TOM:

2/28/18

GOT FR. BOLDUC'S SERVICE RECORDS OF WHICH I DIDN'T THINK I WOULD EVER GET BECAUSE OF THE FIRE THEY MENTIONED OF MANY RECORDS.

I WAS SURPRISED TO READ THE DISCIPLINARY ACTION AT THE END OF THE RECORDS. I DON'T KNOW WHY THE LAST PAGE WAS CUT OFF, BUT THAT IS HOW IT WAS WHEN I TOT IT.

EVERY NOW AND THEN HE DID SOMETHING FOOLISH LIKE THIS AND I ONCE ASKED HIM WHY AND HIS ANSWER WAS TO PROOVE THE COURT ACTIONS WERE NOT ALWAYS FAIR. IN THAT HE EXPLAINED PEOPLE MURDER AND GET LIFE WITH NO PAROLE, AND A FEW YEARS GO BY AND THEY ARE PAROLED AND OUT AGAIN. DOING SMALL THINGS LIKE HE DID IN GERMANY HAVE A BIGGER PENALTY THAN A MURDER. I HAD TO AGREE, HOWEVER, LET SOMEONE ELSE PROVE THAT TO BE TRUE, AND HIS ANSWER WAS THAT HE LIVED IT AND IT WAS NOT HEAR SAY. LATER IN LIFE HE POINTED OUT O. J. SIMPSON AS AN EXAMPLE. WELL, I WAS SURPRISED AND DID NOT KNOW OF THIS INSIDENT.

ARMAND HAS LOST 10 POUNDS IN A WEEK, AND DOES NOT EAT MUCH IF ANY AT ALL. HE SPEAKS WELL. HIS ANKLES ARE SWOLLEN AND HE PEE'S AT LEAST ONCE EVERY HOUR, AND HAS HARDLY ANY INTAKE. I GUESS THAT IS WHERE HE IS LOOSING THE WEIGHT. NOW HE IS TELLING US THAT HIS BACK IS VERY SORE AND HE CAN'T SIT FOR ANY LENGTH OF TIME. WHAT NEXT?

WE ONLY TAPPED SOME OF THE TREES TO ASSURE WE MAKE SYRUP ON THE BOLDUC FARM AND WE DID AND THAT MAKES 240 CONSECUTIVE YEARS.

I AM STILL TRYING TO RID OUR PROBLEMS OF THE BUFFALO, AND CAN'T WAIT FOR THAT TO HAPPEN.

I AM CANNING HONEY FROM LAST FALL. DID SOME 600 PINT JARS YESTERDAY.

WE KEEP HAVING SNOW STORM OFTEN AND YET IT MELTS THE NEXT DAY, SO THE GROUND IS ALMOST BEAR.

Hod Bless

P.S. Don't need (ct) this back,