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Dear Mother:

Am still here, but expecting to be sent home before long. They seem terribly slow about it. Some of the fellows were sent back in about a week after they came.

I am simply loafing around today. I am on detail as room orderly ~~today~~. I swept the place this morning, swept and scrubbed the bathhouse, cleaned about twelve commodes, carried six or eight buckets of water,—outside of that, I haven't done very much.

There was a large number of new fellows came in yesterday. They have them lined up all around, giving them their physical examinations and drilling them.

I did not do very much Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. I was sort of on the sick list those days. I do not know whether it was coming from my vaccination or not.

If you want a good picture of me send a dollar and a half <\$1⁵⁰> to

Babbitt Studios
513 M^cKean Ave.,
Charleroi, Pa.

and tell them to send you the picture of the first set of fellows who started for Camp Sherman—the set that left Sept. 7. I never got the ten dollars I wrote for or I would have sent myself. Would like to have one of the pictures.

I am in need of the money. Register \$10 to Chillicothe, Ohio, and I will get it there if I have not been sent home at that time. If I have, then it will be returned if you place a return address on your envelope.

They have been keeping us in quarters pretty closely yesterday and today. I guess that is probably to keep us out of the way until the new recruits are settled.

Very fine day out here in Ohio. Had a little rain yesterday afternoon and evening.

Address anything but the letter of which I spoke to

Co. I,
2nd Depot Reg't.,
Camp Sherman, Ohio.

Your son, Guy.

P.S. Don't send me any money unless I write for it. Guess I can get along without it until I find out about going home.

Guy.