

Wed. Letter.

3:00

3-8-44

Hi Dear Family!

Yep, it's my day off & I'm still here in camp. I'm dead tired so I think I'll try to catch up on some of my letter writing & then go in about 6:30 or 7:00 & meet some of the boys.

Have had a shower, shave, & dinner - meat loaf, corn, Potatoes, lettuce, etc. & really feel swell.

I still have the letter here that I wrote you last week so I'll mail 'em both together this eve. Rec'd one from you & one from Grandma this morning & am gonna answer 'em as soon as I finish this one. Love her 2 now. She sent hers via 3rd mail & it was stamped at the same time as your air mail letter & both arrived at the same time. How do mine come thru?

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I can't believe that Junior Falls is dead! He was Tail Gunner on a B-24. He was the only one I ever saw who could beat me away from a traffic light. Its guts like that have to be killed. That's one more score I have to settle! I will!

Grandma sent me some clippings about that Gen. S/Sgt. in Eng. who is the said father of the quadruplets. What a You think about that? He musta been swim'ing a rain & day, or somethin'!

We didn't fly this morning because of a shortage of available planes. We did have to stick around tho' till 10:30. The told us this morning that you are due for more cold weather. Let's see it this night.

The afternoon mail is here now & I rec'd a letter from Emmy. She is really swell about writing! She sure is nuts about that buddy o' mine, Bob!

I think your idea about the paper is swell. It'll save a lot of trouble & expense & I wouldn't have time to read it all any way. Thanks!

Did I tell you that one of the guys got a radio from home? We haven't had one until it came & it sure is swell to listen to music over one for a change!

Judd & Pomeroy have bought an old Essex "Super Six"! - \$100. I didn't go in on it cause I figured it was a waste of money. It runs pretty good except that it uses oil to heat hell. Suppose you can send me a "T" Stange once in a while? If you can, swell; if not, it's perfectly okay.

And ~~Pomeroy~~ Kilgore is back in the hospital again with tonsillitis. Hope I can stay out! I'm sure to win!! Hate to quit but I think I'll

~~Now~~ crawl into the "old sack" for a
while so till next time ~

I love you all ~

"Whit"

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