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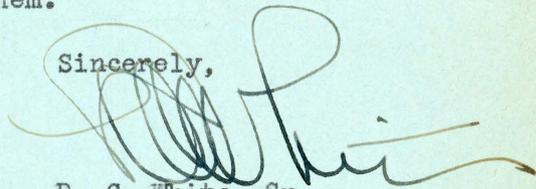
Mr. Amon G. Carter,
Fort Worth Star-Telegram,
Ft. Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

I'm enclosing copy of a letter I received from my son today. They seem to be doing okeh, but I know it must be very boresome to them. I keep hoping the war in Europe will be over, but it seems it may go on for quite a while yet.

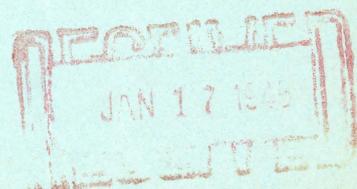
I shall endeavor to write to R. C. even more often than I have, as I can tell their mail means an awful lot to them.

Sincerely,


R. C. White, Sr.

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October 21 -

Dear Folks:

Please write every day. You have been misinformed about writing - you can write as much as you desire, according to a notice we got from the War Department. Furthermore, don't believe everything the Red Cross tells you. We don't have much use for them. We've gotten some of the most ridiculous stuff from home about how wonderful these Prisoner of War camps are.

The mother cat here just had another litter of six - her fifth since Americans took the place over. As yet they haven't opened their eyes.

Congratulate Ed for me on his Captaincy.

Gotten plenty cold last few days.

Again about writing - regardless who tells you not to write so often, do so anyway. The more you write, the more I'll get. Glad that John Bennett is OK; also that you saw Landon and Richard. The worst thing about being a Prisoner of War is listening to everyone's story of how they got captured. I've heard some of them a dozen times, and the longer they go, the more the stories grow.

Over 2300 private parcels have come in in the last few days. Of course, I won't have any. They'll come in handy for from where I'm sitting, it looks like a long, hard winter.

Write.

Love,

R. C.