Calvin P. Jingst Collection

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Biographical Note

Calvin P. Jingst was born on May 21, 1929 in Keokuk, Iowa. Jingst attended University of Illinois and University of Chicago. He served in the Army during the Korean War with the 73rd Medical Detachment, working with food and ration safety in Germany and France. Jingst married Naomi M. Trautvetter on February 12, 1955.


Scope and Content of the Collection

The Calvin P. Jingst Collection contains letters from Jingst to Naomi M. Trautvetter prior to and during his time serving in the Korean War. These letter span from 1951 to 1955.
Arrangement

The collection arrived in no discernable order. PMML staff have organized the collection chronologically.

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Key Subjects

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Subjects

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To Naomi from Cal: letter about being surprised by her letter, nurses training, his car, school work, telling a friend they are dating, and wanting to go on more dates 2/16/1951
To Naomi from Cal: letter about thinking she forgot about him, asking her on another date, about her classes at college, his schoolwork, his cadet career, failing an eye exam for cadet pilot, and going to a stag party

To Naomi from Cal: letter about tennis, a car accident, and the Sweet Sixteen basketball tournament

To Naomi from Calvin: letter about plans for a date

To Naomi from Cal: letter about not having time to write, studying, Naomi going to a fraternity party, being sued for a car accident, writing love notes, and letting her know he's thinking of her

To Naomi from Cal: letter about an April Fool's joke, cutting her hair, studying, and why she is writing him

To Naomi from Cal: letter about there being no interesting men on her campus, an upcoming date, being glad they went out over Easter break, not wanting to write love notes until he knows they are welcome, and nicknaming her "Butch"

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his brother, a picture he gave her, going to Decatur and studying

To Naomi from Cal: letter about possibly going to jail, his day in court, his car, visiting her, the weather, and wanting answers to some questions

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, his court day postponed, a friend hitting somebody with their car, and her coming to visit
To Naomi from Cal: letter about reserving a room for her, the weather, going to the Spring Carnival, studying, learning how to dance, and songs playing on the radio

To Naomi from Cal: letter about a band tour she took, not having to go to court, the last letter she sent, studying, possibly not being able to graduate, and National Guard meetings

To "Butch" from Cal: letter about not being able to come home, trying to fix his car, and studying

To Naomi from Cal: letter about missing her, nurses' training, MacArthur's impeachment, and a countdown to the Senior Ball

To "Butch" from Cal: letter about not writing for a couple days, working on his car, a possible meet up, not coming home that weekend, and being reclassified in the draft as 1A

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how to get to Champaign, possibly failing a class, getting yelled at by a cop, and when she will arrive

To Naomi from Cal: letter about who is playing at the Senior Ball, a list of questions about her visit, Mother's Day, National Guard meetings and his car

To Naomi from Cal: letter about Naomi's visit, not being able to visit each other, and plans for the Senior Ball

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the Senior Ball being in four days, news about the weekend, when she arrives, going to Chicago, and attending a friend's graduation

To Naomi from Calvin: letter to let her know that he has to take an exam on Friday so he can't meet her until after
To Naomi from Cal: letter thanking Naomi for coming to visit him and for a present, studying, and how college will be over soon for him  
5/31/1951

To Naomi from Cal: letter about starting his job soon, what he's been doing in Chicago, coming home, and finding a place to live  
6/27/1951

To Naomi from Cal: letter about finding a hotel to live in, working two days at his new job, eating, things to do in Chicago, and going home  
7/3/1951

To Naomi from Cal: letter about playing tennis and golf, went to a show, and cooking  
7/16/1951

To Naomi from Calvin: letter about working, playing golf, going out to the Aragon Ballroom, seeing Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis and a nursing test she took  
7/30/1951

To Naomi from Cal: letter about work, cooking, moving apartments, tennis, and coming home on the weekend  
8/7/1951

To Naomi from Cal: letter about not forgetting her birthday, weather in Minnesota, moving apartments in Chicago, and seeing friends out [written from Camp Ripley, Minnesota at Headquarters Detachment, 44th Infantry Division]  
8/21/1951

To Naomi from Cal: letter about Naomi's nursing training, when he will start training for the Army, coming home, and her birthday present  
9/12/1951

