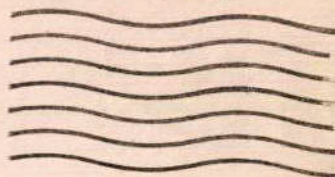


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Saturday
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my Dearest Judy,

First, you will have to excuse me for not writing you yesterday but I was kept so busy preparing for air maneuvers which that I was unable to write you.

I have the whole day off today to rest up for air march which will start between 7 to 9 o'clock this evening

Taking your sisters letter writing note book with me so I'll be able to write you as often as I have free time.

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I guess your mother informed you about the telephone call thurs day evening. I completely forgot, that you went away for a short vacation. after I called and the operator told me you were gone for the week. and I remembered. It was a good thing I reversed the charges. or do you have to pay for that call? you I heard your mother tell the operator that you were away for the week-end. what she should have done was just tell the operator that nobody is here to accept the telephone call because you see dear I didn't make it a person to person call and ~~technically~~ by right the operator could charge you for the call. kindly let me no.



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Darling yesterday I heard the best news about a furlough since I've been hearing about getting leave.

My platoon leader (officer) was giving us a talking out because of the poor conditions our barracks were in yesterday.

He let it slip out of the bag by telling us that if we didn't get on the ball we wouldn't get ~~our~~ our furlough. That was the first time he mentioned about us getting a furlough. My platoon sergeant later told us that the lieutenant was joking and that we are scheduled to get a furlough three days after we come back from maneuvers. I'm not going to count on that deal until

I'm in New York and you are standing next to me because as I often told you anything is likely to happen. When you receive a telegram from me than you will no I'm coming on my way home.

As for a birthday gift I prefer to wait, as there isn't anything I especially want.

I now have something to really look forward to when I get back from my maneuvers.

The weather has been much cooler which will be a great relief for the maneuvers if it remains like it is now.

So now darling I close on this Saturday with all my love and the whisper in your lovely ear of I love you dearly. Denny