

Wednesday 2-9-44

Florence, darling!

Now that we have entered our seventh year of married life together let me once more thank you for the previous six years of love and happiness, understanding and cooperation, and strength and hope for the future. It is, I realize, difficult under present circumstances to be in high spirits, but we have much to be thankful for. I look forward to a future in which I will be privileged to love and adore you. I truly feel like the most fortunate man in the world. Our love, created so spontaneously, and kindled since with such devotion and feeling, will carry us thru for many years, and nothing can or will happen to dwarf our mutual feelings. I hope you are bearing brave and carrying on as only you can under such trying conditions. Keep on loving me, honey; and believe you me, I do nothing else but dream about you all day.

Your air mail letter containing the income tax information arrived to-day, and thank you very much. I think I will need nothing else to complete this; and it looks like I will request a refund. In a few days I will forward you a copy to keep in our files, and will mail the original to Customs House. Confusedly glad you had such a good time on Sunday, and certainly hope Jimmy did you proud.

Are you and the both well and being brave soldiers? Did you have any trouble with the car, or driving? How are my folks? Did you get Mogens a wedding gift like I suggested? How do you like your new coat? How is the weather back home? Received a letter from Kers yesterday, and he is up to his neck at usual. No other mail to-day from

anyone and I am glad. I have so little time to write.

School is progressing nicely and I study and practice typing each evening until 9.30 P.M., then I shower, polish my shoes and go to bed. This makes it a full day, but I don't mind it at all. Everything else is under control, so keep your fingers crossed, all will be well. On Thursday I expect to be placed into a permanent company, and things will nearly start then. After about 6 to 8 weeks here we will go elsewhere for technical training, but by that time I expect to be well established in the office.

Weather is fine, I feel O.K. Hope you have received all the pictures, circulars and schedules I sent you. I enclose another from you will please add to my scrap book of World War II (Personal). Stay well, sweetheart, don't worry, be of good cheer; everything comes to an end, and this war, and our enforced separation will also see its finish soon. Loving you, and be loved by you, makes all this simple for me, so take a hint.

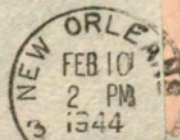
Kiss Jim for me, and I have your kiss in mind. My best to the folks and your kin. Until tomorrow, you find me loving you always.

as ever,

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