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KINGS COUNTY BOYS WHO WERE COMPANIONS IN GERMAN PRISON CAMP.

Herald—Two Kings County boys who enlisted in Montreal, saw service with the Princess Patricia's and were taken prisoners by the Germans, are Cyril March, of Berwick, and Bedford Donald Chase, of Port Williams. March, who has been interned in Switzerland, writes to Chase's relatives a very interesting inside story of life for a Canadian prisoner in Germany. The letter, in part, follows:—

"Donald wanted me to write you a letter in which I could give you an idea of his life as a prisoner of war, better than you would be able to glimpse from his censored letters. To begin with, he was slant in camp in November, he was in excellent condition, but unfortunately was sent away from his as-

sociates to work in a sugar factory. The work there was not the most agreeable by any means, their particular task was "stoking up the furnaces." Last year, shortly after his arrival in camp, Donald managed to get on the camp electrical staff. The work there would possibly average half an hour a day with hours to suit. However, last spring, he felt that he should make an attempt to escape, so he gave up his camp billet and attempted to get on country electrical work. Another electrician and Britisher, with whom he intended going to the country, had already attempted to escape, so was under suspicion. The result was that no work could be found for them, and in the summer, Donald was sent to a farm. Not far away was another Canadian from Vancouver, Craig by name. They made plans, and after a-

bout a month the two of them, with a Russian, well loaded with bully beef and biscuits, pulled stakes (Donald leaving at noon and hiding in a wood until the others came) en route for Holland. Although the distance is something over 400 KM., (250 miles), they were not daunted. Their plan was to walk by night and hide by day. Unfortunately they had the Elbe to cross, and as two of them could not swim and they could find neither boat nor raft, they were unable to effect a crossing. The bridges are so well guarded and passports being required, it would have been folly for them to have attempted to cross there, so it was necessary to follow the Elbe.

"One night, the third, I believe, shortly after they had left their hiding place, a little dog betrayed them. A civilian poked his head and shoulder out of a window in a house on the corner they were turning, and levelling his double-barrelled shotgun at them, there was nothing to do but to obey his command to halt. They were taken across the river in a boat, placed in a nearby camp and a couple of days later sent back to Stendal. The weather during the trip was by far the worst of the season, thunderstorm after storm, so that they were practically drenched all the time they were out. As a result of their court martial, they received three days' clink, not so very bad, as Don had his heavy sheepskin coat to sleep on, and we managed to get grub into him. The life on "commando", out working around the country for a boy of his temperament is most damnable. When he was in camp there were as his associates, a young Australian (Tom Kirkitt), pos-

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sibly already in England; Hare, a medical student, and one Red Cross man, some French fellows and myself.

"There should be some way to get Don out of it. First, among the group who were interred this time were those who had known nothing about the prospects, and who had never been in any hospital, and who had apparently been asked for by someone. Students find great favor with the Swiss commission and are in a class provided for specially. To ask for Donald, ask to have him examined as to "nerves", for he is excited and had both his nerves and his shearing affected by concussion on June 2nd. This and the fact that he is student should put him thru. Second, the Germans have a class themselves and recognize the Russians and French, a class of men who have educational qualifications to be officers, and who are volunteers, i. e., "aspirants". Among the Russians during the last year, I have known personally a number of cases where commissions came thru for these men and after they had been prisoners for nearly three years.

"In our camp there was one Britisher of a London regiment who received after over a year, a commission. These cases are sent to officers' camps and there, of course, live altogether a different life, for the worst of a prisoner life, apart from the damnable barbed wire, is the monotony of a "commando" life, the unsettled condition, the lack of time to study or read if one is so inclined, and the great mobs of starved Russians and Italians.

"If Donald were gazetted in

a military regiment, say the Kings Hussars, and due notice given, it would be a life saver for him. At the same time to set things in motion with a view to having him interned in Switzerland, would be well. Last winter we got along fairly well in Stendal; having no coal and finding it very hard to get wood, Donald and I (largely Donald) invented an electric stove. We managed to get enough wire for a couple of marks to make about fifty, and as one would last about a week we did not lack for heat to carry on cooking, heating water or even warming up to a small extent our particular part of our quarters. We were enabled to do this by the fact that there was only one meter for the whole camp—eight companies—so was our life last winter. Now, with the Australian in England, Bob Hare on Red Cross exchange, and myself in Switzerland, Donald will be pretty lonely."

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Such report must be in writing and must give his name in full, the date of his birth and his place of residence and also his usual post office address.

The report must be addressed to the Registrar or Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act of the Registration District in which he resides (see below) and shall be sent by registered post, for which no Canada postage is required.

Young men so reporting will not be placed on active service till further notice. They must, however, notify the appropriate Registrar or Deputy Registrar of any change of residence or address.

On receipt of the report an identification card will be forwarded by the Registrar which will protect the bearer from arrest.

Punctual compliance with these requirements is of great importance to those affected. Failure to report within the time limited will expose the delinquent to severe penalties and will in addition render him liable to immediate apprehension for Military Service.

ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH, this 15th day of May, 1918.

NOTE: The men required to report should address their reports as follows:

ONTARIO—To the Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, London, if they reside in the County of Essex, Kent, Lambton, Elgin, Middlesex, Oxford, Waterloo, Wellington, Perth, Huron, or Bruce.

To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Toronto, if they reside in the County of Lincoln, Welland, Haldimand, Norfolk, Brant, Wentworth, Halton, Peel, York, Ontario, Grey, Dufferin, Simcoe, or in the Districts of Muskoka, Parry Sound, Algoma and Nipissing north of the Mattawa and French rivers (including the Townships of Ferris and Bonfield).

To the Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Kingston, if they reside in the County of Durham, Northumberland, Victoria, Peterborough, Hastings, Prince Edward, Lennox, Addington, Frontenac, Haliburton, Carleton, Dundas, Glengarry, Renfrew, Russell, Stormont, Grenville, Lanark, Leeds, Prescott, or the District of Nipissing south of Mattawa river (exclusive of the Townships of Ferris and Bonfield).

To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Winnipeg, if they reside in the Districts of Kenora, Rainy River, or Thunder Bay.

QUEBEC—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Montreal, if they reside in the County of Jacques Cartier, Hochelaga, Laval, Veaudouville, Soulanges, Napierville, Beauharnois, Chateaugay, Huntingdon, Laprairie, Argenteuil, Terrebonne, Two Mountains, Montcalm, L'Assomption, Joliette, Berthier, Maskinongie, St. Maurice, Three Rivers, St. John, Iberville, Missisquoi, Brome, Stefford, Rouville, Chambly, Verchères, St. Hyacinthe, Bagot, Drummond, Richelieu, Yamaska, Nicolet, Arthabaska, Sherbrooke, and Stanstead.

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To the Deputy Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Hull, if they reside in the County of Timiskaming, Pontiac, Ottawa and Labelle.

NOVA SCOTIA—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Halifax, if they reside in the Province of Nova Scotia.

NEW BRUNSWICK—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, St. John, if they reside in the Province of New Brunswick.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Charlottetown, if they reside in the Province of Prince Edward Island.

BRITISH COLUMBIA—To the Registrar under the Military Service Act, 1917, Vancouver, if they reside in the Province of British Columbia.

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