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Saturday morning,
Dartmouth, Devon
England.

Hello Doc.

Received the Jayhawk Rebounds yesterday and I certainly did enjoy it. No alibis are necessary Doc. We all have learned a little lesson in patience since we have been dealing with the forces. I am sure that I couldn't begin to hold down the job you are doing. I am looking forward to the next rebounds already. The human being is never satisfied. The more he gets the more he wants etc, and I know from experience that I could never get too much mail. Your work on the Rebounds is well spent, Doctor.

I am resting on duty now as permanent officer-of-the-deck at this rest camp. This is the best duty that I have had doc and I am taking advantage of it. I am in pretty fair shape now having worked off 15 pounds of fat playing basketball. We have a 40 x 100 ft. mess-hut to play basketball in and to use for a recreation hut. It serves our purpose.