# MAIL TO SOLDIERS' ADDRESS IS VITAL

Complete Instructions Prepared by Col. Young, in Charge Recruiting Here.

### USE OF CODE PERMITTED

Care and Accuracy Urged in Use of Mail and Cable Service in Communication With Troops in Europe.

Complete instructions for the proper addressing of letters and packages intended for American soldiers in foreign service are contained in extracts made from the War Department bulletin on the subject, which contain all necessary

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The instructions were prepared by Colonel G. S. Young, in charge of recruiting in the Portland district, with offices in the Worcester building, Third and Oak streets. They will be found invaluable in assuring the certain and prompt delivery of mail matter addressed to soldiers, and are as follows: Codes That Are Authorized.

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(c) Codes—The following are the only odes authorized by the regulations of the ritials reasonship:

J. A. B. C. 5th.

f. Scott's 10th.

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4. Lieber's.

5. Heatley's Complete Phrase Code (not reluding the oil-sund mining supplements).

6. Hroomhall's Imperial combination code.

7. Hroomhall's Imperial combination code, robber edition. Meyer's Atlantic cotton code, 30th edi-

J. Broomhail's imperial combination code, bler edition.

Meyer's Atlantic cotton code, 39th edition.

If use is made of whe of these codes, the demust be designated when the fracesage filed. It will be useless to make use of des in any case unless the person to whom a message is addressed in stationed in a y where he may have access to a code ok with which po decode the message. Consideration is being given to the featility of authorising the use, in addition to a above, of the Army and Navy code, with his person in use for transcific messages. If the use of this code authorized the fact will be announced, (d) Signature—Every message must be need. The surname may be used alone, but he signature as "John," "Mary," "Mother," (e) Classes of service—Three classes of rice are available at the present time becent the United States and England: The il rate service for which enarges range om 25 cents to 37 cents per word; the derred rate service at from 5 to 15 cents per ord; and a special week-end letter service from 5 to 9 cents per word. The rates ry from different sections of the country. The special week-end service (Western nion) is for messages of a social character, and from persons serving with the Amerina forces in Europe. They may be filed at y time during the week up to midnight attrday, and it has been arranged to transmit them as and when the traffic conditions emit, and to deliver them on receipt. Plain nguage must be used. Figures in the body the messages are permitted.

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2600757 A-A, G. O.). Extract From Bulletin No. 44. 1. The following instructions are published for the information and guidance of all concerned in personal correspondence by mall of telegraph between the United States and American military forces in Europe. Modifications or additional instructions will be published from time to time as conditions may require.

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2. Mail for Europe—(a) Mail addressed to members of the expeditionary forces should bear the complete designation of the division, regiment, company, or other organization to which the addresses belongs.

(b) In the upper left-hand corner of any envelope should be placed the usual form of return request and name and address of the sender.

eender.

(c) Under no circumstances will the location or station of a milliary organization be included in the address on a letter for a person or an organization in Europe.

(d) Postage abould be fully prepaid on foreign-bound matter. The rates on letter mail to our military forces in France is 2 cents per ounce or fraction thereof. Newspaper mail is carried for I cent per four ounces.

ounces.

(e) Letters, postcards and printed matter originating in the United States or any of its possessions for transmission to the United States expeditionary forces in Europe are subject to the United States domestic classification, conditions, and rates of postage.

(f) No other than United States postage stamps are valid for the prepayment of postage. postage.

(g) The correct manner of addressing a letter is an follows:

Return to
Mrs. John Smith.
—Blank St.,
New York City.
JOHN SMITH, Jr.,
Co, X. — Infantry.
American Expeditionary Forces,
(h) Personal mail for American military
personnel in Europe will not be ferwarded in care of the Adjutant-General of the
Army, as a general rule. This may be done,
however, in cases where the writer does not
know that the addressee has actually embarked.

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3 Mail from Europe—(a) Mail addressed to persons in the United States or any of its possessions will be addressed in the usual way, but nothing will be written in or upon the letter to indicate the place or station of the writer, or of any person or organization of our own forces or of those or our alifes.

(b) United States mail service established in Europe is prepared to sell possage stamps, postcards, etc. to our military forces. In cases where the soldier may be umble to purchase stamps to prepay postage, the letter may be indorsed by the proper officer and forwarded to its destination as provided by postal laws and regulations published in paragraph 199 (p. 420), Compilation of Orders, 1851-1915.

(c) The provisions of (b), (c) and (f), paragraph 2 herein, are applicable to mail from our forces in Europe to the United States or any of its possessions, except that the organization of the sender will be submitted for the address indicated in (b), paragraph 2.

Postal Money Orders.

## PRESIDIO ARMY TRENCHES ARE THERE TO STAY IN CASE ALIEN ENEMY SHOULD TRY TO, LAND

J. O. Convill, Street and Park Superintendent of Portland, Among Those Who Will Have First-hand Knowledge of Art of Shovel Swinging as Result of Work Like "Honest-to-Goodness Sewer Diggers."



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Frank Horell Portland Infantryman Sabbing a Dummy.





Artillery Hard at Work Francis J. Toomey, of Portland in Foreground

Fricers training camp, prespiled fortifications originally was appiled only to defensive positions intended to be held temporarily. Nowadays, however, there is no such thing
as a temporary fortification, for even
such prosale fortifications as ordinary
trenches sometimes have to house their
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knows the location of the various American units, and who will forward the messages by mail, to the proper designation.

Under no circumstances will the location or station of a unit he designated in the address, or body of a telegram.

Examples: A telegram to Captain John B. Jones, Medical Corps, United States Army Hase Hospital No. 19, American expeditionary forces, would be in the following form: Amexforce, London:
John B. Jones, Base Hospital No. 10, Have followed your instructions.

MARY JONES.

Similarly a telegram for Private J. K. Smith, Company K. Forty-seventh United States Infantry, would be sent as follows: Amexforce, London.

H. K. Smith, Co. K. Forty-seventh U. S. Infantry. Will not change address.

JANE SMITH (b) Body of telegram—The regulations of the European censorship provide that messages must be written in plain language (English or French), or in an authorized code, and must be intelligible to the censors. The use of two codes or two languages or of combination of code and plain language in the same message la forbidden. Telegrams without text or with but one plain language is to two delegrams of the same message in the same message la forbidden. Telegrams without text or with but one plain language itext word are not admitted. As hereinafter explained, code language may be used in only full-rate messages.

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last week from Waldo T, Stout, for-merly of 622 Union avenue North, Port-in the office of City Attorney La Roche, day at the City Call, and yesterday was no exception to the rule. Henry

been handed in within the past few weeks, principally for military rea-sons, but a large number have been tendered because of better positions offered.

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MRS. BURKE CALLED EAST Portland Woman Invited by Mrs. McAdoo to Attend Conference.

Mrs. Thomas Carrick Burke left yes-Mrs. Thomas Carrick Burke left yesterday for Washington, where, in response to an invitation from Mrs. W. G. McAdoo, she will attend a meeting of women who are to take a hand in the second liberty loan campaign. The meeting will be held September 27 and 28 at the Pan-American building. Mrs. McAdoo is in charge of the task of organizing the women of the country, and Mrs. Burke was called to Washington as president of the Oregon Equal Suffrage Alliance. The suffrage alliance will act as executive committee for the liberty loan branch, women's department, National Council of Defense, and will co-operate with TROOPERS IN CAMP

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Harry Stafford, Ne. Baltimore, O., writes:
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and tried all sorts of highly recommended
remedies, but to no avail until a friend told
me to try "5-Drops." I used about threequarters of a bottle of "5-Drops" and am as
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