



Mrs J Smith
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Newquay on the water
Monday.

Dear Mum.

Thank you ever so much for the lovely tin of cats, I got it on Sat. I can't tell you how grateful I am for these parcels because the grub here gets worse & worse and its lovely to sit down and have something really tasty when I'm off duty at night.

Monday afternoons is games afternoon and some of the chaps from the flight get up a football team & play on the sands, and those left over go for a cross-country run, so I, not being very interested in soccer, always go for a cross country.

That means that I do two each week as there is a fixed day of the week when all go across country

The distance is approximately 7 miles and today it was simply freezing cold, and we have to wade the rivers, climb thro' thorn hedges etc but its grand. you're a mass of scars when you've finished. As I said before its very cold here just now and theres no heating in the building at all its purely a summer place. I went to Miss M'Estabes's on Sunday night she is very nice and very well off I should imagine its a beautiful house, and she gave me a grand supper.

I'm afraid my letter card and the parcel crossed in the post so you probably thought it funny. Theres only another 2 weeks before I come home, I might have a fortnight or on the other hand I may only get 4 days I

cant say yet. I sent £3 off by
registered post today. You will
probably wonder why I didn't
put a letter in it but I address
the letter and handed it in ^{at}
it the P.O. and I hadn't got
a letter writer so you will
understand. Peggy sent me a
lovely pair of Rkt gloves the
other day and some cigarette too
they will be very handy for
walking out on Sundays in
as the week days ones get
pretty soiled. I'm having 2
post card size of the flight
photo + 1 mounted that's
going to cost me £6. Do
you think you could send
me my pipe, the long one I
mean not chubby I very
often feel like a pipe at nights.

If you can send it, be careful
and pack it well and I should
register it too. I dont want
much do I?! Well I think
that's all for gen for now, so
I'll dry up.

lots of love

Ken xxxxxxxxxxxx

PS

Give my love to Dad, hope
he is OK. please give him the
blades.