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UNITED STATES MARINES
CAMP JOSEPH H. PENDLETON

Dear Mom & Dad,

So it is fairly cool back there? Slight change in the weather here, but it is very slight. See N. D. won another game. They barely beat the seahawks, didn't they? Eric did the same old thing again. I am very surprised that they scored 13 pts.

Got a letter from Keith today. He told of the cold weather and several amusing incidents about the chiefs. Also remarked of getting a letter and a box of cookies from you.

It was a real shock to hear of Randall getting killed. I can imagine it was a great shock to the rest



of you also. Is the funeral
going to be there or not.
Let me know, will you?

Has Bill ever left for the
Coast guard yet? I wrote a letter
to him quite a while ago and
he hasn't answered it yet.
Thought maybe he had
left right away.

Last night we saw a stage
show out here. It was
very good also. Had some
sweet comedians, magicians,
and singers. It was the
first one I have ever seen
out here. Next week we are
going to Hollywood. Am going
to write to Ken and see if
he can't get off to go with
us.



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Say! did we ever have a small meal today for dinner. Chicken, salad, potatoes, gravy, jello, and ice cream. Something is going to happen, I can just feel it, when they start feeding us like that. For thanksgiving dinner we are going to get turkey. That will be something also.

About the present situation! I really don't know what I could use or have. Will let you know later on that subject.

Thank goodness the swimming is all over. The jump and everything. Sure that is all so will close.

Love
Bill