

Tuesday A.M.

Dear George:

I don't like to complain to any one in the service, but in order to have you understand why I haven't written, I must tell you I have been very tired. A civilian telling a soldier he's tired! But it isn't the kind of fatigue that comes from arduous work. The cold that I had seems to have stuck in my system and I have been so played out that as soon as I finish supper each evening I go to bed. A very exciting life - arise, eat, to work, home to eat and to bed. But enough about my rotten self. Yes, Bill Helprin is back, I

Thought I had written you he was coming back. He is the same as ever.

I haven't heard from Leonard Case. I wrote him 2 letters but never had a direct acknowledgment, although in writing GJB he asked him to thank me for my first letter. I thought maybe the guy don't know how to write, but he manages to write to GJB.

Business has quieted down considerably. We are in the midst of The 4th War Loan Drive. I have sold one \$25 bond and that was to myself. It is harder selling this time as each industry has its own group and are more determined to

keep subscriptions within their industry.
But I guess I'll wind up with the
same reliables as before.

I speak to Florence regularly
but skipped the days that I felt
dumpy. She is fine, although
very lonesome for you. Jimmy is
coming along swell. He has been
teething, and that is a bit
uncomfortable, but otherwise just
fine and dandy. I was hoping
we could get over to see your family,
but having to go to bed at 6³⁰
doesn't leave much chance. We'll
do so the first chance.

Richard is getting along fine. If you must remain so far from home, it might as well be in nice climate and for that reason hope you do land in San Antonio.

Am enclosing the Booklet you asked for. I understand it takes a Phila lawyer rather than accountant to know what its all about.

In my next I'll elaborate on the home front. It stinks. The S.O.B's don't know there's a war on. They're not interested in saving lives - just \$\$\$.

My best and loads of good luck
Sincerely
Mat



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