

11 County Men in War Casualty List

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S/Sgt. Hoover is Prisoner
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hoover, of Madisonburg, were informed by the War Department by telegram, Tuesday afternoon, that their son, S/Sgt. Joseph E. Hoover, 20, reported missing in action in France on September 11, 1944, is a prisoner of war in Germany.

The message did not come as a shock to the parents, however, for two weeks ago they received a card from their son, dated October 28, in which he reported that he was a prisoner in German camp Stalag 3-C. Since the first card, the parents have received another card and two letters.

In his message from the prison camp, Sgt. Hoover reports that he is well, gets enough to eat and is not being mistreated. He said there are sufficient blankets to keep warm at night and that he is receiving a Red Cross parcel every week. The latest message was dated December 10.

Sgt. Hoover, who was serving in the infantry, entered the service on February 6, 1943, and from New Cumberland was sent to various training camps. He was in California, was on maneuvers in Tennessee, and was stationed at Camp Butler, S. C., before going overseas in May 1944. He landed in England and went into France on D-Day.

Sgt. Hoover has three brothers in the service: S/Sgt. Benson, with the Air Force in the Philippines, and Pvt. Richard, who entered the armed forces on February 7, this year, and who was in New Cumberland when last heard from.

Corporal Evack Wounded
Corporal James C. Evack, of Coleville, was seriously wounded in Luxembourg on January 30, according

to a War Department telegram received yesterday by his mother, Mrs. Charles Evack, of Coleville.

Cpl. Evack had been sent overseas in January of this year and apparently was sent to the front almost immediately, for in the only letter received by his mother since his arrival in Europe, dated January 27, he reported he was well and had seen action.

The Coleville man entered service on April 17, 1942, and received preliminary training at Ft. Eustis, Va. He then was sent to the Panama Canal Zone, where he was on guard duty for two years with an anti-aircraft outfit. Upon returning to the United States he received further training at Ft. Knox, Ky., then was assigned to the infantry and sent to Camp Howze, Texas. Last September, while stationed at Camp Howze, he spent a six-day furlough at his home here.

The county soldier was graduated from the Bellefonte High School in the class of 1939 and was employed by the Warner Company at the time he entered the armed forces.

Corporal Evack is married to the former Louise Alkey, of Harrisburg, who is residing at her parental home in Harrisburg. He has four brothers in the armed forces, namely: Pfc. Evon, in France; Pfc. Peter, and Pvt. Steven, both in Belgium, and Pvt. Thomas, in England.

Pfc. Orndorf Wounded
Mr. and Mrs. Stewart H. Orndorf, of Woodward, Tuesday received a War Department telegram informing them their son, Pfc. Orren S. Orndorf, 25, was slightly wounded for the second time in Luxembourg on January 27.

The latest letter received by his parents, written on December 15, said he was well and had received three Christmas boxes from home. On January 10 the parents received a cablegram from him saying that he had received no news from home

lately, and reporting that he was well. His parents have been writing to him regularly.

Pfc. Orndorf was first wounded in France on August 25. He was in a hospital for three days and returned to his duties on August 27. He entered the army on October 29, 1941, and received training at Camp Croft, S. C., and Ft. Custer, Mich. In March, 1942, he was made a private first class and was given the post of company bugler. In April 1942 he was sent to Iceland where he spent 16 months, after which he was transferred to Ireland. In July 1944 he was sent to France and from there went into Germany. At the time he was wounded he was serving in Luxembourg.

A graduate of the East Penns Valley High School in the class of 1936, Pfc. Orndorf was a member of the East Penns Valley Band for seven years.

His brother, Sgt. Kenneth Orndorf, 23, is a mechanic in the U. S. Air Force and is stationed at a bomber base in England.

Pfc. Walker Wounded
Pfc. Paul G. Walker, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kearney Walker, of Millbrook, was slightly wounded in action on Luzon on January 17, his parents were informed in a telegram received Monday from the U. S. War Department.

A letter written by Pfc. Walker on January 14 to his sister, Mrs. Elwood Houltz of near Lemont, stated that he was well and had just landed in the Philippines, having been moved from New Guinea. He said he had found her Christmas package waiting for him.

