

33 DAYS' DELAY IN DEATH TIDINGS

Lieutenant Baldwin's Family Vainly Sought Information of His Fate

3194 NEW CASUALTIES

Honor Roll for the City and Its Vicinity Today

KILLED IN ACTION

Lieutenants
HAROLD C. CURTIS, 20 East Johnson st., Germantown. (Previously reported.)
ROLAND K. REED, 1117 W. 12th st., (Formerly of this city.)
Sergeants
LOUIS OLMENSKY, 2307 North Third st., Philadelphia.
PAUL M. HENKELS, 5334 Morris st., Germantown. (Previously reported.)
BYRON H. LERCH, Chester.
Corporals
GEORGE STEPHEN KAUKER, 944 North Lehigh st., North Wales.
WALTER STEIN, North Wales.
Privates
JOHN FIFE, 2004 Reed st.,
ERNEST F. MAUSNER, 117 West Locust st.,
ANTHONY J. RISSO, 3711 Spruce st.,
JOSEPH R. STELLMAN, 1440 Media st.,
ANTHONY SAGULIS, 3270 Salmon st.,
ALFRED G. STELLMAN, 1314 E. 8th st.,
GEORGE J. DIERLE, 873 East Thompson st.,
W. M. FAYNTER, 2805 West Thompson st.,
WALTER E. LANDIS, 1720 West Tenth st., (Previously reported.)

DIED OF WOUNDS

Corporal
JOSEPH M. HEINING, 3012 Ashburn st.,
Privates
BENJAMIN FLECKNETT, 3421 N. Front st.,
JAMES T. KAERLES, JR., 1806 Camac st., (Previously reported.)
WILLIAM COTTON, 2354 Garrett st.,
VINCENT STELLMAN, 1316 Spring st.,

DIED OF DISEASE

Privates
IRAM ADAMS, 2229 Mifflin st.,
LARRY P. FITZGERALD, 5464 Marion ave.,

WOUNDED

Sergeants
THOMAS J. KILBRIDE, JR., 3018 North 4th st.,
JOHN RAPOPORT, 1209 13th st.,
ALFRED N. RIGGS, 630 North Johnson st.,
Corporals
EDWARD B. ALLEN, 2312 E. 63d st.,
FRANCIS MCCORMICK, 2909 Grandback st.,
JOSEPH VINCENT MCNEILS, 1330 Columbia ave.,
EDWARD A. MCGILL, 830 N. 27th st.,
DAVID GRILLI, 527 Spruce lane,
WARREN E. MCNEILS, 314 E. 8th st.,
JOSEPH R. HAUSEY, JR., 2920 W. Wharft st.,
JOHN DODDY, 1014 Moore st.,
GEORGE A. HARRAUGH, 2417 Wharft st.,

