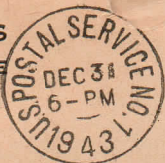
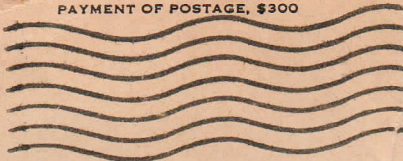


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Print the complete address in plain black letters in the panel below, and your return address in the space provided. Use typewriter, dark ink, or pencil. Write plainly. Very small writing is not suitable.

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*Robert F. Mauro*  
*12/3/43*

CENSOR'S STAMP

To MR. & MRS. F. MAURO  
491 LEXINGTON AVE.  
MOUNT KISCO,  
NEW YORK

From  
Pvt. F. MAURO 32810 329  
A.T.CO. 168 INF A.P.O. 34  
c/o POSTMASTER, N.Y., N.Y.

NOV. 24, 1943  
(Date)

Dear Folke,

I am well, happy, and safe and I hope you all are the same.

I received four letters today, two from you all and one from Vince and one from Gene.

In one of your letters, you said my cousins lived in Eboli. I rode all through that town about a month and a half ago. All that was left of the place was a huge pile of stone and debris, but the people were living there anyway. If I had known then that they lived there I undoubtedly would have seen them. However, I might drop down that way in the future sometime and see them.

Send some air mail envelopes with the paper I asked for previously.

V-MAIL

Love & Hisses  
Bob