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**GREETINGS FROM ITALY.**

The Christmas mail from Italy is in process of being written. Perhaps you've received yours already, or maybe it's on its way. Anyhow, here's the background to that airgraph showing its passage from pen to plane. First stage in its journey home is the Field Post Office working just behind the front.

Perhaps yours is amongst this lot. Airgraph Christmas Cards ready for franking and sorting. Army mail men see many original artistic ideas as they flip through the days collection.

A.P.O. letter sorters pigeon-hole the mail in the three-ton mobile Post Office back of the lines.

Well filled mail bags are collected for transport to the Base POST Office. One look at the pile of bags and you begin to realize the amount of work entailed.

Main entrance to the airport. Big aerial freighters carry the tons of letters to be micro-photographed. Instead of these stacks of mail being flown to Britain, the whole lot is condensed on to film which can be carried in one fast flying plane. That's service, by Christmas!