



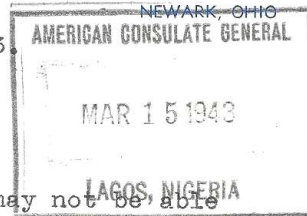
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Dear Philinda & William:

To start with I am so excited that I may not be able to write much of a letter. I had come to the store to try to get a letter off to both you and Janie and while I was writing to Janie, Sarah called me and told me that we just received a cable that Philinda had arrived and that you were being married on the 6th.

Our best wishes to you both is that you may both have a most happy life and that God may bless you both with happiness as well as the things that go along with conjugal bliss, and I do not mean offspring, (too many).

I am so thankful that Philinda has finally arrived, for Williams's letter, for the past months have had only you (Philinda) in mind and for which we do not blame him, as I would have done the same. So again, God bless you both and bring you both home safely again that I, may again enjoy you both.

Your letter of January 15th arrive on January 23rd and we were very glad to have news as it had been quite a time since we had heard from you. On Friday, February 5th we had your letter of December 9th, which explained quite a bit to us. I cannot understand why the last one was so long on the way.

We are still selling ourselves out of business, ammunition is all gone and we did make a nice job of it, for we had a nice supply on hand. We are getting about one 10th off what we order from the jobbers.

The Fleek and Son Company had a big fire in the back warehouse on Thursday morning and 180,000 lbs. sugar went up. The third fire in the last ten years. They sure have had hard luck and I feel sorry for them in their distress.

I have many more things that I should tell you but I am just too much excited to get them off.

Again, may God bless you both and give to you that understanding that all men and women should have, my blessing goes to you through all of your life and may it be long and happy and blessed with all the good things of life.

Happiness and love,

Yours for all life,

Daddy.

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Have you received any of the glasses thru pair postals that said let word. Advise.

Love to you both Daddy. Write a special letter to Dept of State about glasses and how we had a reply.

Have you received any of the glasses. Three pair on the road since last March. Advise. Love to you both Daddy. Wrote a special letter to the Dept of State about glasses and have never had a reply.