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DEAR FOLKS ;

I RECEIVED YOUR RECENT LETTERS YESTERDAY AND TODAY AND I WAS SORRY TO HEAR THAT YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED THE LETTER IN WHICH I HAD DESCRIBED IN DETAIL MY TRIP TO JAPAN I HOPE THAT YOU GET IT SOON. IT IS THE LONGEST LETTER THAT I HAVE WRITTEN AND IF IT FALLS INTO THE WRONG HANDS IT MIGHT CAUSE TROUBLE. I HOPE THAT YOU GET IT SOON. IF YOU DONT WILL WRITE YOU AND TELL YOU WHAT IT CONTAINED SO BE SURE AND LET ME KNOW WHEN, AND IF YOU GET IT.

I SEE BY YOUR LETTER THAT THE BUISNESS HAS REALLY BEEN GOOD. I HOPE THAT WE WILL BE ABLE TO BUY SOME FURNITURE FOR THE HOUSE AND MAYBE BUY A NEW CAR. I GUESS THAT IVE GOTTEN PRETTY BIG IDEAS SINCE IVE BEEN IN THE NAVY BUT I AM TIRED OF LIVING ON THE BARE NECCESITIES. I WANT TO LIVE WELL FROM NOW ON.

I WAS SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT THE TRAIN WRECK AND THE DEATHS AND IF YOU SEE LOIS BE SURE AND GIVE HER MY REGARDS.

THE BIG BOYS ARE REALLY SCARED NOW, THAT ALL THESE CONGRESSMEN ARE COMING OUT HERE AND SNOOPING AROUND, BUT I DOUBT IF THEY WILL FIND OUT ANYTHING SINCE THEY USUALLY COME THROUGH SIGHT SEEING, AND HAVE TEA WITH THE GOLD BRAID. I BET THEY NEVER SPEAK TO AN ENLISTED MAN.

I HAVENT HEARD ANYTHING ABOUT THE ARMY TAKING OVER SO I HOPE THAT WE WILL HEAR IN A FEW DAYS.

THEY ARE GETTING THE BOYS OUT OF HERE PRETTY FAST, EXCEPT FOR YEOMEN, SO I MAY BE SORRY THAT I TOOK THE RATE BUT I THINK THAT BY THE TIME THEY GET DOWN TO 20 PTS. , WHICH IS WHAT I HAVE THEY WILL HAVE NEARLY EVERYBODY OUT AND THEY WONT NEED YEOMEN.

THEY SEEM TO BE REALLY GIVING THE BRASS A BAD TIME DOWN IN THE PHILIPPINES MAYBE NOW THEY WILL LEARN THAT ENLISTED MEN ARENT SLAVES. NOBODY HAS SAID ANYTHING WHILE THE WAR WAS GOING ON BUT NOW THAT IT IS OVER WE SEE NO USE FOR BEING DEPRIVED OF OUR LIBERTY.

WE ARE USED TO HAVING FREEDOM AND NOT BEING RULED BY DICTATORS
WHICH IS WHAT THE ARMY AND NAVY DO. WE BROUGHT OVER A NEW GOVT,
FROM THE OLD WORLD BUT THE SAME OLD DICTATORIAL ARMY AND NAVY.
I DONT SEE WHY DEMOCRACY WONT WORK IN THE ARMY AND NAVY AS WELL
AS XXX FOR CIVILIANS.

THATS ENOUGH OF MY STEAM FOR AWHILE

LOVE

FRANK