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TO MY
DEAREST
DARLING
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WISH YOU WERE
ON OTHER SIDE
OF TABLE.

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UNITED STATES ARMY
CAMP CROFT, SOUTH CAROLINA

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Monday

My Dearest Sweetheart,

Today has been a very hot day. My body has been sweating all day. It was a good thing I had a easy day today.

Review of the day,

Back to basic training under the new program of 17 weeks of training.

This morning I was in a fox hole while a light tank rolled over ~~me~~ ^{my head}. The fox hole is a protection against tanks. Its 6 feet deep by 6 ft wide.

During the rest of the day we took up the machine gun and anti tank mines.

As far as my specialized training goes I'm completed my course and outside the maneuvers I won't have wire communication at this camp any more.

Darling I suggest that you definitely go with Helen on your vacation if she goes because I won't know about my furlough till after my maneuvers and that will be over on Sept 4. When I get my furlough then we will worry about you taking time off from work.

My brother informed me that you are looking very good, nice and tan. I wish I could see how beautiful you look now. but you always did look perfect to my eyes so I guess you are as lovely as ever.



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Tonight was the first evening in a long time that I didn't have make-up in code. As for my code practice I've completed that also with 56 hours of it. I was up to 6 words a minute, which is considered good for the short time we had it. The radio section gets 220 hours of code but they operate the telegraphs and they have to do around 14 to 20 words per minute.

That's about all for this evening sweet.

I love you as always.
closing with a
good night kiss & hug
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