

Sunday afternoon

Dear Folks,

Well, another week is past. This makes me just that much nearer to something or other. I haven't received many letters from you this week so I am wondering about how things are coming back there.

I have been taking care of my sick boys so nothing very exciting has happened to me. The rest of my time has been spent working in or for the supply room. Yesterday afternoon I went with the supply sergeant to the main post to get the laundry.

I was pretty lucky in getting off of my sick hut job today. The job was given today to someone as ^{mild} company punishment.

We don't have to get up on Sunday mornings so I slept over for once. I wanted to go to church so when I woke up I looked at my watch to see what time it was.

It was only 8:20 so I had over an hour and a half before church time so I merely turned over and went back to sleep. The next time I woke up it was 8 minutes till ten. I really flew around and by double timing (running) a little I got there just as the crowd was arriving.

I don't know whether ~~or not~~ I told you or not but I got the books you sent me the other day. I also got a letter from Uncle Ernie this week that had a dollar-bill in it. So Christmas isn't ~~over~~ over for me even yet. If I get a chance one of these days I think I will buy me a leather toilet article case with it. They are something like a small suit case. The apron you gave me is very handy to use but it is always coming unrolled and spilling things all over the street when I am on my way to the wash room. I hope you won't mind too much about this.

I suppose you had the sale yesterday. I wonder how things came out. Maybe you can tell me about this if you can't think of anything else to write.

Oh yes I wanted to tell you that the Tribunes are coming to my new address. I am beginning to get the news again.

That's about all I can think of so

Love
Donald.

Sunday night

Well I managed to get my package ready this afternoon. I will send it out the first chance I get next week. I sent my Christmas cards mostly just so you could enjoy them, too. You don't need to save them unless you just put them in with a bunch you happen to have. You will save Janette's picture for me & the other pictures you can put into your album. Richard can whittle the U.S. Army off the soles of the shoes to make civilian shoes if he wants to.

Donald.