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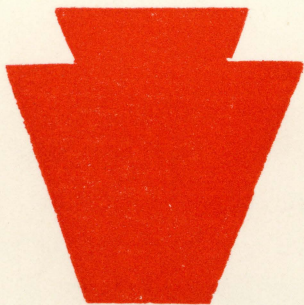
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*Mother's Day*

SUNDAY, 13 MAY, 1945

DEAR MRS. De VAWIT I JOIN  
WITH YOUR SON FRANZ  
IN SENDING YOU GREETINGS ON THIS  
MOTHER'S DAY.

IT IS THE HEARTACHES, THE WORRIES, THE  
SACRIFICES YOU AND ALL THE MOTHERS OF  
AMERICA HAVE SO BRAVELY MADE, THAT  
ARE SPURRING YOUR SONS ON TO FINAL AND  
COMPLETE VICTORY.

I SALUTE YOU, MOTHERS OF AMERICA, AND  
THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITH IN YOUR SON  
AND YOUR COUNTRY.

*Norman D. Cota*

MAJOR GENERAL, U.S.A.  
COMMANDING  
28<sup>th</sup> INFANTRY DIVISION