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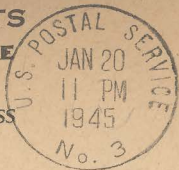
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To MRS. JACK BELL  
352 1/2 WEST STREET  
ELYRIA, OHIO

From  
PT. JOHN P. BELL 350524  
(Sender's name) RANT 4149  
DET. OF PATIENTS HOSP.  
(Sender's address)  
APO 63 56 PM. NEW YORK  
JAN. 12, 1945  
(Date)

Dearest Sweetheart,

In England

Please excuse me for not writing every day, honey. There just isn't anything to write about. I'm getting along O.K.

What goes in the old town these days, sweetie? Seems like a long time since I've seen it.

How do you like this tune, "Robin Hood"? It's played quite often here, and this trolley tune too, is good. We get rebroadcasts on some radio shows. Heard Bob Hope the other nite.

Has the apartment been papered yet, honey? Don't forget to send me samples of it.

My watch is still running good. It loses just about three minutes a day so as long as I keep setting it it's pretty accurate.

Well, sweetie I hope my mail catches me pretty soon. It will be wonderful to read your letters. All my love, darling, and lots of hugs and kisses,  
yours always,  
Jack

V-MAIL

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352 ½ WEST STREET  
ELYRIA, OHIO

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Det. of Patients Hosp. Plant 4149  
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