To Naomi from Cal: letter about not writing in a long time, asking how nursing is, going to University of Illinois to watch a game, and cleaning his apartment  
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To Naomi from Cal: letter about shipping out, missing her, the sendoff they got, and not being seasick yet

To Naomi from Cal: letter from aboard the ship, getting sun, not hitting rough water, getting seasick, descriptions of the ship and where they sleep, not eating, losing weight, and the dispensary

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his seasickness going away, a storm coming, getting a job in the bakery, and the sea color

To Naomi from Cal: letter about someone else taking his job, getting in trouble for talking with women on the boat, and moving to a new part of the ship

To Naomi from Cal: letter about being bored, going to a movie, a German class, the weather, and a dance that was cancelled

To Naomi from Cal: letter about feeling romantic, going to a late movie, getting a physical, and how far they have to go

To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting close to England, the weather, men getting seasick, a variety show; To Naomi from Cal: letter about spotting land, the White Cliffs of Dover, and docking soon; To Naomi from Cal: letter about being on a train for south Germany, the weather, going to the very south of Germany until further assignment

To Naomi from Cal: letter about arriving in the Bavarian Alps at an Army camp originally for the Hitler Youth, how beautiful the scenery is, descriptions of the camp, German people, and how nice Germany is
8/21/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter to wish her a happy birthday, being broke, how nice Germany is, and German women

8/22/1952 To Naomi from Cal: form letter about where he is temporarily stationed, the history of the camp, what there is to do there, and that he will have a permanent location soon

8/23/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going out in a German town, beer halls, money, going to a German movie, German people and German women

8/24/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting up early on a Sunday, men in his group got orders to ship out, going to the movies, and not being allowed to travel outside of the town

8/25/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about almost everyone has shipped out for their permanent station, job was changed to food inspector, and going to Sothofen later

8/26/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting his permanent location in La Rochelle, France, spending time in Paris, and going out in the town

8/27/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting ready to leave for France, different types of money he's received, and going to sleep early

8/28/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about leaving Germany for France, that he'll have to live in a tent while in France, giving his men time off even though it's against the rules and they all returned, passing by German towns, and when they will arrive in Paris; 8/29/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about Paris being underwhelming, Germany was more impressive, the people were unfriendly and lazy, the French countryside, that French people are dirty, and immoral
To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting a permanent address, being a part of the medic group, meeting his captain, only 10 men being in his group, living in a barrack, and it not being as nice as Germany

8/30/1952

8/31/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about there is nothing to do, a lot of men going to Paris, not going anywhere with his pass since he doesn't have the money, how he spent his day, and plans to go into La Rochelle ; 9/1/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about it being Labor Day, that he has just slept and ate all day, too much activity to write letters well, going into La Rochelle last night and asking for a photograph in her next letter

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To Naomi from Cal: letter about the moon being large and missing her, a sandwich he ate last night after he got home from going out, trying to get money, and sending home for civilian clothes because the French hate American soldiers

9/2/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about wanting to quit his night work, no mail in two months getting him down, and the weather

9/3/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about not finishing his reports from last night so he has to work on them that day, getting letters from his parents and his brother, the nice weather they are having, and possibly going to a bullfight on the weekend

9/4/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about working on reports again, the weather, going into town to eat, that he suspects everyone has fleas from the dogs, and the French are dirty

9/5/1952
To Naomi from Cal: letter about it being a
deep day, needed an electric blanket since it's getting cold, the weather, how men spend their money, and taking French language classes 9/6/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about missing church, going to town last night, starting a French language course, and going to a movie later 9/7/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about being at the office, the weather being cold, went to the movie theater, asking for a photograph in her next letter, and looking forward to a letter from her 9/8/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to French class, the French teacher was attractive, lots of work he's doing for the next couple days, having to examine spoiled cans of food, and the rain 9/9/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from his parents, hoping she has sent him a letter, eating a watermelon, his mother sending civilian clothes, and how she sent it in multiple packages to comply with the two pound limit 9/10/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about reading in the office all day, saw "Brave Warrior" at the movie theater, and his civilian clothes arriving 9/10/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about just getting back from French class, not getting a letter from her yet, and wishing he could see an Illinois football game 9/11/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving a letter from her, asking about a newspaper clipping about him, letters she sent to a different camp, French bread and how French people carry it, a song she mentioned, and his pen running out of ink 9/12/1952
To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving all of her forty letters at once, taking over three hours to read them, how good it feels to receive the letters, going to a bullfight, getting paid, and her grades in nursing school

