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Dear Mother,

Today I received a letter from the sailor who went back and said he would write to you. He hasn't but said that he was going to in a few days. Now he is in Jacksonville and is going to Miami or Hutchinson, Kansas before very long. He is really a nice fellow.

[page 2] When Leopold, Wyman and Grover come home tell them all hello for me. Ask them to write when they get time.

I am glad to hear that you are getting along with your new teeth better and that they are not hurting you very much.

Thanks for the pictures of Betty, Mayselle, Lea, James, and Grover. They were pretty good ones.

This afternoon I took some pictures in the snow. Last night it snowed again for several hours so it is getting to be pretty deep now. The only think [sic] that I don't like about it is that we can not go to town as the roads are too slick. I don't know when I will be able to go into see Jean again.

[page 3] For the year 1944 I made \$1310.40. I sent home \$455 and I have \$100 money order so I saved almost half of that in cash besides the twelve bonds I should have for the year.

I am going to close for tonight.

Your son,
Tom D