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Francest, Will here is the nice long letter . I hope you that I really owe you. I hope you me not mad et me for not writing any In the first place I want to tell you is that I got a letter from Jum and he said that he is comming in Sunday afternoon and that you should get in touch with him, du you going to wait to till Sun or are you going to come in Dat, and then you or rother we can meet them Some place. But if you want to come in on Sunday, maybe Jim will Stay till Tuesday, Because the holiday is mont Trues and after all if you want to become a good few you can start early. and then, or dailing, look at all the time we will be to gether I can harsely wait tell thes. It will be only 3 more

days. Tisten honey, when you get to Elyria and see fin. Write me right away and tell me what what, If you decide to wait to till Sun. That O.K with me. I mean, as a matter of fait maybe that would be better it would save you money, and you will have company when you come in. In sitting here watching Julia wash windows, ambitious aint &? and I in still waiting for a job. Yosh I wonder how much longer I murst wait. In not going up there to-day. Because really there is no use for me to go up there every day. When you come out here I'll show you my certificate and my land. Last night went with gella up to some girls to house and there was some girl up there and was she purny. The remind of Buly, She's kind of o'meny but were she junny I just sat there

all the time and I almost split my sides. The has a husband and the hus been going with another man! for about Typois. Suney is sitting here and he wants To take a both withme. He loves to He is watching me write so closely. He sticks his little nose down here, you would really think he knew something about what I'm writing. Doney why rost you enter the old gold cented ? your pretty good at that and you sonota Ola Golas. maybe when you come aut here we can work them out to gether Grah what if we would with \$100,000, Oh man what coulant we do with sport all our troubles would be luded, Josh, I wish I were with you when you were Crystal Beach, God Ill betigon have swell fin there. I wonder if I will hear from melva. Isosh I almost forgot all about here. Day you, Low do you know that I went to the avalone? Shave you got a correspondent,

To be the old drunk. Isetting a double chocalate malted milk. It's not to but a chocalate malter milk, but a double one my my. Eyes & there about theirs you sury like - Watto a joke and swintowiski I remember when I first met you, I'll start to commence to proceed to begingemember? Well I'd better start to proceed to commence to vegin to ena this letter before I get thrown out on my lav. if you see fin mail the letter vight away. Evaluel

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[[Page 1- Envelope - Front]]

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[[image- black circle stamp: DETROIT, MICH. 1937 SEP 1 7-PM]]

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OHIO

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12739 Linwood Ave Detroit, Mich

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Dearest,

Well here is the nice long letter that I really owe you. I hope you are not mad at me for not writing any more than such a short letter.

In the first place I want to tell you is that I got a letter from Jim and he said that he is coming in Sunday afternoon and that you should get in touch with him. Are you going to wait to till Sun or are you going to come in Sat. and then you or rather we can meet them Some place. But if you want to come in on Sunday. Maybe Jim will stay till Tuesday. Because the holiday is Mon & Tues and after all if you want to become a good Jew you can start early.

And then, of darling, look at all the time we will be to-gether. I can hardly wait till then. It will be only 3 more

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days.

Listen, honey, when you get to Elyria and see Jim. Write me right away and tell me whats what. If you decide to wait till Sun. That's O.K with me. I mean, as a matter of fact maybe that would be better it would save you money. And you will have company when you come in.

I'm sitting here watching Zella wash windows. Ambitious ain't I?

And I'm still waiting for a job. Gosh I wonder how much longer I must wait. I'm not going up there to-day. Because really there is no use for me to go up there every day. When you come out here I'll show you my certificate and my card.

Last night I went with Zella up to some girl's house. And there was some girl up there and was she funny. She reminds of Bucky. She's kind of ornery but was she funny I just sat there

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all the time and I almost split my sides. She has a husband and she has been going with another man for about 7 years.

Sandy is sitting here and he wants to take a bath with me. He loves to. He is watching me write so closely. He sticks his little nose down here. You would really think he knew something about what I'm writing.

Honey why don't you enter the old gold contest? You're pretty good at that and you smoke Old Golds. Maybe when you come out here we can work them out to-gether. Gosh what if we would win \$100.000 Oh man what couldn't we do with that. All our troubles would be ended. Gosh, I wish I were with you when you were Crystal beach. Gosh I'll bet you have swell fun there. I wonder if I will hear from Melva. Gosh I almost forgot all about her.

Say you, how do you know that I went to the Avalon? Have you got a correspondent?

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My, my, aren't you just getting to be the old drunk. Getting a [[underline]]double[[/underline]] chocolate malted milk. It's not so bad a chocolate malted milk, but a [[underline]]double[[/underline]] one my my.

Yes I think about things you say like – Wotta a joke and swim (s.w.i.m.) I remember when I first met you.
You + Bing always used to say.
I'll start to commence to proceed to begin – remember?

Well I'd better start to proceed to commence to begin to end this letter before I get thrown out on my ear.

Answer very soon. Remember if you see Jim mail the letter right away.

Your Own

Evabel