

Nov. 19, 1942

Dear Mama,

I received your letter written the 16th just a few minutes ago. I also got one from Woldem and Max Nagelstein that went to Sioux City first then were sent on here.

Well I'm still in N. J. but I won't be long. Everything I don't need has already gone. We have an rifle inspection tonight. We have been ~~for~~ working night and day getting ready

and I think we are  
about ready to leave  
There is a lot to tell  
but I don't think I  
should tell it. I think  
I know about when  
we will leave but  
I can't say when. I  
don't know where we  
will go but we are  
fixed for cold weather.  
We turned in all our summer  
class.

This ~~one~~ will be the  
last letter for some  
times I think but  
keep writing me,  
and I will write

when I can.

Try to get everyone  
to write me but  
tell the mat to expect  
many from me.

We all want to go  
on and get it over  
with.

Tell Max I got his  
letter and get my  
address to Waldene  
& Robert so they can  
write me.

I'll be back when  
the war is over so  
don't worry. Keep your  
chin up and good luck  
Love  
Norman