

June 30.

Dear Falke:

Still here, damn it. I don't know what's keeping us so long. I guess the Army doesn't want me.

Sure had a fine time over the week-end. Glad that you and "dad" got to come to Hutchinson and bring Phil with you.

What did you think of Grace's father and mother, also her sister and her husband. They are really fine people. Mrs. McCandless hated it because she didn't fit you any dinner, but there were just too many of us, I guess. Thank Bob and Nell for bringing you, for me.

I sent Grace her pictures of Peggy ~~and~~ Lynn.

Has Norma Jean gotten to  
Denny; I suppose she has  
by now. Hope Glara is feeling  
O.K.; Norma Jean should be a  
big help to her.

Is Henry getting pretty well  
rested up. Tell him to keep  
studying those tests and to try  
to work them fast; because it  
requires speed and skill both to  
make a good ~~score~~ score.

I may be here for another  
week or maybe longer or  
I could leave tomorrow I  
just don't know when.

Grace sent me the letter  
today regarding the ring. I  
would really like to have the  
one with the ruby stone if it  
you don't feel that it's too expensive.  
The ruby stone 10K one is the  
one I had I mind ~~with~~

when I was ~~about~~ <sup>about</sup> though I didn't have the money then nor now. This Mr. Rooney is really a fine fellow. He took Grace and I to a carnival one night last semester.

Wish I could have been there to eat some of that home-made ice-cream. Saundgood to ~~at~~ me.

I'm working from 5 P.M. to midnight now. It's an office job, checking men in and out of the barracks, making bed check and running errands for the corporal. Pretty soft job compared to most of them around here.

It's almost midnight now. I'm going to write Grace <sup>and</sup> ~~and~~ go to bed. What do you and dad think of buying Grace a ring ~~when~~ I have enough money saved. Don't you think she's worth it? Don't worry about me, I'll get along.  
Goodnight  
Dob.

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