



UNITED STATES ARMY

Sat Night

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Camp Rucker, Ala

Dear June & Morgan

I don't know how or what to say to express my thanks for the ring. It is really swell and I sure appreciate it. You all have sure treated me swell being away from home like this and maybe someday I can repay you for all you have done.

I am waiting for the day that we can all be together again and I won't have to take off in week or so.

Monday night at 6:30 P.M.  
I have to go up for my final Warrent Officer exam and as I said before I am just lucky enough to get

it will be a good as thing  
that could happen, as I may  
even get to come home again.

It still seems almost to  
good to be true, to be able  
to live as an Officer and  
enjoy the finer things in the  
army, so I hate to get my  
hopes built up. If I do make  
it I will feel quite proud as  
it is competitive and anyone  
in the division can apply.

Hope and pray that I can  
make it and I will let you  
know right away if I do.

We are still at Camp  
Pucker but I don't know how  
much longer we will be here.

Say, we have German  
Prisoners here working on  
or barracks and beautifying  
or mess. Today we were  
watching them, doing a little



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prising. I said to one, "Gaw  
we is da super race, super  
dopen super race," and he looked  
at me and said, "Wat dit yous  
say." It sure gives you a funny  
feeling to be so close to those boys  
who look just like us and yet  
to know we are out to kill  
one another. I just hope if I  
am captured by them I will  
get as good treatment as they  
do. Most of them are the  
true Arian stock, tall and  
blond headed. Some of them  
work hard but you can  
spot the gold brick. They will  
make good V.P.A. material  
after the war and its remarkable  
how quick they catch onto the

German way of "loafing". If the  
Fuehrer could see them now, no  
telling what he would think.

The Master Sgt in our Bn  
was talking to me and asked  
him what he thought of us bombing  
Berlin and he said you all  
say it but we don't believe it.

One of them wanted to see  
<sup>(the way he pronounced it)</sup>  
Chicago to see how bad it was  
bombed. Others couldn't under-  
stand how New York was rebuilt  
so fast after the bombings it has  
taken. No telling what the Fuehrer  
has fed them.

Well kids again, thanks  
a million I will write you all  
soon. Is Bob still doing  
all that "div bombing"?

Love

Owen