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Dear folk's:

Well I just got back from that 16 mile hike and I feel fine. It was nice and cool this morning, when we got back we got paid I got \$6.75 and \$2.75 off of that for my pictures and then \$1.00 from it again for the Red Cross so I came out finally with \$3.00 for a pay check, not bad but my allotment & bonds are also taken out plus insurance and laundry, let me know how much the allotment money is if you have it yet you should get it the 1st of Sept. They sure are sending a lot of men back home, all the limited service men are put on

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a medical discharge, none
of us Russell boys here are
on limited service and we
are all still together, my
wallet really comes in
handy, well now you can
do as you like with the
allotment as I took it out
for you, I'll dad to take
a quarter ab if and see
if he can't hit the jip
pot, I will split with him,
also tell Dan + Billy Mc. and
all bells for me, I must
close for now as it is
chow time and I am
plenty hungry. Thank's again
for the package mom it was
really swell.

Left Kenney"