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1917-03-15, Clarence to Dorothy

Clarence Lindstadt

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"WITH THE COLORS"

~~Camp Page Ind.~~ 1917.

March 15, 1918

Dear Mother

I am a little
time to spare I am going to
and your most welcome letter
which I rec'd yesterday

I love all you & I stay,
and how are the folks too?

The weather is beautiful
here at camp. I suppose it's
the same there isn't it.

You and your pap sure
must have some times together
See I'd you not are
interested in everything.

But you will make a good wife
that. The boys sure will be jealous
of you.

But that shows you
are sure patriotic. I wish you
all the luck in the world.
I'd say all your folks com

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am sending my best regards to all.

[CLARENCE LINDSTADT (HORNBERGER COLLECTION) LETTER]

[Page 1 – envelope]

[[Image: Original military post
stamp: circular seal with print
“DES MOINES, IOWA / DODGE”
BRANCH” encircling date:
“MAR 16 / 7 PM / 19[1]8”]]
Miss Dorothy Hornberger

1022 E 13th St.

Davenport.

Iowa

[[Image: Original 3-cent
brown post stamp,
adhered sideways, so
that left-facing George
Washington profile is now
facing up]]

[Page 2 – Letter]

[[Image: start HEADER:]]

[image: Flying
American Flag]

[print text: “NATIONAL WAR COUNCIL
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[image: Red Y.M.C.A. seal -
inverted triangle in a circle]

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[[end HEADER]]

Camp Dodge Iowa [[image: printed 1917, obscured
by handwriting]]

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