9/13/1952

9/14/1952 To Naomi from Cal: letter about just getting back from Bordeaux, and that he's thinking of her; 9/15/1952 to Naomi from Cal: letter about her going out on him, her vacation, the bullfight being cancelled because of rain, going to an eye exam and not having to wear glasses anymore, French girls being "wolves," and liking the picture she sent him

To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting back from French class late, not getting a letter from her, men in his company going on leave and having to do his job while he's gone

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how in sixteen months he'll be a civilian, a new captain arriving, wanting to go on a midnight Jeep ride with her, a song called "Trust In Me" and writing her during the noon hour

To Naomi from Cal: letter about skipping French class, doing reports, a French theater that shows American movies, and missing her

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his lunch, how he loves getting any kind of letter from her, October being his favorite month, missing her, having to clean their own barracks, Christmas in Rome, asking her to come to Europe, and skipping last night's French class

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to dinner and a movie, going to a dance, the weather, and the new officer
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going to bingo

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how much he loves her, today is a holiday, wanting to do Christmas shopping, going downtown to watch a parade of French "Commies"

11/11/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about "stepped out' on him with her father, papers he put in so he can visit Austria, Germany, and Switzerland in December, wishing he could have leave over Christmas, and feeling bad she has to work over Christmas

11/12/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from her, a song he heard on the radio, and there is lots of snow where he is planning on traveling to in December

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To Naomi from Cal: letter about just getting in from Paris, friends getting married, and joking about how she should marry a guy with money

11/24/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about coming back from Paris and expecting more letters from her, getting some new men, the weather, and going to a movie tonight

11/25/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how tomorrow is Thanksgiving and they have the day off, and the three day pass tours at the service club to the Pyrenees Mountains

11/26/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about just finishing Thanksgiving dinner, what they had for dinner, not having mail call, and appreciating home

11/27/1952

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how he received mail from her, payday is tomorrow, orders about his leave, not being mad she missed a day of writing, not being able to go to her Christmas Formal, complaining about the Army, records he wants her to buy him, and going bowling

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To Naomi from Cal: letter about how he is about to leave for the south of Europe and has to write to his parents too

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3/8/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter that he is leaving for leave and that he loves her

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3/9/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about staying at a relative’s house for a few days, going to Austria and Switzerland next, going to take photographs, trying to speak German, seeing another relative tomorrow, eating supper and talking to people


3/10/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to where his grandmother was born, about the town, visiting the same bench his grandmother went to, and beer

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To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving ten letters from her when he got back, others tell him he is lucky to have her, Naomi training in Chicago, the weather, her poetic letters, a friend wanting to write, bachelor's tax, what he will do when he gets back, not being able to sew, and going back to work

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800349220 4/20/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to the French American club, no reenlisting unless the government met his demands, countdown until he is done with his service, and going with her where ever she goes

800349221 4/22/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about her having to shovel snow, her brother volunteering for an Army physical, the two years in the Army feeling like longer, advice if her brother enters the Army, and about Chicago baseball

800349222 4/23/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about wanting to visit home but it being too expensive, his run in with French "Commies", other's run in with French "Commies", and about how many letters he has written her ; 4/24/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about buying stamps, his day, and going to a movie ; 4/25/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about a song, the weather, and needing to get stamps

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5/2/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about his night, her perm, seeing the movie "My Pal Gus", the guys back home, and the moon;

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800349241  To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting caught and having to fire his rifle, having to "GI" for inspection, and cleaning his rifle  5/22/1953

800349242  To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting a birthday card from her, Warsaw IL showing a 3-D movie, and taking care of herself  5/23/1953

800349243  To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, looking for a beach, receiving her card for his birthday, and possibly going to the coronation  5/24/1953

800349244  To Naomi from Cal: letter about seeing "Never Wave at a WAC" and a guy that he sleeps next to going AWOL  5/25/1953

800349245  To Naomi from Cal: letter about having a few minutes before photo club starts, payday this week, going to England over the weekend, and getting sick recently  5/25/1953

800349246  To Naomi from Cal: letter about how it is his lucky night, pretty girls in Quincy for the Miss Illinois contest, and Naomi leaving when he is coming back ; 5/29/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about how nice of a night it is, feeling romantic, and Naomi waiting for him  5/28/1953-5/29/1953

