

A. P. SMALLEY, JR., DIES IN ACTION

Former Central High Athlete Slain While Leading Squad

WAS TEACHER OF ART

Meets Heroic End Only Six Days Before Armistice Is Signed

Corporal Alfred P. Smalley, Jr., former Central High School athlete and captain of the crimson and gold track team, has been killed in action. He met death gallantly, leading his squad into battle on November 2, only six days before the armistice was signed.

Corporal Smalley was well known in the city's athletic circles. He was a teacher at the School of Industrial Art, Park avenue and Master Street, and he married Miss Janet Skantz, the noted illustrator, whose sketches have frequently appeared in the Evening Public Ledger. Mrs. Smalley and her six-month-old daughter are living at Edinboro Terrace, near the Wheel Pump, Chestnut Hill.

A younger brother of Corporal Smalley, Cadet Everett Smalley, also a former Central High School track team captain, is now at the artillery officer's training camp, Fort Taylor, Ky. Captain Smalley was a member of the machine gun battalion of the 214th Infantry, and had been in France since last July.

Lieutenant Joseph D. Mollen, reported missing on September 19, has evidently rejoined his unit safely as his parents have received several letters from him since then. The last home letter was dated November 6. Lieutenant Mollen was with the Eleventh Aerial Corps and had been in service for almost a year. He was one of the first American aviators to arrive in Pennsylvania and while there was a member of the Delta Phi fraternity and prominent in the Masket and Wig.

The official notification was received by the young officer's father at his place of business, 25 South Sixth street.

There are 1731 names on the combined casualty lists for today, including 119 Pennsylvanians. The total from Philadelphia and vicinity is fifty-three, eighteen of whom have been killed in action, nine having died of disease and seven of wounds. Thirteen have been wounded and ten are missing.

Lieutenant Harold D. Ashmun, of the Medical Corps, a son of former select councilman Charles D. Ashmun, of 1947 North Thirteenth street, has been gassed and is also suffering from trench mouth from the young officer's father.

Lieutenant Frederick S. Lashley, of Ardmore, wounded on October 14 at a now convalescing in a base hospital, wrote his wife that he "had a bunch" this time had come when the attack started on the day he was injured. A piece of shrapnel shell, as large as a tomato, struck him in the left leg, giving him a compound fracture. He is a veteran of the Spanish War and was formerly employed at Mizaca, Pa.

Wounded three times while carrying an important message from the front line of his regimental commander, Private Jack Campbell, of the last year's hundred yards, but accomplished his mission. For this act of gallantry he has been decorated with the war cross. He is a member of Supply Company, No. 811 of the Quartermaster's Corps.

Private Stanley A. Batts, killed in action on October 6, coined a new slang phrase in his last letter home, written on September 26.

"Hab-nailed Tin Lizzies" "Alloy Shanks' Mare"

But towards the end of the letter he explained that he meant "just plain shanks' mare." Private Batts, in referring to take a number of German prisoners to the rear and said the Priziers seemed much tickled at being captured. The young soldier happened to be in New York when the first registration day rolled around and so registered there. He was called to the colors last winter, trained first at Camp Upton and later volunteered for a short tour of duty and was given additional training at Camp Davenport, near Boston, in the use of the special Browning machine gun. When finally sent abroad he was attached to Company I of the Twenty-sixth Infan-

Honor Roll for the City and Its Vicinity Today

KILLED IN ACTION
LIEUTENANT STUART L. MARLOWE, 1208 Park (Previously reported missing)
CLARENCE S. PANCOAST, 1308 North (Previously reported missing)
SERGEANT LEO BRACKEK, 218 81st
CORPORAL ALFRED P. SMALLEY, JR., 214 North 4th
CORPORAL EDWARD ELSCH, 2317 21st
CORPORAL DAVID SAUERBLATT, 214 De Lancey

Privates
HARRY CROSSLEY, 2529 41st
ROBERT RITCHIE, 3223 North Marvins
REUBEN H. DUFFEL, 3058 Ruth
ELWOOD D. GALL, 2144 Aramingo
WALTER F. PHILLIPS, 214 North 4th
JOHN A. CANNON, 1011 North Forty-third
JOHN J. HILL, 2144 Aramingo
STANLEY L. DAVIS, 2119 Sanson
BENJAMIN H. SPITZER, 2012 Ridge
HARRY H. HEIKE, 1475 North Hill
JAMES H. KING, 1532 35th
WALTER S. RILEY, 1532 35th

