

A PRISONER OF WAR

At Fort Henry Writes For Tobacco Money.

A Groton, Dakota, newspaper has the following:

Groton has contributed her victim to the European war. Felix Orb, a young German who worked in this vicinity, is a prisoner of war in Fort Henry near Kingston, Ontario.

Felix left Groton about a month ago, bound for New York. Just how he fell a victim to the enemy is a matter of speculation. How many husky Canucks he killed before submitting to capture is not stated, but it is supposed that he opposed the enemy in the traditional close formation of the German enemy. The only thing certain is that Felix is a prisoner of war in Fort Henry, along with several hundreds of other Germans, and that he is short of tobacco money. These things he tells himself.

And this is written that the good people of Groton may not be inveigled into spending all of their money with the Red Cross or the religion relief committee. Let all of those who smoke unite with those who do not in answer to his appeal. Does not charity begin at home? Picture him as he sits in prison, cheerless, beerless, friendless and smokeless.

A relief fund has been started and is in charge of Dr. Sutherland. All contributions over five cents thankfully received.