800349247  5/30/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about working on a holiday, going to a movie, Naomi working in surgery, her middle name, and about a friend ; 5/31/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about not sending mail since he had no stamps and that he loves her  5/30/1953-5/31/1953
Letters

Jun-53

6/1/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter that he loves her and leaving for the coronation;
6/2/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about arriving in London; 6/3/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going back to France, not seeing anyone he knew in England, standing in the rain, getting sea sick, and how England was; 6/4/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about being back in France, not getting mail from her, going to Bordeaux, and there being better women in Bordeaux than La Rochelle; 6/5/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from her, mixing up his letter, his parents want him to go to medical school, a day off for D-Day, and going to a movie

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, a new outfit moving in, the mail service, and men in his outfit leaving

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the rain, wanting a car, his grandmother, bugs and how to get rid of them

6/8/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving three letters from her, an alumni ceremony, the coronation, how he can come home early, and Naomi forgetting to sign her letters; 6/9/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about how long his service is until he is done, the weather, and bingo

To Naomi from Cal: letter about her receiving his package

To Naomi from Cal: letter about working, people she is with, a friend of theirs, and Naomi not sending him a picture
6/14/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about leaving La Rochelle for Bordeaux, not receiving any mail from her, moving into a new outfit, and spending the last night with the boys; 6/15/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about arriving at the new camp and that he loves her; 6/16/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about being mad because the camp is bad, moving into barracks, free movies, and his new address

6/17/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about setting up the new unit, not seeing Bordeaux yet, going to another Army base across town, an inspection, and planning on going to Biarritz, France; 6/18/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about being woken up by a cat, working, and her letters

To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting settled, possibly going into Bordeaux, going to an ice show, and joking about her coming to France

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going into Bordeaux, the weather, someone he knows has a tennis court at their house, seeing the ice show, going to a fair, and not receiving any mail from her

To Naomi from Cal: letter about having a lazy day, going to the fair, walking around Bordeaux, details about Bordeaux, the service club, no segregation in France, and waking up to a French girl wanting money for the French Red Cross

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving five letters from her, asking about her vacation, and the color of car he wants

To Naomi from Cal: letter about writing a letter at work, sleeping in and being late to work, working on the tennis court, went to see a movie, and the weather
6/24/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about not receiving any mail from her, going to work, and working on the tennis courts; 6/25/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter to tell her he loves her; 6/26/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about working, catching a train to Biarritz France, and just arriving; 6/27/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about being at the beach, the girls at the beach, and taking photographs.

6/28/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about not sending her mail in a little bit, leaving Biarritz, back at camp, and payday; 6/29/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about taking a shower, the weather, the French using a hail cannon to break up the storm, a friend of theirs moving to St. Louis and doing laundry.

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July 1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about what he was doing last Fourth of July, and not receiving any mail from her.

7/1/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about her 'going out' on him, wanting her to go out more and a friend of theirs standing someone up.

7/2/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving four letters from her, how he complains more than he should, dreams she has, Red Cross girls, French movies, and a letter she wrote.

7/3/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about her Fourth of July, the weather, having to work, trying to go to Paris, and going to the movie he saw before.

7/4/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving no mail from her, there being nothing to do, went to a bull fight, getting dinner, and going to a carnival.

7/5/1953
800349268 To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from her, getting a letter from a friend, her vacation, and shining a friend's car 7/6/1953

7/7/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about needing some things for tennis before they can play, the weather, and seeing a movie ; 7/8/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about writing by candle light because the electricity went out 7/9/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about playing tennis, listening to jazz, music from home, what she wants for her birthday, and having to take a driver’s test ; 7/10/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from her, Naomi going to Chicago for a wedding, why marrying young is good, and how long until he comes home ; 7/10/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about how bad he is at mailing letters, failing the Army drivers test, and playing tennis

7/12/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, missing a tennis game, going into Bordeaux and working ; 7/13/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, playing tennis, goofing off at work, seeing a movie, and when the movie "Niagara" is playing

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the power going off, receiving some mail from her, Naomi seeing her sister, the electricity coming back on, French Independence Day, playing tennis, the weather, a wedding she attended, and seeing a movie

