

Sunday morn

Dear Kam: Your letter came on Friday or, no, on Saturday,  
no Friday - golly I can't keep track of the days anymore -  
and since it left N. Y. on the morning of the 25<sup>th</sup> -  
it took about 2 1/2 days, I guess - its funny  
air mail from Boston (even regular mail) is terrifically  
fast - about a day & a half or 2 days at the most -  
guess a lot depends on when the letter is mailed,  
I dont know - & also when it gets into Newark -  
often it has to wait over the night if it comes  
in the afternoon train I guess.

To get down to something that I'm annoyed at -  
you'll be too so read on:

The other day I got a notice from Properties  
saying they wanted to discuss your camera  
business with me - So I went & this is  
the story - Very recently all the stuff from  
Livingston P. Station were transferred to a Sacramento  
Gov. warehouse - in the process of transfer, tags  
of identification etc. came off of the articles, or  
were lost - So they have no means of  
identifying your camera !!! I was shown the

letter that came from the W.R.A. office - Now,  
what they would like is a description of your  
camera & if you have it, the identification  
no. or rather I should say the serial number -  
I've looked all over for something that may have the  
serial number but guess you didn't take it  
down or maybe it's lost. Anyway - will  
you let me know what I should tell these birds  
down in the Property Office so they can  
write to Sacramento or S. F. & tell them what  
to look for? Goddammit I sure got mad -  
of all the inefficiency! Did your case have  
your name in it by any chance? Please don't forget  
this in your next letter.

you probably got my letters - I haven't heard from  
your mother since Phil. - there are some letters  
here but I don't know where to mail them - I'm  
not assuming anything about their whereabouts -  
I've heard enough from Wah about her reaction  
to people who assume things.  
gally honey I have to laugh - if I made a mistake

Like Wah did about the train stations you  
would say I didn't use my head - yet  
if Wah does ~~do~~ such things "she uses her  
head too much" - Hell! Phosie. - No,  
I'm not mad - it's rather <sup>me</sup> funny how everyone is  
always trying to cover up for her. Never mind!

About the house - you read my letter so you know  
what's what - who said I'd get huffy about  
Katsuo living with us? - So long as it aint  
your sisters I can take anything now. But,  
do you know, maybe you do - that Yuki has to  
take her mother with her? Her brother doesnt answer  
letters when she asks about what he plans to do  
about her. All this I know from Yuni + Wah -  
she told them. I havent seen Yuki but  
once since the kids left & that was on the  
street.

Get home the work is coming along okay - Is it  
the office of Monis Lapides you working in or what?  
We heard of & seen pictures of some of his things.

Shins Abe dropped by Today & they're thinking of leaving one of these days - he's going as far as N. York anyway, on Gov. expense but isn't sure where he'll land - thought maybe Detroit would have some good possibilities.

Don't Tah, your dear friend, down at the Properties office - he's staying to get some lumber to make crates - came after his mother - his father has been out in Phil. for some time now he said.

You ~~me~~ said once that you were sending me the ration books - I never got them - or maybe you never mailed them out. I won't have much occasion to use them but Mrs. Tanikawa said something about wanting sugar & canned milk so I thought it would be nice to have the books & let her use the points. - She's really awfully nice & certainly helpful - so are her girls.

See, your brother must be getting some good offers for the nursery - or maybe he's getting some

pretty good salerals - I think he's crazy to even consider.

Monday ~~noon~~ 2:30

Your letter mailed on the 28<sup>th</sup> came today - funny  
you haven't gotten any of my letters yet - I think  
you should let me know the district number  
& then mail would probably get to you sooner -  
N.Y. is a big place & I guess the postmen  
need these numbers.

yep - I'm plenty busy & yet there are so  
many things I want to get done - Jolly robes,  
just taking care of the needs of the kids keeps  
me going all day - makes me mad -

This business of leaving here without you is  
okay but as I said before it's a big job  
carrying 2 children ~~to~~ three quarters of the  
way across the continent. But well see - will  
have to hire someone who's going at the same  
time - can't expect help for nothing.

Have you seen in the latest arch. Forum or  
Pencil Pts. that F.L. Wright is designing the  
Frederick in museum - N.Y. somewhere near

The Metropolitan Museum is <sup>about</sup> the site is .

Pretty swell - I think .

I wrote to the bank but no answer yet.  
Did you get the blanks for registration  
forameda County? - and did you read  
them in?

I happened to think of the guy Tomita  
you met at the Boston Mus. - He's a big  
big shot you know - Curator of Asiatic  
Art - just recently elevated to that  
position. - has written a lot & seems to  
know his stuff. I shouldn't think  
he'd be afraid of his job but some  
people are funny that way. Too bad.

Gods - we're going to have another thunder  
storm - beginning to rumble already - Whenever  
it gets cloudy I get worried because Niki gets  
so upset when she hears thunder & esp.  
when she sees lightning .

gee - hope the drafting is coming along okay.

Shiro said R. Okuda went to Colorado Springs

to work in the hotel there for about a month - then plans to go to Utah to farm.

Dahan has joined the army.

Got a card from Yuni today Boston - sounded very blasé but what the hell. The girls can't yell at anybody for not writing - not the way they've been doing since departure. Joh was down yesterday & she hadn't heard but once - a card from Yuni from Chicago - & that's awful of Wah - What the hell!

I wonder what happened to the job in Phil. for Yuni - she said today that she was having a number of interviews in Boston.

A Mr. Nicholson dropped in today to bring regards from Misumi - don't know what this man does but I suspect he's a Rev. <sup>said</sup> ~~says~~ he goes to the sanitarium very often - Saw Misumi last Fall when he got our name & address. Mr. Miyake brought

him in — sent regards.

Things are getting sort of queer but jolly  
the weather is awful — Friday nite  
was terrific — poured like the devil &  
we've got about 4 leaks in the ceiling —

yesterday was nice so John brought her 2 kids  
down — Write to her sometime. Donna is  
getting real big but K III is about 2"  
taller. Talk about K III — he's wonderful.

Miki now says *Mikiko Domoto*

(Mi-i-~~no~~ Nomo No — her d's are almost  
d's now) — so she walks around pointing  
to herself & keeps saying <sup>Mi-i-d</sup> ~~Miki~~ No-no-no  
real cute & she knows it. The Saichawa girls  
are good for her to play with — she's learning to  
have to give — & also picking up a vocabulary.  
Mrs. Kammi helps me at night — & the kids  
have gotten awfully attached to her & she loves it.

Well — be good honey — I don't get enough sleep  
but someday I'll sleep a whole night through —  
Love — Seely

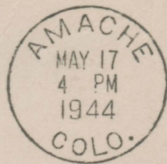
(The card from Yumi (14) was sent from Boston — same day & about the same hour as your air mail letter — Both came today!)



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