

EX-ELKHART YOUTH  
KILLED IN BATTLE

Blake Lilly, 23, High School  
Graduate of 1911, Slain  
in Europe.

News-Times Special Service:  
ELKHART, Ind., June 17.—Blake Lilly, who was graduated from the Elkhart high school in 1911, was recently killed in battle while a soldier of the British empire.

"Cabled announcement of Blake's death at front received by mother," was the brief telegram received on Thursday morning by William F. Lilly, 125 Vine st., a brother. The message came from Robert Lilly, who, with another brother, Howard Lilly, is at Seattle. Mrs. Elizabeth Lilly, the widowed mother, resides alone at Vancouver, B. C.

She has given three sons for her country's service. They are Blake, the one who has now made the highest sacrifice—his life; Ronald Lilly, who enlisted in the same regiment with Blake, and George Lilly, who two months ago went to the front as a member of 7th Highlanders.

Blake and Ronald enlisted in June, 1915, in the famous Princess Patricia regiment, one whose history for self-sacrificing valor is unparalleled during the present war.

Blake Lilly would have been 23 years old Saturday, having been born June 17, 1892, at St. Thomas, Ont. His parents and four children moved to Elkhart in 1906, and the family left here five years ago, soon after Blake finished the high school course.

The family was always noted for its intense patriotism. On the queen's birthday and other national holidays of the British empire, they displayed at their Elkhart home the flag of the empire. This intense regard for their native land was manifested, not with any disrespect to America and her institutions, but in entire good faith and commendable sincerity.

Henry J. Culp of this city, has filed suit in the superior court against Ephraim Culp, in one paragraph asking for a judgment for \$2,998 for money alleged to be due, and in another paragraph asking that an agreement entered into by him with the defendant be reformed and that he be given judgment for \$5,000 for the alleged failure

of the defendant to carry out his part of the agreement, by which the defendant was to provide for the plaintiff in comfort as long as he lived. It is averred.

Henry J. and Ephraim Culp, father and son, were in the undertaking business in Goshen under the name of H. J. Culp and Son. The son was the active member. The complaint alleges, and the father, the only financial backer of the undertaking. It was in this capacity that he became a creditor of the firm, it is alleged. The partnership was dissolved, the son continuing the business. The father went to live with him, under the agreement that he should be made comfortable as long as he lived, but it is alleged, the son and his family soon made things so disagreeable that the father was obliged to leave and came to Elkhart to reside with a daughter. Attorneys W. B. Hile of this city, and L. W. Vail of Goshen, have been retained by the plaintiff.

Four of Elkhart's railroad employe orders, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and the Order of Railway Conductors and the ladies' auxiliaries, will hold joint memorial services at the First Evangelical church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. E. W. Praetorius will deliver a special sermon on the occasion.

The musical part of the program will be given by the church choir; Mrs. Kate B. Schwin, Mrs. Peterson and Miss Una Kepler.

One of the features of the services will be an impressive ceremonial, in which flowers will be deposited in designs of the various orders as the names of the dead are called. Members of the Engineers' and Trainmen's orders will place their flowers in stars; the Firemen and Engineers in a heart, and the Conductors in a triangle within a circle.

PRESENTS PEN.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 17.—Gov. Ralston presented to Thomas Taggart, Jr., son of Sen. Taggart, the pen with which he made out the commission for the former's father when he appointed him to the senate.

LEAVE FOR SOUTH.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 17.—Two companies of the coast artillery corps, the 102nd and the 103rd, left here Friday for Eagle Pass, Texas, for border patrol duty. A hospital corps detachment accompanied them.

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Dr. Paxson has removed his dental office from 129 S. Michigan to Room 420 Farmers Trust Bldg.—Advt.

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Flat rate water contracts for the coming year are payable at the City Water Works Office on or before June 30.

All customers of the Water Department desiring service after June 30 on the annual flat rate basis should give their prompt attention as all flat rate service not paid in advance of July 1 will be promptly discontinued.

For the convenience of its customers the Water Department Office will be open during the noon hour and until 8 P. M. from June 26 to June 30 inclusive. Closed Saturday Afternoons.

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Being Certain

No matter which way a cat falls it always lights "feet first."

This reference has many times been made in describing some particularly fortunate venture of a person or concern. However consider those who take a chance—occasionally they win—but more often those who leave much to chance have little success.

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OUT OF THE PAST

Mrs. DENISON listened to her husband's footsteps as they came down the passage and softly knocked outside her door. "Mabel, may I come in?" "Yes, yes, come in," she called. "I am sorry, Max, but my head is still bad," she replied. "He retied the handle of the door. It is a whole day since you were taken ill with this head," she went on, "and so it seems no better. It is high time that I see you, as I might do you good."

"There is nothing you can do for me," she answered sadly. "Please go away. I want to be alone." There was a moment's silence, then a sudden creak, a splinter of wood, and from out of the cabinet a man's tall figure emerged. "No!" she gasped. "I belong to myself. I don't recognize the claim of a man who with lies and trickery, who betrayed his friend and acted like a coward! From today, go my own way, and the next thing I do will be to try to clear myself in his eyes."

"I see, I am sorry I asked you to give up your quest. How long do you intend to keep that advertisement in the papers?" "Till after Christmas," she replied. "We are spending Christmas at the Willoughby's place, you know; but I could motor up to town should I hear from him."

Where, with one or two flashing diamonds, he caught the gold gleam of her wedding ring. "So you are married?" he said, slowly. "To Denison, I suppose? The rich man you won at last?" She flushed hotly. "I never knew that you asked me to wait; that you were in some trouble. Your letter said that another man's treachery had parted you both—my husband's treachery."

As he listened to her low but passionate vows the man's face lost its listening look and became calculating and crafty. "You talk like this because you are excited and angry," he said slowly. "But the morning you will laugh and think how foolish you were to prefer a poor man to a rich one like your husband. In a few minutes I shall be gone, he went on, "but you must go first. I can slip out as I came—through the window."

"How dare you break into my room? If you have no respect for my feelings, you might at least remember that there are servants in the house." "You should have remembered that before you refused to open the door," he retorted quietly, removing a piece of splinter from his hand and stanching the blood with his handkerchief. "If you choose to behave like a petulant child and lock yourself into your room without rhyme or reason, you give the servants quite enough to chatter about downstairs, while the women again in a little bit of violence on my part as the natural sequence to a domestic misunderstanding. It will clear the atmosphere and bring down the tension of things to a normal level."