

WILL NEVER SEE FIGHTING DADDY

Lieutenant William J. Hennessey Dies on Eve of Homeward Trip

LEAVES BABY DAUGHTER

Other Families Here Place Gold Stars in Service Flags

Another sad young wife looked over the lists of returning soldiers and watched in vain for the arrival of her husband from overseas. She is Mrs. Rosa Hennessey, nineteen years old, who lives with her parents at 1621 Cadwallader street. Her husband, Lieutenant William J. Hennessey, Battery B, 314th Field Artillery, who had written her he was likely to be home any day, died of bronchial pneumonia after an illness of only two days.

Mrs. Hennessey had not seen her husband since he entered the service eleven months ago. A little daughter, Regina Hennessey, four months old, never saw her "fighting daddy." She did not understand why "mamma" took down the decorations, or was so sad after she had been happy when she learned "daddy" was to return home a hero.

Lieutenant Hennessey was only twenty-four years old.

Quickly Won Promotion

When he was called to the colors in March, 1918, he was sent to Camp Lee for training. He had expected to get a furlough to visit home before he sailed, but his regiment was in training only two weeks when the order to sail came from the War Department. He was a private then, but won promotion quickly. Soon after he arrived in France he was made a corporal, and later was commissioned as a second lieutenant.

Lieutenant Hennessey wrote letters home frequently, and every one was with perfect confidence and faith. He hoped the war would end soon, and he "knew" it could not be long "before the boche was beaten," he said in one letter just before the armistice was signed. His wife had never heard of his promotion to a lieutenant. Letters to different organizations overseas have failed to reveal the whereabouts of the burial place of the soldier.

Escaped Battles: Dies of Disease

Private Charles H. Herchenrider, Company G, 315th Infantry, escaped the dangers of three terrific battles without a scratch, only to die of disease long after the armistice was signed. He died in a base hospital near Neuville, France, March 12, of spinal meningitis.

Private Herchenrider was twenty-eight years old and had been in the service since last May when he was drafted and sent to Camp Meade. He was the son of Mrs. L. Herchenrider, 415 Ruscomb street, Olney.

The soldier was single. When his mother received word from the War Department that her son was dead she had just recovered from an illness and the shock was great and she was under the care of a physician for several days.

Private Herchenrider had written that he would be home in June. In reply to a letter from his mother asking if the official report that he had been severely wounded November 9 was true, he wrote: "Mamma, I have not been injured. I went through Montfaucon, Trossy and the Meuse engagements without stopping a boche bullet."

Private Herchenrider was a native of Philadelphia. He was educated at the local public school and in civil life was a clerk.

Son Dies Overseas

Just as the issue of the casualty list is about to be discontinued a gold star report comes to the home of Mrs. Catherine Ogilvie, 1813 Tusculum street. Her son, Private William A. Ogilvie, Jr., thirty-one years old, died overseas of pneumonia early this month. He was a member of Company K, Sixty-first Infantry, and had been on the firing line for several months without injury. Before he was drafted in September, 1917, he was employed by the Du Pont Powder Company.

Corporal Ellis S. Parlette, 5511 Thompson street, has been severely wounded. He is the son of Mrs. Margaret Parlette and before entering the service had made his home with her at the Thompson street address.

CASUALTIES REPORTED BY WAR DEPARTMENT

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TRANSATLANTIC FLIERS TO BUMP ON OTHER SIDE

Britons Will Drop Their Wheels in Newfoundland—If They Fall Into Ocean They Can Paddle Around in Their Inflated Rubber Overcoats

By the Associated Press

St. John's, N. F., March 31.—Lieutenant Hawker, pilot, and Commander Grieve, navigator of the Sopwith airplane, with which they will attempt an Atlantic flight next month, arrived here yesterday, and will begin assembling their machine today. The airplane is expected to be ready for trial trips by the end of the week-end, if conditions are favorable. The ocean flight will be attempted at 2 p. m., April 16. The airman expect to encounter only seven hours' darkness and to land in England the next forenoon. They made a twenty-four hour stop flight in England and are confident of success.

Lieutenant Hawker is an Australian airman with considerable experience in flying before the war and continuous service during the hostilities. Commander Grieve is a naval officer who commanded the Campania when it served as a mother ship for airplanes with the British fleet. Both asserted today that the conditions along the coast would not interfere with the flight, especially as they plan to ascend to a height of 10,000 feet and so fly above fog and snow storms. They admitted, however, that fog on the other side might interfere with their landing.

The flight will be along the track used by ocean liners, although no special arrangements have been made with the steamship companies for the safety of the airman. If any mishap should occur they can release petrol and fill the tanks with air to keep the machine afloat. They will carry inflated rubber dresses and a collapsible boat in which they can support themselves. Their wireless equipment, with a radius of 200 miles, will enable them to summon help. Substantial supplies of condensed foods will lessen the possible hardships.