DIED OF DISEASE
SERGEANT JOHN J. FISHER, 2247
CORPORAL THOMAS MCGONAGHY, 2318
CORPORAL EDWARD G. GLASER, 2240
WAGONER JOHN J. HINN, 1815 Mc-

Privates
GEORGE H. HELLER, 3041 Richmond
JAMES F. HIGGINS, 2348 Sanson
HARRY R. LEIBY, 21 West 13th

DIED OF WOUNDS
CORPORAL EARL HORSER, 112 19th

Privates
JOSEPH E. DALTON, 2733 Durbin

WOUNDED
LIEUTENANT HAROLD T. ANTRIM,
LIEUTENANT FRED S. LAMBERT,
SERGEANT HOWARD F. KUBER, 2145
SERGEANT W. A. IVINS, Edgewater
CORPORAL RALPH OGDEN, 3226 W.

CORPORAL THOMAS JOSEPH BAILEY,
CORPORAL WILLIAM GALLAGHER,
CORPORAL FRANK BRODY, 222

Privates
SAMUEL H. FELDSTERN, 2287 South
JACOB W. WILSON, 2144 Aramingo
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PHILIP GELMAN, 222

MISSING IN ACTION
LIEUTENANT JOSEPH G. MOLTEN, 25
SERGEANT HARRY M. BURNELL,
SERGEANT FRANK S. HORSER, 914
CORPORAL JOHN J. WENDE, 2621
CORPORAL JOSEPH ADAMSON, 2019

Privates
SAMUEL GOWERS, 1028 South 4th
FREDERICK RAYNER, 482 South Shep-

WALTER S. RILEY, 1532 35th
THOMAS L. LAPSAN, 749 Bingham

Privates
Private David was a graduate of the Central High School class of 1909, and lived with his widowed mother, Mrs. Mary A. Davis, at 5119 Sanson street.

Private John A. Cannon, killed in action, had only been back from a rest camp a few hours when he was sent over the top and was instantly killed. He was twenty-eight years old, was drafted last April, trained first at Camp Meade and later at Camp Greiner, where he was assigned to Company A, Sixty-first Infantry, regular army. He wrote his parents on October 19 that he was just leaving the front for two days at a rest camp. According to the War Department notice he was killed on October 12. The young soldier lived with his father, Thomas Cannon, and his three sisters at 1011 North Forty-third street.

Corporal Richard Weiss, killed in action on September 2, was a member of Company E, 214th Infantry. He was drafted in September of last year, trained at Camp Meade and sent to France in July of this year. Weiss was twenty-two years old, a coopermaker by trade and lived with his brother, William Weiss, at 4097 Old York road. The telegram announcing his death arrived a week ago today and yesterday a letter was received from the young soldier, written the last week in October, saying that he was well and happy, but very tired, as his regiment had been hard at it for six weeks. A brother, Edmund Weiss, twenty-eight years old, is attached to the quartermaster's corps and is now in France, while another brother, Elmer, thirty-one years old, is a member of the marine corps and is also in France.

Private Robert Ritchie, killed in action, was twenty-five years old and lived with an uncle, David Ritchie, at 3224 North Marvins street. He joined the colors in May of this year and went to

FELL ON THE FIELD OF HONOR



Seg. W.A. IVINS... B.H. SPITZER... Corp. ALFRED P. SMALLEY JR. H.A. HEIKE... ROBT. RITCHIE...



RALPH F. OGDEN... D. SAUERBLATT... Corp. R. AZER... JACOB WOLF... R.S. HORWITZ JR.

France in July as a member of Company H, 214th Infantry. He was employed by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. A letter from Albert Hook, a friend of Ritchie, has given the young soldier's name as being in action. Ritchie was killed in action on September 27, while the War Department telegram says he died on September 30 during the terrible battle of the Meuse.

Private Benjamin H. Spitzer, killed in action, was a member of Company D, of the Sixtieth Infantry, according to the telegram from the War Department received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Spitzer, of 2912 Ridge avenue. Private Spitzer was drafted at the age of twenty-nine and following an intensive training at Camp Meade was sent overseas last April. Prior to entering military life the young soldier was connected with his father in the furniture business. A brother, Hugo V. Spitzer, twenty-six years of age, has been stationed at the Philadelphia Navy Yard as a chief petty officer for the last six months, and another brother, Rudolph, eighteen years of age, is in the students' army training corps at the University of Pennsylvania.

Private Harry A. Heike, killed in action, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heike, of 1115 North Hollywood street. He is a member of Company B, 220th Infantry, and has been in the service since Mrs. Heike is twenty-six years old.

