

March 23, 1943.

Mr. Tracy Strong,  
General Secretary,  
War Prisoners' Aid of the YMCA  
347 Madison Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Strong:

Mr. Carter appreciated your letter of March 18th very much in which you offer to ask one of your secretaries to contact his son, Lt. Amon G. Carter, Jr., if and when it is established that he is a prisoner of war and in what country.

So far, all the information we have is that he was reported missing in action in the North Africa area on February 14th. An Associated Press story from the Tunisian Fronts gave the information that he was on a forward observation post in the Lessouda Hills facing Faid Pass and it was presumed that he was taken a captive by the Germans. This has not been confirmed by the War Department.

Amon G. Carter, Jr., Serial Number O-402537 was in the 91st Armored Field Artillery, Battery B of the First Armored Division and if you get any reports on other boys taken in this vicinity and out of this Division maybe some of them could enlighten us on what happened to Amon Jr.

Thanking you for your interest and assuring you that Mr. Carter will communicate with you as soon as he has sufficient information for you to work with, I am

Yours very truly,

Secretary to A. G. Carter.