

[September 18, 1944]

Sunday
1330

Dear Folks,

Arrived here safely - had
from 0930 to 1630 off in KC
yesterday and met Betty and
spent the day with her.

I am one of the very first
navigators in my squadron -
we are meeting the C.O. at 1700
& will be crived up then. Met
the Sqdn. Nav. when we arrived
and he said we'd no doubt be
leaving here about the middle of
January for overseas. He will
fly in both B-17's + 29's - go on
close look at the latter and it
is certainly huge.

Am writing aunt Ginny next
to ask her to look up train & bus
schedules to Meade - hope I
can make it soon down there,
although I'm not too sure if
my schedule will allow it.

They seem very eager here &
I imagine I'll be kept busy.

Another fellow who arrived
for the first time yesterday
morning has already had a
big Nav. exam & is flying to
New York tonight so you get
an idea of how fast they move
here.

Payne went down to Pratt
for the same deal.

That's all I have to write
right now - but I'll keep
you posted.

Love,

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