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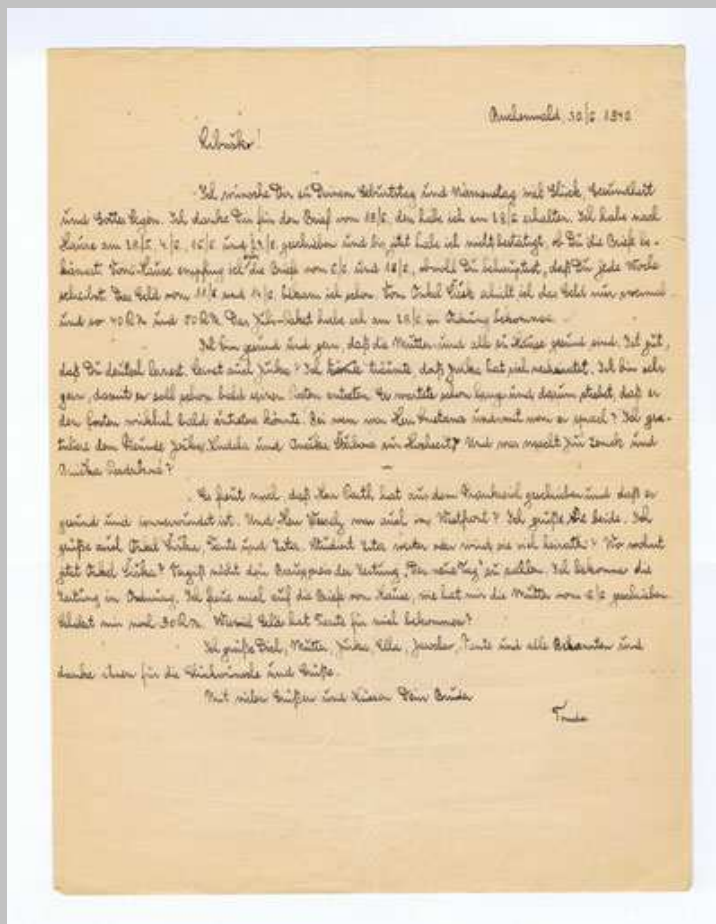
## LIFE

- Antonín Hrubý grew up in the family of carpenter with three other siblings.
- He graduated from a grammar school in Uherský Brod in 1924.
- He was a leader and a trainer of sports organization called Eagle in our town.



## WORK

- In 1930 he started to work at the Municipal Office in Uherský Brod.
- He helped to form the resistance group which became a part of Defense of the Nation-the main anti- Nazis organization in our country.
- On September 1, 1939 he was arrested with other 9 friends.



# STAY IN PRISON

- Later he was prisoned in Brno in Špilberk castle and then taken to Dachau.
- He spent the year 1940 in Buchenwald concentration camp.
- From here he sent the first letter on October 22, 1939.
- Before the end of the year 1940 he was taken to Mauthausen.

# HIS DEATH

- He died in a period of intensive Nazi terror March 21, 1942.
- Half a year later, his mother, Matylda Hrubá, received a letter from his Mathausen camp commander, sent on November 25, 1942, saying: "We tell you that your son died on March 21, 1942."
- She survived her son for only two and a half year.
- Matylda Hrubá died in depressions over the loss of her son on April 2, 1945.





# MEMORIAL

In his honour there was a new memorial uncovered on September 8, 1946 in our town. These words are written on it :

*“By your sacrifice you have redeemed our freedom so that we could live“*