

CHRISTMAS GIFTS TO CAPTIVE BOYS

Red Cross Will Send Them to Philadelphians in Germany

MONEY MAY BE GIVEN

Sixty-nine to Whom Fates of War Were Unkind Will Be Remembered

Unless the Kaiser capitulates in the immediate future—and such action is not expected by our war chiefs in Washington—sixty-nine youthful Philadelphians will eat their Christmas dinners in the drab and cheerless prison camps behind the Hindenburg lines.

The men participated in the telling drives against the German hordes, but the fates of war robbed them of the fruits of victory.

Most of the boys were way up front in those zealous attacks on the foe and, beset by ten and twenty times their number, were taken prisoner.

Into the prison camps they have gone, and if any rays of sunshine are to filter into their hearts during the Yuletide season it is up to the home folks to send them.

Mindful that these gallant fighting men will look longingly toward America on Christmas morning, the Red Cross has perfected plans that will lighten their hearts on that day and dispel some of the gloom from their sorrowful lives.

Gifts to be Forwarded

Gifts and money are to be forwarded to them and the volume depends upon the interest and sympathy displayed by those who are to enjoy their Christmas dinners in the security of their homes on this side of the ocean.

The Red Cross has not been neglectful of the prisoners, but an especial effort will be made to dispatch gifts in order that they may reach the prison camps before Christmas.

Owing to the lack of shipping facilities, the Red Cross is unable to accept more than one package a month for each prisoner, so package gifts should be given only by immediate relatives.

Friends of the Philadelphia prisoners who wish to remember them may forward money.

Also bear in mind that money must be forwarded to the Bureau of Prisoners' Relief, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C. Give the full name of your prisoner friend or relative and designate the camp in which he is confined. And forward your donations now in order to insure their early delivery.

For the benefit of relatives who are planning to forward parcels, the following instructions are printed:

Only the following articles may be included in packages sent to American prisoners of war:

Belts (not made of leather), brushes,

(hair, hand, tooth, shaving and shoe), buttons (candy (hard), cigars, cigarettes, pipe, crackers, biscuits, gloves (not made of leather), handkerchiefs, knives (pocket), needles and thread, penicils, pens, penholders, pins, pipes, safety razors and blades, shaving soap, powder or cream, scarfs, shirts, shoe laces (not made of leather) smoking or chewing tobacco, soap (toilet), socks, underwear, sweaters, tooth powder, paste or liquid mouth wash), towels, personal photographs, periodicals published prior to beginning of the war. New books may be sent direct from the publishers, provided they do not pertain to the war, or contain any information that may be useful to the enemy. Under no condition must the package, including wrapper, weigh more than eleven pounds.

Only one package per month may be sent to any one prisoner. Wherever possible wooden boxes which can be easily opened should be used, otherwise parcels should be wrapped in re-entrant paper. Use same form of address as given on letters sent in addition to the name and address of the sender, should be written the relationship of the sender to prisoner, as "mother," "sister," etc. Parcels do not require receipt from the recipient.

Parcels correctly addressed in accordance with the above directions should not be sent through the Red Cross but directly to the following:

Letters must also be sent direct to the prisoners, and to insure their delivery the Red Cross has issued the following rules:

Write in ink on not more than two pages, using only one side of the paper, and inclose them in a plain envelope, leaving the envelope unsealed.

Make no reference to the war or any governmental matters.

On the front of the envelope write plainly the following:

First line—Name of prisoner, and if military or naval prisoner, give his rank and unit. Do not fail to give rank and unit, if known. It is most important.

Second line—American Prisoner of War.

Third line—Kriegsgefangenenlager (German translation for "Prisoner of War Camp").

Fourth line—Name of prison camp and the province in which it is situated.

Fifth line—Germany (or Austria).

In the upper right hand corner of the envelope write the following words: "Prisoner of war mail, no postage, via New York."

On the back of the envelope write the full name and address of sender.

Prisoner of War Mail. No Postage. Via New York. (Private) John Smith (1st Infantry) American Prisoner of War. Kriegsgefangenenlager. (Name of Camp) (Name of Province) Germany (or Austria). From—Mrs. John Smith, Lakeville, Penna.

Place your letter thus addressed, without stamp and UNSEALED, in the postbox.

List of Prisoners

A list of the Philadelphia prisoners confined in German prison camps is printed below, but owing to the lack of information it is impossible to give the whereabouts of all the men. The Red Cross is making every endeavor to obtain such information and appeals for information of that character must be made direct to the Red Cross.

Under no circumstances will money or parcels be accepted by any agency other than the Red Cross and instructions given by that organization must be followed. The list of Philadelphia prisoners follows:

PRIVATE H. E. ACHOFF, 186 West Twenty-second street.

PRIVATE RALPH ACOSTA, 1727 North Second street.

PRIVATE A. S. DESTEFANO, 4304 West Thirtieth street.

PRIVATE ANGELO GALESSO, 824 South Eighth street.

PRIVATE JOHN D. DOMINICK, 6011 North Fifth street.

PRIVATE W. R. DREYER, 2107 Pottersburg street.

PRIVATE ARTHUR FREDERICKS, 6207 North Second street.

PRIVATE EDWARD S. FASWICK, 6019 North Second street.

PRIVATE SAMUEL GLOSSNOLL, 48 South Second street.

PRIVATE LOUIS GOLDMAN, 3012 North Second street.

PRIVATE LOUIS J. GORBELLY, Jr., 294 North Second street.

PRIVATE JAMES H. GREELY, Jr., 294 North Second street.

PRIVATE H. E. GREY, 29 East Mount Pleasant street.

PRIVATE ANTONIO HELENIAK, 3238 West Street.

