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C/O Pat. Mstr. Nashville, Tenn.



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Mrs. Jack Bell
345 W. River St.
Elyria, Ohio



78TH DIVISION. CAMP BUTNER. N. C.

Sun. Feb. 20, 1944

Darling Fink,

First I'll apologize for not writing sooner, sweetie. Not that I had much to write about, but I hate to let my baby down like that.

Do as you think best about the inner tube, honey. If you think you should buy it. Go ahead. Your judgement is as good as mine. I guess we'll always consult each other on decisions, won't we, darling?

Looks like I'll have a nice little lump to send you when I get that money order. I made \$5.35 bar-bering yesterday afternoon. Not bad, huh?

They took us into Murfreesboro yesterday morning for showers. Sure makes you feel good to get ac-quainted with a little soap and water.

Looks like this will be a "shorty", honey. Nothing new ever happens out here in the sticks.

I love you, sweetheart. Lots of hugs and kisses. This is one hell of a letter, but I'll try and write a better one soon.

your own,
Jack

[JACK P. BELL CORRESPONDENCE JAN 1944 – MAR 1944 #12]

[Page 1 – Envelope]

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[[Image: Postmark stamp with printed text:
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[[Image: Green Lemming wearing a military helmet and throwing a lightning bolt, with a quiver of more bolts at his side, standing before a setting red sun.]]

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