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HELLO MOLLY,

FRIDAY MORNING

NOW I AM BEGINNING TO BOMBARD YOU WITH MAIL, IT MIGHT SEEM, NOT EVEN WAITING FOR AN ANSWER BUT I HAVE A MINUTE TO MYSELF SO I THOUGHT THAT I MIGHT AS WELL DASH OFF A WORD TO SAY THAT I AM WELL AND THAT THERE IS VERY LITTLE NEW OVER HERE EXCEPT WHAT WE ALL READ IN THE PAPER AND THEN MY SOURCE IS AS GOOD AS YOURS. HOW IS EVERYONE OVER THERE? HOW IS THAT CANTREIN COMING ALONG? HAVE MANY OF THE BOYS COME BACK FROM THE TOWN? DID ANY OF THEM MAKE OFFICERS ALREADY AND WHERE ARE THEY NOW? HOW IS THE GANG AT THE BUILDING AND HOW ARE ALL OUR FRIENDS? DO YOU STILL GO OUT TO THE FORT? HAS THE PLACE CHANGED MUCH? WHO IS THE COMMANDING OFFICER THERE NOW?

I MET A FRIEND OF MINE FROM NEW YORK WHO HAS RELATIVES OVER HERE. THIS FELLOW IS NOT NEAR ME BUT I AM NEAR THE RELATIVES AND ONCE ON A FURLOUGH I MET HIM THERE AND NOW GO THERE EVERY TIME THAT I HAVE AN EXTRA DAY OFF. THEY ARE VERY NICE PEOPLE. YOU MUST KNOW WHAT A FRESH EGG MEANS OVER HERE. WELL, THEY HAVE THEIR OWN CHICKENS AND EACH TIME I GO THERE I GET A NICE FRESH EGG JUST THE WAY I LIKE IT. THEY ARE NOW SAVING THE EGGS FOR PASSOVER AND ASKED ME TO COME DOWN THERE THEN TO SPEND THE FIRST TWO DAYS WITH THEM AND LONGER IF I WISHED. THEY ARE VERY FRIENDLY AND HOMEY LIKE THE FRIENDS I MADE IN WILMINGTON. IT IS REALLY GRAND TO MEET SUCH NICE PEOPLE.

I SUPPOSE THAT ARTIE IS NOW AN OFFICER. HOW DO THE FAMILY FEEL ABOUT IT? HAS ANYONE GOTTEN MARKLED OF THE CROWD THAT I KNOW? ANY BIRTHS? GIVE OUT WITH THE NEWS. WERE IT NOT FOR THE FACT THAT I MISS MY WIFE SO MUCH (SHE IS THE BEST GIRL IN THE WORLD) I THINK THAT I COULD LEARN TO LIKE IT HERE BUT I CAN HARDLY WAIT TO GET BACK. WHAT I MEAN IS THAT THE PLACE IS NOT SO BAD AT ALL. OF COURSE, SOME CAMP LOCATIONS ARE AS BAD AS SOME IN THE STATES. GIVE MY BEST REGARDS TO EVERYONE. SINCERELY

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