PRIVATE J. J. HENRY, 3018 North Eleventh street.

PRIVATE J. H. HOFFMAN, 1243 North Eleventh street.

PRIVATE R. H. HOFFMAN, 310 Market street.

PRIVATE E. T. KAUFMAN, 2536 Market street.

PRIVATE A. KAZZEWSKI, 2394 Market street.

SERGEANT C. H. KEELER, 3541 West Second street.

PRIVATE J. F. KEENAN, 1822 Milford street.

PRIVATE R. H. KEEL, 3629 Hamilton street.

PRIVATE JAMES J. KENNEDY, 101 West Second street.

FIRST LIEUTENANT THOS. B. KERN, 2014 North Second street.

PRIVATE WALTER H. KERNEY, 3211 Walnut street.

PRIVATE WILLIAM ALDRIDGE, 1017 Lafayette street.

PRIVATE T. R. ALLEN, 629 Wyalusing avenue.

PRIVATE EDWIN GOODHEART ANDERSON, 2338 North Potter street.

PRIVATE GIUSEPPE ARDIZZI, 1821 Combs street.

PRIVATE M. AXEL, 2337 Philip street.

PRIVATE JOHN W. BELLA, Parolin.

LIEUT. ROBERT J. BENNER, 1219 Hazard street.

PRIVATE MAX BIRLAND, 1227 North Sixth street.

PRIVATE CHARLES A. BUNTING, 649 North Third street.

PRIVATE WILLIAM CALLAHAN, 2811 North Second street.

PRIVATE JAMES COLFEY, 2809 Federal street.

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PRIVATE MICHAEL W. LACY, 4214 Pottersburg street.

PRIVATE SABINETTO LIZZI, 915 Pottersburg street.

PRIVATE JAMES J. MCCAFFERY, 2144 North Second street.

PRIVATE ANTONIO MELNICK, 2361 Market street.

PRIVATE J. J. MEREDITH, 1369 Swain street.

PRIVATE JOHN D. MEYER, 2017 S. Eleventh street.

PRIVATE A. M. MILDBERG, 2430 North Second street.

PRIVATE E. C. MILLMAN, 101 North Second street.

PRIVATE EDWARD MOGAL, 819 Reed street.

PRIVATE BERNARD MORRIS, 41 North Second street.

PRIVATE BERTRAM O'CONNELL, 3087 Pottersburg street.

532 U. S. CASUALTIES LISTED BY PERSHING

58 Nearby Men Are Included in Two Rolls Announced by War Department Today—113 American Soldiers Meet Death in Action in France

Washington, Oct. 5. Army casualties issued last night and today total 532 names, including 113 killed in action. Fifty-eight of those listed are from Pennsylvania and nearby States.

Today's list is divided as follows: Killed in action, 37; missing in action, 22; accounted severely, 116; died from wounds, 12; died from accident and other causes, 7; died of disease, 6.

Last night's list has the following classification: Killed in action, 56; missing in action, 22; accounted severely, 157; died from wounds, 18; died of disease, 5; died from airplane accident, 1.

The summary of the army casualties to date follows:

Lost at sea 291
Killed in action 7524
Missing in action 21,509
Died of accident and other causes 919
Died of disease 2,108

Total deaths 12,259
Wounded 125,000
Missing, including prisoners 6248

Grand total 140,007

The summary of the marine corps casualties follows:

Officers—
Deaths 46
Wounded 67
Missing 108

Enlisted men—
Deaths 1012
Wounded 20,411
In hands of enemy 2,218
Missing 158

Total 22,789
Grand total 162,796

The total United States casualties in the army and marine corps to date, 1918, today's lists follow:

OFFICERS' LIST
KILLED IN ACTION
Lieutenants

HARRIETT WILLIAMS CLARK, Newport, R. I.

BURCH HAZARD, Jr., Junction City, Kan.

CARL CHARLES H. BUFFALO, N. Y.

EDWARD W. W. ASHLEY, Wic.

NABE WALKER JESSE, 205 West Main street, Millville, N. J.

Colonel
CAVENDISH, JOSEPH W., Ohio, Pa.

WOUNDED SEVERELY
Lieutenant Colonel
ZISK, PHILIP JACOB, Beaver Dam, Wis.

Private
FREDERICK WILHELM N. BROOKLYN
HAYS, EUGENE, Canton, Ill.

LAMPH, FRANK L., 2363 Catharine street, Philadelphia.

Private
ATTHELAND, PAUL, Wyoming, O.

Private
WINS, HARRY B., Iron, N. C.

Private
BISCH, HENRY, Brickville, O.

Private
BANKS, THOMAS COOPER, New Bern, N. C.

Private
SCHMIDT, WILLIAM, Kansas City, Mo.

Private
WILHELM, KARI, Edward, Md.

Private
FRANK A. THORELLA, 3258 Pottersburg street.

Private
MICHAEL VIOLA, 6017 Poplar street.

Private
EDWARD VOELMEL, 449 North Second street.

Private
G. WADLE, 2439 Keying street.

Lieutenant
FREDERIC WESTING, 1215 North Second street.

Private
HARRY WILSON, 223 North Second street.

Private
WILLIAM J. WRIGHT, Chestnut street.

Private
A. W. ZIMMERMAN, 2510 North Second street.

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U. S. FLIERS GET FIVE PLANES

Eight Americans Engage More Than 25 Enemy Fighters

With the American Army Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 5.—Eight American pursuit planes encountered more than twenty-five enemy machines beyond the lines while on a balloon-shooting expedition.

The Americans had accomplished their mission when they ran into the big squadron of German airplanes. A fight followed, which lasted more than fifteen minutes, but when it was concluded five of the enemy planes were downed and all but one of the American squadron was on its way home safe.

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