

New Orleans
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Dear Gold's:

Here goes again for a few short
lines before I go to chow, I just came
back from the other end, which you
probably don't know anything about,
but I happen to run into Gene Buttic
didn't get to talk to him very long
but he looks about the same as when
I last saw him. we are going to
try to get together some way if at
all possible, hope I get to see
him before he leaves, we have a
lot of boys here from Kansas, and
besides them a lot of boys who
came from Gr. Riley, and they have been
all over the state, two of them were at
Russell the time they were there, I do your usual
I received your letter today, the first in
about 8 days, but I know the reason
why it is so slow.

I think I told you about my
watch, but I should have it back soon.
hope you get the pictures that Frank
sent to you, you see he had them
developed so he wanted to send them, and I
told him it was O.K. with me, I know
this letter won't reach you in time
for Norma's birthday but all I can
do is say "happy birthday sis" and
hope to be back with you again
soon, I will close for now as I
have to get my chow. so long for
now and please give all my regards.

Lane
Tenny