

Parents -

29 SEPT. 68

We're all wrapped up in the election over here now - especially with me as company voting officer. Just about all who are eligible will exercise the right, tho many shouldn't. A surprisingly large number had to be led by the numbers in filling out the application. Many couldn't even spell their home towns, some had no idea who was running. But I've found one sergeant who knows

something about it all & is interested in the big-time happenings. He's for "Nicky-Dick" so we have some hot debates. Don't send me anything about an absentee ballot - it's all taken care of. Did you hear Dick's latest statement - "Either the Democratic or Republican nominee will win!" Indicative of the presence of raw dust where brain cells should be.

Finally got a letter from Jerry Howell in Peoria, after almost a year. He &

the wife won first prize in some contest - a trip to Florida. While down there they liked it so much they bought some land. Didn't say where, tho.

Big celebration today - we're getting rid of our stalwart Battalion Commander. He leaves 10 OCT.

Special instructions:

1. Get for me + save a copy of Sat. Eve. Post, 21 SEPT, 68 - has football players on cover.
2. Send some more book reviews.

I read that record clipping
on me over again, & noticed
what was wrong with it.
It says I deal with POW
education - which I don't. I
have nothing to do with the
POW compound - 'B' company
runs that - I'm 'A' "
Admin. Officer. My only
connection with Big now is
running the Educ. program
in it. POW education sounds
like propaganda - & we don't
give out any of that at this
POW compound, tho they do
elsewhere. The POW's here

give fairly good indication of condition of VC + NVA. They are now mostly kids, 8-12 years old, or old people - over 50. Also have 10 women among 175 POW's. They're glad to get captured + sent here cuz it's better than anything out in the field. They get food, medical care, shelter, peace + quiet.

Later,
LT. C.

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