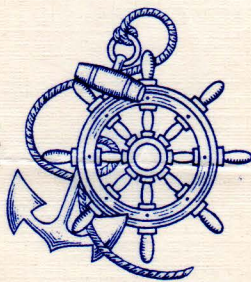


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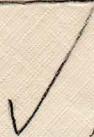
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Dear Mollie,

~~Well here I am up here where~~  
it is really freezing, just when spring is  
~~coming into Wilmington.~~ Many life is O.K.,  
it is just a matter of getting adjusted to  
~~such things as beans, needles, etc.~~ our  
barracks are really clean, they should be, as  
we clean them enough. I am ~~surely but surely~~  
~~convincing myself that I am becoming one of~~  
~~the best deck swabbers in the Navy.~~ That Navy  
haircut is really something, you sit in the  
barber chair, throw up your hat and when  
you catch it the haircut is completed and  
I mean haircut, they really scalped me.  
How is everything coming along in Wilmington  
and how are the activities at the Y? Sunday  
I attended Jewish services; it was very nice.  
Mollie if you know of any other Jewish boys  
up here please send me their company and  
battalion and I will try to look them up, ~~so~~  
please send me the Recorder.

Yours Sincerely  
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