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I'm hoping, but just between us you'll be a lucky guy if we can get about the attachments to your letter. I've had a glance at them and they look like good stories. However, I'll never look at them again. Enclosed is a copy of the letter I sent Chick enclosing the story.

This will be a piecemeal letter. I'll be adding things as they come up.

Re: FSA picture, "Our Daily Bread". Please give both FSA and photographer credit for it.

On the dog story, concerning which I wired you, I spoke to about a dozen officers and clerks of varying ranks and was informed that none of them either use dogs or know anything about it. A few suggested they had heard something, one said he thought he had seen a news story about a lieutenant who was a dog-lover who was doing something with them, but I drew a blank. I spent the rest of the day on this unsuccessful effort, and I am convinced that if something is going on or is known here, its in an obscure little hole someplace and nobody knows or cares about it.

Monday late pm. If I didn't know you were badly burned and feeling low I'd call you a bum. I cancelled a couple of appointments for today and have been patiently waiting for your letter, which hasn't arrived. My date re: the Soviet articles is for noon Wednesday. I should be able to let you know by mail Wednesday night.

Later Monday. Your letter just came, and from the postmark I know you mailed it in time to be here 7am. However, it is too late to do anything about it today. I've left work for Chick that I'd call him in the a.m.

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Here are a couple of title suggestions for the Morgenthau picture:

- America's Marching Orders
Our Marching Orders
Victory Begins At Home

The first two come from the text.

How are you now? Better, I hope. Regards

Harold
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