

**Robert L. Stone to Jacob Stone and Beatrice Stone**

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Autograph letter signed, 2 pages.

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Sunday July 29th

Dear Dad & Bee —

The last few days the mail has been coming through a little better and I just received a letter from Dad yesterday. All of my mail takes about ten days from the East Coast. I'm wondering if my letters have been coming through alright since you haven't used my new APO as yet.

Yesterday I sent home a package with two woolen sweaters and some woolen socks, neither of which I have any use for out here. Please put the sweaters away carefully because they are two of my favorites, that Pam made for me. Also, be sure to let me know when and in what condition they arrive since I have the insurance slip.

The last few days we've all been adither putting on an air-show for some unknown dignitary — everyone suspects that it's Roosevelt although none of us have seen him. We really put on an aerial spectacle for whomever it is.

For the past week or so we've managed to find our way to the beach sometime

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or other, every day. Slowly but surely I'm taking on the hue of a native.

Had my first letter from Pam yesterday which she dictated to a friend of hers. 'Twas swell to hear from her even though kinda second-hand. I hope by now she is able to write herself because I sure miss not hearing from her. Mail call is a big occasion here and it sure is a disappointment not to receive a few letters.

Cela suffit until another day.

My love to you all —

Bobby

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Letter is written on United States Army Air Forces letterhead.