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## SOLBIER LETIERS

 These are certalaly most exciting
timee. The news of Bulgaria's capl-
tulation still freeh, the rest of the tulation stlll fresh, the rest of th
bunch trying to test out our peace bunch trying to test out our peace
terms and our alles advanclng on all fronts, it looks most encouraging The end will be beon, and better stitiI,
when it ends we need never for another suchs war need never ferman at
rocty. We are becoming anan ed to atr raid "alerts", and have heard bombs and muchine guntire
from German planes but as yet they have never bothered our valley with
its hosplals. We hear the big guns rumbiling in the eariy morning and
the next day of an advance of our the next day of an advance of our
troops. They can't be stopped. We
have been very busy getting, our have been very busy getting, our
laboratory orgnized and in rumning
order. I have been order. I have been back from the
Universtity of Djen for over a month
and have been aeal and have been assigned to the Cen-
tral laboratory, a laboratory doing most of the work for the several
hospitals in this encampment of
which we are one Things in good order and $I$ have a hittle
time off. My hem time off. My job is making media
upon which the germs are grown in fact I am in charge of the room a University of Columbia man and
two French women. We have some two French women. We have some
good men in the central laboratory,
the captain in charge is a John Hop-Kins Prot., Captain Benson of whom
you know and a Lentenant you know and a Lieutenant for the
Rockfeller Institute and many others. We are recelving wounded
several times a day from the great several times a day from the great
battles at the front. In which our
soldiers are doling so well. It is very exclting to see the finge hospital
traing come in bringing solders. The Ametican Is most fortunate for he is better cared for than any other.
We have moved into our new barracks, drier and warmer than the
old ones, also we have separate cote Betore, we had bunks too tiers, hol
Ing four men to a bunk. I drew a upper and almost developed claws
and wings cllmbing up and down Ohr mease is good, better than we
should expect under the conditions, ned wille" but not for long, usually weveral sorts and always white bread.
I've thought many times how nice It would be to fish in the old Rogu as I did last fall. Here the rivers
are muddy and slow, more Hke
breks to We start a letter and do not have
time to get more than a paragrap and as we attend that little soctal
event common to army life, revelle at tive o'clock in the morning I shall
turn in. $\begin{gathered}\text { Matthew C. Ridd }\end{gathered}$
Base Hospital No .46, A.E.F.
rance, A.P.O. 712
October 4. 1918 .
Dear Mother and all:
Recelved yours and also dad's ter this evening, written on Sept.
and sure was glad to recelved two letters last evening two today, so am tickled about it
We are fust beginning to recelve mall pretty regular. What do you think? I was up town yestercay and Whoore. He has been tn the camp here for two weeks, also Lon Frye Is in the same Co., so I had quite a
visit, with them. They are with the visit, with them. They are with the
344 th
Bakery Co. and have been 15 milles from here at the city nearly all the time slince we landed in this camp. They left the U. S. A. JuJs
 2one now and business has dropped
off at this camp to about a third of
what it was. It sure loks promis ng. but we haven't ucked the Ger-
nans yet, but we will before I havent heard from Cland or
Wallace elther although I have had enough time to recelve an answer
before this. I am goling to write to he Central Record at Fours and get
heir A.P.O. numbers if I can. Quite surprised to hear that Ear
in Kentucky. I wrote him some warded to him. It he is still in the the
val im my P.O. No. is A.P.O. 712 an
is letter will reach me quicker. 1 am glad Gale Hkes the navy.
will send you a paper some day
ust to let you see the paper we get ver here every evening.
We have had several ere the last week or so.
WIII write again in a few days, always try and write at least twice
week. Tell Gale and all the kids to write
Love to all, VT. CLYDE E. SMITH,
Co. A, 63rd Reg. Transport Corps, This wag written on the followis

Dear Mother:
Am all O . K and travelling nght long. Here is a card that was given Wm write later and send you As ever,
(The following is a copy of
 " $T_{\text {whbohde hemems divese }}^{\text {HE }}$ If we want Oregon to grow and prosper we must recognize our duty to help ourselves by patronizing our own industries.
Let us speed our state
along the path of growth and prosperity.
USE HOME PRODUCTS.
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Ciry, was in the city yesterday. Mliss Chione Grout went to Spprin
deld today to visit her olister.
"Rathasweet." Sabin has t.
C. B. Bryan, who spent sever <br> $\qquad$ Mrs. Guy Bunch returned this
ternoon from Roseburg, where spent a few days. Mr. Bunch is <br> 

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