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Near Amenson.
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Dear Mother:-

We are having, about, as cold weather here as in the states. I never believed that we would be driving trucks in the snow and ice! These several day trips do not to be sneezed at at all, especially when a fellow eats "iron rations" all the time. We seem to have been making a specialty of hauling troops to central points for reviews by General Pershing. The first bunch we hauled was the 27 Division, near Le Mans. I believe that I saw Philip Wells; if I had only seen him a few minutes earlier I could have spoken to him. I know that he was in the review, because I spoke to some fellows who know him. Several days after this review we hauled some niggers to Le Mans from a small town two hundred kilometers away. Nearly starved from lack of good eats. Then we hauled our own division for their review, it surely was a good review. Then we hauled the 30th Division Artillery for their review at Evron. Went thru the towns of Fresnay, Lisle and Buis. The snow and ice makes the going bad on the steep hills here, and most the trucks have no chains.

We got "deloused" yesterday afternoon; now under-clothes, socks and top shirt. Our other new clothing is here, and will be issued soon. Hardly like to wear it yet, because working around a truck gets a fellow awful dirty; can't be helped.

I can hardly say when we will get home now. Rather uncertain, but we will get home some time. I wish the Russian and Bolshevik troubles would cease, we are liable to be used any time. Don't be afraid to write, don't think that I will be home real quick, either, because it don't look that way. Regards to all, with love,

"Chick" —

P.S. Got a letter from grandma and one from Marie lately; also from you. This card is one that was mailed to us to let you know we are back out here.

W. K. Lawrence

American E. F.
FRANCE

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GENERAL PERSHING has asked us not to give up our War Risk Insurance, at least until we have returned to the U. S. and had full opportunity of studying the new form of Government contracts, to which the present contracts may be converted. I am going to do as General Pershing has asked.

Herbert M. White

Signature

Soldiers
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