

## **Phillip L Dunham**

Philip was born in Lakeville Minnesota on October 5, 1895. He grew up on the family farm in Lakeville working for his father. In 1917 he still lived in at home with his family working as a farm hand.

In September 21, 1917 Philip was inducted into service with the United States army. He went through training and was assigned to Company C of the 162<sup>nd</sup> Infantry. It was with this unit that Philip traveled overseas with. He fought at Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel, and the Argonne. On October 1, 1918 Philip received shrapnel wounds to his right foot. He returned to the U.S. on March 25, 1919.

He was discharged from service on April 5, 1919 at Camp Dodge, Iowa. After returning home, he returned to live in Lakeville, Minnesota with his wife Alice and son Denny and worked as a farmer. During World War II, he completed his draft registration card at the age of 46. Phillip died on March 12, 1963 in Hennepin County, Minnesota.

