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## Letter Written by Edith Speert to Victor A. Speert Dated December 29, 1944

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Friday, 12/29/44, 9:25 p.m.

Sweetheart-

Tonight the Community Center wasn't opened, so I thought I'd have one night in which I could fully relax; but no -

Fred is leaving 6:00 tomorrow morning, so I sat around until he came & bid him a very fond farewell! The kid is no "slosh" on kissing; but he still has a lot to learn - from you! Also, since this is UK's & Fred's last night together, I did let him use my Chanel #5, my girdle, my shoes, coat, scarf, gloves & earrings. Now, I must admit that she looked stunning!

Boy, I was thrilled today to receive 3 V-mails from you dated 12/13, 12/19 & 12/24. Imagine, the last two were in their original form (not photographed) & they reached me in 9 days. I'm sure not complaining. Your news was pretty good today, if you don't consider the lives lost -



to regain the territory -  
know the Germans! 2  
Glad you finally  
received my wire. I shall  
try & send you another one  
tomorrow!

I lost the winding  
apparatus on my watch.  
Dad is wearing Mont's  
watch, so he gave me his  
to wear! As long as it  
keeps time that's all I  
care about!

After nap hr. one of  
the kids awoke with a  
rash & a slight temperature.  
I got scared of scarlet  
fever & isolated him. Gee,  
I sure hope we don't have  
any epidemics in my school  
they to give a grad<sup>making</sup> medical  
inspection & hope my  
ass'ts do, too! Told the parent  
not to bring him in the a.m. un-  
less he gets a statement from  
a Dr. that the kid's okay!

Mont called this minute  
He's just fine - been trying  
to call for 2 wks - was  
rather anxious about you  
as we all are - were  
they're "pulling out"  
around the 7<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup>!

I'm loving you every minute  
Edith