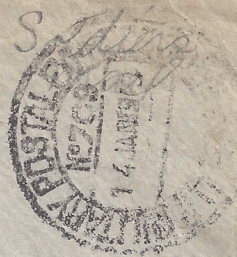


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Recount France
Jan. 12-1918

Dear Folks:-

Just a few lines
to let you know that I'm in
the best of health and hope
to continue so and also hope
that this letter reaches you
and finds you also in the best
of health.

Well now for a little
real news, there were many
rumors floating around
that we were going home
and at last we got the

and that's ^{3.} enough, our stay
in France is very short and
I think I will spend Easter
at home.

Say I haven't had a
letter from you or anybody
for about two months there
is a big delay somewhere
and when the mail does
come in we will get "bored"
of it. (very much).

How is everything at home
I'm anxious to know.

I think I'll close now with
love and kisses to all & remain
your loving son who is always

real news ² that we are
really going home.

We leave this town about
Saturday Jan. 18 and we
go to a big camp to get
re-equipped and that will
take a few weeks and
figure that we will hit the
good old U.S. about the
middle of Feb. but we
don't know when.

All the news we got so
far was leaving here and
going to Le Mans to be
equipped and that is all

⁴
thinking of you: XXXXX
Dad.

Regards to everybody.