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Sgt. E L Ellis
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Moncton

Dear Mam + Dad,

As you will see from the address I am now at Moncton once again so it looks as if I shall be home shortly.

In my last letter I think I told you I was going on leave to Toronto. Well I went there and as I got to know a army captain on the train I spent most of my time at his home and had a really swell time.

While I was down there I went to Goderich where Harold Stevenson is station and you can guess he was very surprised to see me. We had quite a lot to talk over and Hals seemed to speak with a marked Sheffield accent.

After leaving Goderich I had another two days in Toronto and then I reloaded to Paulson, a journey which took me almost three days.

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I arrived in Paulson on a Tuesday morning and the first thing I heard was that I had been posted to Moncton and the other boys had left the previous evening. I was very pleasantly surprised and I had a hectic day on Tuesday packing and saying "good bye" but I managed to catch the evening train and had to travel the whole way back east again, so you all I covered quite a distance in the last few weeks.

Since I have been here I have met quite a few fellows I knew at High Storrs and from them I have learned where a lot of the other boys are but the last night I was really shaken when I bumbed into old Plumb on the main street in Moncton. It's really funny the guys you meet in strange places.

Yesterday one of our boys received a letter from Paulson and it appears Greene, who went home a few months ago, has been killed in England but I do not know how it happened as he was quite a good pilot

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I think that is about all for now so I shall now turn in.

See you shortly probably before you get this letter.

Your loving son

Lewis

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