



U. S. NAVAL AIR STATION  
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

~~On~~ November 12, 1944

Dear Dad + grandmother,

I received both of your letters just now so I will answer them together.

as far as I know we are still going to leave Tues but of course, it depends on whether they can get a train for us.

most of the boys are going to Norman and most of my friends are too. Jack Crocky is going there and so is Keller. Most of the Devas boys are going there and there are lots of Devas here.

I marched in an domestic day parade yesterday and carried the flag. I am sending you two pictures out of the Jax. Paper. you can barely see the flags I am carrying out the rest of 2, 12, 12, 12, 12.

I have been getting the newspaper clipping  
regularly and enjoying them very  
much.

My temporary address in Memphis  
will be

Frank Myron Barger 57<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> (C.O.)  
U.S.N.R. U.S. N. ATT. C.

Aviation Radiovision School

Memphis, Tenn.

you wrote about leave. I positively  
will get no leave for at least

9 months and I will get no liberty  
~~over~~ longer than a 2 day pass until  
I finish school and I understand it is  
hard to get even that.

I guess it will be a long time  
before I am able to see you unless  
you could come to Memphis some  
time.

I haven't been paid but I do so  
for but I will get about





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\$70 ~~or \$80~~ when I get to Memphis  
I want to buy a good watch  
so I ~~may~~ need some money.

The watches in the  
service here don't look so hot.  
but maybe there will be in  
Memphis. I also want a sailor  
made uniform.

It looks like I will be cooped  
up pretty much for a long time.  
I will be separated from my friends  
who are going to orelano but  
will rejoin them in gunner  
school

Will I have to buy a  
few guns