

Gallant Fenelon Falls Soldier ^{may 18/45} Killed In Action

Accompanying this article is a picture of Lance-Corp. Glenn Melvin Sheehey, of Fenelon Falls, who was killed in action in Italy on Jan. 24th, 1945, following long,

faithful and brave service in the effort to stop the Hun and for the freedom of the world.



L.-Cpl. Sheehey was born in the Township of Verulam, a mile out of Fenelon Falls, and received his early education at the Public and

L-/Cpl. Sheehey Continuation
Schools in that village. For a time he was in the employ of Mr. M. Lansfield in the express business. He was a member of the United Church.

In May, 1942, he enlisted with the Lanark-Renfrew Scottish and received his basic training at Sussex, N.B., Debert and Halifax, N.S. He went overseas in September of the same year with the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Regiment, with which unit he served until June, 1944. He was first reported seriously ill from gun shot wounds in the abdomen and spent some time in the hospital in England. He was later transferred to the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment reinforcements. In August he was again wounded from shell fragments in the shoulder, arm and leg. Recovering from these injuries, this young and gallant soldier was again sent into the lines in September when he received his Lance-Corporal stripes. The last letter received from him was on Dec. 28th.

L.-Corp. Sheehey was a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheehey, of Fenelon Falls, and has one brother, Pte. Vernon Sheehey, at Aldershot, N.B., as well as two sisters surviving, namely: Mrs. R. C. Thompson, of Sudbury; Willa and Audrey, at home, and his grandmother, Mrs. J. Sheehey.