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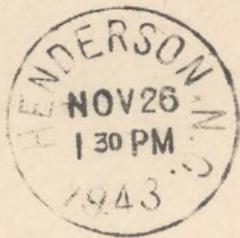
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HENDERSON, N.C.



Pvt. John P. Bell
78th Sig. Co. A.P.O. 78
Camp Butner,
N. C.A.R.

Darling,

I'm going to make this a shorty Bell letter, as I'm tired. I have come from the show and Mrs Turner's daughter Kathryn was and we had a little puzzle that we were trying to work out but we couldn't get it done so we gave it all up as a bad job. It was four little pieces and you had to put them to-gether and make a square and we just couldn't do it. So we all conceded defeat. But I'll save it for you and maybe you will be able to work it.

Gosh, Honey, it feels good to be working again. And especially now that you aren't here. I hate to have to just sit around and not do anything. And then too it feels swell to earn a little money.

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In fact I didnt. I dont like to do that. I want to keep that bank account as good as possible and then after this is all over, we will have something to look forward to. We can build our little home and maybe we might even have enough for you to start a little business on. Dont it be swell to have our own little home and business and at the end of each day you can come home and discuss all the business of the day and I will tell you about our children. And they will be darling children because they will all look like you. I hope that day comes real soon. It cant come soon enough for me. How about you? I hope you are getting along O.K.

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[[Nick Dante 5/6/16]]

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Mrs. J.P. Bell
215 Horner St.
Henderson, N.C.

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