The Millbrook private was drafted into the service on October 4, 1943, and took 17 weeks of training at Camp Blanding, Fla. Upon completion of that training he spent a delay enroute furlough with his parents before going to California. He went overseas in March, 1944.

From that time until his arrival in New Guinea it is believed by his parents that he saw active service in the Pacific area. He was serving with an anti-aircraft company of an infantry unit.

Pfc. Walker attended the Boalsburg High School for one year and worked at Miller's Market, State College, until his induction into the Army. A brother, Cpl. Robert Walker, is in the service but at the present time is in a hospital in Luxembourg, W. Va., recovering from injuries received in an automobile accident.

T/4 Jones Wounded
T/4 Philip D. Jones, Jr., 22, son of P. D. Jones, of East Park avenue, State College, was slightly injured in action in Belgium on January 24, his father was informed in a telegram received Sunday from the U. S. War Department.

In the last letter received from his son and written on January 7, Philip stated that he was in Belgium at that time and that he was all right.

Technician Jones was inducted into the service in October 1942 and took his basic training at Camp Aitbury, Ind., after which he was sent on maneuvers in Tennessee. Upon completion of this training he was moved to Camp Brandenburg, Ky. He went overseas in April 1944, and was sent into France shortly after D-Day, where he served with an infantry division of the First Army.

The State College technician was graduated from the State College High School in 1939 and had completed two years at Penn State when called for service.

Pvt. Kern Wounded
Pvt. Randolph Kern, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kern, of Pleasant View, Bellefonte, was slightly wounded in action in Belgium on January 16, it was revealed in a War Department telegram received by his parents last Thursday.

The message further stated that a letter giving hospital address and other details would follow. The county soldier, who was serving with an infantry division, was called for service March 20, 1943, and took preliminary training at Camp Polk, La. Later he spent some time at other training camps until being sent to Fort Meade and then to an eastern embarkation point. He went overseas last spring.

Pvt. Kern is a graduate of the Bellefonte High School and was employed on construction work during the building of the new high school a few years ago. Monday his mother received a letter from her son, written January 23, in which he informed her that he was getting along fine and that where he was stationed several inches of snow had fallen recently.

He also told his mother that he had mailed her a gift and asked her to advise him as soon as she received the package.

Pvt. Hall Wounded
Pvt. Fred W. Hall, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hall of Unionville, was wounded for the second time in action, both times in Germany, a War Department telegram received last Thursday by his parents revealed.

The message stated that he was wounded on January 26. On December 12, the parents were notified by the War Department that their son had been slightly wounded on December 1.

The Unionville soldier, who was serving with the infantry, was called for service August 28, 1943, and trained at Fort Benning, Ga., and Camp Swift, Texas. Later he went to Fort Dix, N. J., and went overseas, landing September 22 of last year.

Pvt. Hall attended Bellefonte High School two years and completed a two-year course at Williamson Trade School near Philadelphia in the spring of the year he entered service. He has two brothers also in service. They are Sgt. James Richard, now in the Pacific, and Pvt. Charles L., who entered service in December of last year, and who is now stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla.

Pfc. Holderman Wounded
Pfc. Holderman enlisted in the U. S. Army April 17, 1943, and trained as a radio operator at Camp Blanding, Fla. Camp Joseph T. Robin-

son, Ark., and then spent a furlough with his parents late in August of that year. Upon returning to the latter camp, he was sent to an embarkation point on the east coast, from where he went overseas in September of the same year.

The Coleville soldier spent five months on the Anzio beachhead after the fall of Rome attended a several weeks' radio course in a town in southern Italy. From there he was sent into France where he was a member of the Headquarters Company of the Third Infantry of the Seventh Army. He is a graduate of the 1943 class of the Bellefonte High School where he was active in football.

Pvt. Henry Wounded
Pvt. Roy Henry, of Pine Grove Mills, was wounded in action in France for the second time, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Henry, learned in a letter from him last week.

Pvt. Henry was first wounded in November when he spent a month in a hospital in France before rejoining his unit. In the letter received last week he stated that he was back in the hospital trying to recover from the second wound.

