North Kildonan Grenadier Safe

Cpl. Richard Oomen, North Kildonan, a former market gardner, who was with the Winnipeg Grenadiers at Hong Kong, is on his way home according to an air mail letter received by Mrs. L. Bach, 346 Harcourt st.

The letter was postmarked "U.S. Navy, Sept. 23, 1945." It was written on Red Cross stationary.

In the letter, Cpl. Oomen stated that he had been liberated around the "beginning of Sept." He said he had just completed a 36-hour trip of 1,500 miles and expected to be home in about two weeks. He said he had been severely ill but was recovering rapidly now. He spoke highly of the treatment they received from the Americans.