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14 East 28th St.
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My dear Bob:

We saw a Record Shop tonight on Sixth Ave. and went in. I got "Laura" but it was sung by Johnnie Johnson, instead of Sinatra. I saw another shop later and I will try there to see if I can get the same record by Sinatra. I got "I'll Buy that Dream" by Hal Mc Intyre — the only Sinatra I could get was "I Dream of you" — and you didn't say you wanted that. But, as I say, I'll go back to that other shop and try my luck. If I can't get them, at least you know, I tried. I picked up Bing Crosby "White Christmas" for Louie. He is a record fan, too, and I say

he has seen boys break down and
bawl over White Christmas, overseas.
I expect you have too.

We had a rugged trip here. We started
to fly from Kansas City, and got within
sight of Pittsburg, Pa. but weren't allowed
to land. So we flew back to Columbus
Ohio. We were there several hours, then
were flown to Wash. D.C. where we took
the train at 3 a.m. arriving here at 7 a.m.
when we were due at 9:05 last night.

"Rugged" is the adjective needed to describe
it, I think. It was all on account of the Lunatics.

We will start home Oct. 1. Bob, and
we will bring whatever Records I am
able to get. I hope you continue to
improve; and we will see you before
so very long. Sincerely,

Benjamin + Woz Banker