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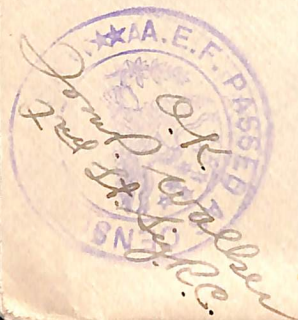


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U.S.A.



Say hello to every-
body for me please x x x Washington's Birthday.

Kiddie Mine,

La. la. la - got two
more letters - I'm so happy -
happy I don't know what
to say - They were Nos. 1 & 2
and now I know more about
what your job is. I like it
too - because your doing a
good work - are getting good
experience - and like it. Aint
it great!!! But * * ! how
about this cold, and those
frozen hands. Grant me the
power to desist for I'll be
going for five pages. you
know what I'd say anyway -
so consider yourself chastised
and be thereby mollified x x x
Mizpah if beautiful.

certainly this Julia Baker has had just the experience we are having now, for had I her power I'd say the same. I'm going to read that real often till I know it by heart.

Had a letter from Bert in which I was properly called for the way we treated mother by being married in Berkeley. He was right as far ~~that~~ as he went, and I'm glad he thought so much of mother's feelings - but he certainly didn't know all the conditions. I'm sure we have explained that "faux pas" away.

and a letter from Peter McKimley. Think of it he was in N.Y. for several days before Christmas visiting Swain and Jake. What luck! He said that Derris and Jackson are captains of artillery. Mayhaps I'll see them over here.

I've a sector all my own now - two or three villages within ten miles of here where I keep up communication. Been installing a switchboard and changing over some lines the last few days. Have a line to build too. It's great work, believe me, only it has been raining, and the mud is deep - sloshy and heavy.

A squeamish young man of Red Hill
Once declared that "pigmeat" made
him ill;
Now he plunges his fork
Into cold fat boiled pork
(When he gets it) with hearty goodwill.



"No Comment"

wish letters No. 3-6-7-8-9-
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would hurry up and come, and I'd
like to see the Red Cross box too.
Gally mail is a wonderful stimulant
and especially when it comes in
surprises as it does. Hurry up mail!
Gonna write some more thought,
so can I go - No - ~~no~~ well here's
my arm! now can I - aw right a
loving you swappin' fire - and
wishing - praying for the war's end -
because I must have my Suesky -
Soo night Sweetheart - be good to your-
self and you'll be doing the best pos-
sible to be good to me - XXXXX Loves You XXXXX