

55 Aberdeen Avenue
Westmount, Que.

Jan 18/43.

Dearest Edward

The wind has been blowing
a perfect gale all day
here, and I suppose that
it has been the same in
Ottawa. It also seems to
be getting colder to night.

Mary and I have just
returned from Eois where
we were for dinner - we
listened to the speeches

I read your ^{3.} letters to your
mother, and she repeated
them to your Dad, they were
very glad to have your
news - Your mother was
not impressed with you
having a room on a third
floor of a house, she also
thought that the situation
was too far out. Saying
that you should avoid
stairs & street cars -
because they were an extra
that you could do without.

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made by Mrs Eleanor Roosevelt
and Mackenzie Rip at
the Russian Benefit at the
forum. She spoke very
well - and referred very
nicely to going aboard a
Canadian Corvette at
Liverpool, where she was
much impressed by the brave
and steady looking men.

I was so glad to have a
telegram from John and
to know that he was in
port somewhere -

I see to have ^{4.} millions of letters
to write - I wrote 6 yesterday
and this is my 4th today.

I cleaned and tidied the
Kitchen this morning, I miss
my "Assistant" or "Big boss"
shall I say - very much.

I hope your first two days
have proved a delight rather
than a round of duties which
brought fatigue - Don't forget
to say your prayers and ask to
be kept tranquil in spirit!

I must off to bed dear

with love affectionately

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Lois

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9 in Ottawa

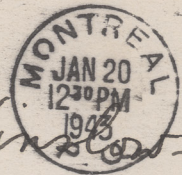
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