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My best greeting for the good news! So, Billie, you are a civilian again. That's wonderful! And I'm very glad for you, especially by these days: Christmas and new year at home. I guess and I understand how you and your dear parents are happy. I just regret to have not seen you before you leave France. But I still hope your visit in the future. Be a good student and deserve<sup>64</sup> the trip... Please, Billie, tell me if my letter reaches you because it has been pretty hard for me to make your address out (pardon me, but your hand-writing was not so good) Tell me too if you stay for some time in Winnetka or if you will be soon in Oakland.<sup>65</sup> Please, don't make

me anxious. I remain your little french friend.

Sincerely

Suzanne

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