

Dear Folks: Sept 30 -

Thursday and payday  
for me. I got \$33 so I'll  
send \$20 or \$25 home. You  
had better pay Bankers a  
little and find out what  
my balance is.

Had a 16-mile hike this  
afternoon and it was pretty  
tough. The first one we have  
had in the afternoon for a  
long time and some of the  
fellows had a little trouble.

This week is almost gone  
again, I don't see how the  
weeks can fly by so fast,  
but they sure do.

Kenny has a night  
problem tonight so I didn't

get to see him. I'm sitting here now listening to the radio since there's little else to do.

Kenny, Ernie, Melvin and I are going to town Sunday afternoon just to eat and go to a show.

If they hadn't lengthened the training period I would be finishing up this week. I have 3 more weeks of basic training and 3 weeks of behavior so I haven't much farther to go. I should get a furlough afterwards, but I'm not sure I will. I get along swell with the company commander so if any furloughs

are given, I might get one.

My grades so far  
average a little over 95  
now so I guess I'm done  
allright so far. The tests  
are really easy but they  
have to be for some of the  
boys have never gone to  
high school or even grade  
school. I don't know how  
Henry is doing in his tests  
but he seems to think that  
they are easy so he must be  
doing O.K.

I haven't heard anything  
about O.C.S. or U.S. T.P. the  
last week so I should  
be hearing something pretty  
soon.

How is everything at home,  
I just heard that they were  
cutting gas down to 2 gallons  
a week instead of 3. I guess  
you two will have to start  
walking now. It's been so  
long since I've ridden in  
a car that I don't think I  
would know how to act.

I've been feeling good  
for a long time now, I guess  
the Army life must agree  
with me. Hope you two  
are feeling O.K.

I have to get a haircut  
now so I guess I'd better  
go.

Goodnight  
Love

Bob  
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