
**Finding Aid for the John LaForest First World War correspondence collection
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Title: John LaForest First World War correspondence

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Date: 1918-11-27

Abstract: This collection contains one correspondence written by serviceman John LaForest to his parents during the First World War.

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Storage Unit: WWI 1

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Arrangement

This collection is arranged by material type, author, and date.

Biographical / Historical

John LaForest was born in Tupper Lake, NY (date unknown) and grew up in Piercefild, NY. After the First World War ended, LaForest moved back to Tupper Lake and spent the rest of his life there.

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Scope and Contents

This collection contains one correspondence written by serviceman John LaForest, American Expeditionary Forces, to his parents during the First World War. LaForest wrote this letter 16 days after Armistice. In the letter, LaForest wrote about traveling from Verdun to Marnay, France, the armistice being signed, and coming back home.

Subjects and Indexing Terms

World War, 1914-1918

Correspondence -- World War, 1914-1918

World War, 1914-1918 -- Homefront

Armistice Day

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