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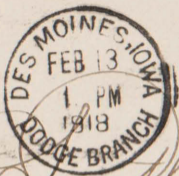
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Laverport - Iowa



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ARMY AND NAVY
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS



"WITH THE COLORS"

Camp Edge Ta. 1917

Dear Daddy
February 12,

I am just answering
your most welcome letter, which I
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Give your love and Mary. we
miss you on your travels.

How you would be any way
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By your company Mother. I expect
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Hope you folks can come and
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How all
^{you} getting along with your dancing
party. you sure will enjoy it.

Let some of these days you and
wife have to take in a dance
if I get another chance to visit
you. I'd just like to see a dance for
me.

Well, just to make a few
help short. I believe I will
leave you for this time, but

am hoping you folks all well and
happy and cozy. Do you take good
care of yourself and be happy to so.

and sending my very best regards to
you all and tell Marg. I will write
her soon. With love. Your uncle
Clarence

[CLARENCE LINDSTADT (HORNBERGER COLLECTION) LETTER]

[Page 1 – envelope]

[[Image: Original military post
stamp: circular seal with print
“DES MOINES, IOWA / DODGE”
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[[Image: Original 3-cent
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Miss Dorothy Hornberger
1022 E. 13th St.
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[Page 2 – Letter]

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