

Bramshott Wants.

January 28/17.

Dear People at Home,

This is Sunday afternoon  
so I am going to write again, I  
think I write some nearly every  
Sunday.

I received your letter of Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>  
also the box. The box was just  
as good as the day it was packed.  
The twisters were nice and fresh  
just as good as when I used to  
swipe them from under the  
pantry table, they were a treat  
for us, also the maple sugar  
is good.

We got a pass yesterday at  
noon, good till 9.30 tonight so  
we came over here for a feed.

Irwin Nelson is over there now  
so he & I came over together  
yesterday. Jim is working in the  
cook house so he gave us about  
a dozen slices of bread and some  
butter after supper so we toasted  
it and dug into the apple-butter,  
didn't we have a blow out!



It is bitter cold here, has been for the last four or five days. The windows are frosted up in good shape and there is a bitter cold wind blowing. In the morning it takes no half time keeping warm, clapping our hands and doubling around the square.

About half this Ball " is watching the other half now. They have fifty guards on day and night watching the quarantine hills. They have the mumps well in hand now.

I just saw Neil & Laine also Russell Mc F. at the hut door. Jim is in the cook house & Ed. Martin is fine.

I saw the line up of hockey. Dick wrote to Laine & gave him all the news so I got the letter from Laine. If Lip doesn't write & give me all the particulars of doings I'll disown him. Probably he is too busy trying to win out with his 160<sup>th</sup> team.



I have had several pictures taken lately of one kind and another, they are not finished yet, as soon as I get some I'll send some over.

Lewie Ball & I were over to see Sam Callahan. He has had a hard time of it but seems to be recovering now, he is going to be sent to a convalescent home for awhile till he gets in shape.

The fellows here are getting well fed now and they don't know it. They waste as much as we get to eat. They certainly economize over at Bordon, it makes us appreciate plenty. The bread we get is good and the tea is good we enjoy that much of it.

Harvey Fjord is going away to Shorncliffe tomorrow to take a course in Bayonet Fighting & P. training.

I am going back to Bordon after supper. There are five



of us over.

Irwin Nelson & I got 12 blankets last night & we slept beside the stove, & slept in this morning too. I have just the apple butter & some of the candy to take back with me. The more of the box we eat the less I will have to carry.

All there seems to be very little more news this time. They are all well and are rather enjoying our experiences of one kind & another. You know a soldier would grumble no matter how he was treated but he is laughing the next minute & treating it all as a joke.

Love to all.

Russel.



Weekend from Bordon  
CO School

Jan. 19/7  
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