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either the trunk or suit-case please send them

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to Everett, they belong to my gun case.

Camp Jackson, S.C.

July 14, 1918.

Dear Mamma-

Well here it is Sunday
again. A card from Warner came
yesterday telling of his enlistment and
that he was on his way to Paris
Island, S. C. That is a little over 100
miles from here. He said he was
coming through Atlanta. I suppose he
will send me his address as soon
as possible. I'm glad he is in the
marines rather than the infantry. It
is a much more versatile branch of
the service and calls for higher
enlistment qualifications. Next to
aviation it is probably the most
talked of branch of the service. We
sure ought to be able to get together
as soon as he is out of quarantine.

I am still helping put up

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TO THE FOLKS AT HOME: SAVE FOOD; BUY LIBERTY BONDS AND WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

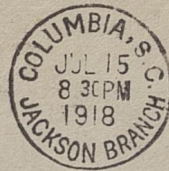
artillery targets. Friday, Stridler & I put one up in a tree 75 feet and that was fully 15 feet below the top of it. What will take pitch out of clothes-therpentine? Of course, we got some on us, off of those trees and it sure doesn't wash out.

Have had two good letters from Errett and a long letter from Russell Crabtree. If you opened my last letter to Warner you know about it but if you didn't he is in 86th Co., 22 Bn., 165 D. B. at Camp Travis. His letter is dated the 8th and he expected to be in quarantine about a week longer so he ought to be out by now. I wish you would look him up, papa, and have him in for dinner. He worked mighty hard winding up our business and left it in pretty good shape, I believe. Pat Wright is married and sailed for France the latter part of May. We are having some nice cool weather now.

Lovingly,
Jerry.



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Camp Jackson, S.C.

July 21, 1918

Dear Mamma -

Here it is Sunday again
I wrote you ~~twice~~ just before letter
#13 came & #14 is here now so I have
two to answer. Was mighty glad
to get the clippings and the letters
that is the first word I have had
from John since leaving. Have a
letter from Dimple giving their Los Verma
Calif. address & one from Warner giving
his address as 251st Drill Co., Marine
Paris Island,
Barracks, S.C. He doesn't say any
thing except that he is in an awful
hurry.

It seems to usually happen that
when you are moved your grub gets
there the next day or week & you
have to eat salmon, beans or tomatoes
every meal but I'm not in the least

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particulars and have an appetite like a wild man for all of it. We are getting good grub still.

No the solicitors haven't hit me for anything at all yet and after what you have told me I'll sure duck when they try to. That must have been a fine auto ride Bro. Leopard took you on. Have used gasoline quite successfully to get the pitch out of my pants and the next day after I cleaned them I went back out and trimmed up three more and got pitch all over them. Besides that, right near the top of the last tree while I was resting I discovered a nice white soft bunch of pitch & decided to chew it. The stuff was just a little too soft & the first thing I knew I had pitch all over my teeth and couldn't get it off. Guess I must have swallowed most of it what stuck to my teeth for I never knew when it came loose. No pine needles or cones have started to sprout on me yet so it must



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not have done much harm. Lieut. Du Bard will look over at a tree and say "Newby, I guess you are elected to trim up that tree." He seems to think I'm a squirrel. Rumors are still as thick as ever & if we were to believe all we hear we would have wonderful things in store for us.

Russell is still at Travis for a letter has just come from him. He is out of quarantine but still has the same address.

It doesn't seem possible that a man could have the nerve to run again for an office he had just been kicked out of. Ferguson surely hasn't a chance for election but he must have a well organized machine behind him or he wouldn't be running again.

You will have quite a long

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stretch with papa gone on the two
trips.

Have decided not to apply for
the examination for officers training
camp yet but to see what this work
will lead to. It may open up an
opportunity to apply for a commission
as an orientation officer and that
would keep me in this line of work.

The examinations for officers training
camp are to be given regularly and
there will be chances to apply for that
later but this work is so much more
preferable that if there is a chance
for me to ~~get~~ work for commission in
it I would sure wait for it.

There is just about time enough
to take a bath before taps.

