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Dear Frank + Inckel

Received your letter and package together. Thanks for the Candy. Tasted real good. In fact last night was my first hot meal for 10 days. That's not counting the meal we cooked ourselves the other day. We caught three chickens, cleaned and boiled them. Delicious. Also had about 45 eggs between 7 of us. Gee I'm all over that malaria. Wish I'd get it again. It isn't so bad. Had a letter from dad the other day telling me all about the heart attack he had. Certainly glad to hear that he has gotten over it alright. So Marjorie Burke is married. Boy it makes me feel pretty old when I hear of all these kids getting married. If I don't get home soon I'll be too old to do any thing but sit on the front porch. Boy how I would like to be doing that right now. How is Uncle Ned making out at work these days? I'll bet he envies Capt Lathiser. I do myself. Wish I could see that kid brother of mine. I almost forget what he looks like. Five years is a long time. Well I'll have to close now. Write soon. Keep up those prayers. I certainly do need them now.

Love
Frank

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