

April 30, 1943,
717 Poplar Street,
Abilene, Texas.

Amon G. Carter,
Fort Worth Star-Telegram,
Fort Worth, Texas.

Dear Mr. Carter:

It was very kind of you to write me concerning the ~~recent~~
recent news of my son's capture.

If one could say there is any good thing about war, I should think it would be the closer relationship that exists between all beings fighting for the same cause. We each view the other with more sympathy and understanding because we share the same heartaches. Thousands of others have the same thing in common with you and me. In far too many cases, their news has not been as happy as ours. The loss of life in this war is appalling. We Americans, not being as callous as the enemy, still flinch when our radios inform us of how many ships were lost in a certain mission, instead of how many lives were lost. Ofcourse, I am only a mother and can only see the suffering and heartaches.

My sincerest wish is for the well being of your son. May God grant that he returns to you none the worse for the experiences war inflicts upon our loved ones. May we all have the courage to face life anew after our precious peace has been won.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Jennie Slone

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