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Postcard from Thomas Baker Brown to his father dated 8th April 1918 from a Prisoner of War (P.O.W) camp in Dülmen, Germany. He writes that he is 'getting on champion' and is allowed to send '2 letters monthly'.

"My Dear Father

Here we are again but in a somewhat different spot. Am getting on champion and hope you received my previous card. We are allowed two letters monthly so will write as soon a possible. Hope all are well. Love to mother and Hazel.

Your loving son Tommy

You can write"

Key words:

<u>POW</u> – Short for 'Prisoner of War' – person who is taken prisoner by the enemy during wartime.

Question:

Look carefully at the letter. What is the name of the town in Germany where Thomas has been taken to as a prisoner of war?

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