Privates

HARRY STERNER, 1017 N. Marshall st., (Previously reported.)
FRANK T. HAND, 5523 Ludlow st.,
THOMAS DICKSON, 1209 13th st.,
FRANK M. KENNEDY, Norristown.
EDWARD L. ARCHER, 527 Turner st.,
EDWARD J. MEYER, 3431 Foster st.,
JOHN J. LOWRY, 124 N. 5th st.,
ADAM FORSMAN, 4940 Lancaster st.,
FRED CHAPPELL, 4940 Lancaster st.,
JOHN MCCAY, 2735 Oakford st.,
FRANK F. FRIEL, 6333 Elmwood ave.,
JOHN JOSEPH MCKENNA, 419 N. 2nd st.,
EDWARD NELIS, 1340 Ryan st.,
MEYER PADOLSKY, 125 N. Millick st.,
FORTUNATO YACODDIO, 921 Montrose st.,
SYLVESTER DIEHL, 1209 13th st.,
HERBERT E. SPANDER, 2223 Ann st.,
HAROLD C. REED, 1117 W. 12th st.,
EDWARD SHARPLESS, Edgewater,
CHARLES B. RUTLER, 2331 N. 1st st.,
NATHAN BONTALL, 1904 S. 1st st.,
WALTER RICHARD FELTON, 402 S. Front st.,
JACOB M. BERNBAUM, 985 N. 7th st.,
JOHN J. BUTLER, 6017 Fairhill ave.,
JACOB E. REYNOLDS, 404 Baltimore ave.,
HUGH J. O'DONNELL, 5118 Reno st.,
LEONARD MOORE, 2142 4th st.,
WILLIAM MCARTHUR, 419 N. 40th st.,
LAWRENCE L. RICHARDS, 2812 Olney st.,
HERBERT E. BRICKETTS, 1817 N. 21st st.,
WALTER MCARTHUR, 5017 Jackson st.,
EDWARD MCALFEY, 2122 Kater st.,
CHARLES E. RICHARDS, 2812 Olney st.,
WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, 5112 Pine st.,
BENJAMIN WARD, 1712 Filawater st.,
LEO GRUBER, 1302 N. 13th st.,
JOHN FREDERICK REGNAULT, 2544 North 15th st.,
CHARLES HOWARD, 232 Shank st.,
GEORGE LEHR, 1302 North 15th st.,
JOSEPH M. FITZGERALD, 1302 North 15th st.,
ANTONIO ZERRAS, 2902 Fairmount ave.,
JOHN J. HUGHES, 1735 Park ave.,
WILIAM M. SLOANMAKER, 87 South 15th st.,
STEPHEN BATES, 1304 Warnock st.,
FRANK COLE, 1304 Warnock st.,
EDMUND C. FITZGERALD, 550 North Lawrence st.,
CHRISTOPHER FRIEL, 1604 Harmer st.,

MISSING IN ACTION

Lieutenant EVERETT B. MOSIER, 6348 Drexel road, Overbrook. (Previously reported.)
Lieutenant THEODORE ROSEN, 3212 Clifton st.,
Privates
GEORGE F. MCCOACH, Chester.
FRANK PAUL, 132 Porter st.,
LEONARD ALMONDE, 6424 Callowhill st.,
ROBERT C. BRISMAN, 5560 Race st.,
JOHN JOSEPH FOX, 1601 S. 25th st.,
ALEXANDER M. CARROLL, 2353 Emerson st.,
VINCENT DESANNO, 3420 Emerson st.,
ALEXANDER G. KELLER, 2105 N. 17th st.,
JOHN M. CUMMINGS, 3310 N. Howard st.,
LOUIS L. KAUFMAN, 43 S. 28th st.,
WILLIAM J. LAWLER, 2402 Ingersoll st.,
ALBERT PRZYBYNSZ, 2725 E. Cambria st.,
GEORGE BANDO, Lancaster.
PAUL VADALIA, 430 N. 7th st.,
JOSEPH F. ROHLMAN, 4506 Brown st.,
JOHN PLANT, Jacksonville.
ISRAEL SLOANMAN, Jacksonville.
NICHOLAS CHRISPE, 7223 Hegerman st.,

THIRTY-THREE DAYS ELAPSED SINCE

October 6, when Lieutenant John S. Baldwin, of West Chester, was killed in action, and the receipt of any official notification by his family. Then the first message stated that he was missing. This came on November 8, and three days later, on the day the armistice was signed and the whole country went wild with joy, came another message stating that the young officer had been killed in action. Almost a month has elapsed since then but though they have tried through every source, official or otherwise, that

CHAMPIONS OF FREEDOM ON ROLL OF HONOR



Corp. J. F. REGAULT Wounded M. PADOLSKY Wounded Corp. GEO. S. KANIKER Killed FRANK R. FRIEL Wounded J. J. O'BRIEN Killed



R. T. HAND Gassed D. BENEDICT Gassed J. McVAY Wounded G. HARBAUGH Wounded

they could think of, his family has been unable to learn any details of his death. From what they have heard as to the fate of men in other companies of the Fourth Regiment of the regular army, they believe that this unit was sent forward against German machine-gun nests without proper artillery support and that two companies, K and M, were virtually wiped out.

