

107 Brown Street
Waxahachie, Texas
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Mr. Amon G. Carter
Fort Worth Star-Telegram
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

I appreciated your letter of July 20 very much. I received a letter the day before I got yours stating that Edward had been moved to Oflag 64. I am glad that they were moved to the same camp. I was afraid they had all been separated. You were luckier than I was though. I had just mailed Edward a box about six days before I received word that they had been moved. I wish I had known so the label would have been correctly addressed. I put in this last box a sweater I knitted for him and a pair of glasses which he had asked for. I also sent some vitamin tablets and hard candy, as it was on the list this time. I suppose the packages will be forwarded, but probably will be delayed.

I haven't heard from Edward since a letter which he wrote May 10. I got it four weeks ago, so I have been hoping I would hear again. The last time I heard from Mrs. Beasley of Ennis she had just received a letter Benton wrote May 11. I guess one reason we haven't had any mail is because they were moved.

I know your visit to the prison camp in Mexia was interesting. I'm sorry you didn't have time to stop. I would have enjoyed talking to you. The next time I am in Fort Worth I will come by your office and see if you are there.

I certainly do appreciate your sending me information about the boys and their camp. When I hear from Edward again, I will let you know. This has been the longest skip between letters since he has been in Germany.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. Edward Batte

