LETTER FROM SERGEANT BARTON

308 Trench Motor Battery,
Camp Sherman, Ohio.
March 19, 1918.

Editor Patton Courier,
My dear Sir:—

It is the desire of our Major General, Edwin F. Glenn, of the 83rd Division, National Army, that every soldier, formerly of Ohio and Western Pennsylvania, write a few words of comment to the home paper concerning the great movie film entitled, "The Remaking of a Nation." This picture was taken at Camp Sherman, where a number of the Pennsylvania boys are in training. There is hardly any doubt that it will find its way to Patton before long. It is the intention of the board in charge of war activities to have the film shown in every town of a fair size. They urge you to see it and broaden your ideas of camp life. I had the pleasure of being present at the Liberty Theatre last Monday when our battery attended in a body to witness this spectacular performance, the idea of which was conceived by Gen. Glenn himself.

The picture begins with the entrance into camp of the "rookies." It deals with their military life from the first day of drill in the era of the polished soldier. It deals with skirmishes of all natures; movement of troops under fire, going "over the top" and so on. The part that pleased me most, of course, the action of our Trench Motor Battery. It is the only part of the film in which you can witness actual firing and "over the top" movements. To a great many people the Trench Motor Gun is a new device. It has never been known in our army until very recently. We have copied after the English army in the adoption of the 3 Stokes Light Trench Motor. It is a small gun, weighing 104 pounds complete and easily carried around by three men. Despite its small size and harmless appearance, it is a most destructive weapon. The shells do not explode until they have reached their target. When they burst, everything within a radius of 70 yards is [illegible]

Before the British Government sent its two models to our country, our battery commander, Lieut. Gon R. McGill, a Columbus man, got hold of the plans and had the boys of this battery busy making guns of their own. They were completed in November, six of them, and by the time the English models arrived we had our own operating our guns in the trenches every day for two months, with a crew who established a record of [illegible] a minute, the world's record [illegible] are proud of this, [illegible] McGill who has personally [illegible] all this work.

The film shows, one of the U. S. [illegible] machines, is vividly [illegible] in "The Remaking of a Nation." [illegible] to all of the people of [illegible] see this picture and I [illegible] will find its way to the old [illegible] in the very near future. [illegible] loss of wealth and energy [illegible] immensely. All of [illegible] entertainment, with [illegible] of course, of a few, are [illegible] and becoming [illegible] People back home [illegible] are already reports [illegible] the unsanitary [illegible] existing in the [illegible] 95 per cent [illegible]

[illegible] to Patton is en[illegible] I am

[illegible] Russell U. Barton.

"WARNING"

[illegible] queen of the [illegible] when she [illegible] in the New York [illegible] is the feature [illegible] "Frozen Warning." [illegible] and pirouttes [illegible] and twirling [illegible] her position [illegible] resembles a top. [illegible] her rights [illegible] the most spectacu[illegible] world has discovered. [illegible] "Frozen Warning" [illegible] and an Amer[illegible] Charlotte is active [illegible] band.

[illegible] excellent photo[illegible] a number of [illegible] which de[illegible] The double ex[illegible] and well han[illegible]

[illegible] is a novelty, [illegible] in her art [illegible] This picture [illegible] Friday at the [illegible]

[illegible] CHURCH

[illegible] A. M.
[illegible] P. M.
[illegible] invited to [illegible]

[illegible] little daugh[illegible] spending [illegible] Mrs. Helen [illegible]

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[illegible]

FOR SALE — [illegible]

"NERVOUSNESS IS GONE," HE SAYS

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"[illegible] years Thomas has been [illegible] Joseph D. Kindig, of the [illegible] Pa.

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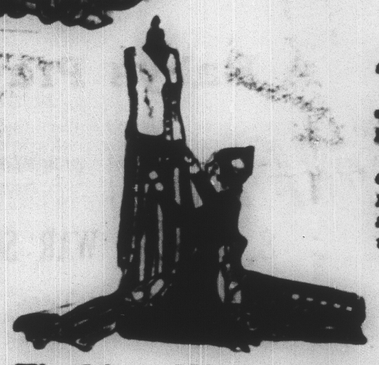

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