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## Letter from Germany, September 29, 1944

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29 September '44

Germany

Dear Dad, Mom & Boys;

just a few lines again to let you know I am getting along fine. We are having our share of dark weather and it has been raining a great deal. We certainly can notice that summer has passed — the nights are just as long as the days already. This is one time that I hate to see summer

go. We haven't received any mail again for the past few days since our post office is moving up. So I'm looking for a few letters

from home. <sup>2</sup>The Capitals have  
been a little slow in coming too  
lately so I rely almost entirely  
on letters for all my news from  
home. By the way has Vernon  
begun growing? Or is he still  
small. And is he going back  
to school again?

I suppose by the time you  
get this letter - the farmers will  
be busy picking corn. I havent  
seen any corn over here - guess  
its too cool over here.

I suppose you are wondering  
just when this war will end -  
well I dont know either but  
I hope I can make it home.

for Christmas next year.

Some of the news from home is that the people up there are considering the war won and are beginning to quit their war efforts. We over here know it is not over yet and we need all the support we can get so that we all can quit and go back to peace and quietness.

How are all of you feeling I hope you can steer clear of those bad colds this winter.

Must close now

Love  
Your Son  
Ralph