

WICHITA KAN

5/4/45

DEAREST BOB-

YOU'LL PROBABLY KEEL OVER WHEN YOU GET ~~MXS~~ THIS LETTER FROM YOUR OLD AUNT. DO HOPE YOU'LL FORGIVE ME FOR NOW WRITING YOU SOONER, I'LL BET YOU'LL THINK WE'RE ALL A FINE BUNCH FOR THE WAY WE'VE NEGLECTED THIS.

WELL I'M IN WICHITA NOW, AS YOU'LL PROBABLY BE SURPRISED TO HEAR. AM WORKING FOR THE WESTERN UNION TELEG CO. IN THE OFFICE. KINDA LIKE WICHITA, ANYWAY MORE THAN I THOUGHT I WOULD. AFTER I RETURNED TO MINN. AND THEN DECIDED NOT TO GET MARRIED I, BARB, AND FRITZ CAME TO KANSAS. BAR AND FRITZ ARE IN RUSSELL WITH JEAN AND EVERETT AS YOU'VE PROBABLY HEARD, AND DAD IS STILL IN MINNESOTA.

NOT MUCH NEWS TO RELATE BOB, INTENDED GOING HOME OVER THE WEEK-END BUT GUESS I WON'T KNOW BEINGS I HAVE TO WORK ~~ON~~ SUNDAY. MILDRED AND BUD ARE LIVING IN ELDORADO KANS NOW.

YOU'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO MAKE HEADS OR TAILS OUT OF THIS HONEY BUT WE'VE REALLY BEEN BUSY TODAY AND I'M DEAD NO LESS. EXCUSE THIS TYPEWRITTEN THING BUT THOUGHT I'D DROP YOU A LINE HERE AT THE OFFICE. WOULD BE NOTHING FOR ME TO PUT IT OFF, I'M REALLY ASHAMED BUT I AM TERRIBLE WHEN IT COMES TO WRITING LETTERS. THAT'S JUST ABOUT ALL I DO THOUGH NOW WITH ALL THE KIDS OVERSEAS, SURE BE GLAD WHEN THIS THING IS OVER. MY BOY FRIEND IS IN THE FERRY COMMAND AND IN INDIA NOW.

HEARD YOU HAD A BIT OF BAD LUCK LT., WE'VE REALLY ALL BEEN THINKING ABOUT HONEY. JUST TAKE IT EASY NOW...

WANT TO DROP KENNY A LINE TO SO GUESS I'LL SIGN OFF FOR NOW. HOPE THIS SHORT NOTE FINDS YOU FEELING FINE, WILL WRITE AGAIN SOON. WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU PLEASE WRITE WHEN YOU'RE ABLE. ENCLOSING A PIC

OF MYSELF REALLY IS STINKY, BUT HOPE YOU LIKE IT. LOTSA LOVE

AUNTIE EDNA MAE

*Edna Mae*

E.M. Saltsell

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