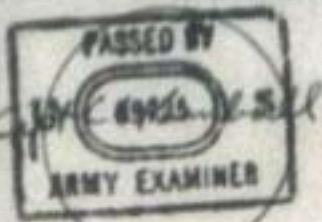


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To Cass M. Pagano
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From [Redacted]
Sgt. Don Pagano
(Sender's Name)
Army C-65th Amd. F.A. Bn.
(Sender's Address)
A.P.O. 337th AM. New York
April 26, 1945
(Date)

Dear Folks:

Received three of your air mail letters yesterday (4/13-16-17) - enjoyed all very much and happy to know that all of you at home are fine - same goes for me on this end. Enjoyed reading Ace's letter very much and good to know that he understands the situation we are in during our drives - having a lot of spare time now - so, I'm catching up on my letter writing and I do hope that "Mom" doesn't worry too much. Will be looking forward very much in playing that "family foursome" - should be a lot of fun - but I'll need a lot of practice.

Received several nice letters from Mr. Fowle - will have to answer his before long. Got a box of Hershey bars from Mary Ricci yesterday - hear from her pretty regular. I guess they were glad to see "Bass" - hoping to pay them a visit myself sometime.

Wishing Ralph a lot of success in his enterprise - and if he needs any money - he can take whatever he needs from my account - regardless of how much - might just as well use it - might be sometime before I'll get back - still have a rough war ahead of us - even though we have the "German" pretty well bottled-up, - but still looking forward to a quick ending of this war.

Been having several nice sunny days here lately - too nice to be spending out here in an open field - living in a pup tent - and no place to go. Received our PX-rations today - plenty of candy and several cigars. Haven't much more to say for now - will write again in a few days - regards and best wishes to all of you at home.

Loving brother,
"Doc"

V-MAIL