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2 LT Frederick R. Reimers

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Branch of Service: U.S. Army

Hometown: Winnebago County, WI

Status: KIA February 19, 1944



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Second Lieut. Frederick R. Reimers Jr., 22, Was Serving with Field Artillery in Italy

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Reimers, 495 Washington boulevard, last evening were informed by Adjutant General Ulio, of the war department that their son, Second Lieut. Frederick Reed Reimers Jr., 22, was killed in action on Feb. 19.

The government wire did not state the location, but when the parents last heard from the son, he was in Italy. In a letter received here Sunday, and dated by the youth on Feb. 15, he mentioned that his commanding officer had been killed and that he "had not had his clothing off for three weeks" and mentioned further the tough conditions faced by the Americans fighting in Italy.

In Field Artillery

Lieutenant Reimers was a member of the field artillery division. He had been overseas since last September. He entered service in 1942.