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Post John P. Bell

78th Sig. Co. A.P.O. 78

Camp Butner
N.C.

airmail

July 3.



Dearest Darling,

Gosh, Honey, I'm so sorry the mail service is so bad. I always like to have you get a letter every day. I know how much you look forward to getting them. I know I always do.

It'll to-day is Saturday, at long last and imagine two days in which to sleep as long as I like. Boy is that going to feel swell. Now I sure do appreciate any sleep I can get. It seems as though I can't get to bed early. I always have so much to do. Last night it was 11:30.

I told you in yesterday's letter that I was going to stay home. Well I thought maybe I had better go see Lena. It was over a week that I was there. So I walked down and came back about 10:00 and I had to wash a few things out and iron out my blouse and so

by the time I got to bed it was after 11. But I'll make up for it Sunday morning. I will probably sleep till noon. (providing no one wakes ~~me~~ me up before. I never saw it to fail, every time I want to sleep in the morning some one always calls me up about 9 or 9:30. I always give everyone orders to not call me before 11 but you know how it is.

Remember how when we would want to sleep, someone always called us, and how mad you'd get and you'd want to go back to sleep and I would get up and decide to pester you and then you really get mad. But we would have fun. And I always liked my nookies in the morning and you always wanted them at night. (and in the morning if you could get both) But I'll bet when you come home we will have them both. I only hope you don't come home at the wrong time of the month.

If you are through with your course how's come you don't get your furlough yet. I thought you were supposed to get it when you finished the course.

Gosh it seems as though you are getting an awful lot of K.P. duty lately. Aren't you a good boy? I always thought you were such a good boy. Or does it go around real fast. Please explain to me. And also, Darling, tell me what is twelfth corp inspection? you said that's what you were cleaning up for, but you didn't say what it was. Or is it a military secret? Don't I ask a lot of questions? But I'm so interested in everything that I want to know about everything.

It's getting hot again. We had such nice cool weather. It was a pleasure to work and now it will be hot but as long as I don't have to work I don't mind.

Gosh, honey, I wish you were here to enjoy the fourth with me. We always have such good times together. Oh, well, it won't be too long before we will be together for good. I love you so much. you are

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[[Bell Correspondence #3]]

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