

Sun. Evening
1-23-48

Dear Folks,

Went to a very nice tea
this afternoon. We went
to a beautiful home. I
wish you could have
seen the china + furniture.
We had a very nice time.

One of the other girls
+ I went to church this
morning. After church we
took some pictures on
the grounds. Hope they
turn out good.

We are going sightseeing
tomorrow. Will be gone
all day.

Friday Kelly + I are going

Dear Friend
1-28-48

Dear John

I went to a very nice tea
this afternoon. We went
to a beautiful room &
and your good for
even the chairs & furniture
we had a very nice time.

One of the other girls
& I went to church this
morning. After church we
took a very quick one
to the grounds. How they
turn out good.

We are going to
tomorrow with the
girls.

All day
Friday night & we are going

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to another house & meet
some girls I knew at
Blanding. Mary met one
of them in fact. an
Aunt. They graduated from
training in the same
class Kelly did.

Has Mrs. H. heard from
Wat lately? Hope she is
OK.

This English weather
is really awful. Will be
glad when I hit the
sunny south again.

Am going to the
cinema tomorrow night.
Naturally the picture is
a year or two old but at

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4 a very delicious meal. It
really sounded good.

Will stop for present.

Love

Mary

P.S. Don't forget the sardines
& candy
of me.

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Sue. E. -
2-13-44

Dear Folks,
just a note to say
hello -

Which I could call you
up for your birthday. It
will be the 1st time
I've missed in a long
time. Won't seem right.
I'll be thinking of you
though.

I received an old letter
from you - rather one
dated Jan 17th yesterday. I
also received a V mail from
Evelyn dated the 26 saying
you had finally heard
from me.

2-12-44
Hester

Dear Mr. Hester
I am sorry to say

that I could not
get for your birthday. It
will be the last time
I'll be in a long
time. I don't know
I'll be thinking of you
though.
I received an old letter
from you - rather one
dated Jan 11th yesterday.
I also received a mail from
you dated the 22nd saying
you had finally decided
from me

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For the past few days we have been getting our mail fairly well. Some letters are old and some are fairly recent.

Didn't do anything special today. Played some darts. Listened to a Jack Benny program after dinner. Also heard Bob Crosby, Fitch Bandwagon + several other programs. Really made our home sick. Took a few pictures.

Am planning to go to Salisbury the last of next week to meet someone I knew at Blanding.

Two weeks ago I went to Bath. Had a very nice time. Saw all the old Roman baths & the Abbey.



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Wed. Evn.
2/9/44

Dear Folks,

Sure would like to hear from you. Will really be glad when our mail catches up with us.

Had a V mail from Kitty dated the 22nd. That was the most recent one I have received. Most were dated Dec. + one from you on Jan 4.

I guess by now you realize why you didn't hear from me for quite a while. We spent quite some time coming over.

I sent my cable about the 13th. of Jan. I guess it took about two weeks to get to you.

Miss Lane
3/24/44

Dear father

I have not been
from you. Will really
be glad when our
return up with us.

Had a V mail from
dated the 22nd. That was the
most beautiful I have
received. Most nice dated
letter + one from you on
Jan 4.

I guess you are
reading my letter
that from you for quite a
while. We sent quite
some time ago.

over our
I sent my
the 17th of Jan. I guess it
took about the same
get to you.

The village here is too small to buy any thing in so I'll have to buy your birthday present when I get to London.

I have started a collection of spoons for you. Nothing real fancy but with the names of the places I've been stamped on them. Have two so far.

Thurs. nite 2-20-84

Received a Vmail from you this PM. dated the 27th. It was sent to my old address. Really was glad to hear from home. I got a letter from Nat the other day. Didn't say much. Seems she wants to transfer to an eras.

The village is in a small
 to buy anything in as
 all have to buy your
 bottles of great interest
 get a book
 I have started a collection
 of spores for you. Nothing
 real found but in the
 corner of the glass the
 but changed on them.
 Have two as far.
 Yours truly
 2-20-44

Received a mail from
 you this m. dated the
 22th. It was sent to my
 old address. Really was
 glad to hear from you.
 I got a letter from you
 the other day. I didn't say
 much. I'm in a hurry
 to transfer to an error.

I was quite worried when I first read about the Long. being bombed in Italy. I knew how worried Mrs A. would be. Certainly was relieved when I found out it wasn't Hot.

I wish you could have been here for the past three days. You would have seen your darlin' daughter sewing. Can't you imagine. We are having to make all of our operating supplies - which run up to about 4000 yards of material. Some is

Fri. nite

2-11-44

Will it seem like I'll get this letter written someday. We are now going to class from 8:30 to 9:30. From 9:30 to 12 sewing. And from 1:30 to 5 more sewing.

