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

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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 Piercefield, 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
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