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Dear Folks,

Just after my last came two from each of you, and since then others, so I've done very well indeed by you. I then come less often, to put it mildly, but on the whole I'm afraid I may not produce as much as I receive. One big trouble is of course not being able to contribute much news from this end. Though that is a pretty poor excuse for limited output.

Yes, I can barely remember Xmas above Elba Beach. The most vivid thing now is a "set" to make blocks out of a sort of cement, a disaster of major proportions occurring when someone shut a window on top of someone supposed to be drying in the sun on the sill! At La Plage what stands

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