I have quite enjoyed when
 I first heard about the boys
 being boarded in Italy. I then
 told married Mrs. P. and
 she certainly was relieved
 when I found out it wasn't
 that

because you could have
 been here for the past three
 days. You would have seen
 your dear daughter coming.
 I don't you in business. The
 house is made of our
 operating supplies. Under
 me up to about 4000 yards
 of material. Love you
 for the

5-11-44

Will it seem like I
 got this letter written
 yesterday. We are now going
 to school from 8:30 to 9:30
 from 9:30 to 10:30. And
 from 1:30 to 2:30

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My fingers are so sore now I can hardly touch them.

Just finished a big line of washing. Sure am glad that is over.

Got another letter from the boy I met aboard ship. He is up in Scotland some place. I'm going to try & meet him when we get our leave. We are going to get 5 days off. I don't know whether or not Jimmy will be able to get one or not. Hope so because he is very nice & really did a grand job of entertaining me coming over.

I'm sorta behind on my letter writing as we have been kept busy lately

My fingers are so cold
I can hardly touch
them.

I just finished a bag
full of washing. But
now I feel that in over

two or three days from
the day I set aboard ship
I'm in my bedstead

and I feel like I'm going to
try to get out from under me
but our hands are so

going to get 5 days off. I
don't know whether or not

my money will be able to
get over or not. I hope so
because it is my view

really did a grand job
of exhibiting in covering
over.

My coat behind on my
left wrist as we have
been kept busy

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The girls in the room
said to tell you hello.

Our chief nurse has been
promoted to a Captain.
Three of the girls are scheduled
for 1st Lt. They have been in
quite some time & really
deserve it.

Sent you some pictures
the other day. Guess you
will recognize the desert
scenes & the pictures in
Hollywood. I took them in
front of Belle House. Gladys
girl is very cute. Will you
have Mom make a print
of each one & send it to Nell.
Her address is:

Mrs A. E. Green

2276 N. Beachwood Dr.

June 28.

Hollywood, Calif.

Will drop her a card later.

The girls in the room
 avoid to tell you this.
 Our chief nurse has been
 promoted to a Captain.
 Three of the girls are expected
 for Oct. 1st. They have been in
 quite some time & really
 deserve it.
 But you some question
 the other day. There you
 will be seeing the about
 seven & that question in
 Hollywood. I took them in
 fact of full form. They
 girl is very cute. Will you
 have had made a print
 of each one & sent it to me.
 For address in:

John A. E. Thurman
 2276 Hollywood St.
 Hollywood, Calif. Jan 24.
 Will drop in a card later.

↳ Well tell all our neighbors
hello.

Went to see a show last
night. Was only about a
year or two old. Class B-or-C.
picture.

Well will write more
later.

Love
Mary.

J. J. M. G. I. P.

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2-29-44
DATE

Dear folks,
Spent a line to say hello. Had a piece
of real American early tonight. Really
tasted good.
One of the enlisted boys gave me two
fresh eggs. Had almost forgotten what
they looked like. So expect to have a
real feast tomorrow.
We have been freezing all day today.
No coal. Nothing but coke. One of the
guys & I finally went out & found some
wood & built a fire. First one we had
had all day.
Did you ever get the pictures
I sent you? How did you like the
ones of hill?
I wrote Nat. H. a letter tonight
Also one to Sarah Lib. & to Carolyn Shier.
Love
Mary

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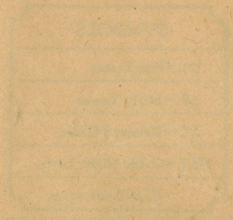
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Not for just a minute -
Not for just a day -
Not for just a year -
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Love
Mary

No.



Mrs. John F. Sulztor
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C/O P.O. B.Y., NY.

2-27-44
DATE

CENSORS STAMP

Dear folks,
Just a note to say hello. Didn't do a thing today except sleep since it was Sunday and didn't have work. Therefore we didn't do a thing.

We have had a terrible time trying to buy a fire our grate is broken & we didn't have anything except slag to burn until tonight. We have a roaring fire now. Had a party this last night - wasn't my good though. Had an imitation chocolate & cake. It was fair.

If you have any more canned meat or candy send it over - and some Plaster permits. Betty said to tell you she like tuna fish. said you send that to. The two of us are sorta sick tonight. At least I have some one to write to & she hasn't.

Which I could have gone to get with you. Give my best to Mr. H. & all the others.

Love
Mary

