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*June 7th 1917*

My dearest Mother.

I havent heard from you in several days but I hope you all all O.K. I am getting along fine and we are having a very good time here. I hope to make good but in case I dont make good as an officer then I will go in as a private or some other way. The people of our Country do not understand or realize the situation that we are in. Every one here cant make an officer

for the standards of  
an officer are high.  
I doubt very much being  
able to spend more than  
one week at home when  
I finish this course. Mother,  
I am glad that I came  
and think that it was  
the one thing for me  
to do.

More are being sent  
away from here every  
day and it would certainly  
hurt me to have to leave.  
Pray for me, that I may  
do the right things at  
the right time. If I was  
about 30 years old I  
would stand a much  
better chance.

The Army has a hard



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question to solve and  
many hard problems.  
The government can not  
and I doubt very much  
if they are going to  
be able to get equipments  
for this new army which  
will be enlisted in  
September. But whether  
it matters not if  
they can or cannot  
~~not~~ get equipment they  
will start to drilling  
this conscripted army.  
I hope the boys and  
young men around

home will do their part  
for the longer this is  
put off the worse shape  
our country will be  
into.

One of the Majors of  
Gen. Woods Staff made  
talk here this afternoon  
and he emphasized the  
situation that we had  
before us to-day. Monday  
night we had a talk  
from an official of  
Scotland who had been  
the last two years  
in the Trenches of Europe.

Have some one from  
home write me most  
every day and tell all  
my friends to write to  
me. Be sure and give



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them my proper address  
so that my mail will  
be delivered promptly.

If Mr. Crump comes  
around soon have him  
to see Mr. Stigger in  
Memphis about the watch  
I left there. I have never  
rec'd same although I  
have written Mr. Stigger  
about it.

I will close for  
this time hoping to  
hear from home real soon.  
Your devoted son,  
Boyer.