it they sell prunes, canned fish, wine, (all stores sell wine) candy, cookies and pastries, jars of olives etc. They also have tables where you can drink wine, tea, or milk, and eat pastries. As you come up the street you pass on either side small shops, a tailor, a mercearia (true grocery store) Only in it you buy dried beans, rolled oats, packaged cereals and crackers from America (you can buy these in most any kind of a shop) canned fish and meat, wine, orange & other fruit ^ most anything but fresh vegetables, fish and potato meat.

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Lisboa, Portugal
November 2, 1947

Dear Mother & Olive,

At last we are organized once more. We hope for until we leave to go to Africa. Doctor Reeling wants us to remain here one year, but we are not yet sure if we shall get permission. Our ninety days are up the middle of this month and then it is necessary to get an extension of our visas in order to remain longer