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March 31, 1943
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the left sleeve right under the shoulder seam. They’re pretty snappy looking.

Once again thanks to everyone for the gifts. I see everyone of them everyday.

Well Darling, this isn’t much of a letter, maybe tomorrow I’ll have more to write.

All my love and lots of kisses,

Your own,

Jack

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In a few weeks we’ll be getting our insignia. It’s a semicircle of red with a white streak of lightning in it. I do happen to get an extra one I’ll send it to you. Would you like it? It’s not likely that they’ll give me too many, but I can buy them at the PX. The insignia is worn on the left shoulder or I should say high up on
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