Northern Kentucky Marine Are Reported as Killed in Battle

Two Other Service Men Missing and Three Are Wounded in Battle.

Two northern Kentuckians, a marine and a sailor, have been killed in action, two are missing and three wounded, according to reports received Thursday from the War and Navy Departments.

Corp Billy G. Pribble, USMC, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elza Pribble, 2302 Center Street, Covington, was killed in action during the campaign for Saipan, his family was informed by the War Department. The date of his death was not given in the telegram.

Pribble, an employe of the Klingenberg Hardware Co., Covington, before entering the service, had twice been rejected from the Marines because of his height, but through perseverance enlisted in January, 1942. He left the United States six months later without returning home, his brother, Randy Pribble, stated.

Besides his parents and brother, Corp. Pribble is survived by a sister, Mrs. Nelson Gordon, whose husband, a lieutenant in the Marine Air Corps, is stationed at Cherry Point, N. C. Corp. Pribble was engaged to Miss Maybelle (Blue) Klappert, Ft. Mitchell.
association at a meeting following
the picnic supper Tuesday at Devou
Park. This affair was sponsored by
the Business Women’s Circle of the
First Baptist Church. Mrs. Alta
Higdon is counselor of the YWA.

Mrs. C. Jefferson Hudson of Cleve-
land Drive in Park Hills is anticipat-
ing the arrival next week of her
son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and
Mrs. Jeff Hudson, from Ft. Bragg,
N. C.

Lt. and Mrs. Hudson will also visit
with Mrs. Hudson’s parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Roger Beem in Tiffin, O.

Miss Nina Nolloth of Covington
and Mrs. John Nolloth of Hyde Park,
Cincinnati, are enjoying a visit with
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson in
Fayetteville, N. C. Mr. and Mrs.
Robinson are former residents of
Covington.

Newport

The Newport Chapter, Order of
De Molay, Mothers’ Club held a
meeting at the home of Mrs. Ruth
Weiner, on Biehl Street, South
Newport, with the president, Mrs.
Stella Busam, presiding.

Games were played, with awards
going to Mrs. Gladys Keeler, Hazel
Balser, Anna Beard, Alma Kline
and Katherine Selbert. Refresh-
ments were served by the hostess.

A summer festival, under the
sponsorship of the Westminster
Women of the First Presbyterian
Church, was a delightful affair
Tuesday evening on the church
grounds.

Arrangements for the entire fes-
tival were under the personal direc-
tion of Miss Edith Ewald, general
chairman. The jitney supper was
supervised by the dinner chairman,
Mrs. Sam Neal, with Mr. Elmer
King in charge of the soft drinks.
Other booths included: White ele-
phant, by Circle No. 2 (Mrs. Ruth
Conway, chairman); country store,
Circle No. 1 (Miss Jane Nagel, chair-
man); baked goods, Circle No. 3
(Mrs. Evelyne Holland, chairman).