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orado to visit him in the hospital. The county soldier enlisted in March 1942 while he was employed the rifle range: at Detroit, Mich. He received train-

weeks of training was sent in the fall of 1942 to North Africa, He served in the North African and sent to France.

side township schools and was a tains and other parts of the county, member of the township baseball team. Surviving in addition to his parents are these brothers and sisters: Joseph and Martin, at home; S/Sgt. Steve, of Lake George, La.; Pfc. Philip, in France; Pvt. Samuel, stationed in Texas; Paul, of Detroit, Mich.; John, of Akron, Ohio; Mrs. Ella Laratonda, of Altoona, and Mrs. Mary Jordan, of Mineral Springs,

The body is expected to arrive in Centre county within the next few days, although funeral arrangements have not been completed at this time.

Dies in France

and Mrs. Earl Smith, of Potters August 9, it was learned in a tele- his parents revealed Friday, gram received by his parents, Mon- Pvt. Fisher died of injuries rement.

the infantry, wrote his parents on duty with an Air Force ground August 8 that he had been at a rest crew. camp but was ready to return to A telegram received by the par-active duty. His letter in part said: ents on August 9 from the War De-They owe me \$300 and if I happy don't come back be sure to collect The Milesburg soldier served a

out. Wish me luck and pray for me." in the U.S. Army and was honorshort stay at Camp Dix, N. J., he overseas in February, 1943. went overseas in December of last

Pvt. Smith attended the Potters listment was employed for a time Mills schools and at the time of en- by the silk mill at Bellefonte. In tering service was employed by the addition to his parents, a brother, Titan Metal Company.

survived by the following brothers Milesburg, survive. and sisters: Pvt. Richard, now in North Africa; Pvt. Peter, with the armed forces in New Guinea, and in Oklahoma; Mrs. John Kecky, of the War Department late Friday. Philadelphia, and Mary Anne, Betty, Louise, Dolores and Robert, all at Lambert has been missing since

Cpl Leathers Killed

Cpl. William F. Leathers, aged 29, of Mt. Eagle, several weeks ago listed as missing in action in France, was killed in action according to a War Department message received Saturday by his wife, who is resid-

ing in Williamsport.

a half with shells flying all around Casualty List me. I expect to be home by Christ- Patrons of Husbandry Husbandry got a "break" from the Despite the unfavorable weather mas," he wrote. Cpl. Leathers, holder of a medal

for expert marksmanship, in another letter written while he was in England, related his experiences on

"Our general called out our coming at Ft. Custer, Mich., and was pany and challenged us to a carbine then assigned to the ski troops, re- rifle match. No one took him up ceiving specialized training at Camp but me. We went out on a range and Hale, Colo. Later he was assigned put up \$2 each. We each shot five to an armored division and after 13 and got five bulls-eyes aplece. The general said, 'I believe I'll quit, that's damn good shooting, corporal.' The general autographed the Sicilian campaigns and was then money I had put up." He learned to shoot as a boy and hunted ex-Sgt. Barnyak attended the Burn- to shot as a boy Allegheny moun-

> relatives said. Cpl. Leathers' mother taught school in Centre county until the time of her death about twelve years ago. While teaching at Roopsburg she resided on East High street, Bellefonte.

The county soldier is survived by his wife, and a twin sister, Mrs. Evelyn Millinder, of Mt. Eagle. He was a member of the Kennedy Methodist church at Mt. Eagle, and of the IOOF. of Howard.

Dies After Accident

Pvt. Paul H. Fisher, 28 son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fisher, of Miles-Pfc. Eugene Smith, 31, son of Mr. burg, died August 1 in a government hospital on the Island of Cor-Mills, was killed in action in France sica, a War Department message to

day night, from the War Depart- ceived July 28 in the North African area, the result of an accident suf-Pvt. Smith. who was serving in fered at his post while on routine

We are taking the Germans by the partment told of their son's injury. bucketfulls and they are all young He last wrote his parents July 26, boys. I sure hope this war is over telling them he was "well and

it. I must go now as we are moving peacetime enlistment of three years The Potters Millis solider, who has ably discharged October 25, 1941. three brothers in the Army, was after serving most of that time at called for service in March 1942, and Fort Hoyle, Md. Shortly after Pearl trained at Camp Wheeler, Ga., Harbor he re-enlisted, and trained Camp Gordon, Ga., Aiken, S. C., at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and at and Camp Blanding, Fla, After a Mitchell Field, N. Y. He left for Pfc. Fisher attended Bellefonte High School and before his first en-

Cpl. Mark, now stationed in France, In addition to his parents, he is and a sister, Mrs. Andy Brown of

Cpl. Edwin M. Lambert Cpl. Lambert, 30, husband of the Pvt. Lowell, who was stationed in former Marie Gross of Bellefonte is England until becoming ill some missing in action, according to a time ago and who is now at a camp telegram received by his wife from The message stated that Cpl.

