

Bramshott

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My Dear Brother

This is Sunday morning and raining hard and cold terrible disagreeable I started wearing Gaiters yesterday for the first and I find it just a little bit cool for the bare breeches but they do feel odd but they are good for marching in and I wish to see an I wish that you could see me there is quite a bunch of us 63 fellows transferred to the Eighth fifth from the R L R that is the way that they do over change around from an Regt to another it keeps a fellow busy keeping the run of his platoon well Brother I will be in France long before you get this letter and I shall write you from over there and I hope I want for you to write after even if you do not hear from me as you know I will be a little more busy over there I tell you the allies are doing great work now according to the papers I think that this little affair will soon come to an end soon the better believe me I met Paul face one day last week and he is looking fine he was just thinking about going on for that is his ~~idea~~ his day pass like I was and he does not like it very well I also saw a very quick in the Garrison theatre last week had a little game with him he is terrible thing but feeling well he is not suffering very much as he just came out of Hospital I think that I told you in my last letter that I was talking to Colonel Cleveland for of the Bay

from home around here now that is from up ground
 the bay and other places fellows that I am ever
 white at seaboard I am glad to hear Lloyd that
 you have a good job stick to it and keep clear of
 the soldier's & I rec'd a letter from Dick Gladwin
 that is the fellow that keep on command at the water
 Ma a very nice letter and last week one day I
 had the biggest surprise of my life who should
 I get a letter from Miss Viola Scott she is in Ontario
 she said that she was going to write Mother and
 she also said that she was going home soon said
 that she was tired of living up there Lloyd I do wish
 that I was home with you all today & find the
 time so terrible long since I saw you and the longer
 away the more I think about home this is a tough
 old life Lloyd believe me if the day comes for me to
 get home again you will sure get tired of me for
 I will just stick around for about two months and
 not do one thing but eat and sleep you will have to
 tire me for the first three weeks or I will not know
 how to get in a house with civilized people and as
 she take latrine you are used to bolting my food
 down with both hands that I will not be able to
 last depend for 2 years I did not get my parcels
 yet from home now I am looking and waiting
 patiently for them and then I will be with

for two days I suppose that you have my photo
 by this time and will have yourself laughed sick
 come looking Oghe I would like to see you in
 with I told them long skinny legs of yours
 sticking out I would do come laughing at you
 I will dress you up in some when you get back
 and we will go out for a walk the way you

Brother I haven't very much to tell you this
 time I wrote to Brother yesterday I suppose I will
 have to write Elsie as she is sending me a parcel
 as has sent me one I should say very good
 don't you think you to have girls come to me
 Give my love to all I am in the best of health
 hope that this finds you all some time soon
 and tell me all the news I remain your

ever loving Brother
 look after all them girls of yours (that's)