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Torre Del Lago, Italy  
9 June 1945

Dear Dr. Tate,

I received the copy of the  
newsletter which was sent me  
by one of the fellows now up-  
holding our standard. It was  
my first personal copy although  
I have read the ones belonging  
to the other "Pomethians".

A few days ago I was enjoying  
the hospitality of the Genovese,  
civilians of Genoa, but now  
our entire outfit is encamped  
in the woods where we shall

"Stage" for shipment. Where?  
I wish I knew. The fellows  
have started a little jangle  
about it which goes somewhat  
like this: Tell or tell me back  
Sam and end the suspense  
terrific. Will I go home to the  
U.S.A. or to the far Pacific?  
I hope you see what I mean.  
Here we also enjoy wonderful  
hospitality and judging from  
the warm reception, we are most  
welcome. The mosquitoes visit  
every night and the guards  
never go home.

A fortune-teller once told me  
I would enjoy wide travel. I hope  
this has been wide enough and  
I can come on home for I still  
have a long time in school.

Here's hoping that I'll  
the campus again soon.

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