

U.S.S. South Dakota  
FC - Div.  
Oct. 17th.

Dear Carl:

grabbed your letter out of the mail bag this morning. Thanks for the latest in news. No doubt you have a few of my letters lying around by now. This is my fourth attempt to write a letter here's hoping I succeed. It's the same old trouble - what n' hell to write about.

I have already asked Margaret to subscribe to Newsweek or Time. Whether she had planned something else or not for an Xmas present I don't know. Perhaps you could write and find out so you won't be buying the same thing.

We're sitting around having a real bull fest. The middle states vs. the east. It could only happen in the navy. They go off the track completely but nobody cares as long as the debate goes on. It's making letter writing even more difficult than ever. I'm getting a great kick out of it besides putting in my two cents worth.

I understand Eunice is leaving to live with Cliff. It's going to be lonesome for mom and pop to be alone after all these years. Cliff got a good break whether he knows it or not. Tell the folks I'll write them as often as possible. I know it will be hard for them to answer the letters as often as before. This will be all for now. So long and good luck

- Pety

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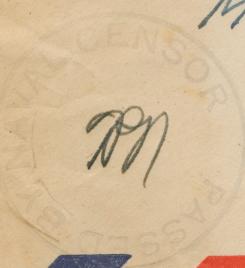
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