ARTHUR L. DUNN

POWERTO BATTLIIONS OF THE CHIEF FIRE

Dunn and Leo P. Heck, whose appointments as battalion chiefs were effective immediately, have been recommended by the City Council last night by Chief Fireman H. Wesley Clark and are to be made official. The council, however, has been made aware of the fire department's need and has accepted the recommendations of Chief Dunn and Deputy Chief Dunn, effective since 1931. Their appointments to the new ranks were made by Chief James H. Coffin.

Walter F. M. BATARLA
Killed in the Service of His Country

SECOND SON DIES IN THE SERVICE OF HIS COUNTRY

Word of Marine's Death
Comes as Plunge Made
for Brother's Funeral

As final plans were being made yesterday for the funeral of Lieutenant John B. Hardy, Jr., of the U.S. Marine Corps, which was held this morning in St. John's Church, the mother of Mrs. Margaret Hardy, received a telegram, notifying her that her son, Private First Class Francis M. Hardy, Jr., of the 23rd Division, had been killed in action at Iwo Jima, Japan. The telegram was signed in addition by Lieutenant General A. A. Vandenberg, commanding officer of the U.S. Marine Corps, and continued: "I have no further information at the date of this telegram as to the cause of death."

Private Francis B. Hardy was killed on July 12 in a collision with an airplane over China. He was a graduate of the Saint Paul High School and attended the University of Minnesota for two years.

Prior to his service in the Marine Corps, he was the president of the Minnesota State College and later went on to become a student at Saint Louis University in St. Louis, Missouri.

After finishing his studies in September, 1943, he was transferred to the Pacific, where he served with the 23rd Division in the Philippines and is now stationed in the Far East, under the command of Lieutenant General A. A. Vandenberg.

The body of the late Private Francis B. Hardy was buried in a military cemetery in Iwo Jima, Japan. His mother, Mrs. Margaret Hardy, accompanied the remains to the United States and is now stationed in St. Louis, Missouri.

LEONARD E. MCCONNAGHY
Dies for His Country

Falls Private Killed in Action

Private Alexander P. McConnaghy, of 1447 Water Avenue, was killed in action in France on July 30, according to a telegram received by the husband, Mr. Millard Allen McConnaghy, of the same address. Mr. McConnaghy was inducted into the army May 22, 1942. He received his training at Fort Sam, Fort Knox, Fort Benning, Camp Chaffee and Camp Cooke. He was sent overseas and arrived in Scotland in February, 1944, before induction he was employed by the United States Paper Company.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Allen McConnaghy, of 1447 Water Avenue, and the following sisters and brothers: Margaret, Allen, Mrs. Rose Coughlin, James, Patrick and Paul, of Milford Park, John, of San Francisco, and Joseph, of the Anti-Aircraft Artillery in the South Pacific.