardens are going to be invaluable.

Douglas Kenneth & Ruth are there & hope they are able to stay a long time. It is not pleasant to think of the war in any way concerning the boys going overseas - but it is a job to be done.

The other day Forrest with other boys of his age took an aptitude test with the view of determining their greatest value in this war effort. If we are to consider the post war condition many of these 18 yr olds must be educated to replace natural laws.

Tell me how you are getting along & especially if there is anything you need.

Summons hello for us all up here & I'm always very happy to hear from you when ever you have time to write

Lovingly your kid
Douglas.

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