

McCarroll, Lewis

Cpl. McCarroll Blames Sniper For Wound

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THE 129TH GENERAL HOSPITAL, England.—Wounded in the left hand by a German sniper near Bastogne, Belgium, Corporal Lewis McCarroll, 27, of 528 Flot Street, Bethlehem, Pa., is now convalescing at this United States Army General Hospital in England.

"Two Jerry snipers were firing into our positions, and after I was hit a party of our men went out to locate them," said Cpl. McCarroll, member of an airborne division. "I was given immediate first aid by a medic and moved to a hospital. I was evacuated to England by hospital ship."

"Cpl. McCarroll is making steady

progress and will recover from his wound," said Captain Harris S. Wendorf of Ravenna, Ohio, his ward surgeon. "He is being given the finest treatment modern medical science can provide."

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard G. McCarroll, of the Flot address, Cpl. McCarroll entered the Army in November, 1942, and received his military training at Camp Maxey, Texas, and Camp Gruber, Oklahoma. In civil life he was employed

by the Bethlehem Steel Company. He has a brother, William, 21, stationed in Belgium in an armored division, and another brother, Edward, 24, training in the infantry in the United States.

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