

Box 1576
Grand Coulee, Washington
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Hayden C. Covington
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Dear Brother Covington,

Please find enclosed a copy of "Substance of Hearing," the letter to the Attorney General, and a letter to the local board requesting these to be put in my file.

The date of my hearing was changed from May 4, 1954, at my request, to May 7, 1954 because we had our circuit assembly at that date in Spokane and would save on expenses.

There was no adverse or unfavorable evidence and the hearing officer seemed to be very nice.

In the event that the appeal board does not give me a IV-D, and is unanimous, I will again write letters to the State and National Directors of the Selective Service, as mentioned on pages 24-25 of the Procedure blt., unless you advise otherwise.

In writing to the Directors, would you suggest that, in giving reasons why they should appeal to the president for me, I should mention the Dickinson case as well giving the reason of doing it "in the national interest or necessary to avoid an injustice"? Would you suggest I put strong emphasis on the Dickinson case?

I will continue to keep you informed on developments.

Your brother
Richard M. Rawe
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