

Dear Staff:



Just a short letter in between breaks of our moving to let you know I received the new edition of the Hoover Rail, and once again I want to take this time and thank you all for sending it on to me. It sure was swell reading and enjoyed it immensely. I hope you will always continue to send me a copy, each and every time you publish it. I was sure surprised though to see my letter printed that I had written to you, and again I want to thank you for doing it. As I said in my last letter to you, I'm not much on this kind of stuff and never wrote for any kind of magazine before, so I do hope you will forgive me if my letter was not up to par and not what you expected, as I really didn't expect it to ever be printed, and was surprised when I saw it. I only wrote it because I wanted to thank you all whole heartedly for thinking of me and to show my appreciation of you sending your swell magazine to me. Since I last wrote to you, we boys have sure been on the go and we are moving so much we feel like a bunch of gypsies, but all "figger" that each time we move, it's a step nearer home, and, boy, that's what we all want most of all. We crossed the great Rhine, and to me it was no more than the good old East River we have back in New York. We passed thru such cities as Mannheim, Heidleberg, Heilbronn and up to our present location, which should give

you a rough idea, if you look on the map, whereabouts we now are and whereabouts we are heading for? Our Division, the 100th, sure did a grand job on Heilbronn and, boy, those Johnny Doughboys sure did a wonderful job and it was a hard and tough battle, but when they got thru with it, then it was just like putting a baby to sleep. The news sure looks good and I'm hoping that by the time you receive this that this mess in Europe will all be over. Let's hope and pray that it will be and then on to finish those slant-eyed dogs off and end this thing once and for all. Well, I'll say good-night now and again a million thanks for sending me a copy of the book. Also thanks to Anne and Lib, the two old maids, and tell them I send my love to them both. Good luck and keep smiling.

From your New York Soldier Correspondent
Pfc. "Eddie" Schreiber
Somewhere in Germany

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Dear Hoover Rail Staff:

Just have finished reading the April issue of the Hoover Rail and enjoyed it more than I can tell. I believe every issue gets more interesting, and all my "buddies" seem to enjoy it as much as I do. This seems to be the first chance I have had to let you know how much I enjoy it and appreciate your sending it to me, although I have been getting it for three months. I couldn't tell you which column is my favorite because I enjoy them all so much, but I enjoy so much reading about the service boys and the home folks ('cause I feel like you are my home folks, too).

I am stationed now in Norfolk, Va. Have been stationed in Bainbridge, Md., where I have seen Cannie Wallace, Doc Cline and Bonell Queen.

I believe this old war will soon be over and we all will be home again, so keep up the home front.

Thanks again for the Hoover Rail. Tell all the folks "Hello."

Roscoe Wright S 2/c
Norfolk, Va.

