



LIMA-PERU

Sunday-

Dear Misses Merfolds -

Lima has been a most friendly place but tonight we are indoors because it is Pre-Lenten. Carnival Time and some of the young people are too enthusiastic in throwing flour & water on anyone within throwing distance. The Embassy, Navy & native Press Club have all gone out of their way to be cordial. And I like the courtesy & friendly manner of the Peruvians.

Tomorrow noon the wife of the head of the U.S. Naval mission is entertaining for us in her home, & the next morning we take the 10-hour flight over the Andes