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PVT. KRONSTEDT KILLED IN ACTION

Pvt. Ernest A. Kronstedt, 37, son of Mrs. Marie Kronstedt, Route 4, Wisconsin Rapids, was killed in action in Germany on November 9, according to a war department telegram received by his mother Saturday. Private Kronstedt was a rifleman with the 415th Infantry. Mrs. Kronstedt had last heard from her son in a letter from Holland dated November 2. He had been home on furlough back in March of this year.

He was born in Wisconsin Rapids, September 12, 1907. Before entering the army he was engaged in farming. Private Kronstedt entered the army August 17, 1942 and received his basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C. He next was transferred to a New York camp, then to Camp Adair, Ore. and finally to Camp Carson, Colo., before going overseas in early August, 1944.

Private Kronstedt is survived by his mother, by three brothers, Robert, on the farm on Route 4, Vernet, who has a farm in Sigel, and Albert, who runs a farm near Rockford, Ill.; and by five sisters, Esther, who is serving with the WAVES at Glenville, Ill., Mrs. Gus Nelson (Elsa) in Sigel; Mrs. William Schroeder (Ellen) in Rockford; Mrs. Roman Deranck (Agnes) in Wisconsin Rapids; and Mrs. Steve Moscinski (Ethel) in Junction City. Two sisters, Mabel and Lora, preceded him in death.

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