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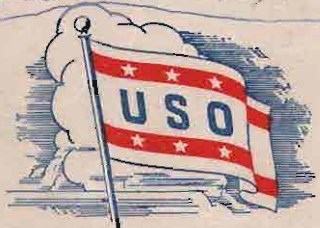
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amphib. training, probably in Calif, we will  
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be sent over seas

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Love  
Frank.

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