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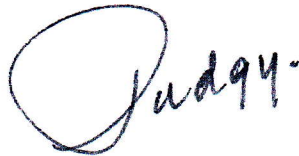
Dear Joe,

Thought you might be interested in these two LA Times articles - I'm not too crazy about the particular photo of the weightlifter Karyn Marshall, but guess that is one of those things one doesn't have much control over. However it is interesting to note that they are now allowing weightlifting competition between women lifters of various weight classes in "sanctioned" (?) meets. Somehow I wasn't aware of this - seldom are any of these events written about in the newspapers - though I suppose they would be mentioned in "muscle" magazines.

We have been spending a comparative uneventful summer at home this year - so far anyway. I am working on my family history in pictures, so have kept very busy - fortunately I have many old pictures of some of our ancestors back in the 1800s, so it has been interesting to gather it altogether. I wrote a Family History for the family several years back and have since had this desire to coordinate the pictures with the other material. It is fun, and primarily an attempt to preserve the pictures, which are in fair condition now, though some are yellowing, and many have been attached to heavy backing, which I cannot remove.

I, also wanted to tell you that I have finally found a group of exercise, weightlifting, and Muscle Beach type pictures, and so will put together a group to send to you for your own collection. I thought I had some more of those pictures - they aren't all 8x10, but perhaps that won't matter to you - many are just informal shots taken by photographers at the beach in the forties. At any rate will make up a group to send to you.

Thanks again for your interest - enjoying your News letter - until later - best wishes.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Judy". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned centrally below the typed text.