800349272 To Naomi from Cal: letter about mail, tennis, writing letters, and asking how a friend is 7/15/1953

800349273 To Naomi from Cal: letter about having no electricity, the moon, and missing her 7/24/1953
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800349282
To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting five letters, his parents telling him they saw Naomi, his grandmother, getting out of the hair cut check and parade because of work, free beer at the post and everyone is drunk, drinking root beer, getting a typhoid shot, sending her a photograph, and the movie "Moulin Rouge".
8/6/1953

800349283
To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, doing laundry, Naomi going to St. Louis, everyone in France going on strike, and going to a movie.
8/7/1953

8/8/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about having to work late because of the strikes in France and missing the chance to go into town because of work ; 8/9/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about hearing the son "Till I Waltz Again With You" and thinking of her, counting the days until his service is done, no mail because of the strikes, the weather, playing tennis, and either going into town or seeing a movie that night.
8/8/1953-8/9/1953

8/10/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about completing one year overseas, a friend wanting him to go to Paris, no mail today, and the weather ; 8/11/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, wanting a photograph, and writing while he is working.
8/10/1953-8/11/1953

800349286
To Naomi from Cal: letter about playing tennis, getting stranded at a friend’s house, and when he gets home.
8/12/1953

800349287
To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail, the movie "Niagara" and Marilyn Monroe, wanting her to take someone to prom, and friends of Naomi going to Chicago and only visiting Aragon Ballroom.
8/13/1953

800349288
To Naomi from Cal: letter about only six more months in the service, no mail because the railroad is still on strike, and possibly not being able to go on leave.
8/14/1953
because of the strike

8/15/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving order for leave but possibly not being able to take it ; 8/16/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about the Army having to truck all their supplies and wanting to go into Bordeaux later

To Naomi from Cal: letter about playing tennis with his partner, almost getting in trouble for driving a civilian, still not receiving mail, and getting a new address

8/17/1953
To Naomi from Cal: letter about finally receiving mail, her job, people of their generation, and going out with her friends

8/18/1953
To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving more mail, playing tennis, getting new showers, and going to a movie

8/19/1953
To Naomi from Cal: letter about it almost being her birthday but still not having anything for her, French people still striking, a commanding officer’s trip to Sweden and Denmark, and loaning some money out

8/20/1953
To Naomi from Cal: letter wishing her a happy birthday, asking what she had for birthday dinner, a love letter, the weather, fixing the tennis court, and listening to the radio

8/21/1953
8/22/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about wanting to go to the movies, playing tennis and writing her before lights out ; 8/23/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to a close by beach, the women at the beach, and possibly missing his leave because of the strike

8/23/1953
To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving the pictures she sent, Naomi skipping dinner for an autopsy, and how wonderful she is for trusting him

8/24/1953
To Naomi from Cal: letter about not being able to think of anything to write, the moon, not receiving a love letter, his hair, when he will get home, the laundry not going on strike, and taking shower

8/26/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about her being bossy, the Army trying to get him to extend his service, and about a car; 8/27/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about play hours of tennis, not being able to play with a partner, no movies because the machine is broken, and the moon; 8/28/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about running out of stamps so he is sending three letters together, the movie projector is fixed, and swearing

To Naomi from Cal: letter about seeing two movies, working, and going to Bordeaux

8/30/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to Bordeaux to take photographs and the weather; 8/31/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting paid and receiving mail from her, her prom, Naomi playing a trick on a patient, and her wanting to take a vacation

To Naomi from Cal: letter about working all day, going to see "The Jazz Singer", and not being able to think of anything else to write about

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his leave coming up soon, not receiving any mail, and trying to get all the reports done

To Naomi from Cal: letter about needing to get things done before his leave, warning her that he will write everyday but probably not mail letters as often, and that he loves her

27 Letters Sep-53
9/4/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about arriving in Paris, waiting for his plane to Stockholm Sweden, having a layover, eating at the airport, and wishing she was there; 9/5/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about arriving in Stockholm earlier that day, sightseeing, eating dinner, tourist season, and booking hotels; 9/6/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about more sightseeing, people mistaking him for being Swedish, everyone in Sweden looks healthy and good-looking, the modern hospital they have

