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UNITED STATES NAVY

Dear Mollye,

Received your letter the other day and was very glad to hear from you. As for me I am feeling fine and everything is swell. As you've heard from ^{Alvans} Jimmy, send me his address will you please. I was glad to hear the moonlight was a success, I certainly would have liked to hear on it, but on the other hand maybe I would have gotten sea-sick.

Last week-end I went to Hollywood, that was on a Saturday night and I went to the Hollywood Contem and saw Reddy Da Man, Joan Leslie, Heda Hopper, Phil Bryan and my cowboy idol Roy Rogers ('Yipee!'). Sunday morning I went to the Santa Monica Beach with my relatives bathing. Gee Mollye, they really treat me swell. Well you can imagine my surprise while eating a hot-dog (my mouth was all stuffed) lo and behold I see a fellow who used to work with me at the P. B. R. who is in the army and stationed out here. We were talking some old times how we use to loaf away hrs. together at the Penny. It was really nice to see somebody from Wilmington.

How is everything coming along in Wilmington?
How is the "Y" doing these hot summer days,

AIR MAIL



I bet the pool is really given a workout.
You know something Mallye I believe I am becoming
a better chicken farmer than sailor. When I first
came out to California, to tell the truth, I used to
be afraid of chickens, but now I help my uncle
with a lot of his work. Well Mallye, there isn't
much more to write so I'll end with love.

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