The Pine Grove Mills private, who is 19 years of age, entered the service on March 18, 1944. He took his basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala., then was assigned to additional infantry training at Camp Howze, Texas. Following completion of that training he was moved to a camp in North Carolina from where he was sent overseas in October and went directly into France.

Roy was a junior at the State College High School when he went into service. While in school he was a member of the football and basketball teams.

Two Casualties in Family
Friday, for the fourth time in two months, tragedy entered the home of Mrs. Rose Tierney, of North Thomas street, Bellefonte, when within an hour's time, telegrams came from the War Department announcing that her son, Pfc. Orvis Tierney, 20, has been missing in action in France since January 23, and her grandson, Pfc. Charles E. Holderman, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Holderman of Coleville, was slightly wounded in action in France on January 23.

On December 6 three of Mrs. Tierney's grandchildren, Richard, 7, Robert, 5, and Nancy Rosman, 4, were asphyxiated by gas as they slept in their apartment on North Thomas street, and on Tuesday of last week she learned that her son-in-law, Pfc. Elwood Derr, of Bellefonte, has been missing in action in France since January 20. He is the husband of the former Betty Tierney, of Bellefonte.

Private James B. McGowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. McGowan, Willowbank street, Bellefonte, has been awarded a battle star for his Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon in recognition of his combat duty during the battle for the Empire Augusta Bay sector on Bougainville. In addition, he has received the Good Conduct Medal awarded for exemplary behavior, efficiency and fidelity.

Private McGowan was inducted into the armed forces on July 17, 1943, at New Cumberland. He received his basic and technical training at Camp Ellis, Illinois, and is serving with the Quartermaster Corps.

Private McGowan has a brother, Joseph C. McGowan, MM 3-c, stationed in the South Pacific.

Daughter Is Born
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brown of North Thomas street, Bellefonte, are the parents of their first daughter and second child, weighing 7 pounds 5 ounces, born last Wednesday at the Centre County Hospital. The infant has been named Marilyn Jane. Mrs. Brown is the former Elizabeth Hobbs of Portage, while Mr. Brown is a son of Mrs. Agnes Brown of West Logan street, Bellefonte.

Daughter For Ferrees
Mary Jane Ferree is the name which has been given to the daughter born last Tuesday afternoon at the Centre County Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Ferree, of East Curtin street. The little girl is the first child in the family. Mrs. Ferree is the former Elizabeth Herr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Claude Herr, of Bellefonte, and Mr. Ferree is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ferree, of Oak Hill.

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17 Initiated Into VFW Auxiliary Here

Seventeen new members initiated into the Bellefonte Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary at a regular meeting, Tuesday, were:

Mary Hall Bryan, Blanche Jones, Elizabeth J. Morrison, Cora M. Peters, Louise Witmer, Rae Sperry, Sylvia J. Pinge, Mary H. Brown, Lorraine D. Rose, Mildred L. Grieb, Mary E. Koch, Marion Mardis, Lois Mardis, Sarah E. Estright, Dorothy Probst, Helen S. Hall and Clare M. Ort.

Mrs. Relia Jones presided at the session at which there were 65 members present. The Auxiliary charter was draped for 30 days in memory of Mrs. Willa Polmar. Miss Betty Edmiston, secretary, read a communication from the department asking the Auxiliary to aid in the coming Red Cross drive.

Mrs. Barbara Kline, chairman of war activities; Mrs. Harriet McClellan, chairman of membership; Mrs. Elizabeth S. Marshall, junior chairwoman, and Mrs. Ruth Buller, coupon chairman, submitted reports. Letters of thanks from servicemen who received gift parcels of candy were read.

Announcement was made of a social night to be held Tuesday evening, February 20, with a supper at 7 p. m. Members are asked to bring foods suitable for the meal. Meat will be furnished by the Auxiliary.

State College Woman Aiding In Manila

Miss Alice Thompson of State College, was among the Red Cross women who arrived by air from Leyte to Manila to aid with the distribution of food and supplies to the former prisoners of the Santo Tomas concentration camp.

