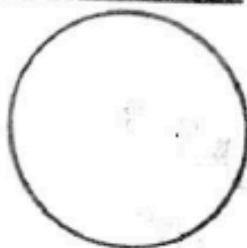


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PT. HUBART H. KLEIBOEKER 3774896  
INFANTRY CASUAL DET. CO. D. 42<sup>nd</sup> PLAT.  
A.P.O. 15729 40 POSTMASTER  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

From

LEONA KLEIBOEKER  
(Sender's name)  
823 WEST 55<sup>th</sup> ST.  
(Sender's address)  
KANSAS CITY 2, MO.  
JANUARY 26<sup>th</sup> 1945  
(Date)

My Dear Hubbie, Bless your heart, I sure was surprised to get a letter from you so soon as I did. I got your v-mail Monday Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup>. Believe me, I almost kissed the postman for joy. Lulu says I get more excited about my brother's letters than I do my boy friends - so you see my little man how you rate with your sister. I still can't understand how your letter got here so quick - it must have been picked up at sea. Lulu says who are you anyway the president's son? To get such service, that's it. Elda hasn't received her letter yet - so it looks like v-mail is the best bet - you might try an air-mail sometime. Let us know which of ours the v or air come thru the fastest to you. I was eager to see when you had written that letter to me, but the date was blacked out. That was the only thing blacked out. I hope you enjoyed all rest of the trip and landed safely. We are eager to hear from you again now. I noticed you had your address a little different, but I think I'll stick to the way it came on the card from Meade maybe add "Casual Det." Is that all right? Elda + hl had a letter from Robert Louis to say he is all right again, just got a little scrapnel in the arm. I had a letter from Rosa Meyer to-day she is up and around again and she said she sure did appreciate getting a get-well-card from you. So long Hubbie, and God be with you. Love  
Leona

V-MAIL