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Mrs Mary Lavery
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Mar. 8th 1944

14:00

Dear Lio;

Would have written sooner but I have been pretty busy making myself a comfortable place to sleep and live. Finally finished it and now I can start trying to catch up on my correspondence.

Probably you are wondering about where I was and what I did. We attacked the Eniwetok atoll in the Marshall Islands. It's at the northern tip of the Marshalls, pretty close to the big Jap base at Truk. The Navy pounded Truk a few days before we attacked so we weren't bothered by any Jap planes. We landed on Eniwetok Island first, then a few days later we landed on Paris Island. They gave us a warm reception on the latter but we secured it the second day. The fighting was fast and furious and

I believe that every body is glad that
its over and done with. 17:00

Hope that this letter finds all of
you in good health. Glad to hear that
Mom is feeling better. Received most of
your mail in two days. It had been
held up while we were on. This operation
no packages as yet but I'm watching
for them.

From all indications it looks as if
we are here for the duration. I mean
in the Pacific. It isn't to our liking
but then the powers to be must have
a good reason for it. We had hoped
to return after this operation but that
isn't likely now.

Received the letter with the medal
in it. Will try to write her a thank
you letter soon.

I'll write again soon, so until then,

God Bless the wife of your

Love

Sergeant George V. Fuelor George E