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LETTER ONE HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT-EDITH TO VIC

Thursday 12/7/44 8:45 p.m.

My dearest,

Today, I received 2 letters from you (air mail) dated 11/24 & 11/25 & 3 V-mails dated 11/25, 11/27, 11/29. Also, I rec'd an adorable letter from Cap't Shaw which I'll answer just as soon as I can. I'd like to send him a package, but since he didn't request anything-please darling, share a package with him that I'll send you. He's a great guy & I sure wish he could have a little happier marital relation'.

I rec'd your money order, the German arm band, but as yet, no package from you. Guess it'll be around shortly'.

Nope-cablegrams aren't so good for you I gather, & I receive those you send not much quicker than the fastest mail service. Except for the moral uplift-they're not worth what they cost'.

I sent you stationary in a package, but I'll send you some more'.

I'm awfully glad to hear you got the camera & gosh, that was nice of Alma & Harold to send you that package. They are swell kids'!. You have 127 film in the mail & more will be on the way shortly.

So you finally changed your O.D's. Gosh, I can just imagine how you smelled-ummm delicious'. Wish I could have a whiff of it-it would knock me out in more ways than one. I adore you, darling'.

So glad you like Morty's lighter-it was sweet of him to remember that I mentioned that you wanted one. He is a good kid'. If you can,

send him some of the Nazi junk-he'll get a "kick" out of it. We haven't heard from him in some time, so we presume he's "on his way again".

Who are you sending Xmas cards to?--you see, I sent a bunch from the 2 of us to almost everyone we know'.

Worked like a dog "whipping" the nursery into shape. Missed getting to see the dentist for a check-up because the federal adm., Mr. Bryan, arrived & kept me until 5:30-I worked 9 1/2 hrs. today & I am exhausted. All the toys are now sterilized & 2 rooms are thoroughly cleaned. (windows, floors, woodwork, etc). The irony of it-I only get pd. for 44 hrs. wk. no matter what the overtime is.

Darling-wish you could be here to enjoy my small achievements with me, cause you are part of me'. I adore you, Bubsie'.

Edith