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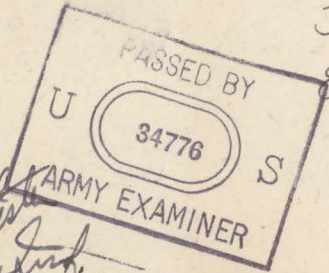
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AMERICAN RED CROSS

Jan. 19, 1945
In England

Dearest darling,

Just wanted to have a chat with my little sweetheart so I have your picture propped up before me, and here goes. Honey, have I reminded you lately what a sweet smile you have? You look as if you're just about to wink at me, and say, "Hello honey."

Was almost sure I'd have received a letter from Chuck or Jim by now. I'm really starved for letters. Well, anyway the longer I have to wait the more I'll enjoy them when they do arrive.

I saw a picture in, "Stars and Stripes," today. It was taken in Cleveland, where it seems a bit of snow fell. Have you had any trouble with the car since it's been cold? Remember the big snow we had in Henderson about this time last year?

Do you ever see any of the fellows from the plant? Wonder how they're making



AMERICAN RED CROSS

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A band is playing, "Sweet and lovely,"
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Guess I'll wind it up for this time,
darling. All my love to the sweetest and
dearest and best wife in all the world.

Your own,
Jack

[[Nick Dante 11/23/15]]

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Jan. 3, 1945
In England

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