

Barnett, John

Killed In Action



S/SGT. JOHN BARNETT

S/Sgt. Barnett War Victim In Germany

S/Sgt. John Barnett, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett, 1331 New Street, was killed in action March 12, 1945, according to an official message received by his wife, Mrs. Margaret Barnett, 113 West Union Boulevard. He had previously been reported missing in Germany February 9, 1945.

S/Sgt. Barnett had been fighting overseas with the Third Army since December and had seen considerable action in France, Belgium and Luxembourg. He was a member of the 417th Infantry Division.

A Liberty High School graduate and former employe of the Hotel Bethlehem, he entered the service in January, 1943. After completing his training at Camp McCoy, Wis.; Fort Meade, Md., and Camp Robinson, Ark., he was sent overseas to England.

In addition to his wife, the former Margaret Schall, he is survived by his parents and a sister, Nancy, at home.

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