

LETTER FROM KOREA

Korea, Nov. 29th.

Home Friendly Club:

I have received two letters from you and now is the first chance I have had time to sit down and write you a few lines. I want to thank you very much for sending them and appreciate it very much. It is awfully good to get the news from back home when you are so far off. I see in the letter that I got today that Pfc. Cary Page is here in the 1/7 Marines. Well, where I am right now he is just across a few hills from me and the first chance I get I will drop around and see him. Sure would be glad to see somebody from back home.

We have had two snows here so far this winter and it gets awfully cold at night. We got all of our winter gear the other day and it sure is nice, but we still have had a few cases of frost bite so far.

The next time you write tell my cousin Dexter Thompson who is in Fort Benning, Ga., that I said hello and to drop me a few lines.

Tell all the guys in service I send my regards and wish them a very Merry Christmas, also all the people in Tryon. I want to thank you again very much for sending the letters and I look forward to the next one to come. My wife, and two daughters, Betty, Joan Hooker, live at Tryon at the present time,

but I am from over Mill Spring way.

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