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Dear Joseph:-

Just a little note tonight. Gem and I took a ten mile hike this afternoon to a dinky town. I took 12 pictures and I hope they all turn out good. Have you looked for my camera? If you price any see if they have a case to match because we don't have pockets large enough to carry it.

Did you receive that five dollars I sent? Send it back to me special so I can have it here Friday or Sat the latest. We are getting next Sat, Sun and Mon. off and I am going to N. Y. for a

visit. They say we get Mon.  
off and they also say it will  
be our last chance for  
liberty so I guess we leave  
here pretty soon. Come on  
along and see New York with  
me. It will either be N. Y. or  
Phil. I will soon see the  
whole U. S.

I will keep you busy old  
top seeing as you are not  
working. When I get to  
France I won't bother you  
until I come home.

Be good old top. Love  
to you all.

Your brother,  
Dave.