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## 1945-04-05, Jack to Evabel

Jack P. Bell

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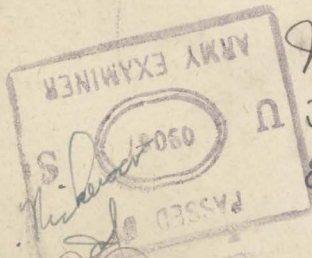
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VIA AIR MAIL



Mrs. Jack Bell  
345 W. River St.  
Elyria, Ohio

England - April 5

Dearest darling,

My first Esquires arrived today the February and March issues. Maybe one of these days I'll get January's. Also I got a letter you'd written in Henderson Dec. 10. In it you told me that the check came from the revenue department. Took them a long time to get to us didn't it, sweetie? I'm glad it came. I'd begun to think we'd never hear anything about it.

We've been having cool weather the past few days. They don't get much of a summer here so you really can't expect much in April, I suppose.

I saw a movie last nite at the post theatre. "The Falcon in Mexico." Not too bad.

April 6

My letter writing is sure going to hell on me. Just can't seem to think of anything to write.

I got your V letter of March 26th. today, honey. Hope you're still getting nice weather. Yes, sweetie everything in my packages has



been in good shape.

I'll be leaving this place sometime next week. Hold up on the writing till I send you my new address. I'll have a seven day delay en. route so I'm going to visit Chuck and Jim. Then to the replacement depot, and from there back to duty. It takes mail so long to catch up with you around here that even if you kept writing I'd get the letters to the address I'd be at sooner.

I got a letter from Maddie today. She told me about having the birthday party for you. She likes the coffee table very much.

Baby dear, I love you so. How I wish I could sneak up behind you, put my hands over your eyes, kiss that sweet soft little neck, and say, "Guess who?" I hope that wonderful day is not too far off.

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Your Own,  
Jack

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[[image- red six cents Air Mail U.S. Postage Stamp]]

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A.P.O. 118 c/o P.M. New York

[[image- black stamp: U.S. ARMY POSTAL SERVICE  
APR 8 1945]]

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