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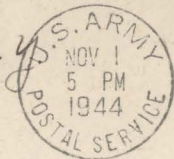
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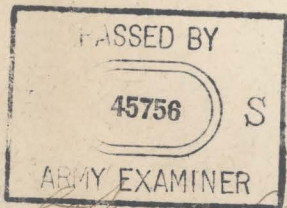
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Mrs. Jack Bell
508 West Street
Elyria, Ohio



H. J. ...

Oct. 31, 1944

In England

Dearest Darling,

This is the first Halloween
rite out of sight that we haven't
been together, honey. Sure hope we
can be together next year, and all
the rest of them.

Do you remember the year
you were living in Detroit, and
we went to that little cafe
with Barney and Ann? And the
year Isabel had the party at
her house. It's fun just reliving
those times.

I'll bet it seems kind of

nice to be back in Elyria again,
doesn't it, sweetie?

Darling, I am a very lucky
guy to be married to such a sweet
little girl. It's tough to be away
from you, but it's going to be so
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gether again. This separation
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So long for now, honey. I'll
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and hundreds of kisses,

your own,
Jack

[JACK P. BELL CORRESPONDENCE APR 1944 – Dec 1944 #16]

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“U.S. ARMY / POSTAL

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[[Image: Embossed

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Mrs. Jack Bell

508 West Street

Elyria, Ohio

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[[Censor’s hand:]] Lt James C. Ellis

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