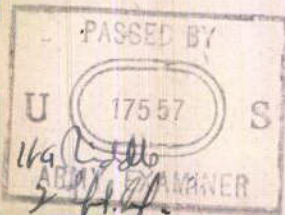


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My Dearly Beloved Judy  
after writing a V mail letter to you  
from the Red Cross yesterday my buddy  
and I went to see the picture "Bill  
Crazy" with Mickey Rooney and Judy  
Garland. The picture was playing  
in the Red Cross Theatre.

Today I got a very happy,  
delightful surprise. I received my  
second package from you. I wasn't  
surprised at receiving the package  
but the lovely contents within the  
package. In the best way that I  
can express myself I'll say it was  
swell and tops.

Every item was something I  
wanted to have. I just couldn't get  
over the buddy bit containing all the toilet  
articles.

The cookies tasted just like the kind 2  
your mother bakes ~~and~~ and the candy was just  
the kind I wanted. The jellies, wild cherry drops -  
and boxes of chocolates were just the kind of  
candy that I was hoping I would receive.

I always had my eye on a checker  
board and it will come in handy when there  
isn't any other recreation. The books look like  
good reading matter. Put the above all  
together and it still comes out that the  
package was swell. So dearest, thanks again  
for your lovely thought and excellent Christmas  
gift.

I had ~~you~~ mailed you and my mother  
today the cups I told you about yesterday. I don't  
believe I mentioned it to you, but I got my  
mother a cap and saucer. When you see it I  
think that you will agree with me that it's  
cute looking.

This evening we had mail call again,  
but I wasn't there. Someone informed me  
that I got another package and a few  
letters.

I went up to the ordinal room to get the 3 package and letters. Received the package but somebody else picked up my mail for me. Couldn't locate the fellow who picked up my mail so I'll have to wait until tomorrow for that. I moved into a different tent today which probably answers your question why didn't the fellow bring me the letters. The package was from my mother and was similar to your first package.

I'm now at the Red Cross building in camp, and when I finish this letter my friends and I will probably play cards.

Oh Get the large box of cookies right here - next to me. The box is almost empty and the cookies really tasted good. They were still there when we leave here this evening I think that we will go back to the tent and have some cocoa that you send me. Let you us tomorrow how it was.

Not going to see the movie this evening because we already saw the picture at our other camp. See you tomorrow.

Back again to the Gudeby hat. I'll like to 4  
say that I don't intend using it now. It looks too  
nice to upset. When I'm traveling I'll use it then,  
and it will always be useful whenever I'll  
do any traveling. Even the handkerchiefs is something  
I need and can now use. At the P, they don't seem  
to have any handkerchiefs and the large brown  
ones that you sent me is like a life saver. Because  
I needed them. Still can't get over the  
beautiful and useful items that you sent me dear.  
So once again I'll like to say thanks.

That's about all I have to write for  
this evening so I'll close as always, to  
the sweetest and most precious girl in  
the world with all my love and kisses.

Ben