Lots of love,

Jerry

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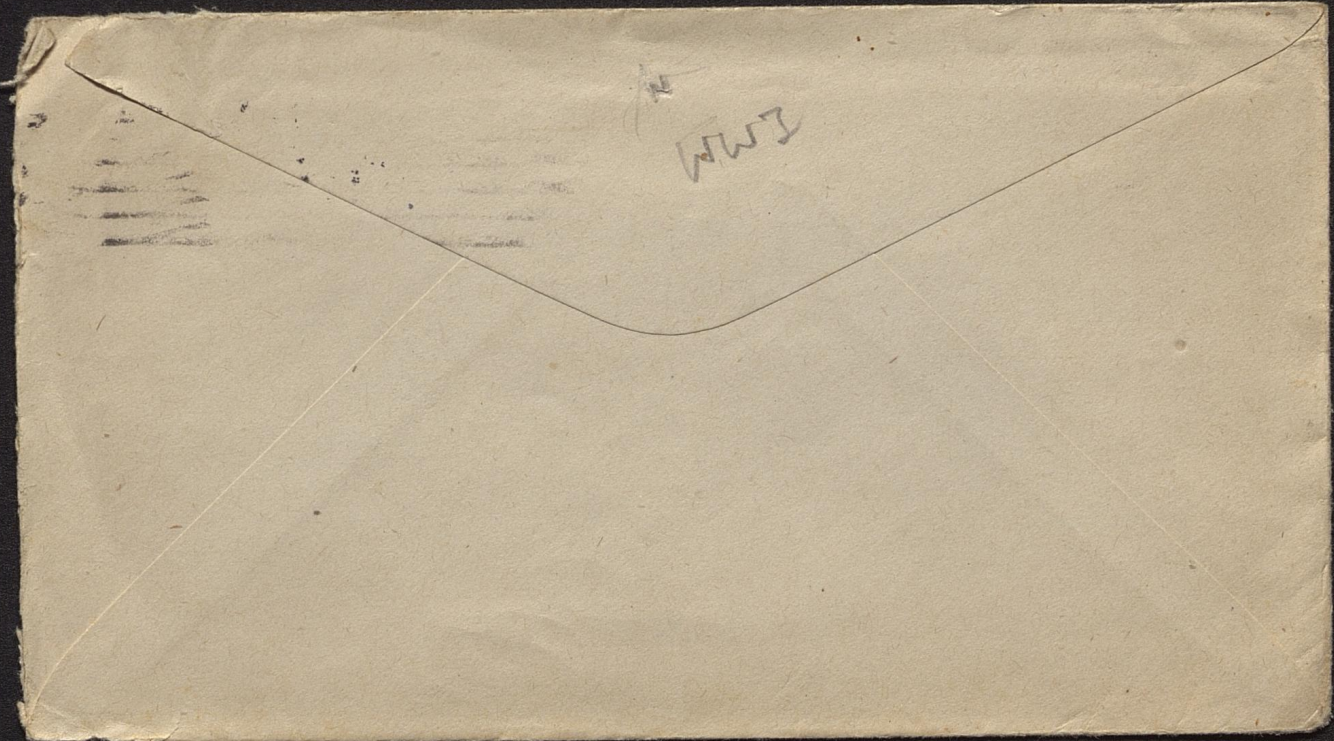


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Dear Mamma and Papa—

In again, out again.

We were all together last Sunday for a little while. Lola is looking pale, as though she was in poor health and the baby cries quite a little but is fat and healthy looking. The baby's eyes are blue without a sign of brown. Errett looks mighty well. They are leaving tonight for Washington as you probably know.

Warner's girl came Sunday too. She is small, about your height mamma, and fairly good looking with blonde hair and blue eyes. She looks like that kind that would like to keep house and be good at it. She is quiet, somewhat shy and not much of a talker.

I got out my big box of candy and we finished that up.

Am down here looking over some

territory that I have been over two or three times before. Expect to be back at Oklahoma City for Sunday.

Papa, how are you coming on getting those canners made and also the grates. I haven't decided yet what to do. ~~Tying~~ Tying up with Frank and Will and Mr. Klein is quite a complex business and I don't know yet how it can be straightened out.

with lots of love,

Jerry

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Dear Mamma and Papa-

Your letter of the third came today. Last night I woke up several times and heard little mysterious sounds and this morning when I woke there was about three inches of snow on the ground. That means no work for three days anyhow. I am thinking of going into Oklahoma City to wait till the roads are navigable again.

