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Dear Mr. Terry:

I acknowledge receipt of your undated letter in which you ask for certain information with reference to the 100th Battalion. For your information I have received orders changing my station and I am now assigned to the 103d Infantry Division at Camp Claiborne, Louisiana. Under this assignment I am leaving Washington tomorrow, so I will not have time to look after the matter which you have asked me about.

I am sending your letter to the Bureau of Public Relations requesting that they correspond directly with you and give you such answers to the interrogations you propounded as they can.

I can say that the 100th Battalion did do a splendid piece of work when it was first committed to action and was complimented by all commanders. The commander of the Fifth Army in reporting on it said that the men of the 100th Battalion were well received and liked by all ranks.

I trust that I shall have the opportunity of again seeing you sometime in the near future.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

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