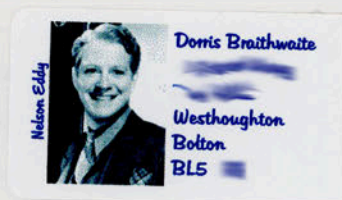


Dec. 5th. 1998

Dear Annette,
I thank you for your letter. It was nice to hear from you. As you say the time goes so quickly. The summer has gone and in a few weeks Christmas will be here.

I've not heard from Kath yet and don't know how to contact her as she was moving house. I am sure she will agree with Val and I that we do prefer the 'standard' written English form, and it would be easier for the readers and especially in the U.S.A., to understand. I am still writing and receiving letters from people around England and the U.S.A. I have been busy doing tapes as well as my books are sold and I should be having an article in 'The Golden Star', the magazine that is published every few months by the Nelson Eddy Appreciation Society. I could try and get hold of a copy for you, if you are interested. Are you enjoying reading the books? Hope you have a lovely Christmas. Please remember me to Val.

Oh, I wrote a tribute to Alice Faye, a star who died early this year. I had received letters and Christmas cards from her all during the war. I later wrote to her after seeing her in an interview on TV a few years ago. She had aged gracefully. I had a letter from her, saying I'd made her day and a book she had written called

'growing Old, Staying young'. I wrote her
life story and "Evergreen" magazine were
interested and then changed their minds.
They did however publish my writings on
Walsen Eddy & Jeanette Macdonald, I died in
1993.

all this has kept me going after the loss
of my husband.

well, all few now.

all my best wishes

Sincerely

Dorris.