The reluctance of the War Department, which has answered neither letters nor telegrams, is perhaps explainable, the dead officers' family believes, on the theory that it would be necessary to tell of this lack of proper artillery protection if details were given as to the lieutenant's death.

The combined casualty lists today total 2194, including 432 Pennsylvanians. The honor roll for Philadelphia and vicinity contains 103 names, sixteen having been killed in action, five having died of wounds and two of disease. Sixty have been wounded and twenty are reported missing. Private Harry Elmer, 1519 North Marshall street, was listed as killed in action yesterday through a typographical error. As a matter of fact the young soldier was officially reported as severely wounded.

Two Lieutenants Reported Killed

In addition to Lieutenant Baldwin, the name of Lieutenant Harold D. Culpitt, of 20 East Johnson street, Germantown, also appears today among those listed as killed in action, as does also that of Lieutenant Roland K. Reed, aviation corps, a former Philadelphiaan who has recently been living in Wilmington.

Lieutenant Baldwin was twenty-eight years old, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania arts department and of the law school, class of 1912. He was practicing with his father, T. W. Baldwin, of West Chester, when he felt called upon to join the colors. He was a Quaker, and so was exempt, but the German outrages moved him to feel that only by force could the boche be brought to terms. He secured his commission at the second officers' training camp, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and made such a fine record that he was assigned to the regular army.

SKETCHES OF THE HEROES

Private Louis L. Kaufman, officially reported missing since the fighting near Sedan, November 4, has written home under date of November 5, saying that he was feeling fine and believed that the war was practically over. When the telegram arrived stating that he was missing his sister kept it from their mother, fearing to upset her. Mrs. Kaufman, however, dreamed one night that her son had been wounded and the next day insisted that the family was keeping the news from her. They then told her the facts, but as Private Kaufman's letter arrived a day or so afterward her fears were quickly allayed.

Drafted in April of this year, Private Kaufman volunteered for immediate service overseas soon after reaching Camp Meade and was assigned to Company H, 310th Infantry, and sent to France two months later. His mother, Mrs. Miriam Kaufman, resides at 44 South Fifty-eighth street.

Private Meyer Padolski was wounded by shrapnel on November 4, having a bad gash in his right arm and losing a finger of his right hand. A letter, dictated by the young soldier on November 7, and received by his family on December 1, two days before the appearance of the official telegram from Washington, gave the details of his injury. He was drafted in April and, as did many others in that April contingent, applied for immediate service, was put in a regiment already organized and sent abroad within two months after reaching Camp Meade. Padolski is twenty-six years old and a member of Company B, 315th Infantry, Philadelphia's "Oven." He was

in action, according to a telegram received from the War Department by his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McVay, last Tuesday. McVay was a member of the ambulance corps, which trained at Allentown, Pa. He is thirty-two years old and had only been in the service for five months. Prior to enlistment he resided with his mother at 2735 Oakford street. He was formerly employed as a teamster. A brother, Thomas McVay, a patrolman of the Seventeenth District, Twentieth and Federal streets, was killed in the race riots in southwestern Philadelphia last July.

Private John McVay, who is in the University of Pennsylvania Base Hospital in France suffering from trench rheumatism, is a member of Company C, 103d Infantry. He was trained at Waco, Tex. The young soldier was in bad luck, but managed to conceal the fact from his comrades. When the barrage stopped and they charged forward, he slipped on a log and fell. He lay there for some time before stretcher men found him and took him to the rear. Private McVay was attached to the 31st Infantry, Germantown, and is a talented amateur musician.

Private Frank P. Friel, wounded, is a member of the machine-gun company of the 110th Infantry. He enlisted in the old Third Regiment National Guards, on March 30, 1917, and was later transferred to the 110th, when the Third was reorganized at Camp Hancock. The young soldier was injured on September 6, according to a telegram from the War Department received by his mother, Mrs. A. P. Friel, 5212 Elmwood avenue. A brother, John S. Friel, is an ensign in the navy.

