

MACKEY SCORES LAX METHODS OF ADJT. GENERAL

Lawyer Charges Negligence in Failure to Know Soldiers' Whereabouts

Philadelphia, Dec. 20.—Assailing the office of the Adjutant General of the United States, Harry A. Mackey, chairman of the Pennsylvania Workmen's Compensation Bureau, yesterday, addressed a letter to Representative George P. Darrow, of this city, calling the office to task for the manner in which inquiries about soldiers are handled.

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whereabouts could not be found later than July 4, although the family knew where he was as late as September.

Yesterday Mr. Mackey received Mr. Darrow's answer, inclosing the letter received from the office of the Adjutant General in answer to his query. Mr. Mackey's letter and that from the Adjutant General's office to Mr. Darrow read:

December 19, 1918. Hon. George P. Darrow, Congressman, Washington, D. C. My dear Congressman,

I have your letter of the 18th inst. inclosing the letter from the adjutant general in answer to my inquiry regarding Private Edward D. Gorman.

It seems to me that the information that this department has given you upon this case justifies all the charges that have been made in the newspapers about the incompetency of its service. The latest official information that this department can now give you about this soldier is of July 4, 1918, when the family has traced him as late as September, 1918.

You are referred by the War Department to the American Red Cross, and to the American Red Cross.

It seems to me that the answer from the adjutant general to you should be exploited in every paper in the country. If there is any efficiency in the adjutant general's office, and if there is any humanity in the whole department, let them show it by following up the details of this case and give the family later information than July 4 last. I remain, Very sincerely yours, HARRY A. MACKEY.

December 16, 1918. Hon. George P. Darrow, House of Representatives. My dear Mr. Darrow:

I have the honor to acknowledge your letter of December 10 and to advise that the latest report received at this office shows Private Edward D. Gorman, Headquarters Company, Ninth Infantry, on July 4, 1918, had been in the hospital, slightly wounded.

For further information concerning his condition, his family should write to Bureau of Communications, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C. Respectfully, J. J. KERR, Adjutant General, in charge of office.

Moorhead Company to Entertain Children

The annual entertainment of the children of the Day Nursery and the Industrial Home by employees of the Moorhead Knitting Company will be this evening. Toys, games, handkerchiefs, neckties, hair ribbons, hosiery, gloves, candy and oranges will be presented to them. The Industrial Home children are under quarantine for influenza and in consequence will not be in attendance at this year's event, but their presents will be sent them.

Three Christmas trees have been decorated to provide joy for the youngsters. An orchestra has been secured to furnish instrumental music and girls of the mill will sing several selections, and the children will also have a part in the two hour program provided for their entertainment. The Harrisburg Railway Company is furnishing transportation to the children from the homes to the Moorhead Company plant.

SHOOTSELF IN LEG In an attempt to extinguish a gas light with the same hand in which he was holding a revolver, Howard H. Hinton, 2218 Atlas street, last night wounded himself in the left leg. Hinton, who is a street car conductor, was about to retire and had a revolver in one hand and an alarm clock in the other.

E. R. FITZGERALD, JR. Earl Ross Fitzgerald, Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. East R. Fitzgerald, 511 Harris street, died Wednesday morning following a brief illness. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. H. W. A. Hanson, pastor of Messiah Lutheran Church. Burial was made in the Harrisburg cemetery.

Other men from this city reported as missing are: Private George E. Fletcher, wounded slightly; Private George March, wounded slightly; Private Giuseppe Gonovere, 232 South Second street; Private Guy Weizler, 1217 Walnut street; Private Clifton G. Brown, wounded, degree undetermined; R. F. D. S.; Sergeant Thomas Monroe Collins, wounded slightly; 603 Race street, and Sergeant Frank W. Arter, 1317 Marion street.

Sergeant Arter is reported this morning as severely wounded. He is the son of Mrs. Emma Arter, 1317 Marion street, and is a member of Company M, Three Hundred and Sixteenth Infantry. He was wounded November 3, but the exact nature of his injuries is not known. Private Paul F. Shope, of Perdix, is also reported this morning as wounded severely. He is a member of the Three Hundred and Fourteenth Infantry.

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BOCHE OFFICIALS STRIKE FOR SOLF

Amsterdam, Dec. 20.—All the leading officials of the German (foreign) office are on strike as the result of the Government's acceptance of the resignation of Dr. Solf as foreign minister, according to the Rhenish Westphalian Gazette.

None of the officials has appeared for duty in several days. In their absence the routine work of the foreign office is piling up and there is nobody to look after it.

A volunteer institution. My question is, if the American Red Cross, through its bureau of communications, has any information concerning this young man, why hasn't the War Department? The War Department has the first responsibility toward our soldiers, and the parents of the enlisted men are looking to the War Department for information, and not to the American Red Cross.

