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[*Letterhead reads*]:

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April 20th

Sumner honey:-

It was grand reading your report of the celebration of the Easter holiday. Our boys are never lost wherever they may be. You will always find those who look to carry out traditions and are sincere in their religious outbursts. You may not know this, but [*illegible*] Morris is very religious - I am told that even in duty he has not failed to pray every morning, not forgetting to use his tefillin - he would naturally be in that class that carry along a jewish calendar so as not to miss up on any special holiday. To him it wouldn't mean the 'food' but the significance of the holiday.

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I suppose you, too, can see the reasonableness to [*illegible*] and yourself. It so happens that there is a Chaplain on his ship, but he wouldn't need one to remind him of his responsibilities as a Jew. His Chaplain wrote grandpa a letter telling him how faithful [*illegible*] is - what a fine boy he is etc, etc. We are expecting Uncle Louis next Tuesday - he has to be at Farmingdale L. [D]. (ten miles from Lynbrook) to inspect plants - on Friday he must go on to Buffalo unless plans change. Everything is possible in the armed forces. However, we are looking forward to his visit.

Everyone is well - all send bound-  
less love to you, darling.  
Be well - God bless you.  
Aunt Ida