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going out to dinner with a lady he met, going to dinner tomorrow with a young couple he met on the train from Stockholm to Oslo, his dinner date going well, people are friendlier when traveling, eating reindeer, saw Viking ships, sightseeing, going into the country, his hotel, and Norway being cheaper than Sweden

9/9/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about spending time with Norwegians he met, the conversation they had and the questions they asked about America; 9/10/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about the hotel he is staying in and eating dinner with someone he met on the train; 9/11/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going on a day trip, wanting to come back, swimming, the weather, and how much fun he is having; 9/12/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going back to Oslo and snow; 9/13/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to Denmark from Oslo
9/14/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about being in Copenhagen, running into friends he was supposed to take the trip with, and having to stay in Copenhagen longer; 9/15/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to dinner with friends and sightseeing; 9/16/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about sightseeing; 9/17/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about meeting up with a group of guys from Germany, listening to music and asking her if she has heard a specific song; 9/19/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about going out for a friend's birthday and writing a letter when he got back from going out to the club; 9/20/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about it being his last day in Copenhagen, going to Holland, Belgium, and London next, and sightseeing; 9/21/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about leaving Copenhagen and that he loves her.
To Naomi from Cal: letter about sightseeing all day in Holland and Amsterdam, going to a fishing village, going to an island, hiring a private guide, going through the red light district, and going out to dinner and night spots; 9/25/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about how tired he is, he is in Belgium, going to England tomorrow, and that he loves her; 9/26/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about leaving Bruges Belgium and now headed to London on a steamer, not being sea sick yet, English money, and the White Cliffs of Dover; 9/28/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about sending her some cards, taking pictures in London, going to the coronation, went to a dance, and going to the theater; 9/29/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about being on his way back to France, doesn't want to return, looking forward to her mail, and money he spent; 9/30/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting back to camp earlier, going to work, receiving her mail, inspection tomorrow, and a new address.
To Naomi from Cal: letter about catching up on reports, Naomi working night shifts, mail he can't get to, sleeping late, and going to Bordeaux

To Naomi from Cal: letter about having nothing to write about, having to burn some of her letters so he can pack his stuff to send home, the inspection officer looking over his work, went to Bordeaux to eat, saw a football game at Camp Bussac and saw wine being made

To Naomi from Cal: letter about October not being a beautiful month in France, receiving mail from her, haven't seen a 3-D movie but their newspaper has 3-D pictures, driving a car with a gear shift, and the weather

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from her, a letter her mom wrote him, Hamlet, "This is My Song" being his Copenhagen theme song, no more movie operator, getting a letter from an ex-girlfriend, and a friend's relationship ending

To Naomi from Cal: letter about not having any mail come, reading the hometown newspapers sent to him, the weather, and his commanding officer is in the hospital

To Naomi from Cal: letter about feeling tired, the Inspecting General coming to look at his work, and his Commanding Officer being in the hospital for up to two months

To Naomi from Cal: letter about being very tired, having to walk a lot, and the truck he was using broke down

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how much he loves her and being selfish

To Naomi from Cal: letter about losing a letter he wrote yesterday and getting her to sign his cast because he broke his foot
jumping over a fence

To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting a walker, a new coat she got, Naomi possibly breaking a bone in her hand, an officer at camp playing for the Illinois football team, and getting home late from work 10/13/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about her not writing for three days, writing a letter to someone but not having her address, and possibly coming home through St. Louis 10/14/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about there being only 122 days until he comes home, an inspection that happened that day, a new guy to run the movie projector, having the day off, and not betting on the weather 10/15/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the record hit parade and his disappointment and not doing anything after the inspection 10/16/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about no one in the barrack having stationary, the weather, not getting mail from her, and a friend of his going on leave 10/17/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from her, feeling mean, how many more days of service he has left, going to a movie, describes the plot of the movie "All I Desire" and asking her if all Naomi's were like the one in the movie he described 10/18/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how much he loves her, Naomi spoiling the babies she cares for, asking her about bowling, wanting to go for a picnic, and about not reenlisting 10/19/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about being at work and not doing anything, the weather, wanting a new car, not getting anything he wants, and people bring him things because 10/20/1953
his foot is broken

10/23/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting back from a double feature, inspection, and about her work shifts.

10/24/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about what he is doing that night, working on some reports, wondering if she has a TV set at home yet, Naomi being spoiled, and writing her a long letter soon.

