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By the Grace of G-d  
14 Menachem Av 5711  
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Yisroel Menachem Greenbaum  
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Fort Bragg, E. Car.

Greeting and Blessings:

I have received your telegram, in which you inform me of your address, and also mention that you feel a little weak. I hope you will write me more fully about your state of health.

It would interest me to know about the position of Tishkshalt in your new surroundings, whether you have a chaplain, etc. etc.

What is happening about the food packages that you used to receive from Rif Gross now that he is not in the city?

Next Shabbos is Shabbos Nachamu (see enclosed booklet, published by Merkos L'Inyunei Chinuch). When we read the Hagdora from the Prophet Isaiah beginning with Nachamu, Nachamu (Comfort ye, comfort ye). The repetition, our Sages say, indicates a double consolation. So it is in the case of the individual who suffers discomfort or pain, G-d eventually comforts him and recompenses him doubly, twice as much as the individual thinks his due. The essential thing about this comfort is that the sufferer himself begins to understand and grasp more fully why he had suffered and what purpose his suffering had served in benefitting him and benefitting his environment and all the Jewish people, since all Jews are united into one organism.

Looking forward to hearing from you good news,  
Cordially,

Hell shi lthi  
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