

October 27, 1942

Dear Mother,

I had a good time in Spokane. Tried to find a U.S.O. But later found that there wasn't one there. Have you received my letter with the picture in it? I know that it is not very good but will have to do for present. We didn't get any liberty today as I stated in my previous letter.

It rained almost all night last night. The surrounding mountains had snow on the tops of them. We had to drill in the rain this morning. It will probably be snow in the morning.

I did not go to the show tonight [page 2] although it was our night. Because of a little trouble in the Barracks caused by one man that would not speak up we are all confined to the Barracks.

I am on guard in the morning from 6 to 8. I received a letter from Lewis today.

This morning we had bag and bunks inspection. Every morning we have personal inspection. I shine my shoes twice almost every day.

I will continue in the morning. It would not go until then anyway. Just found out that we have an intelligence examination in the morning.

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I imagine that the day will be busy for me so I figured that I had better close and get this in the first mail call. More next time

Your son,  
Tom D