Upon taking the air the wheels will be dropped from the machine to lighten the craft, although this will involve landing with a crash on the other side. Wooden skids will lessen the shock of descent.

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Fiume, 31 marzo.—Il Comandante delle Truppe Alleate ha dichiarato che il grande porto sull'Adriatico, in stato d'assedio, secondo l'Ufficio Stampa Jugoslavo.

Parigi, 31 marzo.—La Camera dei Deputati riunitasi in sessione nelle prime ore di ieri, per discutere la politica del governo nei riguardi della Russia, e rimasta in seduta fino alla mezzanotte, in seguito alle discussioni sorte tra Stefano Piclion, ministro per gli affari esteri, ed il deputato Leonie Abram, il Ministro Piclion, durante un suo discorso, ha dichiarato che gli sovietici, sotto la Camera le condizioni di un trattato preliminare di pace con la Germania, soltanto tra pochi giorni.

Il giornale il "Matin" pubblica che il generale "Maurin" scolaro dei dirigenti delle operazioni degli Alleati contro l'Ungheria, comprese le armate polacche che devono essere considerate come forze permanenti, che gli sovietici, sotto la Camera le condizioni di un trattato preliminare di pace con la Germania, soltanto tra pochi giorni.

Copenaghen, 30 marzo.—Il corrispondente da Budapest del Vienna Volkszeitung annuncia che il Governo ungherese ha offerto di allearsi con il governo germanico, contro l'Italia. Il telegramma dal Wolff Bureau dice che questa mattina la notizia di tale offerta e' stata appresa ufficialmente nei quartieri di Berlino.

Un dispaccio da Berlino annuncia che le truppe dei comunisti invadenti la Germania occidentale sono state respinte dopo parecchi conflitti con gli abitanti, parecchie case sarebbero state saccheggiate.

Londra, 31 marzo.—George Lansbury, editore del "Daily Herald", dichiara che gli Alleati hanno ricevuto una proposta per una intesa con il presente governo russo e dice che le condizioni di tale intesa sarebbero il ritiro delle truppe alleate dal territorio russo e l'abbandono della politica di ingerenza negli affari della Russia.

La Russia da sua parte non si ingegnera' degli affari di altre nazioni, riconoscendo la Finlandia, l'Estonia, l'Lettonia ed altre repubbliche formatesi sotto il passato impero russo, la scelta della forma di governo ed il riconoscimento dei debiti internazionali russi.

Parigi, 31 marzo.—Persistono gli sforzi da parte dei Delegati Americani, ma secondati per la maggior parte dagli inglesi ed italiani, per sollecitare il lavoro dei vari concili e commissioni che preparano i dettagli per il trattato di pace. Negli ultimi giorni della settimana scorsa si e' notato un soddisfacente progresso.

Piu' importanti risultati si attendono per la presente settimana, comprese le disposizioni attinenti la Dottrina di Monroe e la riparazione, due andati sotto i soggetti stati i principali ostacoli per la formazione del trattato.

Honor Roll for City Today

DIED OF DISEASE

CHARLES H. HERCHENRIDER, 402 Ruscomb street.

WILLIAM A. OGILVIE, 1813 Tusculum street.

WOUNDED SEVERELY

ELLIS S. PARLETTE, 5511 Townsend street.

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'NICK' LONGWORTH FIGHTS 'REACTION'

Renews His Demand for Liberalization of Steering Committee

STATEMENT IS ISSUED

Declares Mann Holds Greater Power Than Cannon Once Possessed

Washington, March 31.—Asserting that he and his followers in the Republican party would renew their demand for an enlargement of the Steering Committee to include representatives of labor, the progressive element, and the West, Representative Nicholas Longworth, of Ohio, declared in a statement that the control of the policies of the Republican party were under domination of the Mann-controlled committee on Commerce.

The power of the Steering Committee, Mr. Longworth said, is greater than the power once held by the then Speaker Cannon, and this committee, in his opinion, will override the Speaker in the determination of legislation and decide the course of the Republican party in the House, thereby outlining the policy for the presidential campaign of 1920.

Mr. Longworth appeals to Republicans of the House to support him and his band of Progressives in their fight to enlarge the size of the Steering Committee. This fight, he said, will be carried into the next Republican caucus.

Washington, March 31.—Statements appearing in daily and grain trade papers indicating that the Department of Agriculture is anxious to take charge of the work of carrying out the guaranteed price on the 1919 wheat crop were held to misrepresent the attitude of the department, according to an authorized announcement by Secretary Houston.

