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Mr. N. Diedrich  
108 Glenwood Ave.  
Joliet Ill.
Dear Folks:-

Received yours of the 27th which you wrote from Rochester Minn. I hope by this time that mother is all right again. I am well & still plugging along in Echternach Luxembourg with no moving date in view. My machine is pretty well shot & I can't get parts for it so am doing nothing at present but eating & sleeping. I am getting so fat that you will hardly know me when I get back. I tip the scales at pretty close
To two hundred pounds and about six feet tall and about thirty-two inches around the waist, so you see I haven't any stomach. All my weight is in my back and shoulders.

We are having regular spring weather here now. It is such a treat after the cold snap we had for the past week. During that time we had pretty cold weather for this country as low as ten above zero with about a half a foot of snow.

The rumors of our going still are that we will leave Europe between the first and fifteenth of April. If they are true I will be reaching Rome...
at a nice time of the year.

In regard to that allotment question, there is nothing to it, as there was no claim of dependents put in. When they were soliciting allotments down in Logan, I allotted fifteen dollars. I was asked how much board I paid at home and I told them thirty dollars. They then added the ten dollars to it of their own free will.

No other news. I will close with love.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
[Diedrich Correspondence #29]

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Mr. N. Diedrich
108 Glenwood Av.
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[[written diagonally across envelope:] Answered 3-17-18]
From W. Diedrich
Hdqt. Co.
108 Eng’s
Camp Logan
Houston
Tex.
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The rumors of our going still are that we will leave Europe between the first and fifteenth of April. If they are true I will be reaching home.
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