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Dear Folks,

Back on duty and writing letters again. Our headqrs is suffering from dysentery or at least about 60<sup>m</sup>em and 10 officers out of 500 are sick. The blame has been fastened on faulty equipment in washing the trays that we eat off of. The boiler has been out of order for about a week and the trays have been washed in cold water. The washers are Gooks and that may have something to do with it. I hate to see them working in our chow halls, but I also hate to see our boys have to do that kind of work as it is the most humiliatin g job that a person e could be given as well as the dirtiest. We have been eating "K" rations today and I guess that we will continue to do so until they can repair the heating system. I havent been sick at all but several of the fellows in my qounset hut have been pretty sick. There have also been a few cases of food poisoning so this might not be from the trays altogether. Still no ships at NOB. Some of the fellows have been waiting for 3 weeks for ships. They will be eligible for discharge on April 15 and they will probably still be on Okinawa. I wish that something would be done to alleviate their blundering. All the other units on the island except NOB and MG have sent their 24 pointers down t here already but of course MG would never do a thing like that. I hope that when it is my time to go that they will have the situation cleared up some, but I doubt if they will. It could be July 15 before I get home. I expect it to be at least July 1.

I think that I told you that I received 4 letter at once from you.

Well thats all that I can think of for now

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Love

Frank

