

WAR PRISONER MUST STAY IN FORT HENRY

The United States Government Will Not Consider Appeal of Ripton.

The prisoner named Ripton, who has been trying to seek his liberty from Fort Henry, will have to remain there.

Ripton enlisted, and was at Barrielfield Camp, but he was locked up as a Germany spy, as it was charged that he had attempted to tap the telegraph wires.

Claiming that he was a citizen of the United States, he appealed through United States Consul F. S. S. Johnson, for his release. Mr. Johnson took up his case, but word was received stating that the case of Ripton could not be taken up, as he had joined the forces of a foreign country.