

ARMISTICE CARRYING ORDER

Thomas W. Kelly Victim of Poison Vapor in Last Moments of War

48 CITY MEN WOUNDED

Over 270 Pennsylvanians on Today's Casualty List, But None Killed



THOMAS W. KELLY, Gassed.

To go uninjured through several of the fiercest engagements of the war and to be severely gassed while carrying an order from headquarters to officers in his sector to cease firing because of the armistice, was the experience of Thomas W. Kelly, one of the Philadelphiaans reported wounded in today's official casualty list.

Kelly told of his experiences in a letter to a sister, Mrs. Mary Strouff, 4691 Olive street, Manayunk. He said: "I came through several engagements without a scratch, until on November 11, in the eleventh hour of the day, I was ordered down the line notifying the officers that the armistice had been signed, when I ran into a boche gas barrage and was knocked out."

He is recovering in Kelly, a member of Company H, 109th Infantry, and was formerly in the National Guard Pennsylvania. He enlisted in July, 1917, and was in intensive training at Camp Hancock until May of last year, when his regiment sailed overseas. On his arrival in France he was promoted to corporal, and selected as a dispatch bearer, which entailed many dangers.

Kelly is twenty-one years old. He expects to sail for home soon.

Fought in Eight Battles

Another Philadelphia named in the report today has written home of the thrilling experiences he had, and Kelly was wounded. He is Corporal William C. Peters, 444 Ripha street, Roxborough.

Peters, who is a member of Company F, 109th Infantry, was wounded September 28. In a letter home he said that he was in the battles of the Argonne, St. Mihiel, Arras, St. Agnes and four others.

"A part of my right hand was blown off by a bursting shell," wrote Peters, "and that put me out of commission." He is twenty-two years old and was in the army during the war, but was not assigned to foreign duty.

No army deaths are reported for Philadelphia today. Eighteen men wounded slightly and thirty wounded with degree undetermined make up the city's casualty report. Two corrections are affixed to the regular list. One man who was reported missing has returned to duty and another who was reported wounded is declared now not to have been injured.

The combined casualty list is somewhat larger than usual, it is made up of 3009 names, 278 of which are of men from this state.

Private Hugh S. Hanson, 1841 East Harold street, was wounded October 27. In a recent letter to a sister, Mrs. John Hughes, of the Harold street address, he wrote that he received a shrapnel wound in the fighting at Chateau Thierry, but has recovered. He is twenty-six years old and a member of Company G, 111th Infantry.

Private Lewis J. Coffey, Company H, 119th Infantry, reported wounded, has returned from overseas to the Fort McHenry convalescent hospital in Baltimore. He is the son of Mrs. Margaret Coffey, 5543 Osage avenue. He wrote recently to his mother, saying that he was rapidly improving from wounds in the leg and arm, received in action last July.

Coffey enlisted in the National Guard of Pennsylvania in 1916, and saw service in the Mexican border. After being re-mustered in the fall of 1917, he trained at Camp Hancock until last May, when his regiment sailed. He is twenty years old.

Samuel Mathews, Camden, Company D, 39th Infantry, was wounded October 19 in the right shoulder and again November 2 in the right arm. He received both wounds during the fighting in the Argonne sector. He wrote home a few days ago saying that after several weeks' confinement in a base hospital he had recovered and returned to duty. He is thirty-two years old and previous to entering the army made his home with his mother at 149 York street, Camden. He was drafted in February and sailed in May. Before becoming a soldier he was employed in the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER'S composing room.

Captain Butler L. Wale, reported wounded in action, is the son of Mrs. Beanie Wale, 6214 Race street. He has been overseas several months. He writes that he is recovering.

Private Harry Shable, the son of Mrs. Flora Shable, 2330 North Bouvier street, was slightly wounded, but has recovered and rejoined his unit.

Restoring Hero Lost Eye in Battle

Private William Smith, reported wounded in the official report of today, was returned from overseas and is now at home.

WINTER RESORTS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.

HOTEL FREDONIA

HOTEL CONTINENTAL

Honor Roll for the City and Its Vicinity Today

WOUNDED, DEGREE UNDETERMINED

MICHAEL VARNONE, 180 East Bende...

WILLIAM I. NEALIS, Adams road...

JAMES PUGNIO, 949 Ontario street...

MICHAEL ZHOLLA, 205 Taylor st...

LOUIS AMBELLAS, Broad Street Station...

CHARLES F. MILLER, 6159 Girard ave...

THOMAS H. NIXON, 3400 Tugent street...

MICHAEL FITZGERALD, 1228 South Ninth...

JOHN A. PENNINGTON, 900 Penn...

GACINTO IANNETTA, 1223 Catharine...

THOMAS A. LANGAN, 5226 Whitely...

Corporal LOUIS W. GERT, 1244 South Twentieth...

Butler L. Wale, 6214 Race street...

Private JOSEPH GABRIEL, 1528 Somers street...

JOHN CRITCHER, 518 North Wood...

Wounded Slightly

Leutenant MORRIS M. EINER, 144 East Tulpe...

RUSSELL A. VERKEN, 471 North...

General WILLIAM C. PETER, 444 Ripha avenue...

NATHAN M. POLLACK, 2135 North...

Private HARRY SCHABLE, 2330 North Bouvier...

JOHN BRUDE, 2025 South Seventh...

HIGH B. FRETHER, 2029 Lawrence...

RALPH PETERS, 1642 Hazel street...

HUGH F. HANSON, 1841 East Harold...

LOUIS COFFEY, 5543 Osage avenue...

HENRY SHABLE, 2330 North Bouvier...

PATRICK FREEMAN, 1228 Fifth street...

