

# JOHN JOSEPH EBBERT

U. S. Army Private, Det. 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion, Chemical Warfare Service, Edgewood Arsenal

Died of Tuberculosis on January 21, 1919 at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland

Compiled by Linda Cunningham Fluharty.

John Joseph Ebbert was born on October 15, 1892, per West Virginia Birth Record. He was the son of John Ebbert and Mary Ann Robrecht, married in Triadelphia, Ohio County, West Virginia, on February 12, 1885. The mother died in Wheeling on January 18, 1902, at age 40.

In the 1910 census of Ohio County, the John Ebbert family lived on Middle Wheeling Creek in Triadelphia; Mr. Ebbert was a farmer. Children in the home were George A., 23, Louisa C., 22, Mary F., 20, **John J., 17**, Charles W., 15, Emma E., 12, Otto J., 10 and Henry A., 8.

The father, John Ebbert, died of Dropsy on September 28, 1914. In his will, he appointed his son, George, as the guardian of the minor children.

According to his World War I Draft Registration, John Joseph Ebbert, moved to Baltimore, Maryland and worked as a trainman.

Form 1 REGISTRATION CARD 751 No. 56		19-1-4 A REGISTRAR'S REPORT	
1 Name in full	John Joseph Ebbert	Age, in yrs.	23
2 Home address	Hotel Terminal, Pk Ave + Fayette	1 Tell, medium or short (specify which)?	Tall
3 Date of birth	Sept 25 1894	Slender, medium, or stout (which)?	Stout
4 Are you (1) a natural-born citizen, (2) a naturalized citizen, (3) an alien, (4) or have you declared your intention (specify which)?	Natural Born	2 Color of eyes?	Blue
5 Where were you born?	Triadelphia W Va	Color of hair?	Dark
6 If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject?		Bald?	
7 What is your present trade, occupation or office?	Trainman 23	3 Has person lost arm, leg, hand, foot or both eyes, or is he otherwise disabled (specify)?	No
8 By whom employed?	Western Md. R.R. Co	I certify that my answers are true, that the person registered has read his own answers, that I have witnessed his signature, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:	
9 Where employed?	Port Covington Maryland	Geo. Harshbarger USAW Reed (Signature of registrar)	
10 Have you father, mother, wife, child under 12, or a sister or brother under 12, solely dependent on you for support (specify which)?	No	Preinct	14th Branch West
11 Married or single (which)?	Single	City or County	Baltimore
12 Do you claim exemption from draft (specify grounds)?		State	Maryland
I affirm that I have verified above answers and that they are true.		Date of registration	
John Joseph Ebbert (Signature of registrant)		June 5/17	

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Triadelphia, W.Va.; 9/21/93  
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Daily Intelligencer, 22 Jan 1919

**Private John J Ebbert.**

Private John Joseph Ebbert, formerly of Wheeling, died last Monday night in an eastern hospital, in the 27th year of his age. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Ebbert of Middle Wheeling at 8:30 o'clock, followed by requiem city, where he spent the greater part of his life. Previous to his induction into service last May he resided in Balti-

more. Death resulted from pulmonary Interment was in Greenwood. A number Mrs. George A., Charles W., Otto J. and Helvie, pastor of the First Unitarian James P. Griffith and Miss Emma Ebbert, of Middle Wheeling creek, and Mrs. John J. Carroll, of Chantal Court. He was a member of Carroll Court, No. 504, Knights of Columbus. The remains will be brought to this city for burial.

Wheeling Intelligencer, 24 Jan 1919

**Funeral of Private Ebbert Today.**

At 8:30 o'clock this morning from the residence of his sister, Mrs James P Griffith, on Middle Wheeling creek, will take place the funeral of Private John Joseph Ebbert, son of Mr and Mrs. John Ebbert, who died Monday night at the government hospital at Otisville, N Y. Services at the house will be followed by requiem high mass at St. Mary's church in Triadelphia, at nine o'clock. Interment will be made in St. Marys cemetery.

He is buried at Our Lady of Seven Dolors Cemetery, Triadelphia, Ohio County, West Virginia.

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