Thomas McGonaghy died of pneumonia October 13 in France, according to a message received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGonaghy, 2348 North Thirty-first street. He entered the service in July, and after a short training period at Camp Wadsworth, he sailed for France in September. He was a member of Company F, Fourth Pioneer Infantry. Corporal McGonaghy joined the colors in July of this year. He is survived by his parents, his widow and three children.

Corporal David Sauerblatt, killed in action November 6, met his death just a year and a day from the date he was drafted into the service. Former Policeman draft contingent. Killed in France. He was formerly a policeman at the Third and De Lancey streets station and was also at-

tached to the Roxborough district for a short time. He was a follower of Magistrate Jimmy Carey, and, falling under the displeasure of the Vre-Smith combination, was banished to the far northwestern section of the city. Sauerblatt was trained at Camp Meade and went to France in July of this year as a member of Company E, 214th Infantry. He was twenty-five years old and made his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selig Sauerblatt, at 214 De Lancey street.

Sergeant William A. Ives, wounded, was one of the first young men from Edgewater Park to volunteer his services after this country entered the world conflict. He had been a member of the National Guard of New Jersey and his term of enlistment had expired just two days before Congress issued the formal declaration of war against the German empire. Sergeant Ives promptly re-enlisted, was trained at Sea Girt and later at Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., where he was assigned to Company H, of the 114th Infantry, under Captain Stone, of Burlington.

The 114th went to France last May and got into action early in July. From then on the unit has been in the thick of the fighting. Captain Stone was promoted to major on the field of battle for his gallantry and cool courage under fire.

Sergeant Ives, who was gassed early in October, but who soon rejoined his regiment, was going over the top one day shortly after his return, when he was wounded. He is slowly recovering at a base hospital and expects to be

VENIZELOS VISIT DELAYED

Cretean Premier to Wait to Meet Wilson in Europe

New York, Nov. 28.—The projected visit of Eleutherios Venizelos, Premier of Greece, to this country has been postponed "in view of the imminent arrival of President Wilson in Europe," said a cablegram received here by the American Hellenic Liberal Association.

The message, signed by the Premier, was sent from London, where he has recently been advising with Allied statesmen regarding Balkan questions.

Private Herbert A. Fisher, Company B, Fifty-first Infantry, died of wounds October 27. He was twenty-two years old and was drafted in November, 1917. Before being drafted he was a painter and lived with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, 915 North Hutchinson street.

Private James F. Hughes, of 5363 Newhall street, died of pneumonia while on a transport en route to France. Hughes, who boarded at the Newhall street address, was one of a Philadelphia negro quota to be drafted and sent to Camp Sherman, O. He was twenty-three years old.

A brother, Russell, twenty-one years of age, is now with the Canadian Mounted Rifle detachment. He attempted to enlist in every branch of the United States Army, but was turned down, owing to some slight defect from a previous operation. Russell was a noted football player at the Central High School, having held down the quarterback job for two years. A third brother of this patriotic family, Lloyd, enlisted in the navy at the age of fifteen and is now on board ship in foreign waters.

Private Samuel Gersher, Company F, 214th Infantry, who was reported missing since September 6, has been in a hospital recovering from an attack of influenza. He is twenty-four years old and formerly worked in a jewelry store. He was drafted last May.

Private William Johnson, Company E, 268th Infantry, of 820 Panama street, twenty-eight years old, reported wounded September 17, although a letter dated October 19, and written by him to his parents, with whom he lived, makes no mention of his injury. He is twenty-eight years old and was an elevator operator.

Corporal Joseph T. Bailey, Company C, 160th Infantry, was gassed July 19, but has recovered and has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He worked as a clerk and lived with his mother at 211 South Front street. He is thirty-three years old.

Private Frederick Keyser, Company K, 110th Infantry, of 2432 South Sheridan street, has been reported missing since September 27, but letters from him lead his relatives to believe he is back on duty. Until 1916, when he enlisted, he was employed as a pipefitter. He is twenty years old.

Corporal Andrew G. Glaser, Jr., Company C, Fourth Pioneer, died of pneumonia on October 10. He was twenty-

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Over in the Hospital, a few weeks ago, lay a wounded Marine—Orley M. Dunton—one of the boys who was there. His story of what happened is in December Hearst's. He calls it "MUSSING UP THE PRUSSIAN GUARDS." IF you are satisfied with the dull, long old fashioned magazine "article," you won't want Hearst's this month or any other. But if you prefer short vital bits of history in the making—articles more interesting than any fiction—don't fail to read Private Dunton's story in the December Number of Hearst's.

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