5-4-1918

Lindstadt Brothers First World War Correspondence Collection #23

Varnie (V.T.) T. Lindstadt

Follow this and additional works at: https://digitalcommons.chapman.edu/lindstadt_brothers_collection

Recommended Citation
Lindstadt, Varnie (V.T.) T., "Lindstadt Brothers First World War Correspondence Collection #23" (1918). Lindstadt Brothers First World War Correspondence Collection. 23.
https://digitalcommons.chapman.edu/lindstadt_brothers_collection/23

This Letter is brought to you for free and open access by the CAWL Archives: First World War at Chapman University Digital Commons. It has been accepted for inclusion in Lindstadt Brothers First World War Correspondence Collection by an authorized administrator of Chapman University Digital Commons. For more information, please contact laughtin@chapman.edu.
Miss Clara Lindstadt
1101 Arch St.
Burlington Iowa.
Camp Stevens, Mass,
May 4, 1915.

Dear Sirs,

Just a few lines to tell you I received the cake O.K. and I want to thank you for it. I had the paper fixed up and was sent, so you should look for it. I am sending home a pennant together with a little money.

Our Officer told us that we would move soon and he told us to buy our soap and tobacco here because it was scarce (over there).

Things are dear here so I thought I could save by letting you buy me some cheap toilet and laundry soap. I am going to keep clean over there if I don't do anything else. You can get

Help your Country by Saving. Write on BOTH Sides of this Paper.
me any cheap laundry and toilet soap, so don’t forget to get me some of both and send it as quick as you can and I will be a thousand times obliged.

You can find out how much soap you can get with the money but you needn’t get any more than what the money will pay for including the postage for I don’t want you folks to go to any extra expense.

Say sis I received a nice box of candy Amanda, and was some surprised.

We are allowed to carry 75 lbs in our barracks bags so I am going to try to get 75 lbs of stuff before I go.

Well sis I guess I will close for this time hoping that all are well.

Your Bro.

[Signature]

(Write Soon)
Miss Clara Lindstadt -

1101 Arch St.

Burlington Iowa.
Camp Devens, Mass,
May 4, 1918

Dear Sis.

Just a few lines to tell you I received the cake O.K. and I want to thank you for it. I had the paper fixed up and was sent, so you should look for it.

I am sending home a pennant together with a little money.

Our Officer told us that we would move soon and he told us to buy our soap and tobacco here because it was scarce (over there)

Things are dear here so I thought I could save by letting you buy me some cheap toilet and laundry soap. I am going to keep clean overthere [sic] if I don’t do anything else. You can get

[Image: printed text: ‘Help your Country by Saving. Write on BOTH Sides of this Paper.’]
me any cheap Laundry and
toilet soap, so don’t forget to get
me some of both and send it as
quick as you can and I will be
a thousand times obliged.

You can find out how much
soap you can get with the money
but you needn’t get any more than
what the money will pay for
including the postage for I don’t
want you folks to go to any extra
expense.

Say Sis I received a nice
box of candy [superscript] from [[/superscript]] Amanda, and was
some surprised.

We are allowed to carry 75 lbs
in our barracks bags so [[strikethrough]] if [[/strikethrough]] I
am going to try to get 75 lbs of
stuff before I go.

Well Sis I guess I will
close for this time hoping that
all are well.

Your Bro.

V. T. Lindstadt

(Write Soon.)