

ARMY TECHNICAL SCHOOL



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Hi folks:-

Well, here I am in a hospital! Didn't think I'd be in one this soon. It's nice here. There are 34 beds & some of them aren't filled. Boy, everything is so immaculate here.

I guess they are going to starve me. Got every thing out of my system so I won't have to see my return. The nurse, a 2nd Lt. - & who, by the way, is plenty all right - said I was to get supper tonight & that I wouldn't eat from then on.

The doctor is a captain & seems to be a swell guy. He said something to the nurse about a couple of shots - or something - for one tomorrow. I'm not sure but I don't think they'll operate for 2 or 3 days till I'm cleaned out.

I suppose I should be scared
 but I'm not in the least. Guess
 it's the temper + stubbornness in me.
 Guess if I had the guts to take
 Fort City + laugh at it at the same
 time I can take a little operation
 like this. By the way, I don't think
 I ever told you that the time I went
 on sick call at Fort City for a cold,
 stomach cramps, chills + all that
 I had a fever of almost 102 + they
 gave me some pills - aspirin!! I
 guess I can take what they can
 dish out here too! How about it?

Send my necessities + stuff right
 away will you? I can use them for
 gifts while I'm here too. Just
 address my stuff to the Barracks.
 It comes over here from there. I'm
 in Station Hospital - Ward A-10 in
 case of any emergency.



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Squaw they're gonna shove
my ass in a few minutes
I'll have to love this quick. No,
Dad they're not gonna use a rod
my!

I'll phone as soon as possible.
I'll write again soon. Now
don't worry!! What the heck—
I'm not!! Good luck—

Love
your cocky &
chappy
side &
would be
stunned
Bro.

Chappy

