

Germany.

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Dear Mother, Dad and Everyone:

Received your letter of 26 Feb.

Real glad to hear from you again. I'm getting letters from you regular - the V-Mails and

airmails are coming in in about 10 to 12 days. It's nice to know

everyone at home are all right.

I'm still in good health, getting along fine at present. Sure would

love to see each and every

one of you. I'm sorry about

Ronald not getting his letter -

I always write both of them

when I write. I hope by

now he has gotten his letter.

Thanks very much for seeing

that Teddy had his party.

You can tell him I made the

same wish many times. It will

come true one of these days

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soon. I've sent several small  
souvenirs and think you should  
have received them by now. I'm  
enclosing in this letter a French  
coin. I've gotten me a mattress  
for my bed now and I sleep  
good when I stay here and  
don't go out on duty. I got  
a letter from Virginia & Ernest  
yesterday also. I've got about  
five packages from the States  
coming to me and I'm certainly  
looking forward to receiving  
them. I've gotten the bracelet  
you sent. It taken over two  
months to get here. I'm glad  
Dad has the Foreman's job even  
if it is on the second shift.  
It's more of what he is used to  
and best of all he won't have  
to work so hard physically.  
Tell him to take it easy  
and try to get on the day shift.  
Course I'm on salary myself and

work any and all shifts as they  
 need me. Ha! Hope James is  
 about able to go back to work.  
 Being off puts you in the hole  
 and makes one lazy. I had  
 a letter from Jim several days  
 ago. So Fred is back in action!  
 Well I'll keep my eyes peeled -  
 never can tell - I might get  
 to see him. I haven't seen  
 Clint for several weeks - don't  
 know how he is getting along  
 but all right I sincerely hope.  
 Weather here continues to be nice  
 and mild. I'm beginning to  
 think winter is really finished  
 over here. I'll be glad when  
 really warm sunshiny weather gets  
 here. Gotta go now - I'll be  
 standing guard pretty soon. Lots  
 of love to you and everyone  
 else.

your son,  
Eugene

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