

Italy.
7/23/44.

Dear Sis:

Just a few lines to let you know I am in the best of health and everything going swell. I received the package you sent me a few days ago and thanks a lot.

Next time you send a package don't put any candy in no more because the candy melts in this hot weather and its sticky as heck all over everything just like a syrup. and I aint very crazy for candy anyway. Lots of times at meal times

I never touch any sweets.
Not long ago we started to
get good american beer in
our rations.

You cant imagine how good
that beer tasted.

Especially after being our seas
so long without it.

Next Package you send me
try and get me some pipe
tobacco and ciggarets too,
and also a few corn cobb
pipes.

I havnt any more news so
will close for this time.

So Long.
Clarence.