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Dear Mr. Carter,

I have just this morning heard the news that Amon Junior is a prisoner of war. However uncomfortable this may be it is grand to hear that he is alive and, so far as I am aware, well. I can imagine how he will feel at being out of the show, but at any rate he is safe and also I imagine there is a good chance of Amon and the other prisoners being released when we capture the whole of Tunisia. I felt I had to write and tell you how we share in your pleasure at this good news.

You will be interested to hear that I have arranged to leave the Ministry of Aircraft Production at the end of this month and return to my own firm of Vickers Ltd. where I have a special and not unimportant task awaiting my attention. I shall take with me many happy memories of the friends I have made both here and in U.S.A., not the least among them being your good self.

If you are paying another visit to England I hope you will let me know, and certainly if I should have occasion to go to the States again I will surely get in touch with you.

Miss Hitchen is away from me at present taking a University course in Personnel Management. As you know, she is already pretty well acquainted with factory conditions but I thought this additional course in Personnel Management would still further improve her usefulness. It was she who rang me this morning to tell me the good news and she asks me to say how glad she is and to join with me in sending you kindest regards and all good wishes. I am also to send messages of affection to Mrs. Deakins in which I join.

Yours sincerely,

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