

Wednesday

Dear Folks,

Now I am living in the woods. You should see the place where we are + benched! It is really a jungle. It is pretty heavily wooded and just covered with bushes. And to top this off the area is full of holes and ditches of every imaginable kind. You can hardly get through in daylight and boy what a job it is at night!

We took all morning Monday to get out here then on Monday afternoon we each dug us a fox

hole by our tent. Everyone must have a fox hole in order to protect himself from a tank attack (under combat conditions so we must do it).

Monday and yesterday we had the most beautiful weather you could want. But it rained some last night and it has been raining off and on today.

I had the honor (hi!) of being on K.P. yesterday so I wasn't out with the company. But of course they let us off to go on the night problem last night. The night problem consisted mostly of a march.

We were supposed

to get this morning of
~~this morning~~ to rest
up from last night.
But since this is the
first time we have
had daylight to even
wash we aren't resting
much.

I have spent the
morning mostly on details
with just enough time
off to wash, shave and
clean my rifle. It is
just noon now and
I am expecting any time
to have to stop writing.

I got 2 letters and
a package from you
on Monday night. We
can't have lights out here

so the batteries won't
do me much good for
the next 2 weeks but
boy the candy bars sure
will. I may not get
much of the fooding done
but I am going to grab
every second I can.

I am still well and
coming along O.K. and I
hope you are too.

Pardon my scribbling.

Love

Donald.

I forgot to tell you
that they cook the meals
back in the kitchen at
camp so we rode back
there to do K.P.