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BONDS
ASK YOUR POS



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

12739 Linwood
Detroit,
Mich.

Darling,

Do you mean to tell me that you would rather read than write to me? That's terrible, I'm highly insulted. Now don't you know that when you have letters to write to me you have no time to read. If I catch you doing that again I'll spank you. Oh excuse me I thought I was talking to Floyd or Sandy.

Yes, dear. I'm pretty sure I'm coming in for Thanksgiving. But I have no girdle and I have to get my dress cleaned and oh, so many things done. Because, honey when I come out don't you want me to look just fine? And honey, please tell me what you think of my idea of going into Egypt. Oh, honey, I want to look just

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I know you will like it. It makes
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& no, dear, that pain is still
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But its nothing to worry about.

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Because I used up all her stationery
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I wouldn't ever do any thing for you
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I'll bet they don't come back till Fri or
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It looked so queer. It's the first time
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Evelyn.

[[Nick Dante 6/2/16]]

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