Miss Thompson, former assistant alumni secretary at Penn State, had previously been engaged in evacuation problems of war victims of Australia.

The Red Cross, operating in conjunction with the Philippine Civil Affairs Units of the Sixth Army, furnished comfort items for distribution under a carefully planned program. They first distributed mail from relatives and established facilities to rush letters to the United States.

Gratitude to the Red Cross for the relief supplies that reached there in November last year was strongly felt among the internees. The feeling is general that many lives were saved by the foodstuffs and medicines.

So carefully were the American Red Cross foodstuffs handled that remnants of the canned goods remained when the American troops arrived, and these were used to help celebrate the liberation.

Loganton Soldier Is Killed In Germany

Pvt. Parse Breen, Loganton, R. D., was killed in action in Germany within the last three weeks, his wife, the former Celis Lamey, Loganton, R. D., learned Monday.

He leaves five children: James, 9; Evelyn, 8; Richard, 6; Donald, 3, and Terry, 18 months.

Pvt. Breen entered the Army 18 months ago and went overseas last October. He had been employed at the Renovo Pennsylvania Railroad shops.

His wife received a letter last Saturday. It had been written three weeks previously.

CLEARFIELD BOY KILLED BY RAILROAD ENGINE

Eight-year-old Paul Young, an inmate of the Children's Home at Clearfield, was killed almost instantly late last Thursday when he fell in front of a Pennsylvania railroad engine.

Young and a companion, Richard Miller, 15, had been sliding down an embankment along the tracks when the train approached. Young attempted to climb the embankment, slipped and fell, sliding directly into the path of the engine. D. B. Henderson of Tyrone, was the engineer.

The boy was the son of Mrs. Mary Belle Young, of Burside.

The world has spent much money on education and religion and there is still much to be done to persuade the human race to accept either.

American Red Cross Short of Personnel

A great many employment opportunities are open to men and women, between the ages of 22 and 50, with the American Red Cross. It was announced today by the Bellefonte Chapter.

All local Chapter members are volunteer workers, but there is a great need for employing men and women in both overseas and domestic programs. The positions available are as assistant field directors, social workers, staff assistants, recreation workers in military and naval hospitals, secretaries and stenographers for hospitals, camps or administrative offices and also accountants.

To be employed by the American Red Cross, a candidate must be a citizen of the United States. He must be in good physical health and approved by the director of the American Red Cross Medical and Health Service. A man of selective service age cannot be considered unless the local draft board testifies that his call to service in the armed forces is not imminent. Women with children under 18 years of age are not accepted for overseas service.

For further information concerning these opportunities get in touch with Miss Margaret Brookerhoff, Bellefonte Chapter chairman of the American Red Cross, dial 2742 State College.

Herbert's Works Studied by Club

A study of Victor Herbert and some of his most representative works engaged the attention of the Music Section of the Bellefonte Woman's Club during the regular meeting held at the home of Mrs. Leslie Thomas, Wednesday night.

Mrs. R. G. MacDonald opened the program by reading a paper dealing with the salient features of the composer's life and works. Mrs. Willard Barnhart followed with a piano solo, "Dream Melody," from "Naughty Marietta." Miss Patricia Weaver sang two solos, "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" and "Love Is the Best of All."

A piano solo, "Punchinello," played by Mrs. Muser Gettiss, was followed by a trio composed of Mrs. Ernest Martin, Miss Martha Albert, and Miss Mary Forbes who sang "Woodsen Shoes."

Herbert's "Serenade" and "When You're Away" were played as violin solos by Mrs. Louis Schad. Mrs. Martin contributed with three popular Herbert songs, "My Little Gypsy Sweetheart," "A Kiss in the Dark," and "I'm Falling in Love With Someone."

Following the program refreshments in the spirit of the Valentine Day season were served by Mrs. Thomas and co-hostesses, Mrs. John Covey and Mrs. J. P. Lyon.

Centre Hall Youths Organize 4-H Club

Big feeding was selected as the major project enterprise of the Centre Hall 4-H Agricultural Club for 1945, at a meeting held Monday night at the Centre Hall-Potter Township High School.

