

Richmond

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D My Dear Julia
This is
the last day of Jan.
and I wrote to you the
first day. This is a beau-
tiful day, a little cold
but is bright & lovely
out side.
I see there has been another
blizzard east. I do hope
you & Y. have not suffered
from the cold.
Honence brother married
Monday. He did not tell
any of the family he was
going to marry. They did
not know he had a sweet
heart. He phoned to Mrs
Duncan yesterday morning

he was married and was coming over to take dinner with her. (He lives in Haisco) Mrs D. phoned to G. she talked good over it. She knew the girl years ago, and did not like her, and to think he married and did not tell them, we got ready and went to Mrs D's and spent the day. Mrs D. had a good fix O'clock dinner. They came, and she seems to be a lovely girl. I think they all fell in love with her. He is drafted and may have to go to war any day. Andy has been gone several days so we stay a while. We got a jitney to bring us home last night. Andy thinks he will get home tonight. I have not heard a word from Mrs. McGairns. She certainly did not get my card. I would just love to knit & some socks if I had time then it hurts my shoulder to knit. I love to knit. The Red Cross does not knit socks like I used to knit them. Mrs. Benton and Cora has knit so many pairs for their boy friends. I am so glad Ed is pleased with his work. I guess Yoly has got her hands full. I hope Alice will not give her any trouble.

I received a letter from Mrs Adams
this week. She said they were ship-
ping water to Stamford. That is bad.
My! won't it be lonesome there with-
out the boys and Yoda? I hate
the thoughts of not seeing Yoda
this summer.

Well none of us know what a
day will bring forth. We can
only trust, hope, and pray.
Well. I haven't any news. So
this is a poor excuse for a letter.
Best love to you and Yoda.

Sincerely
Mama.
Friday Auty did not
get home yesterday
I do not know when this letter
can be mailed.

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3-30 PM

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