

Heist, James

**Quakertown Soldier
German Prisoner**

Staff Sergeant James Heist, a gunner on a Flying Fortress which was shot down on July 25 over Hamburg, Germany, is a prisoner of war in Germany. This fact has been confirmed by a telegram from the War Department received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Heist, 109 South Ambler Street, Quakertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Heist previously received a letter from Sanford Lowe, of 222 West 77th Street, New York

City, giving them the message a broadcast over short wave radio on Sunday from Berlin, with the following personal note: "I am feeling O. K., though I am a prisoner of war in Germany (Bavaria.) I hope everything is fine at home. I will write when I can. Don't worry."

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