

"Wednesday"

Nov 26, 1941

Dear Home Folks:

I was very glad to get your letter. I was proud to learn that you all were O.K. I trust this will find you all well, as for me about the same. Did you all get the letter I wrote you last week, I wrote each of you a letter and I mailed you another letter this week. I don't see why you don't get them, I know I have answered all of your letters.

I was very sorry to learn of Lois Crump's death, I know what her husband is going thru; it is very bad. Do they had already written me about it. I don't know why Lillie don't write you often, maybe you

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should write to her more. I have got one letter from her since Ellis went home.

Guess you all think I am not coming home, but I am coming ymas if nothing happens as I have already signed up to get off but they wont let us have but (5) five days you see that is better than nothing. It cost me \$9.50 a-round trip on the bus, so you see I cant ride the bus much on \$2100 a month. I have never wanted to go home any worse in my life, than I have the last three weeks. you see it is not long until Dec. 22, I would come home in a air-plane if I could as I cant get there too quick at the best

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no way. Oh yes; I got the paper you sent me, I was glad to get it. you forgot to send Dennerd's picture, you said they had made. How long do the school's give off for xmas? mama; I am so sorry that I am not in any better shape to help Emma Dean go to school, than what I am, what do you think about her trying to go? You see I have got to pay on that money you got at the Bank as Ellis can't get out and get a job if he "farms," we don't want to have to sell the stock to pay the "debt." I hope she can get a job in a variety store. I know that she wants too do something for herself, but if you are not "able," we can't help it. I sure would help her if I could.

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Did Ellis hire Payton to help him cut wood? you never did tell me if you have to pay bus fare for Dennerd or not. The bus fare up here use to be (12¢) twelve cts a round trip to town, but now it is (20¢) twenty cts a round trip.

Did the Corn turn out pretty good? or was it like the Cotton? how is the Cows holding out in their milk? do you still get plenty milk & butter, and has Dert they got her another Cow yet? I am afraid you will be out of milk as Ellis was not there to see after the Cows. I had better go as I am asking too many questions. Ans soon,
 Love,
 Lenard.