

March 3rd

Dear Sally,

I was very glad to get your letter the other night. I can't remember when I last wrote you. Perhaps Wendell has been able to write you since he's down in the hospital. Just in case you haven't heard from him I'll tell you a little about him. It was about Jan. 22nd that he fell down one night and twisted his arm. They sent him back to the hospital and when I first heard from him they weren't sure exactly what was wrong with his arm. Then I didn't hear from him for a couple of weeks and the next time I heard from him he was in England. Since then I've had about 3 letters from him and in the last one he said they were using physio-therapy on his arm. It turned out that he chipped a bone in his arm and that has caused to be stiff & sore. It's not too serious but I hope it keeps him there a couple of months. Maybe the war will be over by then. There's not much news from here. We're getting a break right now which I'm thoroughly enjoying. You know, Wendell and I were aid-men with an infantry company. Now I am a litter-bearer. In some ways it is a better deal. I'm more likely to have a better place to stay for one thing. I just opened a letter from Dad. He says that he has got kind of run down so the doctor advised that he take a week off from work. Mom has also been down with a cold. Up till then Mom and Dad had both been in exceptionally good health all winter. Guy and Dot are finally a proud "Mom" & "Pop". They have an 8 lb. girl born sometime in February, I'm not sure of the exact date. I'd like to have seen Guy and see if he got very excited. I heard from Margaret about three weeks ago. It was the first I'd heard from her in some time so I was a way behind on news as you and she are the only ones we hear from. No doubt, Wendell has complained to you that he had to do all of the writing. I never agreed with him before but since I've been by myself I've sure had a hard time keeping up. When I get a chance to write I have to do it all at once as there are times when I'm likely to get Mom written. You mentioned the twin girls in your class. That's what Wendell and I were always looking for, twin girls, but we never had the luck to meet any. I'm going to close for now. Thanks for writing. You're always about the busiest person I know and how you find time to write is beyond me. I'm beginning to believe thought that the more you have to do the more you'll get done.

Love,

Wayne