

Dear -

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Service Club



U. S. ARMY

Having  
finished my  
3rd tour of  
duty in

sitting in the guardhouse  
where a visiting officer  
has set himself in the talking  
business. I remember you  
admonition & am getting a hair  
cut. I should be in bed, because  
I'm tired, but I'm almost  
asleep. I had trouble falling asleep  
last night, & the last one I  
don't believe I got 15 continuous  
minutes of sleep in the 2 hrs I  
was out. After my back hurt  
so much when I did get up I  
almost couldn't make it. I crawled  
in the way to the ~~guardhouse~~  
guardhouse & it really almost  
knocked me down. Next time  
with the talk unit. I'm feeling better

now. And I have only 2 more  
traces of duty left. I have just  
been forbidden of there are 2 hours  
left in which I'll try to rest.

I feel a lot better, & I anticipate  
no further difficulty in my guard duties.

Apparently though, as soon as  
some of guard will be leaving in an  
overnight bivouac. That should be fine.

Anyway, dear, I'm quite happy  
you were here before I did guard. As a  
matter of fact, we went on the alert  
yesterday.

I have heard from Al, and told  
you, & Brava, that I find time to  
answer them before mail goes (3 pm)  
and otherwise their letters.

Be careful how much of  
this & the yesterday letter you pass on  
to M. I don't want him to get excited.

Love  
H.M.D.

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U. S. ARMY

Hi Bill

Wish, Willie, Max

How's the good. I have finished my  
 1st scheduled guard now. I be-  
 lieve me, baby, I'm all in - and do  
 I ache & pain! But because I'm  
 on guard, I may be spared the an-  
 niger because the rest of the boys want  
 m. Even if I have to take guard  
 again for the next 24 hours, I'll be  
 better off. I honestly think I would  
 give up on a hike.

I'll write, of course, but first. Also  
 are the letters from Al W + Diana.

Please get me that circular as  
 soon as you can. I may need the  
 knowledge now, at the pace we are going.

Really, does Miss I can keep up  
with it. Again, Miss my intention  
a not you should talk to Miss  
Living our with Mr. Personally I  
feel it would be good to do so, but I  
abide by your judgment. If you think  
yes, & the Misses after making it over,  
that I might be able to do something, then  
I'd like very much to see Miss as soon  
as possible in N. Y. We are in the city  
now, but I don't think it will last for  
long, & I'm beginning to feel it leave off  
me. If I when the letter is left I might  
be able to get to N. Y. C. Anyway, let me  
know soon, dear, because my new days  
like the past will be very bad.

I got no letter from you today. I  
hope it's just that ~~you~~ the mail  
was delayed, not that the trip was too  
much for you.

Love  
Hilda