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NOTIFY
YOUR
CORRESPONDENTS
OF CHANGE
OF ADDRESS



Mr. Jack Bell
31 Groveland St.
Oberlin,
O.

12739 Linwood
Detroit,
Mich



Dearest,

I just got through watching the children take a bath. They are really cute. When no one is around they are good. That's just like kids.

By the way, is your sister still at your house? If ~~so~~ so when is she living, if not when did she leave? Has Bill brought Dolly over to the house again?

Yosh, that's swell though, isn't it that Bill is working with you and working days, I'll bet he is tickled, but I'll bet it is hard for him to get up in the morning?

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Ruby is funny.

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To-intel am going to call you up. Won't you be surprised to hear from me though? Can you have the car whenever you want it? Do you ever go to Elyria in your car or do you bum? Have you paid us all your bills already? How much do you have to pay on your suit yet? or is it all paid up already.

Do you ever wear your brown suit any more? I'll never forget the night before you left for Washington and you met me after work. you had on your brown suit and your striped polo shirt. and you looked so swell. another time was when you had your black sweater and your wool

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Well sweet I'd better mail
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So long darling, I love you

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Evel

P. S. my best regards to your
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[JACK P. BELL CORRESPONDENCE – EVABEL COLLECTION SEPT 1936 – AUG 1937 #32]

[Page 1 – Front of Envelope]

[[Image: Circular postmark stamp with text “DETROIT, MICH. 6 / 1937” encircling date: AUG 20 / 10 – PM”]]

[[Postmark Stamp Text: “NOTIFY YOUR CORRESPONDENTS OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS”]]

[[Image: Brown 3c postal stamp with image of George Washington.]]

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[[Image: Scotty Dog holding a letter (part of the stationery)]]

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