



ARMY AND NAVY
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
"WITH THE COLORS"



Camp Merritt New Jersey
July 7 - 1919

Dear Stella:

I suppose you got my message I sent you July 5th. When I first landed hoped so any way. I received two letters from you today sure was surprised to know that you hadn't heard from me in so long. I hope these troubles will soon be over. It has been so long since I have carried on a conversation with a girl that I have almost forgotten how. I received the letter from you with the pansy in but that is the only flower I have gotten from you. Mother always sent some kind of a flower in ever letter that I get from her.

TO THE WRITER: SAVE BY WRITING ON BOTH SIDES OF THIS PAPER

TO THE FOLKS AT HOME: SAVE FOOD, BUY LIBERTY BONDS AND WAR SAVINGS STAMPS



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I received a letter from Lettie
sure was glad to hear from
her. I suppose by the way
you talked in your letter that
you have been to a wedding
by this time Ha.

Well I tella you don't know
how good it seems to me to get
back in the good Old U. S. A.
again when the people look
like something and the best
of it all I can understand
what they say. I am mighty
anxious to get back to the
hills in Old Tennessee I think
perhaps I will stay there for
a while that if you want to
write to me you can send
me a letter to Cabdale as soon
as you get this letter and tell
me where you are the most
of the time for I expect to be

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There first and if the roads
are good I may get Edds car
and go up home with it and
then I could see you for a
short time while passing through
I am very anxious to see the
folks at home so well as my
friends. I expect to go from
here to Camp Gordon Ga.
in a short time we dont know
anything for sure as long as
you are in the Army. Then
I will get the little slip of
paper that is long look forward
for it. I may be home by
July 15th here or any way.
Sincerely,
Walter.



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