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Dearest One

I have heard the broadcast 1000 planes on Tokyo including carriers, raids, challenging air & navy. & am ready for bed. It is raining gently and Monday sleeps peacefully.

Thank you for your letter dear. I always feel so tied up when you go away - just a hole left.

I do miss you so much & while I carry on & try to get things done, it is without much heart. I don't always say it but I do appreciate how much you do to make things so smoothly which I suppose is one reason I find it hard to plan without you. That's where a social Secretary would relieve you & myself and get things done that should be done!

It should not be my job to do it. I do see the whole so clearly but am always stuck by some first step ahead & I also realize that when I go on it will make no difference to the world whether it is done or not, while it does to those I leave behind how happy I have helped them to be.

You are a dear & great soul and I wish I could do more to give you happiness. I shall certainly try to get up some work and for I

would love to see the family together
as well as the new baby.

I suppose there are many plans
to make as the summer gets along.
for August is not far away + Sept
just behind. I feel the only place
very real is the C.B. with all its faults
for it means food + care even if
also it means challenge!

Ruth says they have a room shut
up the Potomac + a canoe.

Much much love dearest I can
see your joy in the morning with the
new baby + Betty such a sweet mother.

Yours

J.

11:45 P.M.

P.S. My. A large pkg has come
to the office for you with
\$11 - express on it. I will
hold it here.

P.P.S. I shall look up the question
of machinery + the iron range +
may try to make it around
23rd - Again God bless you