

Sept 17, 1941

Dear Mother Daddy:

yes - I've received all your letters - 5 in all. The mail is supposed to ~~close~~ close here the 20th but we never know when a storm will make the clippers stay over in Guam or somewhere for awhile. - And before I forget - it takes 35¢ for clippers mail to Wake. - If you only put 20¢ it will go by clippers to Honolulu and wait there for a boat to Wake. This is not a stopover for boats to the Orient - and we usually do not get boat mail for 2 weeks and sometimes it is just about 10 days from Honolulu - So please send the letters with 35¢ postage - I received your letter of Sept. 7 the 19th but it came from Honolulu by Bomar - I do not see them come in - but it may have arrived yesterday we had 3 in yesterday.

I only drew pay for 12 days as B
in all- also I drew \$20 in cash off the
12 days- I think they withheld some to
pay my passage ^{over} back in case I quit

before 60 days.

you should review all my letters all
are underweight or near enough and I mail
them just before the shipper leaves or try to.

I've heard from Annie also - once -

Have you been well? I hope you
are - Daddy I want you to take
care of yourself.

They say it is impossible for one to
stay here but why can't I stay here for
that time - ^{some} I think it would be possible
several have been here since) The work
started ~~at~~ 7 months.

I must close as the mail is going to
close ~~at~~ this evening before supper.
Love Arthur

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