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FORT OGLETHORPE, GEORGIA
Camp Wheeler,

8 May 1944.

Dear Mother,

I receive your letter today and you did address it correctly. I am so glad you have been able to stay long enough to have a real change. Don't worry about Dad. He's getting along alright. I'm sure.

It won't be long now, less than a month! It really doesn't seem possible. I hope the weather is good as I really would like to spend some time at camp as I said in my last letter. Naturally I want to have Dad + Bobbie there too, but if it's going to be too much work for you arrange things as you think best. I still believe I shall reach Bangor sometime Thursday afternoon or evening. If we stay the rest of the week at camp, and plan to have Sunday in Lewiston, I ought to give me a chance

to see everyone. I do know whether
I'll have to leave Monday night or
Tuesday night, probably Monday in order
to stay Tuesday night with Phil & Mae.
Because I expect now to have to get
back Thursday night instead of Friday.

I am writing this and sit under the
Singer at our Beauty Parlor. It is nice to
have one in our Area even if the operator
is not very good.

I can't remember when I wrote last
week. I guess Thursday when I was CQ. Friday evening
I slept all the evening. Saturday afternoon
Carpenter & I went to Wagon. We wanted to
get a room and stay overnight but
everyplace was full up so we had to come
back to the barracks to sleep after all.
We shopped all the afternoon. Mayorie
had some things to buy for her niece, & I
needed some socks & handkerchiefs. We
saved money by saving at Woolworth's counter,
and then went to a movie - Clambelle Colbert



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In No Time for Love, Funny & entertaining.
We spent the rest of the evening at one of the
USOs. There was a pianist and every one
was singing. Had a nice talk with a boy from
Connecticut. Got home at 12 PM.

Sunday. I slept nearly all the morning
getting up only in time to press my slack
suit to wear for dinner. Played volley ball
on the court between two of our barracks
for a short while in the afternoon & then ~~by~~
dozed as I listened to a beautiful symphony
program on the radio. After supper there
was a most exciting ball game, we
lost by only 1 point. The WACs played a
YWCA team from Macon.

I went to the show after the ball game
& saw "Between Two Worlds" which is
the movie version of "Outward Bound".

This is not the best place to
write. You'll be lucky if you can read it.

