

Jan. 2, 1944

Dear George:

We waiting for Bessie and
Hy to come along so with
plenty of time to spare I'm
hoping to be able to write a
nice long letter to you.

Mother and I spent
New years Eve at Florence's.
I had hoped we'd all get
stinko but nothing like
that happened. Jimmy stayed
awake in his crib waiting
to usher the new year in.

He knew something was up.
I cleaned out a bunch
of ~~House~~ and Garden mag-
azines that had been behind
the chair since you were
married. At 12 midnight we
all drank Blackberry Brandy
and wished you were with
us.

I went to Laila's house
yesterday and was given a

pair of Nylons (my size) as a Christmas gift.

"Nylons were bringing \$100 per dozen for the Christmas season".

Monday morning I'm going to deposit them in the vault.

Now here it is Sunday and we've been waiting for the two stinkers since 12 noon. It is now about 2 P.M. and they haven't showed up yet.

I fixed Jimmy's Sail Boat so now he can go sailing in the Bath tub. Next Sunday Florence and I are going visiting. We'll see Jules and Min and then Betty..

Sidney (my cousin) came in on furlough. Haven't seen him but I understand he was demoted from Sergeant to Private. Don't know why but I can well imagine.

My boss finally was shamed into giving us gifts. The girls in the office were given \$10 to buy me a pair of pajamas. They couldn't find any for that price so they

bought a pair for less and
added a slip. That didn't
quite come to 10 so they added
a hanky. All junk and
size 36. I asked them why
Bernstein didn't give me the
cash. - It was too small an
amount to be presented.

Ruby got 2 white shirts and
2 ties that would make
nice swaps. Sarah got
\$5 cash (I wanted to trade with
her).

Bessie and Hy are coming
now, so I'll say good-bye until
next letter. Love from all.

Peacocks.

P.S. I had you liked the card.
I can't remember what was on
it but I did choose it very
carefully.



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LEADER OF LIARS

Sergeant. Baron S. Fonnesbeck has won the title of "Mr. Champion Liar of 1943." He topped 6,000 other liars in the annual contest conducted by the Burlington, Wis., Liars' Club. It seems Fonnesbeck told the story of some gigantic Maryland mosquitoes who have taken so much of his blood that "they send me a card on Father's Day." (Dr. Goebbels is pretty good, too, but he didn't enter the contest.)

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