Former Bethlehem Steel Worker Is Missing In Action

Official word that Lt Charles O. Herman is listed as a war casualty has been received from the War Department by his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Herman, 1623½ Allen Street, Allentown. He has been missing in action over Germany since July 18. His parents, however, are of the hope that he may be found in a German prison camp. Some weeks before he flew out on the mission from which he has not as yet returned, Lieutenant Herman completed gunnery training in the African theatre and on June 29 was promoted to the rank of first lieutenant.

Born in Emmaus, Lieutenant Herman spent most of his life in Allentown. He left Bethlehem Steel in March, 1943 to enlist in the Army Air Forces. After training at several bases on the west coast and in the southwest, he was graduated at Lake Field, Ariz., and received his commission as a second lieutenant last January. Early in April he went overseas.