

France June 3,  
1918.

Dear Mother & Dad:

Having a few spare hours and feeling fine and dandy I will write a few lines. Things are going along very smoothly and having real soldiering now. You can tell all the boys at the works that it is a great game. Guess old U. S. has its share of men over here by now and expect we will soon be moving in great order. It's no little thing to fight against a country who has the best of

military trained men in the world  
and every one true to the father-  
land will be hard to whip. They  
are playing the greatest warfare  
that can be put forth on the  
field today. Time will tell and  
they are bound to loose. Have  
wages dropped any at the works? It  
must seem very funny to see girls  
working all through the shops. The  
weather is getting very warm and  
it is much better than the cold  
oh how I dread another winter  
here. There is not much doing in  
cold weather but it sure does snow  
(over)

and gets very cold. Mother dear how  
are you anyway? Remember the last  
words you said the day I left  
home. I will be brave. I shall never  
forget them and know you are  
trying your best to fulfill them.  
Your dear letters are telling me so  
and how I enjoy reading them. I  
expect Mazie is quite a singing artist  
by now and know you all feel proud  
of her. Well this is about all hoping  
everyone keeps well as I am jake my-  
self I will close with oceans of love  
and kisses to all,  
Your loving son,  
Lowell.

P.S. Probably some of my mail was lost on the  
Lincoln which was sunk.

France, Mar. 29,  
1918

Dear Mother:

Just a little remembrance  
from your soldier boy.

Three hundred and sixty-five days  
in a year

And every day I have thought  
of you mother dear

And on this day as I'm sitting here  
will drop these few lines with this  
souvenir.

Your Soldier boy,

Lowell.

Lowell  
Pittsburgh

Mr Brown, -

As tragic, as it is true.

Unfortunately we can only read  
of such a splendid type  
of American manhood.

I am sure a son  
with such a noble record  
must be a great comfort  
to you. Although his  
career was much too short.

With more men of his  
type we could eliminate  
War "the beast," and have  
peace and live as man  
should live.