

Hoosier Heroes: Anderson, Lexow, Miller and Murray Killed; Allee, Meyer and Huehls Missing; Willhoite Wounded

Pfc. Gaylord D. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson, 45 W. Morris st., was killed in action Aug. 9 in France. His mother believes he had been in France only a few days inasmuch as his last letter home was dated July 26 in England.

Pfc. Anderson was 21 and had been in the service since February, 1942, and overseas since October, 1943. He was working on a farm near Rensselaer at the time of his induction. His parents moved to Indianapolis a year ago from near Spencer.

Survivors besides his parents include a son, Ralph Eugene, living here with the grandparents; four sisters, Lorna Rae, Kathleen, DeLore Ann and Ruth, all of Indianapolis, and a brother, Phillip, stationed with the navy at Hutchinson, Kas.

William Ernest Lexow, aviation machinist's mate, 3-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lexow, Detroit, Mich., formerly of Indianapolis, was killed in action in the Central Pacific.

Survivors besides his parents are his wife, Mrs. Phyllis Lexow, a daughter, Leslie Diana, whom he had never seen, and a sister, Mrs. Nadine Tewks.

T. 4th Gr. Robert B. Miller, son of Mrs. Sarah J. Cooper, 2393 Hillside ave., was killed in action Aug. 17 in France.

He entered the service more than a year ago and received his training at Camp Howard, Tex., and at a camp near New Orleans, La. He went overseas last spring and was stationed in England before entering France.

Technician Miller was 19 and attended Crispus Attucks high school. He formerly was employed by the West Baking Co.

Pvt. Roy N. Murray, husband of Mrs. Ines G. Murray, formerly of 1716 N. Alabama st., today was listed by the war department as having been killed in action. He was serving in the European theater.

Pvt. Irvin L. Allee, son of Charles E. Allee, 546 N. Sheffield ave., has been missing in Italy since Oct. 25.

With the medical corps of the 8th army, he was one of the first foot soldiers to enter Rome. He received the purple heart for a wound received May 19 in Italy when he doctored himself and kept on active duty. He also holds the combat infantryman badge and the good conduct medal.

He entered the army in July, 1943, and went overseas in January, 1944. He is 19 and formerly was employed by the Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. He is a graduate of Washington high school.

A brother, Pvt. Charles Allee Jr., is with a ground crew of the 8th air force in England. He has four sisters, Misses Lucille, Alberta, Barbara and Sarah Allee.

Flight Officer Earl R. Huehls, husband of Mrs. Alice Huehls, 308 N. Keating ave., has been reported missing in Holland since Sept. 19.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Huehls, 1165 Nelson st., he entered the service in July, 1941, and arrived overseas in March. Formerly employed by R. C. A., he is 28.

He has two brothers in service, Pfc. Harold Kenneth, in Belgium, and Pfc. Charles B., in France.



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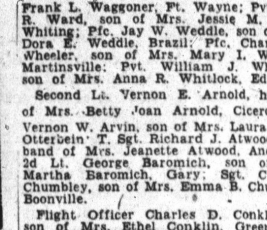
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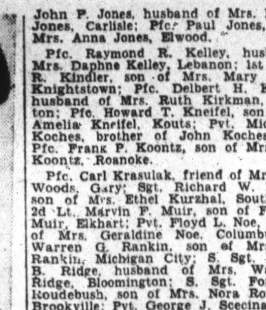
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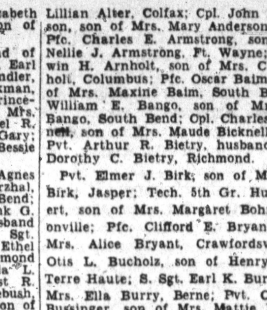
Pvt. Earl H. Meyer Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Meyer Sr., 2838 N. Chester st., has been missing in action in Holland since Oct. 26. He was serving as a tank driver with an armored infantry division.



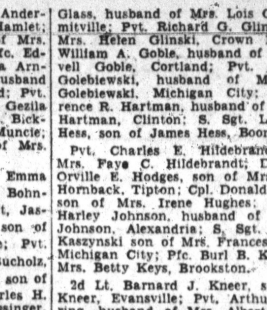
Pvt. Henry Willhoite, husband of Mrs. Ella Mae Willhoite, 3811 E. Terrace ave., was wounded Oct. 18 at Aachen and is recuperating in a hospital in England. He has been awarded the purple heart, which he sent to his wife.



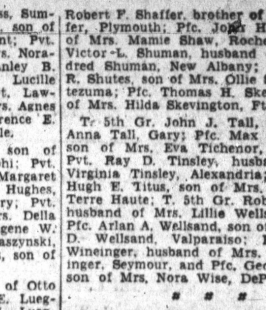
Pvt. Meyer He went overseas in May, 1944. A half-brother, Cpl. Kenneth H. Kitta, is serving in Germany. Cpl. Kitta's wife, Pvt. Harriet Kitta, is with the marines at Quantico, Va.



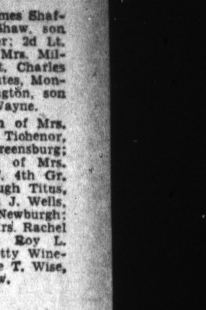
S. Sgt. Raymond E. Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Foster, Crawfordsville, has been awarded the distinguished unit badge.



