

Dec 15, 1944

Friday 11:00 AM

Dear Mom and Pop,

Well, I had time to write this morning because we had the morning off. We had night problems last night till around 1:00 AM.

Our company attacked C C last night. My squad was given a certain route to walk by compass (about 3 miles) we didn't know where the enemy was and all we had to go by was the compass. Well, we made it all right and we managed to creep up to the enemy about 20 feet. It was then around 10:00 PM. We could hear the enemy talking so we silently crept up and jumped on them. We caught 10 enemies and one machine and a mortar. Our lieutenant said we did a very fine job.

We have this morning off so we washed up, cleaned our rifles and other things.

Tonight the enemy is going to attack us.

We just had a air raid alarm. We grabbed our gas masks, rifle and helmets and jumped into an fox hole.

Well, the mess call is about to sound so I'll write more the next time.

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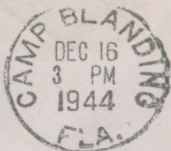
PS I'm getting your letters regularly.

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Monday Dec. 18, 1944