

## Jamaican killed in Vietnam



**WAVER HUGH BUCHANAN**, born at Carron Hall, St. Mary, and the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Clement Hugh Buchanan, now residents of Boston, Mass., U.S.A., was killed in action in the Vietnam war during Easter Week. He was 18 years old and left school to volunteer in the U.S. Navy. He is survived by his parents in Boston, his grandmother, Mrs. Bell Buchanan, of Carron Hall, and uncles Mr. Val Turnbull of Port Antonio and former Councillor G. W. Turnbull now of Boston, U.S.A.

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A Jamaican, Private Patrick Alfred Clayton, 26 of 187-10 119th Road, St Albans, New York was killed in Vietnam on Sunday night when the barracks in which he was asleep was bombed, according to a report received here.

Mr. Clayton, who worked as an internal auditor at K. Hanna and Sons, King Street, left Jamaica for the United States about five years ago and joined the United States Army. Before leaving Jamaica he studied accountancy at Bennett College, now Kingston Commercial College, 149 East Street, Kingston.

Private Clayton took up duties in Vietnam about a year ago and was scheduled to complete his tour of duty in March next year. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fay Clayton, of Long Island, New York. He will be buried in the United States.

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Mr Geoffrey D R Saunders son of Mr Kerth D A Saunders of 28 Lords Road Kingston 10 has been killed in the Vietnam war

Prior to his death Geoffrey had been awarded the National Defence Service Medal Vietnam Service Medal Vietnam Campaign Ribbon Parachutist Badge and the Expert Badge with Rifle Bar

He has been awarded posthumously the Bronze Star Medal Purple Heart Good Conduct Medal and the Combat Infantry Badge

This information was given to the serviceman's father in a letter from Major General Kenneth G Wickham Adjutant General in the U S Army

The letter stated that arrangements were being made to have the posthumous awards presented to the serviceman's father soon by a representative of the Commanding General U S Army Forces Southern Command

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PORT ANTONIO, Pd., Dec. 10 (From our correspondent): Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Leiba, of West Palm Avenue, in this town, received news recently that their only son, Private First Class Lawrence E. Leiba, 19½ years old, has been killed in South Vietnam.

The Leibas told this correspondent that on December 5 they received a letter from Harry L. Watts III, Lt. Col. U.S. Army Attache, stating that their son had been missing from a base camp since December 3. The letter states:

"Private Leiba was last seen in Base Camp when a friendly grenade detonated. Search is in progress and will advise promptly when further information is obtained. Please accept deepest sympathy. The Adjutant and General regret, Signed Kenneth G. Wickham Major-General, United States Army."

On December 8 a letter confirmed that Pfc. Leiba was dead and arrangements are now being made to have the body here for burial.

Pfc. Leiba was a past student of Titchfield High School here and Durham College in Kingston. He left Jamaica last year October to study dentistry in the United States, but decided to join the Army instead.



**KILLED IN VIETNAM:** Private First Class Lawrence E. Leiba, 19½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leiba of West Palm Avenue, Port Antonio, who was killed in Vietnam recently.



**Mr. SYDNEY GOODIN**

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A Jamaican, 22-year-old Cpl. Sydney Goodin, died in action in Vietnam on February 6.

Mr. Goodin who left Jamaica in 1963 for the U.S.A., was drafted into the U.S. Army in December 1965 and was sent to South Vietnam in September, 1966.

On the night of February 6 he was sent out on a patrol mission with his platoon and was killed in action.

His remains were flown to the U.S.A. where he was buried in Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, with full military honours.

Cpl. Goodin, son of Mrs. Ruby O'Connor (U.S.A.), and Mr. Sedley Goodin (U.K.), attended Kingston Technical High School and was a member of the Cadet Corps. He worked in the office of Mr. K. C. Burke, solicitor, before leaving the island.

Besides his parents, he is survived by two brothers, three sisters, uncles, aunts, and other relatives.