

February 7, 1945.

Mr. Joseph F. Mann,
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Dear Mr. Mann:

In reply to your letter of February 5th, please permit me to advise that Senator Connally through the State Department received confirmation from Switzerland that the American officers who were interned as prisoners of war in Oflag 64, formerly located at Schubin, Poland, about 100 miles south of Danzig, were moved to Stalag No. 3-A at Luckenwalde in the province of Brandenburg, Germany, about 30 to 35 miles south of Berlin.

I also received a telephone call from Washington late Saturday night advising that a lady in Buffalo, N.Y., had received, Friday, a letter dated January 18th, from her son who is in Oflag 64 in which he mentioned having been moved to Stalag No. 3-A and said he was all right. It is incredible that a letter came through in fifteen days, still it is possible.

About ten days ago, Lt. Col. Hoskot talked with the writer and advised that he had left Oflag 64 on January 5th with three other hospital patients who were repatriated. The information at that time was that the camp would be moved sometime between the 10th and 12th of January, to Stalag Luft III at Sagan Germany. Meanwhile, this was not the case and they were moved to Stalag No. 3-A. Mail and next-of-kin packages should be addressed as previously since the camp will maintain its identity as Oflag 64.

It shall be a pleasure to pass along to you any information I may receive concerning these boys in Oflag 64.

Sincerely,

AGC:KD