

Dear Mother

I recieved your parcel this morning, and it came in just at the right time. Have been short of fags for a few days. I have a bit of good news for you. If you will send me the money for train fare, I shall come home for a week, or at least I shall try my hardest. There are new rules just come out. If a chap has been in hospital over three months, he is entitled to seven days leave, so I think I shall get it alright. My arm is slow but sure, but I shall tell you all about it when I come home. Hope to find you all quite well.

Love to all Jack

P.S. Do not know what day I shall come, but expect me towards the end of next week, if not I shall let you know why. (half fare)