

After 10 days, return to
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Dearest Sonny:-

It was just great to hear your voice and this time I heard you so much better than ever before. It's over 3 weeks since we heard from you over phone you will note the writing on the first few lines are rather dull looking on this letter I tried to use the ever sharp, but just can't make it work like Dad can. Tomorrow I hope to call Jerry he asked me to give him a ring. Leah had a letter from him today she called me to tell me I told you she goes out with

Gene Petchesky so your Aunt
Jennie made remarks
about it that she goes out
with just a kid as she is so
much older than he is.

I guess she doesn't care just
so she gets to go places.

Dear Dad mailed you
the shoes and swim trunks
I looked again for the old
ones but I am sorry I
couldn't find them, is there
anything else you need I
asked you several times
whether you rec. a br of
Barack shippers as one of
the drummers send them to you
but you never did answer
me and they also wrote you

a letter so if you rec them
please let wife know
and you should acknowledge
them, There isnt any thing
new here. Business is quiet
just at present it is
between seasons. Keep us
posted what you are doing
and how you are in
general. I hope you will
get to see Jerry again we
are very glad whenever
you get a chance to make
the trip to Frash it is a change
for you. If you have some
new snapshots please send us
some, Lots of love to you
my sweet from Dad and
your loving Mom.

P.S. Jennie got a letter
from Melvin from England he is
Ok.

Dear Dave:-

I am glad that you called up wish you would do it more often.

I am glad that you are well and not working too hard. What kind of work are you doing when on the line do they let you do repair work or just clean up things whatever you do, do it a little better than you are supposed to and you may be promoted.

I hope you will not go across so soon also hope that the war will be over soon. Our New Mgr is still on probation.

lots of love

Dad