It is sure too bad Sunday's meeting blew up for he undoubtedly helps a lot of people every place he goes. I don't see how he could hold a meeting in San Antonio without taking at least one good crack at the Catholics and if he took one it would

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for them.

From your description of that apparatus I suppose it is a protractor for measuring angles and I don't remember owning one of them. It is probably Warner's.

You ought to see my face. It has been close to freezing every day since I started out and driving in an open car has simply chapped my skin until it is a fiery red. The driver's face has chapped too and he lives out here.

We saw a pair of bald eagles a day or so ago. They were sitting on telephone poles and let us drive up within about 50 feet before flying.

Lovingly,
Jerry:

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AMARILLO, TEXAS, *March 16,* 191*2*

Dear Mamma and Papa -

I have been out here yesterday and today. Yesterday a man drove me up to see a gas well about 30 miles north of town. It was located by Dr. Gould and is on a nice anticline. He says it gauges 15 million but an old oil man here who saw it open says it is nearer eight million. They got the gas at 1700 feet and it is quite possible they would get much more gas and perhaps some oil or lots of oil deeper down. This is so far from any production or deep wells that no one has any idea what the sands are like and that is the most important thing here for there are lots of anticlines.

Today I rode down to a location on which a well is to be drilled in the bottom of Palo Duro Canyon about 30 miles south of town. At this place

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the canyon is about 500 feet deep and not over a half mile across. They are building a road down into the canyon to get their outfit down and that alone is going to cost them at least \$1000. And they haven't a chance as far as geology is concerned for there isn't a sign of an anticline and of course the outcrops along the canyon walls are so good there can be no question of the structure. The canyon is just a little peach. Along the top are two white beds of a limy cherty rock about 80 feet apart, then some light colored clays and then a thick bed of soft whitish sandstone. This much, about 250 feet stands up in almost a straight cliff in lots of places. Below the sandstone is a series of dark, red, pink, yellow, brown,

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greenish and whitish clays that show some striking color contrasts. Below this comes the Permian Red Beds to the bottom of the canyon. There are lots of scrubby cedars and sage brush and a nice little stream of water in the bottom. This is the canyon Dimple used to take auto trips down to from here.

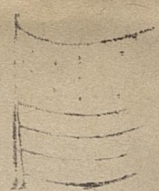
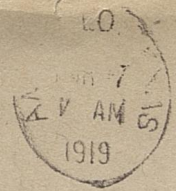
The wind is running true to form and comes from any direction at any time. The mornings are calm, though, and the days clear. Tomorrow I'm to take a whole of a drive, perhaps as much as over 200 miles and that will finish my work here.

It is supper time so I'll quit.

Lovingly,
Jerry.

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Dear Mamma and Papa-

Your two letters, mamma, were at Merle's when I got there Friday, I went over to Tulsa Saturday to see Mr. Munn. He is getting together a bunch of fellows that look like a sure winner to me. There is Frank Bryan, Bob Garret, Pat Wright, Harry Wright, H. M. Scott, Bill Williams, Bill Dodge, Noah Adams, two Gray boys, Huhlmann, Tracy Munn, Reese Hayes, and perhaps one or two others. Mr. Munn is to raise the money to back the bunch and get consulting work

for them. Of this bunch 8 are geologists, four are assistants, two instrument men and one a draftsman. Each man will have a certain territory and keep track of developments in that territory, do any consulting work that comes up and scout around for good looking stuff. With that big a bunch working the thing is sure to win.

Don't look for those notes no more. I found them in my suitcase. Also let those chevrons go. They look all right as they are. Those shoes must be mine. I bought a pair of black shoes at Livingston when on the way through the park. Are they about worn out or in good condition.

It is hard to ~~do~~^{see} much when driving, if the curtains are up or ~~even~~ in one of these glass windowed closed cars so usually we go out in an open car.

Lots of love,
Jerry.

