Wm. F. Klanecky, Elwood Miska, Die of Battle Wounds

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2 More Valley County Young Men Give Lives on Leyte Island and in Germany.

Valley county was sad this week. For the news had come of the death of two young men, one serving his country in Germany, and the other on far off Leyte Island.

The first message to reach this vicinity came last Wednesday, when Mr. and Mrs. William Klanecky received a wire telling of the death of their son on Oct. 30, following wounds received Oct. 27. A letter confirming the death came Monday. Left to mourn also are five sisters, Wilma, Lillian, Norma, Barbara and Bonnle Lou, also two brothers, Leonard and Leon, as well as grandparents, who are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adamek.



WM. F. KLANECKY.

The second son of the family, Staff Sergeant William F. Klanecky was born April 9, 1922, and was 22 years old at the time of his death. He went to Plainview school, and entered military ranks two years ago on Oct. 19. After training at Camp Adair, Ore,, and at Fort Lewis, Wash, he was shipped overseas in early September. He was with the 96th infantry in the army. Three weeks ago word of his wounds reached Ord.