Saturday Sept 14, 1946
12:30 Noon

Dear Mom and Pop,

Ryo and I came back from our trip last night. We were around the vicinity of Genova. We had a nice time there.

I received three letters from you. Glad to hear that Aunt Tomi's baby is OK. Another Hiro, maybe?

I hear I have a letter from Jerry. Just hold it.

All of ETO is changing money today. I just don't know exactly what the score is but the money system is going to be different for GI's. I'm trying to save a little money for going home but boy, is it hard. Especially like when we go to big cities like Genova. Hard to get but easy to spend, no?

The weather around here is getting pretty good. It's just right these days.

Ryo and I went to see Capt Nollere while coming back yesterday. He's was the CO for Service Co. His whole family is here. We met his wife, daughter and son. He has a nice family.

I wrote a letter to Jerry so don't worry about me not answering his letter.

Say how about this car deal. Do you think J-chan can get a car when or before I get home? I hope so.

I was really glad to hear about you're taking citizen ship papers out you know. It really makes me proud. I hope you both pass.

I have some odds and ends to send home so as soon as a box is made I'll send it home. I don't want to carry a lot of stuff when I go home. I have a antique Italian vase (very small), a Japanese vase (a set of two small) and small bottle of Chanel No 5 (Paris for Mom) and some odds and ends.

Well, this is about all for now so more tomorrow.

Tad

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