> August 9 in France. In a letter received last Friday by his wife, who lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gross of Valentine street. Bellefonte, the county soldier stated that he took part in the D-Day invasion of France and that he was well. It is believed that at the time he was reported missing that he was taking part in the capture of St. Lo. Cpl. Lambert, son of Mrs. Nellie Lambert of Milesburg, was with a medical detachment of the infantry. He was called for service in October, 1942, and received infantry training at Camp Blanding, Fla., Nashville, Tenn., and later at Camp Atterbury, Ind. He left for overseas in February of this year. He was home on furlough last Christmas. The county soldier attended Belle-





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Awarded Purple Heart. attendance at the fair has been ex-Yesterday, for the first time since Up until yesterday, the weather cellent. Yesterday's bright, warm Mrs. T. G. Leathers of Howard, Heart whi was definitely cold, and on top of sunshine promised ideal conditions who recently received word of her Pfc. Long.

last Thursday received the Purple Heart which had been awarded to

been wounded in action on June 6, ing a presidential campaign. Nations find it as difficult to agree

as individuals; you know how it is.

August 31, 1944.

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Cpl. Leathers, a son of the Wilbur Leathers and Pearl Gates Leathers, of Howard, R. D., was born in Grove City, Pa. He entered the service on February 21, 1942 and received his basic training at Ft. Meade, Md. Later he was sent to Fredericksburg, Va., and from there was on maneuvers in North Carolina. Later he went to Ft. Blanding, Florida, and in September 1942 went overseas to England.

He was married August 20, 1942. to the former Martha Etters, of Williamsport. Cpl. Leathers attended the Bellefonte High School and the Bellefonte Academy prior to entering the Williamsport Trade School in Fhiladelphia. Until entering military service he was employed as a Workman of Mingoville, has been bricklayer on the new Bellefonte wounded for the second time since High School building.

France, landing one hour after H- message said. Hour, "It was a hot reception," he The Mingoville soldier, a member wrote. thing out to meet us but the band. ed June 7, the second day of the Bullets from German 88's and cross invasion, a telegram received by his machine gun fire was so heavy I father July 21, revealed. At that

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fonte High School and was employed by the Universal Match Corporation at the the of entering service. He has a brother, Pfc. Harry Lambert, now believed to be in Africa.

Pfc. James O. Workmin

Pfc. Workman, 29. son of William the D-Day invasion of France, it

The Mt. Eagle soldier, who was was revealed in a telegram from the serving with a trench mortar unit. War Department to his father, rewrote relatives that he had taken ceived Friday afternoon. The second part in the D-Day invasion of wound was received August 5, the

"The Germans had every- of an infantry unit, who first wounddon't know why I didn't get hit. I time his wounds were not serious and he rejoined his unit July 4. For

these wounds he was awarded the Purple Heart which he sent to his father about a month ago.

Friday's message stated that he was wounded slightly and "progress reports will be forwarded as they are received." In a letter he wrote, his father August 16. which he also received yesterday, Pfc. Workman wrote: "It was in my arm this time, but not serious and am still able to write. Write to me at my old address because by the time you get this I expect to be back with my out-

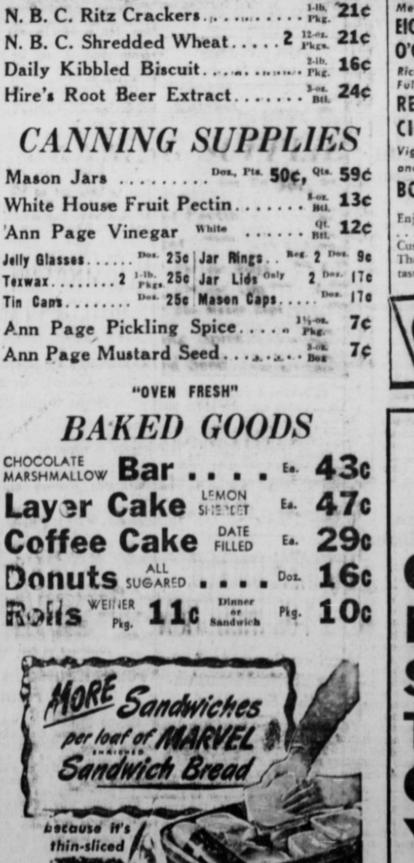
The county soldier was called for service in February 1942, and trained at Ft. Meade, Md., Fredericksburg. Md., Camp A. P. Hill, N. C., and Camp Blanding, Fla. He left for overseas in September of the same year, landing in England. Before entering service, Pvt. Workman, familiarly known as "Wimpy," worked with his father as a carpenter. He has a brother, Chester, S 1/c, now stationed in New Jersey.

Pfc. Ruhl Wounded

Pic. Robert E. Ruhl, 22, of State College, was wounded in action in France, it was learned in a letter received from him by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ruhl, of South Allen street, State College, last week.

Pfc. Ruhl, in a letter written to his parents on August 7, stated that he was wounded and in a hospital in France. A second letter, dated August 15, said that his wounds were not serious and that he was now in a government hospital in England. The State College private went into France with the 2nd Armored Division shortly after D-Day. He had previously served in the invasions of Africa and Sicily

Pfc. Ruhl enlisted in the Army on May L 1942, and took his basic train-ing at Camp Wheeler, Ga. He was then stationed at Camp Sutton, N. C., and at Fort Bragg, N. C., before (Continued on page Three)



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