


**The Giddings News**

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## CONTRIB COLUMN

KEEP 'EM FLYING  
The Holy Land,  
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Dear Friends:

I am well, hope the same of you. Received the Giddings News dated July 31, I was still glad to get it, because it's all news to me.

It's not much I can say. I will try and write a little that I think will go through.

I am having a swell time and seeing a lot of beautiful places. A while back I had a chance to see the places where Christ was born and died and many beautiful churches and sights.

I read in the paper where a boy said that eggs were selling for 75c-a dozen. That's cheap because they sell for about 90c here. I bought a pair of shoes awhile back for 2 lbs. and 600 mills which is \$10.40, and that's a cheap shoe.

We have been living off of British rations but will start on American rations the 1st of the month. I really will be glad to get some good old American food.

We will get our mail a lot faster now, because we have our wn post office here just like back in the States. Get money order and buy American stamps. It started about two days ago, the mail will come straight here from the States and not half way around the world before it comes here.

I have also met many nice people since I landed here and found out how people live outside of the United States. I thank the Lord that I am an American, and may some day have a chance to live there again.

I will close because that is all I can think of writing at the present. Tell everyone hello for me from the Middle East, and Keep 'Em Flying.

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