

Topic: WWII

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To: Henrietta Raymond

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Dear Etta.

Yes it is two months since I wrote. but here it is the answer for that. When I got back, they cancelled all furloughs. They told us to pack & get all trucks ready for a long trip. When, we did not know. We only could guess. Some said Siberia, some said Burma, no one really did know. But one thing about every body was happy to know that we were really going to get in it. Then bang the Atomic Bomb broke loose & the Japs crisis I quit. That was what licked Japan. The word around here was Uncle Sam told Russia either get in the War now, or keep your mouth shut about the Pacific after the War is over. So it was avenged as soon as Russia declared War, they would drop the Atomic Bomb, as you know that is just what happened. And every one of us in uniform are very happy to know that the U. S. is the only one who knows

the complet secret about the bomb.
 Russia doesnt know, England doesnt know,
 France doesnt know, Germany doesnt know,
 We can be thankfull for that. V. S. is
 going to hold the big Air Base in Edmonton,
 it is the largest Flying Field in the World.
 And they will always have men stationer here,
 In Kiska, Attu, and all the Islands in
 the Aleutians, men will be kept for
 permanent out post, which is a grand thing.
 Well then we need a means to unpack. And
 all we have been doing up here is celebrate
 It has been a pleasure to relay and do what
 you want without getting in to too much
 trouble. I have sent some of my things to
 Mildred. (3 packages) I am going to buy an
 Overcoat, an a topcoat, up here and send it
 to her. I will buy my suits back in the
 States. I plan on getting out the end of
 Nov. (if I dont change my mind & recant) if I
 do get out then I am going to loaf around
 In it is so I hate what every-body

else is going to do. You see the change
would be too great to go right back
to work. What about these fights you
have had, nothing serious I hope, but
let me know anyway.

Love

Ed.