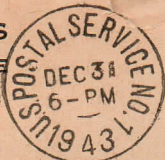
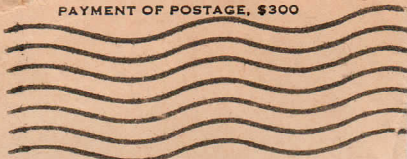


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Dear Solha,

I am well, happy and safe and I hope you all are the same.

Yesterday was Thanksgiving Day and I bet I had just as much to eat as you all did. I had turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, olives, cake, peas, dressing, bread, jam and coffee. That meal was so tempting I just had to go back for seconds. That was one of the best meals I've had since I've been in the Army.

For a change it didn't rain today so everyone took the golden opportunity to wash clothes and take a bath. Very refreshing indeed.

As an after-thought you can put a pipe in that package I mentioned previously. You can send the last pipe I bought and its accessories, if it is still around.

I hate all for now, Solha.

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