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Mrs. J. P. Bell 345 W. River St. Elyria, O. [[image- purple 3 cent U.S. postage stamp w/ President Jefferson]]

[[image- black circle stamp: ELYRIA, OHIO 1944 APR 18 4<sup>30</sup> PM]]

Pvt. John P. Bell 78<sup>th</sup> Sig. Co. A.P.O. 78 Camp Pickett, Va.

## Apr 17.

Darling Sweetheart,

For the month of April we certainly are having crappy weather. It was nice out to-day but it was colder than a bat. I'll be glad when summer comes here to stay.

I'm so glad you decided to take the car back with us. I think it is a swell idea. But then I wanted you to do just as you thought best.

My Dad and Aunt Celia and Phil came home from Baltimore to-night. I was over to Lena's for a while and they called there to let her know they were home, so we took a walk over there. I guess they had some trouble on the way home. They had two blowouts. Phil said they weren't flats, the casing blew apart. And he didn't know what to do so he went to a junk yard and some guy sold him a tire. He also said he'd see if he could get me some "C" and "T" coupons and maybe when we go there to Va we will be able to use them. I think we will be able to manage some how.

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Would rather be with you than be in a swell place by myself. I love my home and I'd rather be here than any place I can think of but I'd give it all up in a minute to be by your side.

Well, as far as I know know, we are going into Cleveland Wed night. We are going to leave on the 20 minutes to four train and in that way it won't be so late when we get home. We will probably have dinner and go to a show and then come home I imagine we ought to have a pretty good time. We usually do.

I got a long letter from Genevieve to-day and she is so glad to hear we are close to her again. She says perhaps we can run down for a weekend. Which I hope.

Sweetheart, I love you so much, you are my everything. I am so looking forward to being with you, I can hardly wait.

Well, sweetie, I think I shall turn in now. I'm sending you lots of hugs and kisses and all my love,

Your Own, Fink.