

Ardgay
Ross shire
Scotland
March 13-18.

Dear Pat & Mary:-

Just a line to night
altho I wrote you only a short
time ago. I received a note from
you this noon written Feb. 17-
I was glad everything was fine
& dandy home.

I have been looking up the
ship builders game & I learned
that Walter Gray has been
appointed enrolling agent for
the town of Paris, I also heard

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That men employed in a ship yard were exempted from draft.

I wrote Walter Gray to find out the particulars, & if what I hear is true, I may be at work in a ship yard in Portland, it will all depend on what I hear from him.

I also wrote J. A. Wagner the business agent of my local for particulars & his advice, I can furnish the best of reference & if seems as tho I should be able to get in, of course that wouldnt be exactly at home but a great deal nearer than here.

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I don't fear crossing the water at all for they have such wonderful protection while in the war zone.

If I cannot land anything that I want home I shall remain here for a while, I learn that people in the states are looking for the war to finish this summer but we people here can't see it that way.

No one knows what we will do when June comes, some say we can stay longer if we want to but no one is sure for it's up to the U. S. Government.

We will finish this lot in five or six weeks & then we will

either help the other units or go on
another lot by our selves no one
know which it will be yet.

The weather is fine & the days
are lengthening it is light from 6-30
a.m. until about 7-30 P.m. The
trees are beginning to leave out
& it is just like summer.

Just this is all for to night
so good by & write when you
can.

Sincerely
L. J. C

Ys. 2 mill unit.

Ardgay
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Scotland
3-24-'18.

Dear Pat & Mar:-

Received a note
from you Friday & was of
course glad to learn that
every thing was fine & dandy.

We had a big run last week
sawing over 112 thousand feet.
Not a bad run for a portable
saw mill any how we hold
the record of the ten units.
I went to Inverness the

sixteenth & staid until the nineteenth.
I got my teeth fixed up & had a fine
time besides, it really seemed nice to have
a few days in the city & didn't I hate
to return to the jungle again.

I am boxing some & have been up
against some good men. I boxed in
Bonar Bridge Drill Hall the other
night with a Canadian. The hall was
packed & I had great luck. I got him in
the third round & won a decision.

That clipping doesn't interfere with me
& I have decided to stay here as long as
things go the way they are now. you need
not worry at all about me for I am all
right & will be, no matter how long I stay.

During the past week the farmers
have been sowing their grain. I don't
imagine you have sowed yours yet.

The weather is fine the leaves are be-
ginning to come out & the shrubbery is
beginning to bud.

well I don't know of any
thing more this time so will
ring off for a week or two.

Give my love to the boys &
their folks, keep a good share
for your selves

Yours Sincerely.

L. J. C.

No. 2 mill Unit