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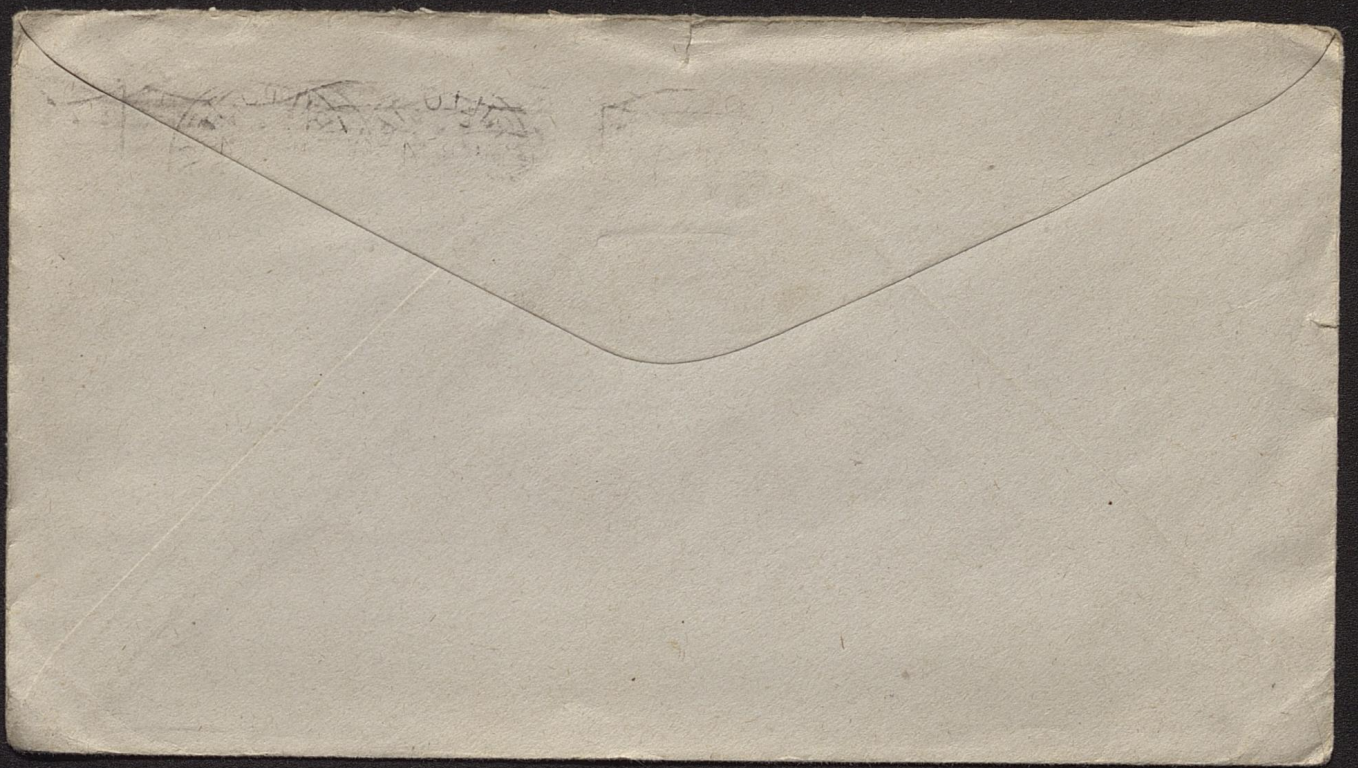


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Pampa, Texas, Mon April 6, 1919

Dear Mamma and Papa-

Another ~~day~~^{week} has gone and I still have no mail, have had but one letter in the last two weeks.

This is a little town of about 1,000 northeast of Amarillo. It is certainly astonishing to ride for a while on the Rock Island and then to ride on the Sante Fe. While out at Glen Rio there were four freight wrecks in a week and finally they turned the wrecker upside down in the ditch. The trains rock as bad as an auto when you are driving fast. The Sante Fe trains run at least twice as fast and do not rock at all.

Have been working out of here along the Canadian River. The river is just as treacherous here as it is in Oklahoma and it is a fair sized stream here too. Am going back to Amarillo tonight and up to Dalhart from there, probably.

They have just called supper, so goodby.

Lovingly,

Jerry

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