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P.S. I have to make our letter do for all. This time I have so many letters to write. The Same
Gary

October 11th 1917

Co. B. 167 Inf.
Camp Mills, Hempstead
Dearest Grandma, Lorena, N.Y.
Tinie, Orenda, Lydia Mae and Buddy

Yes you sure did treat us mean by not writing, and I am feeding you out of the same spoon. Say, I know all about what kind of a time you have had if you set up for two weeks. I haven't had a single chance until today to write for a week or more and now I have twenty five letters to ans. see how much writing I have got to do don't you.

I am in the Hospital again with Malaria. Seems like I cant get rid of it.

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Hope this will find all of you well. I would give anything if I was there to get peanuts and sop molasses with those good hot biscuits and butter. I'm not having out that good cold sweet milk either. We don't never get any milk, butter or molasses but we get Karo molasses and they are not fitten for a hog to eat. You said every thing was parching down there not that way here. We are having some real winter here now like we have down there. I have to wear my over coat nearly all the time. It will not be long now before it will

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begin to snow. then is
the time when it gets
cold here.
Oh, yes Gillman took us
on a surprise Sat. evening
that is he come to Camp
Sat. But Griel and myself
were in the Great City
having a most enjoyable
time. I come in about
one o'clock Sat night and
found him in my bed.
I didnt run him out
as one of the boys told
me it was one of my
brothers that I hadnt
seen in a long time
so I got in bed with
two of the boys that were
sleeping together. I sure
was glad to see him.

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He looks just the same
or I can't see any change
in him, Except the talks
like a yankee. Believe me
I sure did call him
down about that too.
Gillman had to go back
Sunday night so he didn't
get to see Griel at all
I sure did hate to see
him go without seeing Griel
I will have to beg
off for this time to.
Ans. Soon. Love to all
Gary

P.S. Address your next
letter this way.
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84th Brigade, 42nd. Div.