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U. S. CASUALTIES IN KOPEAN AREA (NO. 251)

The Department of Defense today announced the following casualties in the Korean area

ILLINOIS

Wounded

ARMY

Private Vincent W. Butler, nephew of Edwin L. Bracke, 5316 Oakdale, Chicago.

Corporal Robert W. Lefler, brother of Mrs. Leota P. Roberts, Arthur. *Wrote story from this*

Sergeant Richard O. Mains, son of Mr. & Mrs. Homer Mains, 1119 West Third St., Mount Carmel.

MARINE CORPS

Private First Class Thomas L. Kerns, son of Mrs. Ruby R. Kerns, 922 West 29th St., Chicago (Previously Wounded & Returned to Duty).

Corporal Charles F. Mathieu, son of Charles J. Mathieu, 319½ W. State St., Geneva.

Corporal Don Arthur McNeil, son of Mrs. Ethel McNeil, 2846 West Fillmore St., Chicago. (Previously Wounded & Returned to Duty)

Private First Class Donald L. Minch, son of Lester I. Minch, 803 Peoria St., Washington.

Private First Class Raymond E. Moriarity, son of Mrs. Katherine Mayer, 914 S. Jackson St., Belleville. (Previously Wounded and Returned to Duty).

Private First Class Lester H. Rottsolk, husband of Mrs. Lester H. Rottsolk, 466 S. Spencer St., Aurora.

Missing in Action

ARMY

Sergeant First Class Allen A. Baughman, son of Mr. & Mrs. Luther Baughman, Smithfield.

Private Benny Berry, husband of Mrs. Edmonia Berry, 2119-A Kansas Avenue, East St. Louis.

Private First Class James W. Bishop, husband of Mrs. Evelyn C. Bishop, 450 East South St., Geneseo.

Corporal Gerald V. Block, son of Mr. & Mrs. George Block, ~~Gene~~

ILLINOIS (Cont'd)

Missing in Action (Cont'd)

ARMY (Cont'd)

Private Edward Leon Bytnar, husband of Mrs. Yolanda C. Bytna,
916 North Kedzie Avenue, Chicago.

Private First Class Serafino S. Dicrispino, son of Mrs. Serafino
Dicrispino, 939 West 59th Street, Chicago.

Sergeant Robert F. Dotson, son of Mrs. Lucille Dotson, 3126
Vernon St., Chicago.

Sergeant Robert W. Hall, husband of ~~Mrs. Mary A. Hall~~, ^{Call her} Strasburg.

Sergeant Don Poirot, son of Mrs. Viola Poirot, 305 North First
St., Belleville.

Private Thomas G. Jones, son of Mrs. Vera Jones, 1125 North
Easall St., Chicago.

Private First Class Eugene H. Kling, ^{son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kling}
West Main St., Cary.

Private First Class Woodrow Webb, son of Mr. & Mrs. Barton Webb,
Route 1, Tunnel Hill.

Private John Bernard Wheeler, son of Mrs. Mary Wheeler, 859
Lincoln Place, Marseilles.

Private Francis Zetterberg, son of Mr. & Mrs. Carl A. Zetterberg,
4 Rosenberg Court, Pekin.

Sergeant Edward F. Koboski, husband of Mrs. Louise R. Koboski,
225 Jefferson St., Lincoln.

Sergeant Glen Wilson, son of Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Wilson, 735 East
Broadway, Bradley. (Previously Wounded & Returned to Duty).

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