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YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
"WITH THE COLORS"



May 14, 1918.

Dear Marie,

We are still here and still at loss as to what the next move will be. Everything is all set for a quick move, and while the bets seem to be even, I think that we will be here for a while yet and want you to keep on writing.

But be sure to write only in answer to each of my letters for awhile, and I will try to write often, but of course it will be hard telling how often.

We had a big parade after supper



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and were reviewed by
all the high officials
of the Post.

We thoroughly
scrubbed out the barracks
today. We still allowed
to go to town.

Now Marie, you
simply must not feel
sorry that I am going;
it will do neither of us
any good and will do
you harm if you persist
in thinking and worry-
ing about it.

If you
don't completely change
your way of thinking
you will surely regret it.

Be as happy and contented

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as you can, and stop
worrying.

I shall stop
writing about telegraphy
until I see you have
caught up with what
I have written.

I shall never mention
Earl, the sooner we
forget some things
the more cheerful we
will be and that's what
counts with those that
would live the fullest life,
with health and the
best things that go
with it.

Must close,
with love
J.

write.