

June 29, '44



UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

Dear Mom & Dad,

How are you? Hope this finds you in good health. Is everything O.K. around there? That is the news? It seems as though I am really full of questions, doesn't it?

I am fine and in very good health, so don't worry! The food is also swell.

That is news about Russ? Is he about to go home? The last I heard from him, he was having quite a time with our little friends. Is Ken still in the State, or don't you know?

Say, the first chance you get, tell June I will write at the first opportunity. Say hello to the friends in town and also to the relatives.

How do you like the stationery? I finally got my claws on some and made great haste to purchase it. Hope you have a pleasant time over the fourth of July.



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How many fish have you
gotten by now Pa? Wish I
were with you on some
those trips.

Here are some fellows playing
hearts not so far from me
and at times the games get
a little rough and profanity
breaks out. Guess this is
all for now. Think of you
all the time. Don't worry
about me.

Love
Bill