



FORT BARRANCAS
FLORIDA

Wednesday P.M.

Dear Sam, Cecil, Arthur and?,

Congratulations! Well I am it looks like you were all wet, and Cecil was right. I guess next time you will know that a woman knows best.

How is Cecil and the kid? ~~What~~ Who does he look like? What are you going to name him? How much does he weigh?

I am ashamed of myself for not sending a telegram or writing before this but, I was on guard when I got the news. I was walking post in front of the office when the telegraph office called. I haven't seen the telegram yet. I just came off guard this morning.

I am going in to see my battery commander in the morning. I am going to try and get a furlough. It is pretty futile though as he got orders from the commanding officer of the post, not to give anymore furloughs until we fire our guns, and that won't be for about another two weeks. I will try though.



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ADDITIONAL

I can't write any more now it is starting to
get dark. Write me soon and let me know how
everyone is. How does Arthur like his bird brother?

Tell Cecil I know she had it in her.

Another boy - Waw. Were going to
be able to start an airline soon.

Lots of Love and

— Love

— Mary

P.S. Please write soon