The war department today confirmed that the following Indianapolis men have been killed in action:



Second Lt. Fred A. Crawford, son of Mrs. Julia E. Crawford, 306 Leeds ave., S. Sgt. Orville E. Benefield, husband of Mrs. Lucille M. Benefield, 3423 Carrollton ave.; Sgt. Michael S. Brezausk, son of Mrs. Anna Brezausk, 956 Arnolda ave.; Pvt. Claude L. Hume Jr., son of Mrs. Grace M. Hume, 1620 N. Alabama st.; Pvt. Orville L. Johnson, husband of Thelma E. Johnson, 1321 Bradberry ave.; Pvt. Karl Kornblum, husband of Mrs. Nina C. Kornblum, 3424 W. Washington st.; S. Sgt. Oliver R. Runk Jr., son of Mrs. Iris Runk, 831 W. 44th st.



Sgt. John T. Smitha, husband of Mrs. Mary P. Smitha, 1260 W. 31st st.; Pvt. William H. Whitson, son of Mrs. Louise Whitson, 1210 N. Oxford st.; 2d Lt. Robert H. Krueger, husband of Mrs. Norveta Krueger, Greenwood; 2d Lt. Lorin M. McCleary, husband of Mrs. Evelyn McCleary, 714 E. 51st st.; Sgt. Bernard Lewis, son of Mrs. Ida Lewis, 4343 1st st.; son of Earl J. Askern, 6480 Broadway, and 1st Lt. James E. Tomlinson, son of Mrs. Anthea L. Tomlinson, 928 Gilbert ave.

ROCK-A-BYE, DOLLY, IN YOUR SHOO-FLY

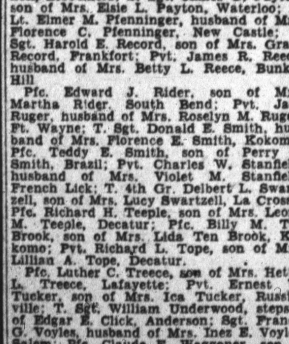
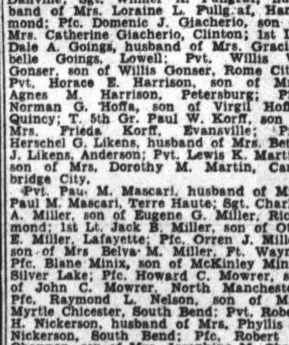
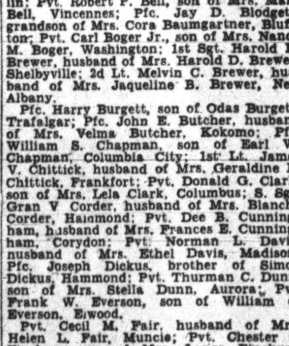
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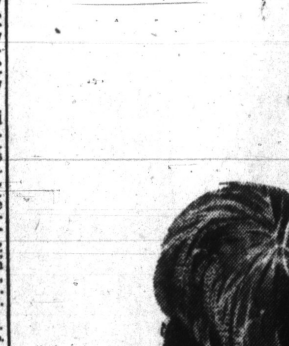
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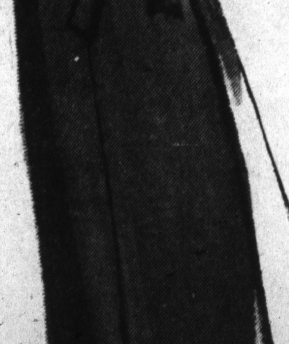
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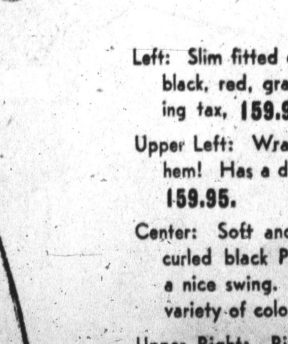
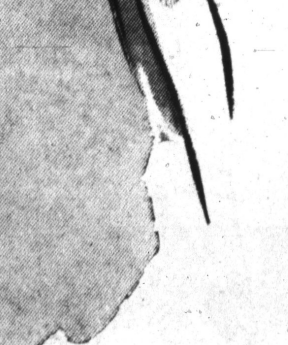
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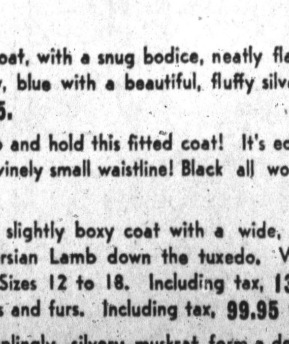
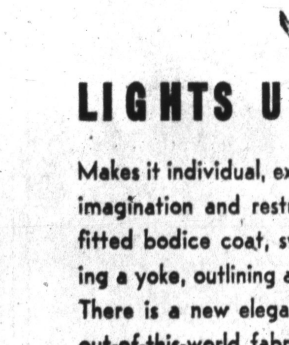
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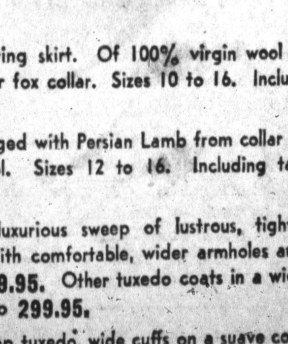
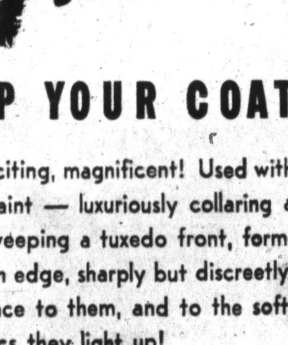
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