



UNITED STATES ARMY

Oct 13, 1949

Friday 11:00 PM

Dear Mom and Pop,

We just finished cleaning our rifles.  
I'll write more tomorrow - lights out  
Saturday 6:30 PM

Gee, I'm sorry I didn't write to you on Friday, but we came home late and then we had to clean our rifles. When we finished, it was only 10 minutes before lights out.

Today was our last day at the rifle range. We came home in the afternoon around 12:00 PM and the rest of the afternoon we cleaned rifles. The barrel gets pretty dirty after we fire the rifle all day. It collects carbon on it.

Boy, am I mad! I got KP tomorrow! That means I can't sleep late. But in a way it's OK. Breakfast is late and then dinner is early. And one one gets up for breakfast anyway.

I'm going to the movies now, so I'll write more when I get back.



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9:30 PM

We just came back from the movie. I'm going to sleep early tonite because I have KP tomorrow.

On the rifle range I made 180 out of 210 with 42 shots. This places me in the highest group. There is four classes. Bolo is the lowest or not passing; the next is marksman, that's passing; the next is sharp shooter and the highest is expert.

I didn't get a letter from you today but I know I'll get one tomorrow or the next day.

I hope the pictures you had taken came out pretty good. I'll wait for them anxiously.

We're planning to go to Starke next week end. It's only around 20 miles from camp. I don't if we can get passes or not but anyway, we'll try.

I'll write again tomorrow

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