

Camp Mills
L. I. N. Y.

Sept-12-17

Dear Mother + Father Brothers

I thought I would drop you a
few more lines to let you know
what is going on ^{and} ~~and~~ ^{find out} what is
happening at home.

I hope every one is well as I
am the same.

The weather here is rather
warmer ~~at~~ the day time but
at night is pretty cool. It is
close to the ocean and it is
a damp cold. I hope you re-
ceived the letters I sent a few
days ago. We have not been
doing much drilling lately
on account of lack of proper
equipment. A new issue of un-
iforms are being issued. Talk
about clothes + blankets etc

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we sure have um-

I and H. Sverengin went to
N. Y. Sunday while on leave
this is the first time I went.
It sure is some big.

There is a Y. M. C. A. on this
camp grounds. about 6 Y. M. C. A. is
for the whole camp. Every night
we have some kind of an inter-
tainment at them. you ought to
hear the bunch yell. ^{some} The bunch
up here say they wish they were
in D. C. For just one night
some of them are sure home sick.
It sure is funny to hear how
some of the fellows talk southern
eastern western big. Our bunch
was given credit for being the
best regiment of colored soldiers
in camp.

I metOUTH H. friend of the
D.C. signal corps (Pole)

Their camp is about one
block from ours. It seems

funny around D.C. a soldier
is not treated like they are here

Everyone here pays the highest
respect to a soldier. When we
went to M. G. it didn't cost us
a cent to get back. A fellow stopped
and ask us to ride back, bought
us cigars and treated us fine

Then at Freport L. I. another fellow
offered us a ride the rest of the
way, the same way with everyone
else. Soldiers are arriving every
day; some clear from Calif.

Mama be sure to let me know
when smutney goes so I can
get his address.

when a fellow³⁻ get away from
home he sure wants to know
what is going on so don't
forget to write and tell us
especially to write. Papa don't
you forget either the same with
all. Best of love to all
From your son & Bro

Geo A.