

France
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Dear Old Lady Smith :-

I have a great piece of news for you. A.B. took a bath this morning. I don't know just why he happened to pick out this month unless it was because of the Jewish New Year or whether he actually thought he needed it.

The old boy is being worked to death. For several days he has not been able to spend more than three quarters of the day on his bunk and often times has to get up mornings by eight o'clock. Outside of three meals a day and a few extra lunches, the poor man is starving.

Best of love to you and Peaches and the kiddies

As Ever
Ray.

P.S. :- Beau-coup kisses.

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S. R. R. R.
Capt M.C.