"The Department of Agriculture, after this country entered the war, took the position that emergency food activities of a commercial nature should be directed by an emergency agency," said a statement by the department, "and therefore participated in framing the food control act giving the President power to create such an agency. The food administration and its grain corporation were set up under the act, and they have handled the wheat guarantees from the beginning.

"The Secretary of Agriculture has assumed until recently that these agencies would, without question, continue to handle the wheat guarantees until the emergency passed and the law ceased to be in operation. He still believes that it would be desirable for the grain corporation to continue the function and close out the matter. The corporation has gained much valuable experience during the war, and should be able to deal with the problem as effectively as any other establishment.

"The recent wheat guaranty act seems to contemplate that this agency would continue to act. Among other things, it authorizes the President to use any existing agency or agencies, and to utilize any department of the government, including, of course, the food administration grain corporation. It would be difficult for any other existing agency now to set up the requisite machinery, especially in view of the short time intervening before the 1919 crop movement begins, and even if it were to undertake to do so, some embarrassment would undoubtedly result, because two agencies, over a part of the period, would be dealing with wheat.

"The task is one of great magnitude and the time is short. The Secretary of Agriculture recently cabled to the President, pointing out the necessity for immediate action and urging that the present machinery, that is, the food administration grain corporation, be maintained and utilized. As a matter of course, if the President should designate the Department of Agriculture as the agency to handle the 1919 guaranty, it would assume the task and discharge it to the best of its ability."

YANKS ATTACK BOLSHIEVIKI

Bombard Town on Archangel Front. Scatter Relief Party

Archangel, March 31.—(By A. P.)—An American patrol Friday raided the Bolshevik line of communication south of Bolshoi Addara, causing considerable confusion among an enemy relief detachment going forward into that town. Meanwhile American guns shelled the town and airplanes dropped bombs on the place.

Bolshevik artillery heavily shelled the American positions at Nemiar and at Vaga.

BRITAIN BACKS FRANCE

Derby Also Speaks for Anglo-Franco-American Alliance

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to be held a week before the new House organizes. Mr. Longworth, in concluding his statement, which was addressed to the Republican members of the House, said: "The victory over reactionism and lukewarmness in support of the nation in the hour of its greatest peril is less than half won. We all want harmony, and we will go to any length to achieve it, short of the sacrifice of basic principle. The first thing to do to bring harmony, complete and lasting, is to liberalize the Steering Committee, to make it truly responsive to the demands of the age and the spirit of the times; to make it certain that in its councils labor and agriculture shall have a full and fair hearing; to make it impossible that it should be controlled by any man through recognition of favors had at his hands; to make it, in short, a truly competent and responsible legislative agent of the Republican party of the nation."

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HIS WIVES TOO PLENTIFUL

No. 2, Elopers From Seminary, Demands Man Support Family

Lebanon, Pa., March 31.—Harry S. Scott, a clerk in a New York savings bank, has been brought here on extradition proceedings to answer a charge of failing to support his common-law wife and their two little boys, living at Palmyra, this county. Scott was accompanied here by wife No. 3, a New York girl, and her mother, and is at liberty under bond pending arraignment.

According to the story unfolded by Mrs. Scott No. 2, Scott, who had divorced his first wife, induced her to elope with him from Perkiomen Seminary, where she was senior and he a junior, in 1913. Reaching New York at night, she says, Scott promised to get the necessary license for their marriage

the next day. Instead of keeping his promise, she says, the next day he purchased tickets for Concord, N. H., where he again failed to marry her. From Concord they went to Maine, then to her home in Johnstown, Pa., and finally to Palmyra. All the time, she maintains, they lived as man and wife and that Scott so acknowledge her. In 1918 Scott entered the military service and was assigned to recruiting in central Pennsylvania. He is alleged to have first met Mrs. Scott No. 3 while she was visiting an aunt at Chambersburg.

Germans Deliver More Ships

London, March 31.—Additional German liners and other large German steamers, all sailing under the armistice flag, have arrived off Deal during the week-end to be placed under British control. French pilots will navigate these vessels into French ports. Most of them are to be taken to Havre.

BRITAIN LOOKS TO IRON WALLS

Admiral Beatty Says Protecting Navy Must Learn Lesson

Liverpool, March 31.—England's navy must be prepared for the future, said Vice Admiral Sir David Beatty, commander of the Grand Fleet, speaking here Saturday on the services of the navy during the great war. "The navy learned many lessons during the four and one-half years just past," he said. "We made many mistakes, and it is our business today to see that those lessons are taken to heart and that we shall not again be found in such a state that we have to face the greatest crisis with improvised methods, working hand to mouth." Admiral Beatty paid a tribute to the efforts of Liverpool in fitting out the famous Tenth Crusade Squadron

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