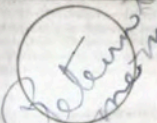


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565 (Sender's Address)

A.P.O. To/Postmaster
San Francisco, California
July 14, 1944

(Date)

Dear Folk's Sis:

Just a few lines to let you know how I am getting along, I am feeling just fine and getting ~~me~~ along ok. I didn't get a chance to write to you yesterday as we were moving again, but now we have finally settled down again for at least a few days I hope. I received some mail from you the other day, and I answered you the same day so you should have at least heard from me by the time you receive this letter, I am sorry that I have no regular Stationery or I would write to you by air mail, but the stamps are pretty hard to get around these parts of New Guinea. I can tell you now that I am in a combat area at the present time and that I have been since I landed in Guinea, it isn't really as bad as I expected it to be, but I would gladly trade any part to be home for just one day or even a half a day, but maybe in the near future this war will all be over and us boys can all come back to the states, at least I am hoping for the best. I am going to try and answer some of my mail all though some of it is rather old I received some that was written January from Melvin, and I must find time to drop him a few lines. I suppose you are wondering where I got the typewriter well at last I have been assigned to my unit and I am working in the motor command as a dispatcher, I like the work fine so far and I think it should be better later on. In regards to the watch you sent I have never heard a thing about it but I should very soon as my mail is finally coming through, I should be getting my christmas cards soon. If I may request something I would like to have some coffee although I know that you have sent some but it is a good idea to have some on hand. well my time is short so I will

close for now hoping to hear from you soon.

Your Son
Kenney



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