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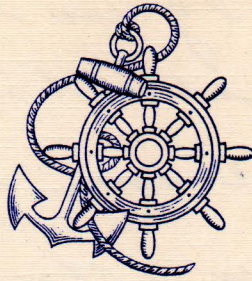


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Dear Mallye,

I received your letter and I am very sorry it took me so long to answer, but I have been fairly busy up here, learning to be a sailor. This as you might know is the largest naval training station in the world. I am swell and am getting on to many life by now. I have had all my shots and they were a snap. I was glad to hear that Dan is now a lieutenant. Have any other fellows left for the service other than the ones you wrote me. It is very pretty up here, but you seldom get to see the scenery as the land is covered with snow most of the time. So far, I have not met any Jewish boys from Wilmington up here, but I am keeping a look-out. How is everything and everybody in

Wilmington? I guess the "Y" is getting
more bare all the time. Maybe
when I get a chance I will send you
some pictures of this place. I am
sure you would enjoy seeing them as
we have quite a few interesting things
up here. Give my regards to Mr. Sollen
& Sonny, and everybody around the "Y."

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Ad Steelman