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N.C.

Ms J. P. Bell
345 St. River St
Elyria, O.



July 4, 1943

Dearest Sweetheart,

Independence day and what a day. It's a gray day. But I don't care I don't have to go to work and so I'm happy. Oh don't get me wrong I like my work but I just love to sleep in the morning and I get to sleep to-morrow too. Don't you envy me?

We went out last night but we didn't have such a good time. I could see all the couples to-gether and all I could do was sit there and wish you were with me. Darling, you always write such nice cheerful letters. I wish I could do the same. I'm cheerful, I mean I'm happy and I don't have a

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 I was always so proud of you. You
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 and when you come home on furlough
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 You are such a cute little person
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I believe I shall go over to your

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your own

Fink.

[[Nick Dante 3/24/16]]

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