

CAMP HANCOCK

Augusta, Ga.

6.45 P.M.

January 22, 1918

Dear Mother and Dad;

In this mornings mail received the package. It was very fine and I had the cinnamon buns for supper with a cup of cocco. I save half for my breakfast.

Tomorrow night I am on Guard. I get Guard every fourth day. I do not mind it anymore as I am getting use to it. Thanks to the Marshmallow cream my cold is much better. I am very glad you sent the ginger cakes they are fine and I love them. Everything in the box was in a number one condition and as usual packed wonderfully. Last night I had a compliment paid me which I appreciated very much.

The other night Dutch was on Guard as Bugler with the Artillery men. He must have been playing crap, that is he told me so, because one of my friends came up to me and said, Munder you weren't in the Guard House, on such and such a date, and I said No. He said, I am glad to hear that as I saw one of our Buglers playing crap and I new you didn't and felt surprised as I knew you were on Guard. He said, I thought you were above playing that and am glad you have not changed. I thought that spoke pretty good for my reputation, what say you?

I received a dandy letter from Ets and answer is already mailed. Likewise one to Aunt Florie and Aunt Ethel. Tell Bill I wrote, him a letter. I certainly hope he sends a return without coaxing.

Mail once again is coming down pretty good. It now takes a letter three days and sometimes makes it in two. It generally depends how good the weather is. Tell Dad I will be on the lookout for the Box. If you see Mrs. Pitts please ask her if she got my letter of thanks for Fred's gift. It would be very nice if you would phone her. Here is their address and phone number;

3448 N. 18th St.,

Tioga 6872

The number is not in the book so don't lose this letter. Give my love to Ma and Pinkie.

Lovingly,  
Howard.