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Dear Jack

How do those hillbilly soldiers keep their shoes shined? most of them around here are 14 years (no living), some of them around here go 8 times a week to the picture show (2 times on Sunday), the only time they take off the dungerees and shoes is when they buy a new pair.

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Pre. Paul Harbor children

plenty. but so far so good:
will close. with love &

Russis

Ben.

P.S. if you cant read this letter
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