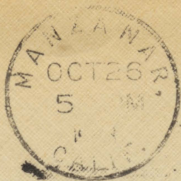


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Dearest Molly,

Man, girl, you shocked
^{me} when I received your
letter! Boy - it really
was a surprising and
a happy event! How go
by? A-1 condition, I hope!
In everyone here, we're
all in good health &
living a peaceful, (???)
happy (???) life here
in beautiful, (???) Manga-
na. (Oh yeah!!) (Thanks
for writin' in Japanese,
hoo, I swear that's
about all I kin read,
in that language. I'm
such a brain, you know!
School here, is just
as boring as ever. Now

that I'm a lot fr. (as though
being a fr. here is a lot
of fun) am grudging
through school to have
at least a sense of pride
earring a diploma
Our fr. sweaters, haven't
come as yet. Isn't that a
sad case? I bet by the time
that company who are
making our sweaters —
will make up their
minds to send it next
summer — when,
it'll be so hot you'd
want to, — oh, oh —
(Censored.) Anyway, I
wish they'd hurry it
up. I am gettin' very
impatient. The fr. —
fr. football game

(2)

was held last Friday
& you'd think that the
Jrs. were the Pros. & the
Pros. the Jrs. (Quite plain,
what say?) Anyway -
the husky (???) & powerful (???)
Sr. eleven couldn't
even score a meekly
6 points against the weaken-
ed Jr's. Bads, but ain't
that a sad case? The
score at the end of the
game was 0-0 - tough-
nuts! I still don't
get it why I suffered
myself out there on that
cold (girl's gym field)
football field. Oh
well, a lot of class
rivalry was represented

so, it wasn't so bad!
'Am writes' this little
bitto during my study
hall period (about the
only time I have freedom
to keep up with my corres-
pondence) & a young
"man" teacher is in
charge of the class. He's
in his 20's & not bad-
lookin' but, he scolded
me once already!
Rucks - I was gabbing
with another girl (you
know the latest gossip
& all) & he caught
us in the act. I guess
we talked louder than
usual 'cuz he came
to where we were sittin'
& told us off! Now -
my mouth is closed

(3) tighter than a clam's! I
guess I 'kin endure the
pains of it! And - you
know who's the Japanese
head of the study hall?
None other than Mr.
Sasaki who had that
grocery store on Boat &
Folsom. Man - can't
stand him - but where
I'm sittin', can't miss
seeing his face every~~th~~
time I lift my head
up. He made us sit in
alphabetical order & of
course (as usual) I
occupy the first one so I
right nice & cozy by
the teacher (Grudge!)
So, you see - Mr. Sasaki

is only a few feet from
me!

Comin' back to you -
what college are you
going to go to? Boy -
study hard now!
Have you gone to
any of Roosevelt's foot-
ball games yet? Read
in the papers that
we lost from Belmont
& Manual Arts. Boy -
if that's so - what a
sad football team
we have this
season! Who do we
play against next?
Man - wish I were
able to root for good
ole' Roosevelt. Maybe
we're losin' because
I ain't there! Gourd

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head, right? Well, any-
way, I like to make
me self feel good once
in a while!

How's the ole' neighborhood?
The Luangs twine still
around? I hope they
aren't as bad as they
were last year 'cuz
that's really the limit!
Place still crowded
with uniforms? Um -
a bit - those silly Jewish
gals are all ga-ga
over 'em, huh? Say,
seen any cute ones
around? Now, Molly,
don't put all the good-
lookin' ones under your
wings. All the gals
are all lookin' out

An' em too! John Payne
the cutest soldier I've
seen! Oh, boy. —
sharp-lookin' soldier!
He's in Phoenix Arizona,
now I shucks! At
least I got to see him
when he come into
camp, anyway! My
sis thinks I'm crazy
the way I carry on,
how good. Lookin' he
is, etc. He's got me duffy
like Frank See-na-trai
has the other gals. Gads,
but I can't stand
Frank See-na-trai's
pus! He "jhor" is a
Concut, I declare! So
much for him.

My bud Dick is
out on furlough to work

(5) pickin' spuds! He's
breakin' his back, he
writes!

Well, I'll close here
with all my love
& kisses

Chiyoko

P.S. My sis ain't married
yet! She says to tell you
what do you think she
is anyway. She claims
she has a lot of time
to ketch the unlucky victim!

P.P.S - Tell everyone "Hello"! -
Tell Doris I'm still
waitin' for her letter!

Well - so long -

Chiyoko