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Pvt. John P. Bell 35052495
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APO 118 C/O P.M. New York



VIA AIR MAIL

Mrs. Jack Bell
345 W. River St.
Elyria, Ohio



Dearest darling,

England - March 24

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Ben's cat really did the business didn't he? Nothing like a cat when there are rats or mice around.

I'm sorry you're having so much trouble with the car, honey. You bet I'll be glad to take all those headaches off your shoulders. Will get a sharp new cabriolet as soon as they start making them again.

The Sad Sack is on Bob Benchley's program tonight. Have you ever heard him? He's a humorous little basket. Stutters like mad, and a genius of snafu.

Is Virginia Delaney working now or just living at home? They were a pretty good couple in their way.

I did some washing this afternoon. Sure was a good day for drying. Sunny

And a nice breeze too. I'm getting to be pretty domestic, don't you think, honey?

I like my ring real well, honey. It's a beauty. You're a wizard at picking out good looking jewelry, sweetie.

If I were home tonite we would really celebrate your birthday, darling. Maybe next year we can, and our appreciation will be just a little Keener for every-thing we do after being separated.

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All my love to the dearest and sweetest and best wife in all the world.

Your own,
Jack

[[Nick Dante 12/2/15]]

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MAR 26 1945]]

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