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"WITH THE COLORS"



Mr. Robert Lindstadt.

1101 Arch St.

Burlington Iowa.

Camp Stevens Mass
April 9, 1918.

Dear Sis.

I received your letter and also the cake and candy and I want to say that you are there when it comes to baking cake. I gave a piece of it to a fellow from Minn. who bunked by me and he said it was the best cake he ever ate. Say Sis I want to thank you folks for the things you have sent me.

I am going to send home my suitcase with some things in it because we got orders to get rid of them.

I think we will be going

over some of these days, but you folks shouldn't worry.

I will let you know in time when we move, either by telegram or letter.

Say Sis I had my mug snapped and I will send them home when I get them. Give Anna & Minnie each one and you can keep the rest or do what you want with them. I was with Al Aspelmeier this evening, for we are out of quarantine now and we can go where we please. Ok says hello to all. Well Sis I will close for this time with best regards and wishes to all
Your Bro
(Write soon) F. T. Lindstadt

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[[Image: YMCA seal: inverted red triangle with print YMCA across center]]

[[Image: Military postmark stamp: circular seal with printed “FITCHBURG, MASS. / DEVENS BRANCH” encircling date: “APR 17 / 530 PM / 1918”]]

[[Image: Original maroon 3-cent stamp with left-facing profile of George Washington]]

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