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Dear Mother & Dad,

ENGLAND.

Rec'd your letter of the 16th yesterday, Mother. Was glad you are finally getting those new glasses, but if you continue to have those serious headaches I believe that you should give up your work. It isn't worth it to be working so hard under both nervous and physical strain.

I may be seeing some of the country that Dad saw in the last war, and history does seem to be repeating itself, but I am afraid that I don't like England as well as Dad did. Of course, I am not complaining, as I know there are many men in this Army who are in far worse places than England.

So far as you sending me razor blades is concerned, I have about a 3 month's supply that I brought with me & I can top within my ration anyway. Thanks just the same. If you really want to send me something, send me a box of candy. This English candy (two bars a week) is not so hot. It doesn't compare with U.S. candy, even though one allows for the fact that it is War Time candy.

I'll be waiting for Dad's V-Mail letter. Both of you write whenever you can and often. Lots of love and may God bless you.

Your loving son, Clifton

V-MAIL