

THE HISTORIC ROUND TOWER



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Glorious, sweetheart!

as I sit and write this I am listening to Richard Crooks sing an aria from "Manon", and it brought back memories of so many wonderfully happy evenings you and I spent together listening to the wonderful music written by the Masters. Evenings in which we heard operas, listened to operettas, and thrilled to the terpsichorean abilities of the famous ballet dancers. Evenings when being with my ever sweetheart, and enjoying men made moments of emotional feelings made me sure I had found a heaven all my own. Evenings such as these will return to us once again, and I think this time we will cherish them more than ever before. Yes, my love, I will cherish every moment of every hour I will be with you again when this is over, and those artistic outlets will be only an expression of my love and adoration for the sweetest,

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most adorable sweetheart and wife
this side of heaven.

Your Friday letter was a revelation,
and I'm happy to be able to pep you up
with my daily letter. I don't know whether
there are many men who express them-
selves to their dear wives as I try to, but
I'm sure there are those who love and
miss their pal as much as I miss you.
If I express myself better it is only because
I love you deeply and truly, and strain very
hard to let you know that I do; and
when I get back home I'll try to make Jim
also appreciate that I'll try to be as good a
daddy as I am husband and sweetheart.

I'm glad the rain let up, and you
and Jim were able to get out in the air
again. The weather here is quite warm, and
the mosquitoes are terrific. Hope you
sell the suit, and buy yourself another.
Please attend to all bills and insurance
premiums due, and let me know when,
as and if both checks arrive in good
order - also buy a horse. Hope Mr. Pinus
is watching "allied stars" during the present

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use, and maybe we'll make some extra
length.

No further news on the transfer
to-day, and I'm a little disgusted with
my CO. It's true he is kept busy
traveling around the state attending to
technical training, but I'm impatient.
Lt. Beller (who tried to fix me with the
"watch inspector" job) promised to speak
to him this evening at a meeting. I'll
try to see him (my CO.) in the morning.

Spent Sunday in Como Park with
the temperature about 85 degrees, and the
mosquitos in force. There is a lovely
lake here, a zoo, and a botanical garden.
Persuaded a couple of young girls to
snap my picture, and to-day one of the
boys took me in "fatigue". You see, the
fellows don't refuse the mail clerk. When,
as, and if I get them I'll be sure to send
them on to you. Did you ever receive
my medal? or did you tell me already-

To-night I'm going to attend the
Jewish Welfare Board Social in chapel, and

may be I'll get some lax and bagels, this morning at 7 A.M. I attended a "requiem mass" for the mother of one of the boys. It seems his family didn't admire him about his mother's death until two weeks after she passed away. Sure was a rough deal on the boy, but he took it like soldiers are supposed to.

Thursday night, if I get a free ticket, I'm going to see "The Student Prince", with Everett Marshall. It's also pay day, so perhaps I'll even dine in town, but dearest, how I'll miss hugging your hands. But I'll be speaking to you Sunday, and how did you make out with the phone bill?

Stay well, honey, Kiss Jim for me and have him kiss you for daddy. My best to everyone, and I have my fingers crossed, and my twits nuzzled for Joel. With all my love, you find me adoring you

as ever,

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