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## Camp Barkeley, Texas

Dear folk's:

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Well I know I owe you a letter  
as I haven't had much time to write  
this week, Last night we had the  
party I told you about I got  
K.P. yesterday and all I did  
was eat fried chicken, + cake  
we really fixed the mess hall  
up nice, we even had table  
clothes, we served the boys,  
beer, cake, chicken, P. salad  
cigars, cigarettes, gum, candy,  
peanuts, apples, oranges, I really  
had a swell day even though  
I had K.P. Last Monday we

One hundred and twenty-five miles east of Camp Barkeley, "The West Begins"—so Fort Worth advertises. It is the chief livestock market, packing, boot-manufacturing and rodeo center of the Southwest. Men wearing Stetson hats, quite a few of which have been sweated through, can be seen any day walking the cement as if they missed soft ground. The Trinity River, adjacent park lands and Lake Worth, with cow country hills stretching beyond, combine into delightful landscape. A mounted Longhorn steer stands in the station at the air field. A stupendous plant for manufacturing bombers works night and day on beyond.

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had the infiltration course, it was really fun I thought, but it sure gives you a chill to hear the bullets flying over your Melvin left Tuesday I don't know where he is yet but I should hear soon they called him out for tee. school he thought he was going to Denver Colorado but he didn't know for sure, I hope he gets in a nice place it will probably be a hospital he will be there for 12 weeks and from there I don't know what they will do, Next week will be a tough one as we are going on a 25 mile hike, but this is about the only thing we will have to do, I have 40 days at basic left if they don't add any more + I don't think I will.

I received those pictures of the kids, you sent they were really good it looks like Harland is really growing, I must drop Mildred a line as I owe her a letter,

Well this is about all I have to say for now, I will try to write more after,

Louie Remy