Re:-David S Wolfson
1813 S Miller Av.Chicago,Ill.

noted 12/12/19 ②

WAR RECORD OF AMERICAN JEWS

CASUALTIES

Compiled by the Office of War Records of the American Jewish Committee, in cooperation
with the Jewish Welfare Board and other leading organizations, as a permanent memorial
of Jewish Service in the World War and as a contribution to American and Jewish history.

1. Name in Full _David Samuel Wolfson_

2. Present Service or Business Address _Salesman- Fred Butterfield & Co 73 W. Jackson Blvd. Chicago_

3. Legal Residence _1813 So. Millard Ave Chicago Ill_

4. Date and Place of Birth _Russia_, _January 1st 1892_

5. Birthplace of Parents _Russia_

6. Education (if college or university graduate, give name of institution, date of graduation and degree obtained) _Grammar School P.S. 147 N.Y._

7. Brief summary of civilian career before joining service _Arrived in the U.S. from Glasgow Scotland 1905. Attended school in N.Y. Went to Texas to study farming, came to Chicago in 1910 and was employed by Rothfeld Stern & Co of N.Y. Left for Europe in 1914 and travelled through Great Britain France, Belgium, and Germany. Returned to the United States from Antwerp in June 1914. came to Chicago, and employed by Fred Butterfield & Co of N.Y. Enlisted in March 1916 in 2nd Ill Infantry, I.N.G. served on the Mexican Border. Served in the race riots in East St. Louis Ill in 1917 called to the colors July 28th 1917._

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WAR RECORD

8. Full Name and Highest Rank....David Samuel Wolfson, Sergeant

9. Arm of Service (Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Uniformed Auxiliary Service)....U.S. Army

10. Branch (such as Infantry, Field Artillery, Medical Corps, Pay Corps, etc.)....132nd Infantry

11. Method of Entrance into Service (Enlisted, Enrolled, Drafted, Commissioned, or Volunteered)....Volunteered

12. Date of Entrance into Service....March 16, 1916

13. Rank or Rating upon Entrance into Service and First Organization, Unit, Station, or Ship....Private. Co. L. 2nd Ill.

14. Date of Leaving Service. (If still in service, so state)....May 31st 1919

15. Highest Rank or Rating and Last Organization, Unit, Station, or Ship....Sergeant Co. D. 132nd Inf.

16. Promotions or Official Recommendations for Promotion Received, with Dates Thereof....

17. Length of Time Spent Overseas or Afloat, Counting Toward Service Chevrons....One year

18. Duties and General Location of Organization, Unit or Ship....Combat organization. Somme, Verdun, Troyon Sur Meuse

19. Participated in the following actions:....Somme Amiens Hamel Argonne Forest Bois Du Forges Bois du Fais, Troyon Sur Meuse

20. CASUALTY: Killed in action or by accident; died of wounds or disease; gassed; shell-shocked; or taken prisoner. (Please give circumstantial details as to nature of casualty, time and place, name of hospital, etc., etc. Copies of official documents are particularly desired.)

Wounded Sept 26th in advance towards enemy, in forges Woods Hit by shrapnel, last Hospital Base 114 Bordeaux France. Stomach wound right over navel

We advanced towards Bois du Forges
where I was wounded. and received
first aid in Field Hospital 139.
and was sent to Bordeaux in Base
114. Rejoined my division early
part of November. and was put in
charge of an outpost. Went out
on a fighting patrole on night of
Nov. 6, and captured 17 prisoners.
in Troyon sur Meuse section. In action
till Armstice day. Nov. 19 sent to school
at Gondrecourt to study Grenades, and
Automatic rifle. I was also an instructor on
Stokes Trench Mortar. Served in the Army
of Occupation. Stationed in Luxembourg.
                    Left for the States
in April 1919. Arrived here in
May from Port of Brest on U.S.S. Mount
Vernon. Discharged May 31st 1919.
                    David G. Wolfson