Dreibelbis, Robert

Letter From Son Followed By Message Of Death In Action

A day after receiving a letter from her son, Sgt. Robert Dreibelbis, Mrs. Elizabeth Dreibelbis, Allentown, received a War Department message announcing that the young man had been killed in action in Italy on Oct. 15. He was a member of the Seventh Infantry Division.

Written only a few days prior to his reported death, the letter from Sgt. Dreibelbis stated that he was well and experiencing considerable action at the front. He was serving his second enlistment.

By strange coincidence on the day he died in Italy, according to the message, his grandfather, Benjamin Dreibelbis, of Allentown, was buried.