



WILFRED HOFFMANN

Pfc. Hoffmann Killed in Action In South Pacific

Wilfred (Bruno) Hoffmann, 20, a private first class in the U. S. marines, was killed in action, presumably in the South Pacific theatre of operations, according to a telegram received late Monday from Lt. General Vandegrift, U. S. marine commandant.

Private Hoffmann was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffmann, 381 Fifth avenue south, St. Cloud.

He is the second Times employe to die in the service. Lt. Gilbert

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Schoener was killed in action in Italy last January.

Hoffmann was born in Waite Park October 17, 1923, and was educated in the St. Joseph school there, later attending Holy Angels grade school. He was a graduate of Cathedral High school. He was employed by The Times, first as a carrier boy, and later in the mailing room. At the time of his enlistment, he was an apprentice stereotyper.

He received his marine training in this country, and later was sent to Hawaii, after which he participated in the battle of Tarawa and perhaps Saipan or Guam.

He is survived by his parents, and the following brothers and sisters: Glenn, Doris, Rita, Daniel, Hilarry, Mary Ann and Armella.

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