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U. S. CASUALTIES IN KOREAN AREA (NO. 307)

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

## ILLINOIS

### Killed in Action

ARMY:

Corporal Byron B. Daer, son of Mrs. Clara Daer, 120 N. Central Ave. Rockford.

Private First Class Clifford F. Pratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pratt, 1126 Rock St., Rockford.

#### Wounded .

ARMY:

Private Peter B. Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Berker

Longwood Dr., Chicago.

Private First Class Joseph F. Gencey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herby

Chancey, 9156 S. Central Ave. Oaklawn.

Corporal Edward Dean Jr., husband of Mrs. Velva J. Dean, Argo. Private Arthur R. Jager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jager,

5231 Waveland Ave., Chicago. Captain Floyd C. Hines, brother of Mrs. Mary Hurlbutt, 11016 Vernon Ave., Chicago. (Notification made at Rt. 1, Box 3, Dyer, Indiana; Private First Class Frank B. McNanie, grandson of Frank H.

Morgan, 6927 Bennett Ave., Chicago.

Private Raymond L. Steele, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Steele, 312 Stewart St., Rossville.

#### Injured

ARMY:

Sergeant John C. Burke, husband of Mrs. Ursula Burke, 12648 S. Maple, Blue Island.

Private Richard L. Cannon, son of Mrs. Ella B. Cannon, 3642

State St., Chicago.

Private First Class John P. Schomer, son of Mrs. Anna Decker,

642 Jefferson Ave., Aurora.

Master Sergeant Harry Thompson Jr., husband of Mrs. Mattie Thompson, 3200 Cunningham Rd., Rockford.

# Missing in Action

ARMY:

Private Floyd V. Knutson, brother of Gladys Locke, RR 1, Ottawa. Private First Class Joseph C. Ratti, son of Joseph Ratti Sr., 25 S. Halsted St., Chicago.

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