

STIMSON LAUDS 106th RECORD

Division Trained At Atterbury Suffered Over 8,000 Casualties

CAMP ATTERBURY, Jan. 20 — Secretary of War Stimson, lauding "the gallant stand" made by the 106th Division in the Ardennes yesterday said it suffered 8663 casualties. 416 killed, 1246 wounded, and 7001 missing.

"It was the contribution of the men of this division and of others less heavily hit . . . which helped make possible the halting and repelling of the enemy," Secretary Stimson said.

Recent reports from front correspondents have listed the now famous "Lion" division as still fighting.

Yesterday British Prime Minister Churchill said that the Ardennes battle had been turned into "an ever famous American victory and is more likely to shorten this war than lengthen it."

The 106th Division trained at Atterbury from March until October of last year. Our other two divisions, the 83rd and 30th, are fighting heroically and also helped stop the Nazi offensive.

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