

Harbel, October 8, 1940.

To All American Employees:

The U.S.S. OMAHA, flagship of Rear Admiral David M. LeBreton, commanded by Captain L. A. Davidson, is paying a courtesy visit to Monrovia on Wednesday, October 9.

The American Charge d'Affaires ad interim, Mr. Clifton R. Wharton, is giving a reception in honor of Rear Admiral LeBreton and the officers of the cruiser between the hours of 4 and 5 PM on October 9 at the American Legation.

Mr. Wharton advises: ".....it is my desire to have all Americans that can possibly assist on this occasion."

G. H. Snyder
GENERAL MANAGER.

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October 8th, 1940.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Tandy

You are cordially invited in joining about twenty other golfers in giving a party to Charlie Woelfel, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, on Friday evening, Oct. 11th, at 7:30 P.M.

We feel that we should show him our appreciation for the excellent work that he has done on the golf course during the past year.

Please answer as soon as possible so that the necessary arrangements can be made for Friday evening.

Buffet Dinner

Reply to Mr. R.J. Hines

Mr + Mrs Landy

Mrs. George Byron Roorbach

has the honour to announce
the marriage of her daughter

Carolyn

to

Mr. William Harrison Dunbar

on Tuesday, the twenty-second of July

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Having a Friend
like you to greet
Is the nicest-thing
I know

For you are the kind
of a person
That makes this old
World so.

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ON BOARD S. S.

DATE

Sept 19th

My dear Tommy:

We are just out of
Freetown. In fact, we would
have been there at 7 o'clock
this morning but last night
late we ran into a convoy
and here we are bringing
up the rear. A destroyer
swishes along side of us
and an oil tanker brings
up the rear. The first
thing I saw this morn-
ing was a mine sweeper.
They are really funny
looking things. The were

twenty miles from Treetown
at 7 o'clock this morning
and as far as I can see
we are still just that far.
The Captain says we are moving
and I suppose we are but
I have my doubts.

We should get to Monrovia
Monday but there are 200
bags of mail ~~to~~ be taken
off and censored and about
3500 cases of milk ^{to be discharged} and God
only knows when they will
attend to our ship. This Convoy
contains about 20 ships
but some of them look
like they're empty but one
never knows. We are all
worn out & cross as bears
but suppose we'll live

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through it.

Will you ask Mother
to send me 3 sets of socks
knitting needles ~~that~~ not
steel, as they will rust, and
some very small yarn —
Some white and a nice shade
of blue — perhaps two
shades. Also send a knitting
book and be sure to send
smaller needles for the ribbing.
Kathryn & I want to knit
some socks & think we had
better have an extra set of
needles — may be two sets
each. If it is possible to get
cotton, or mercerized cotton
small enough, I should

like to have some but mother
will know what I can use.
Tell her to send me the bill,
and have Stewarts make
a parcel post package out
of it and send it that way.

I suppose you will
have been to Canada & back
by now. It doesn't seem
possible to me that one can
go so far in such a short
time. I'm back in
my slow african stroller.

I can't tell you how
much I enjoyed seeing you
all and how very much
I liked Charlie. As I told
Mother, I had looked forward
to playing around with you
for a while. We have never
had a chance to really play

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because one of us has
always been working heretofore.
When we get back again
will take my thousand and
have "one helluva play".

Please write us once in
a while, and I know I don't
have to ask you to take care
of mother.

With much love to you
all, I am

Devotedly
Shady

The
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LOUISVILLE



My dearest Aunt Pat -

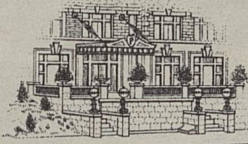
It was not until I
was well on my way to
Bowling Green that I realized
you were not at home when
I opened my compact and
that I had not thanked you
for it. I was just delighted
with it and have used it con-
stantly since you gave it to
me. Compacts are something
that people have never given
me so consequently I never have
a nice one and I was just
delighted to get this one. Thank
you many times for it and
please let me see my redress in
not saying anything to you

about it on Christmas day - you
couldn't have given me anything
I had more use for.

It was certainly nice being
with you on Christmas and I
enjoyed the day and dinner so
much - was sorry not to see
you again before I left that after-
noon but the time slipped up
on me and I had to rush to
catch the bus. I suppose Mother
told you what a terrible trip
we had up that night. We left
Bowling Green at 6 and got here
at 4 that morning. It took us
3 1/2 hours to drive the 4 miles
over Muldraugh Hill - it was
just perfectly terrible and I was
certainly thankful I was not
driving.

I went to Stannys' debut
hall and it was lovely. There
was nothing terribly showy about
it - it was all very sensible
and nice and all the young

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set said it was the best dance
of the season. Stanny looked
perfectly lovely, and I think Cousin
Helen was the prettiest thing
there and as always the perfect
hostess. The whole thing was
lovely from beginning to end.

Mr. Harsy and Mr. Smith
both appreciated your nice letters
and thought it was so nice
of you to take the time yourself
to write them.

Give all your family my
love and keep a beautiful for your
own dear self -

Always
Mary J.

Wednesday

SEASON'S
Greetings





May Christmas bring you
every joy and the New Year
be filled with health
and happiness

The Tysons

May the whole family
be happy today + along
with this best wishes to Milou
& wife so far away —
Mrs. T.

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MRS. GEORGE H. KOPPERL
SOVEREIGN APARTMENTS
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LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

12/20/41

My dear Agnes: I have returned this
week from Ben Hilliards and am not
attempting much in the way of Christ-
mas. At present things seem very
quiet on the Coast. but I understand
1,000,000 soldiers are to be sent to guard
this section - some are already quartered
here - A letter from Dr. Myfield - who
is with the Intelligence Service in
Washington D. C. is urging me to close
the apartment and go down to Austin
Texas with his family - to leave here for
the duration of the war. But I'm hoping
it won't reach our shores for a long
time - if ever.
I wish I might be permitted to visit in

Hopkinsville - but with the prospect
of a long war ahead I want to remain
here as long as it seems wise -
Our lobby has been completely black-
ed out. and if true to our feelings
I will accept Mrs. White's invitation
to go to their apartment - which is
nearer the center of the building.
I am certainly missing you and
Mr. Thomas but am so grateful that
you are in a seemingly cozy place.
This note is for you all I will be
thinking of you and please thank
Pat and Mary again for their cordial
invitation. It helps greatly to know
I love it. Much love to each one - in-
cluding John Jr. and may you have a
Happy Holiday season. Devotedly
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