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the rain they had, going out with tennis partners, a friend of hers, photographs he took, not getting all the letters he send to her, and about Naomi’s work.

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the moon, seeing "Invaders from Mars", her Halloween dance, and her mom in the hospital.

To Naomi from Cal: letter about not getting mail from her, seeing a double feature of bad movies, wanting to watch TV with her, and getting a letter from her friend.

10/29/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about listening to the radio instead of seeing a movie, when he will be out of the Army, the weather, and photographs he took.

10/30/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about his request for early dismissal was denied, and payday.

10/31/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about waiting for the movie "Pony Express" to start, possibly going to Paris when his cast is off, missing mail call, and listening to a football game on the radio.
To Naomi from Cal: letter about her stationary, being broke when he gets back, Naomi working with kids, sending her friend a letter, and swim lessons

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, getting the day off when he is home, the girls in Naomi's class, teaching her how to swim, bowl and play tennis, and words for her mother

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his grandmother passing away

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his grandmother passing away, not being able to attend her funeral, the weather, and trying to resubmit his request for early discharge

To Naomi from Cal: letter thanking her for her sympathy, working earlier that day, disliking work, trying to do laundry, and possibly taking a friend out to dinner

To Naomi from Cal: letter about waking up and feeling sick and how bad the barracks are

To Naomi from Cal: letter about missing mail call, his unit has lots of injuries in it, and seeing "Scared Stiff"

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to a soccer game, Naomi's work with babies, the weather, going to dinner at a friend's house, bowling, Rita Hayworth, and what he wants for Christmas

To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting his cast off, a rumor that he might sent home in December, and going to a movie

To Naomi from Cal: letter about guys in the barracks being loud all night, hoping to be sent to Fort Sheridan when he gets back, and words for her mother
To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving mail from her, seeing a Hans Christian Anderson movie, his foot still hurting, last time he saw her, and going on dates

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his request for early discharge had been approved, and coming home around Christmas

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the moon, someone trying to get him to reenlist, and a friend of hers loving him; 11/22/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his what he did that day, not making it to mail call, and listening to the radio

To Naomi from Cal: letter about counting the days down until he gets to leave, not doing any Christmas shopping yet, and packing his things

To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving lots of mail from her, the Rose Bowl, politics, his foot, and going back to work when he's home

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to bed early since everyone will be making noise later, going to a Thanksgiving service, and seeing a movie

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his holiday break, the weather, guys making a lot of noise in the barracks, ate a Thanksgiving lunch, and a count down until he leaves

11/27/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting a new camera, going to a movie, and when he's going home; 11/28/1953

To Naomi from Cal: letter about packing more, painting the barrack floors, the weather, and writing a letter for a friend

To Naomi from Cal: letter about payday, painting the barrack floor, going into town, and eating snails

11/29/1953
To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting paid, guys at camp going out and staying in and getting drunk, and describing the fights that broke out

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the fights that happened last night and visiting a French family

12/2/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about payday and people buying alcohol, no word of when he's leaving, receiving a picture of her, telling her not to go out with other people, and hoping a friend gets better

12/3/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, going into Bordeaux, and missing home

To Naomi from Cal: letter about getting his Christmas letters addressed, letters he received from her, music, a friend of theirs, Christmas presents for her, and wanting to go back to Norway

To Naomi from Cal: letter about a letter he wrote yesterday, wanting her to write her work schedule out, and getting paperwork and things in shape

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going out to a French dinner, wondering what civilian life will be like, feeling like he'll be home by Christmas, and selling his radio

12/8/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about being on his way soon and loving her

12/9/1953 To Naomi from Cal: letter about receiving letters from her, being anxious to leave, and writing letters
To Naomi from Cal: letter about shipping out tomorrow for home, now in Bremerhaven in Germany, possibly arriving in New York on December 23rd, hoping he gets leave, writing her a couple letters, and wanting to go to midnight mass on Christmas Eve

800349359

Letters

Jan-54

To Naomi from Cal: letter about deciding flowers for a wedding and other plans, going to New Orleans, arranging the apartment, and her work schedule for the future, also included is a map of the University of Illinois

800349360

Letter

Feb-54

To Naomi from Cal: letter about what has happened on February 15 for the last couple years, signing up for a course at the Illinois Institute of Technology, and possibly coming home for the holiday weekend

800349361

To Naomi from Cal: letter about letter about possibly having class on Saturday but then catching the train after to come see her and looking for an apartment

800349362

Letters

Mar-54

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going back to work, them being separated all the time, having to study, wanting to visit soon, and sending her a job ad

800349363

To Naomi from Cal: letter about going to a movie, how much he loves her and the new address he has

800349364
2/26/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about not writing her enough, getting put on two committees at work, looking for a new apartment and wondering when she will visit him; 3/4/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about watching to and writing a bad letter; 3/7/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about not writing as much as he should be, his new telephone number, what he did on the weekend, his work week, playing tennis, and eating pizza.