Sergeant Herbert R. Lehr, wounded, was in a convalescent hospital, virtually cured, long before the official notification of his injury was received from the War Department by his sister, Mrs. Leslie M. Friel, of 2212 South Twenty-third street. Sergeant Lehr, who is forty-one years old, has been in the regular army since the Spanish War. He served through the Cuban and Philippine campaigns, having been sent to this country got into the war against Germany in 1914. For a time he was with Company M, Thirty-ninth Infantry. He has been gassed twice and slightly wounded once before. He was the wound that sent him to the hospital. No official notice of these misadventures has ever been received by his family.

Corporal George A. Harbaugh, severely wounded in action, is the son of Mrs. Mary Harbaugh, 2417 Wharft street. He was a member of Company F, 315th Infantry, which trained at Camp Meade, and departed for overseas last July. According to the telegram received by his mother from the War Department, he was wounded on November 4. The last letter received from him was dated October 13, and stated that he was in the best of health. Prior to joining the colors he was employed as a paperhanger.

Private Wilbur Roland, wounded, formerly resided with an aunt, Miss L. Crampa.

Private Samuel Gilbert, Company I, 314th Infantry, who was wounded in the shoulder on September 13, was also a member of that company April draft contingent from this city that volunteered for immediate service overseas as soon as they reached Camp Meade and were in the trenches about three months or so after they had been called to the colors.

In a letter dated September 23 he told of his injury and said that he was rapidly recuperating at a base hospital in France. He is twenty-two years old. A brother, William Gilbert, is also in France. Both young men were clothing salesmen in civil life and lived at 39 North Fifty-eighth street.

As was also the case with several others whose names appear on today's official casualty list, the War Department notification to the families of these soldiers arrived several days after letters had come from the young heroes themselves telling of their injuries in detail.

Corporal Edward B. Allen, reported on today's official casualty list as wounded and who was injured on October 21, according to a letter received from the War Department by his mother, Mrs. Annie Allen, 2612 South Sixty-third street, was gassed on October 21 and is still in a hospital, according to a letter received from the young soldier, dictated on the evening of October 24 and which reached his mother a month later. The War Department telegram did not arrive until last week. Mrs. Allen is naturally much upset and has made several efforts to find out definite details of her son's condition, but all without success. Corporal Allen enlisted in June of 1917, was trained at Camp Hancock, attached to

aviation corps, was killed in the final action of the war, according to a letter received by friends in Philadelphia. He was a chief yeoman in the navy, and was returned to the Philadelphia Navy Yard after nine months' service in foreign waters.

Corporal Wilkinson went to Camp Meade on February 26, and sailed with the Seventy-ninth Division in July. Before enlisting he had been employed by John Wanamaker for eleven years.

G. J. Wilkinson, ensign, paymaster's department, U. S. N., a cousin, is on the receiving ship at League Island.

Corporal George Stephen Kauker, 944 Leithgow street, killed in action, was a member of Company C, 355th Infantry. His father, George Kauker, received notice of his son's death last Tuesday. Kauker left for Camp Meade October 6, 1917, and after a few weeks' training there was transferred to Camp Hancock, sailing overseas April last. Corporal Kauker was twenty-four years old and single. He was employed at Quantico, Va., where he was in training with the marine corps, on September 2, the same day his mother died in this city. The third son, Robert C. Wilkinson, is a chief yeoman in the navy, and was returned to the Philadelphia Navy Yard after nine months' service in foreign waters.

Private Joseph D. Chicano, Machine Gun Company, Thirtieth Infantry, of 501 Hail street, was wounded in the right thigh and lost one eye on July 16. He was captured by the Germans and left by them for dead; but after four days and nights, during which time he had nothing to eat or drink, he was picked up by American troops and taken to a base hospital. He is now convalescing in a hospital at Cape May, Chicano is twenty-four years old.

Lieutenant Roland K. Reed, of the

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