

Mayer Germany  
Feb. 15 - 1919

Dear Stella:

just a few lines  
tonight to let you know that  
I am still in the land of  
the living in good health.  
your letters are few and  
far between but I know  
that I don't get all that  
mother writes and I suppose  
yours are the same.

What is the matter with  
Lillie I haven't heard from  
her in a long time perhaps  
she is mad because I haven't  
answered her letters as I  
should.

I am expecting to leave  
Mayer in a few days and  
go to ~~Le Harve~~ Le Harve France

I know that I won't have much  
chance to write on that trip  
for I am the only Cook that  
is to go. We are supposed to go  
there after trucks and bring  
them back to this place so  
when you look it up on the map  
you will see it is quite a trip.  
Then back we expect to be  
about three weeks making it.  
The Harve is a sea gant and  
I am afraid I will get home  
sick when I see some of the  
boats leaving for the states and  
I am not going.

I am always ready to go for  
I like to see the country and  
I don't know what a stranger  
is no matter how he is dressed.  
I don't expect to get any mail  
for three weeks now if we go  
on this convey that man

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expecting to. But hope to have  
some letters from you waiting  
for me when I get back.  
Perhaps I will be able to write  
you a little more than in  
the next letter. We have been  
here in this place until every-  
thing has gotten close to us and  
can't find much to write about.  
as ever your old friend,

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Motor Truck Company 434  
American Expeditionary Force  
via New York.



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