BENJAMIN G. FREDMAN, 2025 North...

MARION B. LUCIANI, 1411 Hazel...

ARMY CASUALTY LIST A LONG ONE

War Department Reports 3009—Only Three Are Killed in Action

WOUNDED NUMBER 2923

Eight Die of Wounds; Sixty-three Victims of Disease, Eleven of Accident

Washington, Feb. 26.—Four army casualty rolls released by the War Department today contain 3009 names, commissioned and enlisted ranks.

Of this total 1621 were published in the morning report and 1388 are in the afternoon list, divided as follows: Killed in action, 3; died of wounds, 8; died of disease, 63; died from accident and other causes, 11; while 1392 are wounded.

The list of officers and the enlisted personnel of Pennsylvania and New Jersey are given below:

Reported today

Total Killed in action 3

Died of wounds 8

Died of disease 63

Died of accident and other causes 11

Missing in action, including prisoners 1

Wounded 2,923

Grand totals 3,009

272,408

OFFICERS' LIST

Died From Accident and Other Causes

Private JOHN J. HANSEN, Dunbar...

Missing Previously Reported

Severely

Killed in Action, Previously Reported

Missing

Died, Previously Reported

Wounded, Degree Undetermined, Previously Reported

Privately Reported Missing

Erroneously Reported Wounded, Degree Undetermined

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Wounded, Degree Undetermined

CAPTAINS—Chester L. Barry, Oxford, Pa.; Robert C. Hunter, Wollaston, Mass.; Edward F. Shoninger, Clarksville, Tenn.; John S. Stevenson, Columbia, S. C.; Arthur Franklin Williams, Newark, N. J.

Wounded Slightly

Colonel—Edward Theodore Hartmann, Albany, N. Y.

Major—Thomas Barrett, Augusta, Ga.

Captains—Charles G. Griffin, Washington, D. C.; Earl D. Smith, Princeton, N. J.; John S. Stevenson, Columbia, S. C.; Arthur Franklin Williams, Newark, N. J.

Lieutenants—Sherman Hart Bellard, Peterborough, N. H.; William Martin Baker, Newburgh, N. Y.; Maurice W. Bush, Greenport, N. Y.; Robert C. Christian, Philadelphia, Pa.; Morris M. Einser, 144 East Tulpehocken street, Allentown, Pa.; Walter W. Wiles, Madison Falls, Washington, D. C.; Harry H. Hanger, Smithtown, L. I.; Sydney Schoenfeld, New York, N. Y.; Ross, Troy, N. Y.; Roy H. Skirison, Deer Park, Wis.

Pennsylvania

Died From Accident and Other Causes

Private—John B. Crovining, Berwick, Pa.

Died of Disease

Private—William H. Bartholomew, Tatum, Md.; Nicholas, Adelaide.

Wounded, Degree Undetermined, Previously Reported

Private—Giuseppe Buonociti, Uniontown, Pa.

Returned in Duty, Previously Reported

Killed

Missing Previously Reported

Severely

Killed in Action, Previously Reported

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CORPORALS

Louis W. Gert, 1244 South Twentieth street, Philadelphia; Ray E. Kelly, Millersburg, Pa.; Raymond W. A. Miller, Millersburg, Pa.; Raymond W. A. Miller, Millersburg, Pa.; Raymond W. A. Miller, Millersburg, Pa.

Private—David Burnham, Gloucester, N. J.

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RESOLUTIONS

unanimously adopted at the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Officers of the Hebrew Education Society on Monday, February 24, 1919:

Resolved, that in the sudden demise of our late colleague and friend...

Resolved, that the Hebrew Education Society, as well as the community at large, be invited to observe the funeral of our late colleague and friend...

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DEATHS

GREENMAN—Feb. 26, JAMES J., husband of late Catherine I. Greenman (nee Coady), aged 76. Relatives and friends invited to funeral. Burial in Holy Sepulchre Church, 10th and Locust streets, Philadelphia, Pa. at 10 a. m. Holy Sepulchre Cem.

GRIFITHS—Feb. 24, GRIFITHS GRIFITHS, husband of Dora Griffiths, aged 60. Relatives and friends invited to funeral. Burial in Holy Sepulchre Church, 10th and Locust streets, Philadelphia, Pa. at 10 a. m. Holy Sepulchre Cem.

HARDY—Feb. 26, SALLY HARDY, formerly of Chester, Pa., daughter of late Mrs. P. H. Hardy, aged 77. Relatives and friends invited to funeral. Burial in Holy Sepulchre Church, 10th and Locust streets, Philadelphia, Pa. at 10 a. m. Holy Sepulchre Cem.

HAWKINS—Feb. 25, ANNA I. HAWKINS, widow of Lieut. Colonel George W. Hawkins, aged 85. Funeral services, Fri. 11 a. m. at St. Ann's Church, 11th and Locust streets, Philadelphia, Pa. Interment, private.

HAYES—Feb. 24, HUGH, husband of Mrs. Hayes, aged 70. Relatives and friends invited to funeral. Burial in Holy Sepulchre Church, 10th and Locust streets, Philadelphia, Pa. at 10 a. m. Holy Sepulchre Cem.

HEATON—Feb. 26, ALICE HEATON, widow of late John Heaton, aged 70. Relatives and friends invited to funeral. Burial in Holy Sepulchre Church, 10th and Locust streets, Philadelphia, Pa. at 10 a. m. Holy Sepulchre Cem.

HENDERSON—Feb. 24, MARIA, widow of late John Henderson, aged 70. Relatives and friends invited to funeral. Burial in Holy Sepulchre Church, 10th and Locust streets, Philadelphia, Pa. at 10 a. m. Holy Sepulchre Cem.

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