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Dear Mother,

yesterday I received your letter of the 12th. Today I received the christmas cards that you sent me a letter from Ruth one from Louise Lois and 9 letters from you that were transfered from Oceana.

I have just came from a christmas eve program put on by some of the sailors here which was good.

The reason that I did not write to you yesterday was that I was working. Tomorrow is my day for liberty after work but I do not know whether I will go anywhere or not. Last year this time I was in Spokane Washington. Tomorrow we will have a big dinner I imagine. The Navy always does. May write again tomorrow.

Your son
Tom D

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