

Somewhere in France

Monday April 23/18

My darling Mother Father & Sis  
Just a line dear to  
let you know I am feeling fine and  
I hope you are all the same  
I received two letters from home  
yesterday and one from Carrie and  
told about your silence being,

I am glad you have  
received my letter from here and  
I am mighty glad that  
any mail has started to come  
direct. I hope the Food Control  
does not affect the Business very  
much but I suppose it will to a  
certain extent

I am glad you realize  
dear that I cannot write much  
of a letter from here and some-  
times not very often. But I will do  
the best I can. If you could only  
see me now you would say so too

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I am glad to arrive got down to  
Toronto for a few days and that joke  
about her letters reminds me that  
I have a letter written home & one to  
Annabel and they are in my pocket but  
as I have not seen my post for a  
couple of weeks and do not expect to  
see it for a week or so yet I guess  
they will have to wait.

I am glad the parcel arrived  
all right what I sent, and that  
Annabel and you were pleased. It is  
not very much less ~~any~~ sending  
the way of parcels but I thought  
you would like these.

I see by your letter that  
you are sending me a parcel  
with French Bonnets, remmies  
shirts and insect powder, you  
asked me to tell you what to  
send and I am afraid so far I  
have not given you much help

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I can easily get Garden here &  
Vermion shirt are too much  
batter, and the lice we have  
over here grow fat on Insect  
powder so after this point  
them out. It does not matter  
what you use you get lice  
and there is only one way to do  
and that is make them sweat &  
what we say loose up.

The Best thing to sending  
parcels in one pair of socks "socks"  
and players cigarettes & Clark  
Small Pet Beans are all right as  
are sardines, and Judge Cake  
etc. a few etc.

I had a parcel from Aunt  
Mary and believe me it some in  
Lake!

I did not know that  
Capt Ematic had gone back to  
Canada but believe me he is

lucky

New dears dont worry  
about not writing me more  
than you do when you send  
a parcel every couple of weeks  
you are certainly doing your  
share

Remember me to all with  
best love to you all dears  
Bob

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Bob

P.S. I am glad you have such a  
good woman helping in the  
house Hang on to her  
Bob