



UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

Dear Mallye,

I received your very nice letter up at Elliott a few weeks ago and am sorry I didn't answer sooner. As you can see I have moved temporarily again and I may add giving the installment company a bigger headache keeping up with me. I am now right in the lovely (what a job) city of San Diego. We are right in the harbor where there is quite a bit of activity going on. This is more or less a transfer unit and I don't expect to stay here too long at least I hope not.

I received the Recorder and it was really swell. You are really doing a great job Mallye and I only wish I had the power of intelligence to tell you what is in mine and all the other boys hearts, but unfortunately I don't and I'll just have to pay you're 4.0, and that

is perfect in the Navy.

I met some fellow here I use to go to school with and although he was transferred a few miles down the coast we are going to meet in Hollywood this week-end and throw a celebration.

Glad to hear everything at the Y is running smooth and give my regards to everybody around the Y. I better end now as there is a matter of a deck being swabbed and the honor was bestowed upon me.

Always love
Dick Stebbins

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