

Grand-Son of ^{3/7/44} Former Newton Woman Dies

Private William E. Everman Dies of Wounds Received in the Ital- ian Campaign in February

Mattoon, March 3.—Private Ernest William "Billy" Everman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Everman of 2405 Richmond avenue, Mattoon, died somewhere in Italy in February, according to a message received by his parents from the War Department at 8:30 o'clock Thursday night.

The message stated that Private Everman had been wounded, while in action, and his wounds were so serious that his death followed.

The young man, aged 20 years this coming Sunday, had reached the senior class in the Mattoon high school when he entered the armed services a year ago.

He leaves his parents; a brother, John Richard Everman of Mattoon; three sisters, Marjorie and Esther, at home, and Miss Dorothy Everman of Washington, D. C.; and his grandmother, Mrs. Richard Harrah of 1625 Madison street, Charleston, formerly of Newton.

He was a member of the Baptist church.

Wounded in Action

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woodard of Dieterich vicinity have received word that their son, Private First Class Charles Woodard, was wounded in Italy, February 6. He has been overseas for twenty-two months and in combat seven months of this time. He was awarded the good conduct medal in December.