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Pee-Wee Schwamborn
2204 Lindora Street
Bakersfield, Calif.

Dear Pee-Wee:

I am returning your check herewith for ten bucks. I would like to have you buy something with this ten bucks that you wouldn't ordinarily buy. Something that you would ordinarily think you couldn't afford, or something that you think would be too silly to buy. In other words, if you might like to buy ten dollars' worth of bubble gum and your folks wouldn't think that would be a good idea, well here's ten bucks for you to go shoot on bubble gum.

When I was a kid I know there were lots of things I wanted that weren't sensible to buy. It was only on rare occasions that I could indulge in that extravagance of buying some silly thing. But as I look back, it was the silly things that I got the most fun out of.

So here is ten bucks. Go shoot it. Just don't buy shoes or don't save it or don't buy a present for your father or mother.

Buy something that you want.

Just for the hell of it, I would like to know what you do buy.

Very sincerely yours,

Wally Byam
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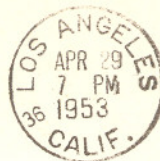
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P.S. We will be leaving for Europe soon, in which case I will try to send you a nice pretty postcard. From Par  e.



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