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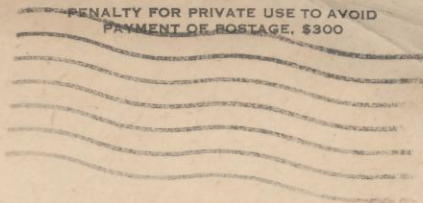
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(CENSOR'S STAMP)

To MRS. JACK BELL  
352 1/2 WEST STREET  
ELYRIA, OHIO

From

PT. JOHN P. BELL <sup>TRASSER</sup>  
(Sender's name)

78TH SIG. CO. APO 78  
(Sender's address)

C/O PT. MTR. NEW YORK

DEC. 15, 1944  
(Date)

In Belgium

Dearest darling,

How's my little sweetie, these days?  
Fine, I hope.

I was glad to hear that Mr. Norwich is feeling better. Can't quite imagine Florence getting up so early in the morning, but more power to her.

Baby dear, I love you so. I miss you very much, but the longer I'm away from you the grander it's going to be when we're together. I think of you all day, and dream of you at nite.

Say hello to everyone for me, honey. I don't have much time to write, and very little to write about when I do.

I'm enclosing hugs and kisses, and all my love. Your own, Jack

V-MAIL

[JACK P. BELL CORRESPONDENCE APR 1944 – Dec 1944 #40]

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