Dear Doris—

War off today. The joy of this war diluted somewhat by the fact that I had to stand guard from 3 to 6 this morning. Took a couple of naps during the day, but still am not caught up. Am going to turn in early tonight.

I hope to get the clipping enclosed which ruined the last letter. Also a couple more slides. One looking West from the Y bridge, and one on the bridge looking South at the threat of the Y.

The fighting continues to eat away at the city. The VC are getting further.
into Cholon - advancing from Phuoc. The action to the NE continues. I drove out to the Bien Hoa Bridge - end of Phuoc Thai Than - and watched the fire bombers work over an area less than 1/2 mile away. Couldn't see anything on the ground, but the acrobatics were spectacular and the explosions quite loud. About 11 this morning Dozens - maybe hundreds of Vietnamese were gathered on our side of the river watching. Just like a carnival?

No mail today. Hope to get more news of the car in a day or so.

Love,

Jim