NEWS FROM THE FRONT

Hello Jim:

I received my second edition of the "Hoover Rail" today. Gene (Spig) got his yesterday and I borrowed his last nite and read it but I have read the one I got through too. Sure did like the pictures on the front and hope you can have one every-time.

I have been in the hospital for 23 days, but am getting out tomorrow, I hope.

I think I am going to have to start my training over again but hope not.

Thanks a lot for the paper and don't ever forget me. So long.

Pvt. Boyce Pritchard
Camp Pickett, Va.

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Dear Mr. Osborne:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the fourth copy of the "Hot off the Hoover Rail"; and I want to say I have really enjoyed receiving it and it has been a thrill reading it.

I suppose you do not remember me as I have been away from Lawndale so long now —only been back a few weekends, and I did not have long to stay and get around to see all the boys and friends. I have been away since July 1940.

I can say that it is a nice paper for the boys who are out on the front, I have been stationed here, have not shipped out yet, have been in the Electric School at the U.S.Navy Yard, South Carolina. I am now first class and will get my rating next month. I am buying bonds and helping the Red Cross all I can, to help win this war, for I want to come back to Lawndale and run the yarn reels for Mr. Charles Forney again and tell about how this war has been with us boys, I feel that I have done a part in many ways. I may get a few days leave some time this spring, if I do, I will try and see you all in Lawndale.

It gives me the feeling that you appreciate each and every one of your boys in the service. I think you are doing them a great favor by publishing this little paper.

Again, I will say thanks for the edition and am looking forward to the next copy.

F/C E. Floyd Whehunt.

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