

# THE 211TH C A [AA] REGIMENTAL EXCHANGE

CAMP HULEN, TEXAS

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Dear Mother;

This is just a short letter to let you know I am out of the hospital and feeling fine. I was let out on Friday. Due to my high temperature I felt rather weak at first, but I took it easy for a day or two.

I am still working at the Canteen, doing a bit here and there. I don't really believe I will be here much longer. Soon there will be a shift in the personnel and I am sure I will be put back in the battery. I don't care very much where I am as I don't think it makes very much difference. It might be a opportune time to go back to the battery as it is quite consistently rumored that our battery will go to El Paso for a few weeks of intensive drill. That is quite a long way off and is supposed to be quite a place. It is very much out in the desert and on the Mexican border. However all that is speculation and I won't know anything until we actually are on the way.

Time is flying around here. Tomorrow I will have been in the Army five months and nearly half my time. I am sure that the second half will go even faster than the first.

This after-noon I plan to go horseback riding again. It is a beautiful day with the sun shining and and moderate breeze. It would be quite warm if it wasn't for the breeze, but as it is, it is very nice. Its a perfect day for sailing. Unfortunately I don't know anybody who has a boat although there are a few little cat boats on the bay.

I received the package with the socks and food. Thanks a lot. Will you please keep your eye open for some socks the same or of a similar type. I use up a lot of socks. The laundry is hard and the shoes are rough inside.

Lots of love to all.

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