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CAMP FANNIN
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Dear Doc,

Well since I last wrote you I have been transferred from a rough and tough outfit abd Ch. Stewart to a rougher and tougher outfit here at Ch. Fannin via Ft. Benning Ga.

I have a platoon of men ~~all told~~ ^{most of whom are} are 32 or over, most of them 12 yrs. older than I. They have a tough time of it but they work hard as the Dickens and really try. They remind me of a K.C. basketball team which always works hard and puts everything it has into the game.

In addition to that I have to lecture at least 24 hrs. a week. to things arssoata rugged here and I ~~imagine~~ I shall lose that extra weight you tried to get me to lose.

I saw Hodge just before I left Benning and he looked fine.

It doesn't look like I will get home for some time because everything is work here and not much chance of getting a leave.

Suppose Ray should just about a ht. by now. And a good one at that.

We live in Taylor ^{Belt the big. of} and it is not to bad. for a small town, Emporia.

What about all I know except I would like for you to add an address to your mailing list. this man was out for Fresh ball and I don't know whether