Headquarters Prisoner of War Camp Camp Maxey, Texas

3 April 1945

Mr. Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Thanks very much for your nice letter of 27 March 45, relative to the status of our boys in Oflag 64. I had already decided that my son was not among those liberated by the Russians, and your letter further confirmed this belief.

Since receiving your letter, I have had a card from my son dated March 7th, which reads in part as follows: "Just a few lines to let you know I'm O K and well. My camp was moved Jan. 21. Have marched 556 kilometers or about 347 miles. Am now in Parchim. My probable destination is Hammelburg in Wierkreis XIII. Will write when I can." You have probably received the same information by this time, but in case you have not, I knew you would be interested.

We have a German POW in our office who acts as janitor, and who is able to speak some English. I showed him the card and he says that "Parchim" is about 40 miles south of Stettin, which indicates that the boys are still in northern Germany.

Trusting that we shall soon have definite news of their liberation, and that the end is very near over there, I am

Very sincerely,

Mis. Madye C. Rodgers

