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328th Infantry Combat Team 26th Infantry "Yankee" Division

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Dear Robert:

Many Many thanks for sending me a copy of the PC Magazine. Your most informative article about the RBTC and ASTP was absolutely great...most interesting and informative.

I will be making about 100 copies and will send it to all our buddies. Believe it or not, we all still keep in touch and Providence College is the "glue" that keeps us together.

I also received an interesting letter from one of our comrades from the 104th Regiment. As you know, the 26th Division had 3 regiments (328,101, 104). All the ASTP were all dumped in the mud of Tennessee, (like us) but they were all assigned to the 104th. I should mention that they were ASTP at the University of Maine in Orono.

They recently had a dedication, similiar to ours in 1988, and they received the advice from the cadre at PC! They fashioned their ceremony after ours, and I am sorry to report that their placque had 53 names.

Keep up the good work! Perhaps in Sept or Oct I will visit the campus again...I would welcome the opportunity to speak to your history students and/or the cadets.

Happy New Year!

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