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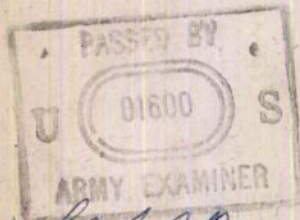


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Hello My Love,

There is a article in today's Stars and Stripes that may be of some interest to you.

The small head line reads, 'Sweating' out a Letter? APO officer explains snafus on mail. That's the question you are always asking me but this story is intended to answer this end of the receiving line.

First in order having the amount of air space available for mail shipments to this theater was issued in September, overriding priority when to noting forms and posters. Atlantic storms disrupted plane schedules. The encouraging news is that lot of bags of letter mail and pouches of parcels has recently arrived and we so should be receiving the mail shortly.

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another point, Thus far all mail has been flown home but with winter storms approaching the bulk of the letters will travel by transport <sup>large</sup> ship. Thus only U mail by air can be guaranteed.

I believe I all ready received some of the latest mail to arrive at the ports since I've gotten three packages, many newspapers and I'm satisfied with the letter mail for while anyway.

Two more in mail letters from you today dated Sept 25<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> plus your very nice Thanks giving card.

Funny, I don't either remember you writing that I should stop writing you, anyway darling don't worry, if you don't get a letter tomorrow or the following day, you can figure it will arrive eventually.

I finally received, to be refined let's say, stupid letter from Aaron.



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more so its puzzling because he says he is writing the letter aboard ship, therefore he must have mailed the letter at his new destination but Aaron doesn't even say too to his general location. It wouldn't surprise me if he lands up on the Philippines island

I believe I'll be getting some of my Christmas packages early, since a few such parcels have drifted in to the fellows.

Since the last time I wrote you I visited Robert and Anne I haven't had any contact with them. One of these days if possible, (with a big C) I'll give them a surprise visit.

Sweet heart, its quite late  
in the evening, In fact its actually  
tomorrow which is today Oct 31st, as its  
past twelve o'clock, To be exact its  
12:55 PM

Why and what am I doing up  
so late. Simple explanation -  
I'm working on the graveyard  
shift tonight and while I don't  
like to go to sleep until 1:00 o'clock  
than to depend on the night  
dawn to wake me up. Between  
12 and 1 there usually are a  
few calls so I might just as  
well remain up and its a  
excellent time to write you as I  
don't have any disturbances, besides  
a call or two, and its nice and  
quite as every body is sleeping.

Luckily there is lecture light  
at my present location and a  
good blackout screen to prevent  
any light from showing outside.  
Just will attempt to get a  
little shut eye now and dream  
of you to complete a wonderful  
day, thats if I don't have any  
calls during the night.

Darling I'm terrible in love  
with you and miss you consistently  
as always  
I love