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NINE FROM CITY ARE MENTIONED AMONG CASUALS

Many From Suburban Towns Suffer Death and Wounds on Battlefields of France

The names of seven Harrisburgers are carried on this afternoon's list of casualties, while the names of two from this city appear on this morning's list. The list of out-of-town casualties, persons reported from this section of the state, runs up to over a score. This list is Private Edwin C. Wells, the son of County Commissioner and Mrs. H. C. Wells, 1108 Penn street. An account of Private Wells' death, which was caused by pneumonia, was printed in the Telegraph recently.

It was learned to-day that Corporal Paul W. Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Kelley, 173 East Pomfret street, Carlisle, was killed in action September 1. This information was contained in an official notice from the War Department to Mr. Kelley's parents.

Corporal Kelley was a member of Company G, One Hundred and Twelfth Infantry. He enlisted for service over a year ago and was sent to Camp Hancock for training, after which he was sent overseas with his regiment. His death adds another to the growing list of Cumberland county boys who have fallen in the war to make the world a fit place to live in.

Corporal Kelley is survived by his parents, three brothers, Oliver and Ralph, of Carlisle, and Roy Kelley, of Boiling Springs, and three sisters, Ellen and Kathryn, of Carlisle, and Mrs. Blair Kuhn, of Boiling Springs. To Be Home Soon

Sergeant Russell Leroy Matchett is reported this afternoon as wounded, degree undetermined. A telegram from Washington was received by his wife at 1418 Liberty street, yesterday, and stated that Sergeant Matchett had arrived in this country and is at Camp Merritt. Wednesday his wife also received a personal telegram stating that he was at the New Jersey coast and that he expected to be home soon. He was wounded with shrapnel in the left leg some time in the early part of July, and is also reported to have been gassed, although the latter report is not official. Sergeant Matchett was a member of the old Eighth Regiment and is now with the One Hundred and Twelfth Infantry. His arrival in this city is expected in a few days.

Reported this afternoon as wounded slightly, Lieutenant Alexander M. Hinds, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hinds, Route 2, Limgiestown, was wounded October 12, 1918, was in training camps in this country.

In the last letter to his parents he stated that his wound, in the right leg, had healed and that he was back with his company. He writes that he expects to return home soon.

Lieutenant Hinds is a member of Company I, One Hundred and Fourteenth Infantry. He was formerly a member of the National Guard of Maryland and was the first to go to the Mexican border when troops were called for service there. During his border service Mr. Hinds had the rank of sergeant, and was made a member of the One Hundred and Fourteenth, while in training at Camp Aniston, Alabama. He has two brothers in the service, Robert N. and George W. H. Hinds, who are in training camps in this country.

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Teachers Vote Heavily to Join State Fund

With the complete reports from all of the 32 city school buildings received at the office of the board, Secretary D. D. Hammelbaugh announced that 327 of the 356 city teachers have decided to join the state teachers' retirement fund which is to be created. Few of the teachers objected to the plan, while a big majority of them heartily approved of it.

The report from the teachers was submitted to the school directors this afternoon so that a resolution could be passed approving the pension fund plan. The vote of the teachers and a copy of the resolution will be submitted to H. H. Balsh, secretary of the Teachers' Retirement Board.

SI YEARS OLD TODAY William H. Shoemaker, veteran piano dealer, is today observing his eighty-first birthday anniversary at his home, 210 South Thirteenth street, near New Kingston, Cumberland county, he remembers quite vividly the time when rail fences stood where the United Evangelical Publishing House now stands, and tells how he gathered apples from the big orchards on Allison Hill.

Thirteen Cases Listed For Civil Court Trial

Thirteen cases have been listed by Prothonotary Charles E. Pass for hearing in argument court next Tuesday. The list follows: Ida J. Hackler vs. May Heck, motion for new trial; Commonwealth vs. Sarah Heller, motion for new trial; Commonwealth vs. Joseph Verbois and Jacob Blazing, motion for new trial; Commonwealth vs. H. E. Tuhl, motion for new trial; Commonwealth vs. Putnam Brandt, rule to modify order of the court; Commonwealth vs. Charles Y. Saul, rule for increase of maintenance order; Ira D. Lowery vs. J. H. Lowery, Jr., and Alice Lowery, to open judgment; Commonwealth vs. Frank Gripp, vs. demurrer; Fannie Nathan vs. Barnett Rosenzweig, rule for judgment for want of a sufficient affidavit of defense; Sheet Metal vs. Commonwealth vs. E. E. Gelfer, motion for judgment for want of a sufficient affidavit of defense; Jesse vs. Blanche M. Hawkins, rule on appeal; Commonwealth vs. E. E. Gelfer, motion for judgment for want of a sufficient affidavit of defense; Buchmiller vs. Martha Gorbart Sober, rule to open judgment.

MATRESS BURNS The life of Michael Luerich was probably saved last night when the odor of burning hair came from his room at the Crystal Hotel, and caused persons to break down the room door. The mattress was found to be afire, caused, it is thought, by a lighted cigarette. The fire was quenched by a hearing this afternoon charged with intoxication.

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