Donald Wolff, president of the club, will have charge of the club until election of officers at a later date. Marion Elarer was chosen as secretary-treasurer; Paul Zuber was named recreation chairman, and Guy Hedman is news reporter.

Other projects including lamb feeding, bees, and sweet corn and tomatoes will be carried out by some members of the club.

4-H club members from last year and their parents discussed project work, including sources of supply for livestock and seeds. A new 4-H Club movie, in color, "Some High Lights in 4-H Agricultural Club Work," was shown at the session. Regular meetings will be held the first Monday of each month.

Man Injured by Bull
Raymond Smith, of Boalsburg, underwent treatment at the Centre County Hospital, Tuesday, for a fracture of the right arm received when he was attacked by a bull. He returned home after receiving treatment.

The way some people grumble the nation should strike a medal to bestow upon the patriots at home who get along with less butter.

Bellefonte P. T. A. To Meet at College

The Bellefonte Parent-Teacher Association will be guests of the State College P.T.A. at a meeting to be held in the State College High School on Monday evening, February 19, it was announced yesterday.

Dr. C. L. Williams, of the school of education, Penn State, will lead a panel discussion on "Our Public Schools in Relation to Proposed Legislation." A representative turnout of Bellefonte members is desired at the meeting.

Members wishing to arrange for transportation are asked to call Mrs. Charles E. Martin, or Mrs. R. C. Blaney, both of East Curtin street, not later than Friday, February 16.

GRADUATES IN BASIC ENGINEERING COURSE

Among those graduating from an intensive course of basic engineering training at recent exercises at the Great Lakes Naval School was George Richard Thomas, 29, husband of Mrs. Myrtle Thomas, Bellefonte, R. D. 1.

This Bluejacket was selected for his specialized training on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores. Graduates from the twenty specialized courses taught at the Great Lakes Service Schools are sent to sea, to shore stations, or to advanced schools for further duty.

Receives Service Stripes

Sgt. Benjamin Crago, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crago, of Phillipsburg, is now entitled to wear two

gold overseas stripes as he has been serving overseas for more than one year. Sgt. Crago is an airplane mechanic in a 15th Air Force B-24 Liberator Bomber Group that has completed more than 140 bombing missions against the enemy and has been given the War Department Distinguished Unit Citation. He was a sheet metal worker for Lee Metal Products before enlisting.

TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT OUTBREAK OF TYPHOID

The Milesburg Woman's Club met Monday night in the Presbyterian Sunday school at Milesburg with 20 members present. A total of 38 more knitted squares were contributed by members to be added to the Afghan being made for a veterans' hospital.

A committee was named to learn what steps can be taken to prevent a possible outbreak of typhoid fever in the event of floods in the Milesburg area this spring. Club members were reminded that the Red Cross drive will begin March 1.

Public Sales

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SALE CANCELLED—The public sale scheduled to be held March 6 by John Pionier on the Tobias Pionier farm, 2 miles west of Bellefonte, has been cancelled. SATURDAY, MARCH 10—Willard Strunk will offer at public sale on the J. B. Strunk farm, located along Cedar Run road, 2 1/2 miles west of Cedar Springs, Clinton County, a full line of livestock and farm implements. Sale at 9 o'clock. This is a clean-up sale. Terms cash. E. M. Smith, auctioneer.

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STATE THEATRE Showing SATURDAY Only (Continuous Every Saturday Starting 7 p. m.) TWO JITTER GLITTER JIVERS! LUM AND ABNER in GOIN TO TOWN Barbara Florence Grady Dick HALE LAKE SUTTON ELLIOTT PLUS - A BIG WESTERN ACTION HIT! "WILD HORSE ROUNDUP" Kermit Maynard - Betty Lloyd MONDAY thru WEDNESDAY Murder... Madmen... Mirth... In a Mysterious Mansion at Midnight! It's Hair-Raising Fun! JACK HALEY JEAN PARKER BELA LUGOSI LYLE TALBOT "ONE BODY TOO MANY" Also "ADVENTURES OF KITTY O'DAY" Past, Furious Fun as the Mystery Deepens! PETER COOKSON - JEAN PARKER - TIM RYAN

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