

Philippines
August-12-45
Sunday-2300 hrs.

Dear Dad + Whoever
else might be at home:

I can't quite keep track of
my family one day Gloria + Larry are
in N.M. and the next letter in Nebraska
and then to Texas and I know mom is
with Bob so I have quite a time just
wondering where you will turn up next.
I just finished another letter to Bob and
I do hope that he is getting along O.K.
and is about ready to come home at
least for a few days and maybe for good
sometime. I was very proud to hear that
he was awarded the Bronze Star, as
it is something that everyone doesn't
wear, because we know what he must
have gone through to receive it, I like
to think of my brother as a hero but I
don't think Bob would like to be
reminded of it and I know you will
also understand what I am trying to
say in so many words, as I myself
would like to forget a few things
forever. That I have seen

By the way I received 4 more packages mailed in March and 1 in April, and was surprised to find everything in such wonderful condition, there was: soft cheese-cracker slices, pickles, marshmallows, gum, candy, cookies which were exceptionally delicious and all the boys send their thanks and appreciation to mom. for thinking of me and they say when she sends a package they can hardly wait themselves until it reaches me, there is one thing I would like for you to send to me and that is some old spic after shaving lotion (oh yes I shave now like a big boy" I haven't seen any of it since I left home and maybe you can't buy it but if you can I would appreciate you sending me some.

Well that is just about all I have to say and I really haven't said to much, so please give my best regards to all & I will try to do better on my letter writing.

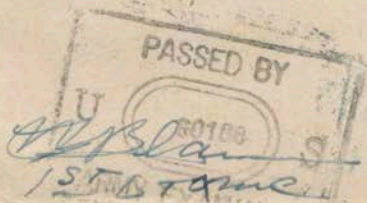
So Long & Goodnight
Tom Conroy

W. Conroy in the
and you know if I get
to see him.
momma

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