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U. S. CASUALTIES IN KOREAN AREA (NO. 298)

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

ILLINOIS

Killed in Action

ARMY:

Private First Class Alford Jeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jeffrey, 1200 West Stotlar Street, Herrin. (Previously reported missing)

Private First Class Robert F. Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W.

Johnston, RR 2, Box 47, Virginia.

Private First Class Ralph E. Tull, son of Mrs. Addie Fay Tull, Rankin. (Previously reported missing in action)

MARINE CORPS:

Corporal Harry Reichert Jacobsen, husband of Mrs. Harry R. Jacobsen, 1629 2nd Street, Moline.

Private First Class Richard E. Morrissey, son of Mrs. Rose Eastman, 138 North Roosevelt Drive. North Pekin.

Died of Wounds

ARMY:

Private Lee Bluit, brother of John Fisher, 342 West Chicago Avenue, Chicago.

Wounded

ARMY:

Sergeant Norbert A. Brzycki, son of Mrs. Bertah Brzycki, 10629 Oglesby Street, Chicago. (Notification made to 414 Woodlawn Avenue, Chesterton, Indiana) Private First Class Jimmie R. Conner, son of Herbert R. Conner, 1413 Marshall Avenue, Mattoon.

Second Lieutenant Ira L. Fox, husband of Mrs. Annabelle Fox, 1321 Dean Street,

Centralia. (Previously wounded and returned to duty)

Private First Class James E. Humble, son of Mrs. Roxie Humble, 106 North 3rd Street, Madison.

Private Daniel C. Maher, brother of Mrs. Lorraine Nester, 7303 West Diversey Avenue, Chicago.

Private Nick Milkovich, brother of 'Miss Katherine Ann Milkovich, 2954 East 80th Street, Chicago.

Sergeant First Class John Neilly, brother of Robert Neilly, 8047 Ogden Avenue,

Lyons. (Previously injured and returned to duty)

Private First Class George R. Schneider, husband of Mrs. Lillian Schneider, 10500 Bensley Avenue, Chicago. (Previously wounded and returned to duty)

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