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Private Samuel B. Armstrong, of Camp Dix, has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Armstrong, in Chestertown.

About a year ago Private James Edgar Potts, a former Kent county boy, died in France beside his gun—the first Marylander to give up his life for the great cause. In Fayette Street M. E. Church, Baltimore, on Friday the friends of Private Pots gathered to pay tribute to his memory and to witness unveiling a bronze tablet commemorating his memory.

The ceremonies were impressive and the church was crowded. In addition to Mayor Preston, Dr. Howard McMains, a "Y" worker, just returned from France, who was stationed near the battery at the time of Young Potts' death, and the Rev. Hamilton P. Fox, pastor of the church, spoke. Then the congregation marched out of the church, and after the minister had said the tablet was presented to the people of Maryland in memory of the first son of Maryland to fall in battle against the Hun, four boys, former Sunday-school pupils of Potts', pulled the American flag from the tablet. Some one broke into the doxology and with bared heads the crowd sang "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

Prior to marching from the church, the congregation had sung Private Potts' favorite hymn, the words of which are on the tablet.

Mayor Preston in his address paid a tribute to the bravery and self-sacrifice of the young man who marched off to battle for world freedom. Potts was one of the best liked men in the battery. The Mayor added that this country, in its present state of civilization, led the world, and that those left should do their utmost to see that the sacrifices made in France were not made in vain.

Dr. McMains told how he had known Potts in the days before his death, how he had always been cheerful, and how the men of the battery were grieved over his death.

"It was just about this time in the evening, one year ago," he said. "Well I remember the scene. I was right up at the front with the boys, and I recall how they spoke in hushed whispers of Potts being taken off. They did not seem to understand why it should have been Potts; why it could not have been some other fellow. Potts was such a favorite with all, they felt as though they had lost their best friend. And they had."

The Rev. Mr. Fox told of Potts work in the church. He said he was one of the noblest men he had known. He urged his congregation to not forget the sacrifices made and said that all should back up "the greatest figure in our history who has left his country and is battling alone to make such scenes as we have passed through the last four years impossible in the future.

The following letter, under date of Feb. 7, 1919, Boucq, France, to his parents, is from Mr. Charles Hodgkins, of Chestertown:

It is snowing here hard at the present time with about three inches on the ground already, but we have a nice fire going and I just fried myself two eggs. They cost 14 cents each and are very scarce at that. We are very well fixed for the winter and I hope we don't move until we start for home, but we don't know when that will be. I told you once before we were not in any division. We are army troops attached to the Second Field Army. We have a large figure (2) on our left shoulder; it is red and white and is very pretty. We get our gold stripe in about three weeks and I will have two silver ones to wear when I get back, so we will be all decorated up.

The following letter is to Mr. J. T. Carroll, of Queen Annes, near town, from his son, who is in France:

Just a note to let you know how I am getting along. Am in good health; feel good all the time. But the question that is worrying me is when will I get home? Am very anxious to get back—perhaps overanxious. But I guess that's just human nature. I think and hope awfully strong that we will all be back in our homes by summer. Can only look forward anxiously to the time of our departure. Give my regards to every one. Will be home some day.

The following letter is from Mr. Arthur Cooper to the Transcript:

Received your most welcome letter and was very glad to hear from you. Just got it yesterday, as I have been on a furlough. Left here (Rambluzen) on the second of January for LaBourboule, France and was only to be here 1 week, but they could not get the cars to send us back until I had been there 22 days, and I surely did enjoy myself. I saw Schelberg, Parsons and Bowen that used to go to college. They were on leave there. I receive the Transcript more regularly of late and appreciate it very much and thank you very much. The Y. M. C. A. was surely great where we were on furlough. They had about 15 men and 15 ladies at the "Y" (they use a casino) and have a fine reading and writing room. Also have vaudevilles and movies and lectures and a large canteen. Then they give them a treat each Sunday afternoon and have church service every Sunday morning and evening. Surely are doing good. I surely do enjoy the paper and try to pass it to any boy from there that don't get it.

I am patiently awaiting for the time to come home and hope it soon comes for I surely will be happy to come back to the dear old U. S. A., for France may be alright—it has some beautiful places—but there is no place like home.

Frank Lambert is now in our company.

The following letter is from Serg. Heston H. Ford, who is in France, to his mother. Serg. Ford is at Lavellee.

Your letter received and was glad to hear from you. The reason I don't write oftener is because we have so many horse inspections during the day and it just keeps us busy from morning until night and we get so tired that when we have our supper we go right to bed. We are having a little cold weather over here just at present and about 2 or 3 inches of snow on the ground, and sleeping in a little stone house by an old fashioned fire place where you freeze on one side and roast on the other.

I sure would like to be home for that turkey supper that Ned Morgan is going to have for the boys.

I was up to see the sights at Verdun and St. Mehiel, where some of the biggest battles were fought and believe me it sure is wonderful to look at. Speaking about coming home, you can look for me about July or August.

POMONA

Mr. T. DeC. Ruth, of Newark, N. J., and Mr. C. C. Brown, Jr., of Philadelphia, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown.

Mrs. W. F. Malin is substituting as teacher here.

Mr. Sheppard Gardener returned home Saturday after visiting his aunt, Mrs. Miriam Davidson, and family, in Baltimore.

Miss Fannie Edwards, of Baltimore, and Mr. W. R. Bowers, of Aberdeen, spent the week-end at their home.

Mr. James Deford has returned home after visiting relatives and friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Stanton Brown and daughter, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Maslin.

Miss Louise Leaverton spent last week end in Baltimore.

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