



UNITED STATES ARMY

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Dear Folks:

At last I'm getting around to write you, we officially started basic training Monday and they are keeping us pretty busy. We've been on the range all day today firing our 57's and we do the same ~~day~~ tomorrow and Saturday.

It was just a year ago today that I reported to Fort Leavenworth for induction into the Army. It doesn't seem like a year has gone by until I stop and think of all the things I've done and of all the things that have happened. It seems sort of funny to think that Kenny has been in about 2 months less than I and here he is already over there. I haven't heard from you for about a week so I don't know what you've heard from

Happy lately.

Thanki a lot for the money
I was out only kidding when
I asked for so much I hope it
didn't make you mad "Dad". I
loaned the kid I run around
with \$10 and we went to town.

I had a letter from Lt. Smith
yesterday, he's in Oklaida now, he
was telling me about his girl and
she really sounds O.K. to me. I'll
have to write him soon.

We get up at 5:15 from
now on and it usually takes
me about 5 hours to wake up
in the morning. It's time to go
to bed now so goodnight and
write.

Love

Bob.

P.S. Anyear from today I'll be
home for good ————— I hope.