

Information Sheet

R **Macy family.**
1129 **Correspondence, 1943-1945.**
 One folder.

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There are seventeen letters in this collection. All were sent using the "V-Mail" process. Most were sent to Mrs. W. A. Macy of Neosho, although one was addressed to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Macy and another was addressed to Mrs. Sue [Lue?] Macy. The soldiers were the sons, husbands, or otherwise related to the addressees. Due to military censorship, the soldiers could do little more than provide their general location and personal condition. Wayne H. Macy served with the 398th Engineers and Lee B. Macy served in the 1710th Signal Battalion in the European Theater, while Wayne G. Palmer served with the 13th Portable Surgical Hospital and David C. Jones served in the 126th Infantry Regiment in the Southwest Pacific Theater.

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
1943, Oct 27	PFC Wayne H. Macy	Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Macy
1943, Nov 07	PFC Wayne Palmer	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1943, Dec 15	PFC Lee B. Macy	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Jan 01	PFC Wayne H. Macy	Mrs. Sue (Lue?) Macy
1944, Feb 16	PFC Wayne Palmer	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Mar 31	PFC Wayne G. Palmer	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Jun 11	PFC David C., Jones	Mrs. W. A. Macy

1944, Jul 17	PFC David C. Jones	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Aug 9	PFC David C. Jones	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Aug 20	PFC David C. Jones	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Sep 2	PFC David C. Jones	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Oct. 3	PFC David C. Jones	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Oct 31	PFC David C. Jones	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1944, Dec 20	SGT Wayne G. Palmer	Mrs. W A. Macy
1945, Feb 11	S/SGT Wayne G. Palmer	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1945, Feb 14	PFC L. B. Macy	Mrs. W. A. Macy
1945, Mar 18	S/SGT Wayne G. Palmer	Mrs. W. A. Macy

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 Dutch East Indies
 Italy
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 Macy, Lee B.
 Macy, Wayne H.
 Macy family
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 New Guinea
 Palmer, Wayne G.
 Soldiers—United States
 United States. Army. Engineer Regiment, 398th
 United States. Army. Infantry Regiment, 126th
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