

Oct. 20, 1943

Dear Gertrude,

I got your letter today but I don't know what day it came because I have been gone. I got a week furlough starting Oct. 13th the same day Waldene's did. I went to Scotland and stayed two days in Edinburgh which is the prettiest city I ever did see. There are many old churches and monuments to famous people. There was an old castle overlooking the city. The castle was built on a hill with only one approach and a draw bridge.

After we left Edinburgh we went to Glasgow and stayed two days. There wasn't as much to see there but we had a lot of fun. There was four of us went.

We left Glasgow and came down to Manchester and stayed one night and came back here and stayed to other two days.

Scotland and the Scotch people are much nicer than the English.

I sure did hate to hear about Bra McLure resigning. It won't seem like the same place without him.

Faye moved around so much I lost he [sic] address so I can't write her.

Find out what kind of airplanes Nolen is training to fly.

I got two church papers for the 10th & 17th of Sept.

Well I got to close and go to bed. Write soon.

Love,
Norman