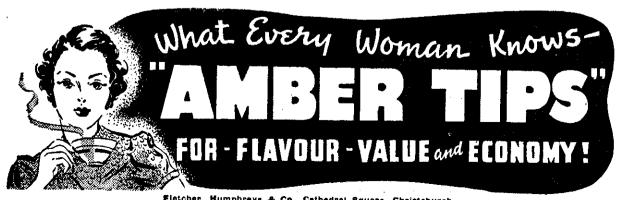
To the National Patriotic Fund Board, Wellington, N.Z.

Dear Sirs.

Your parcel to hand-and boy!-what a hand it got from us. Jerry seems anxious to say goodbye to all the Roman antiquities and we're just having a rest after chasing him good and hard. So it was nice to get that tobacco, chocolate, cake, and those tinned goods and woollens. You can have your Chianti and Vermicelli and classical ruins-we'll have New Zealand! We often think of home and beauty, so it was good to be reminded that you think of us, too. We know it's only because you people at home are giving your cash and you women are giving your time to prepare these parcels that we get them so regularly. They come like a breath of home, and that's just what we need sometimes to keep us smiling. Keep it up-and thanks New Zealand!





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