To Naomi from Cal: letter about writing her a letter two times a week, photographs he took, and taking a bath.

To Naomi from Cal: letter about filing income tax, exams, icescapes, his roommates dad having a heart attack, and a movie they saw.

To Naomi from Cal: letter about his mother passing away and how his father is taking it, her writing letters to his dad, what happened to his mom, and receiving lots of cards.

3/8/1954

To Naomi from Cal: letter about coming back to Chicago, going back to visit his dad again later in the week, and wishing she could be there with him.

To Naomi from Cal: letter about wanting her to come visit him, Naomi’s patient, and about Easter.

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Letters

Apr-54

800349371 To Naomi from Cal: letter about it being April Fool's Day, going home, went to a movie, and what he did that night. 4/1/1954

800349372 To Naomi from Cal: letter about an April Fool's joke she played on him, going to visit home, and Easter. 4/4/1954
4/7/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter telling her he loves her, taking a test he thinks he failed, and wanting her to visit him ;
4/8/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about stamps, not having a secretary, and Easter

To Naomi from Cal: letter about how he misses her, her not coming home for Easter, and picnics

To Naomi from Cal: letter about Naomi telling him to get a new girl, his schedule for coming home, and about Easter

4/19/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about rereading her old letters, a photograph she sent his dad, and looking under stamps ;
4/20/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter to tell her he loves her and that he has to study

To Naomi from Cal: letter telling her he loves her, spending the weekend together, and cleaning the apartment

Letters

May-54

To Naomi from Cal: letter about Naomi having the day off, being sore from playing golf, going out on Friday, not going to church, and the weather

To Naomi from Cal: letter about not being able to go to her formal, asking her to visit him, and going to a movie

To Naomi from Cal: letter about a letter she sent, his dad, Mother’s Day coming up, and a radio program

To Naomi from Cal: letter asking if she is going him that weekend so he can plan where to go

To Naomi from Cal: letter about Naomi fainting at work, class, when they’ll see each other next, and not sleeping well
5/23/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about coming back home and her graduation; 5/25/1954 To Naomi from Cal: letter about forgetting to mail his letter, visiting her, and engagement rings on TV

To Naomi from Cal: letter about mail and a photograph from her, her sister, and the weather in Chicago

To Naomi from Cal: letter about riding in a fancy car, going to an alumni dinner, visiting a friend's new baby, visiting St. Louis, his work week, and that he loves her

To Naomi from Cal: letter about studying, traffic, finding letters he was missing, and the weather

To Naomi from Cal: letter about paying rent and not having money left, finals soon, her sister, and staying up late to study for a test they didn't have

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather, listening to a ballgame on the radio, studying, going out, the 4th of July, his plans for the weekend, and missing her

To Naomi from Cal: letter about visiting her over the weekend, seeing a movie, and the hot weather

To Naomi from Cal: letter that he loves her, where he should stay in St. Louis when he visits her, watching a White Sox game, and the 4th of July

To Naomi from Cal: letter about where he should stay when he's in St. Louis, and about her work

To Naomi from Cal: letter about what train he is taking and when he will arrive
To Naomi from Cal: letter about paying rent, not receiving any information from her, and needing her telephone number 6/30/1954

To Naomi from Cal: letter about saying goodbye at the train station, how good the visit was, and when they can see each other again 7/8/1954

To Naomi from Cal: letter about being sentimental, getting photographs developed, a friend having an accident, and her hair 7/14/1954

To Naomi from Cal: letter count down until she graduates, a friend going to college, and going home over the weekend 7/15/1954

To Naomi from Cal: letter about the weather in St. Louis, seeing a friend, and wanting to know if she's coming home 7/19/1954

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