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My dear Dave! -

Will write you a few lines while the other girl is out to lunch. I have been looking for a letter this week but have not as yet received one.

Oh how proud we all are of the nurses. The paper is just full of praise for them in this battle. They certainly are doing the work and oh how proud I am that one of them is my sweetheart but dear also so anxious for your safety.

There is no other news  
just now dear so I  
will have to close before  
the bookkeeper comes  
back and finds me  
writing to you instead  
of washing. but I don't  
care for I would rather  
write to you than do  
anything else.

I showed Lilly your  
copy of the Stars & Stripes  
that you sent me and  
I can't begin to tell you  
how many places it has  
been. She showed it  
to her boss and he  
showed it to some  
of his club members  
and so you see it  
has been doing some

but I know you are coming home safely to me for God will take care of you.

I had a dream the other night after writing that letter to you. It seemed I was at the station waiting and dear certainly was mighty impatient. It seemed as if your train would never arrive. Then I saw you coming down the platform on the car and saw your smile and then felt your arms about me and oh how happy we were. Dear, can't you see it? I woke up then and oh how hard it was to realize that it was all a dream and that you had not just kissed me but I know dear that someday that will be a reality and I need never awake to find it only a dream. God dear!

We are having ideal weather now and soon it will be Des Plaines again. Des Plaines camp meeting starts ~~on~~ July 10 to 22nd. Are you going to be there? Oh how I wish you could be and help enjoy it all together.