

Soldier, Foot Blown Off, Wired By Foe As Trap

Pvt. William H. Edwards' foot was blown off and he was crying for water, but the three Germans ignored his pleas. They wired explosives to his body, and left him a human booby trap.

curious injuries in which the veins and arteries are forced upward so they are, in a manner, sealed. Medics got to him the next morning, but the Germans had seen the rescuers and sent a rifle bullet crashing into the hand of one of the medics.

In the Philippines



Pfc. Christy R. Smith, Jr. Private Smith, well known former employe of the A & P Supermarket in Bellefonte, has been overseas for more than two months.

In the Navy



George Ardale Klinefelter, F 2/c Fireman Klinefelter, native of Centre Hall, is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klinefelter, of that place.

Ice Cream Barges Ply South Pacific

With a new type refrigerator barge, the Army hopes to bring plenty of ice cream, fresh meats, fruits and vegetables to soldiers stationed on islands in the Southwest and Western Pacific.

Philipsburg Brothers Meet

Mrs. Anna Neidrich, of Phillipsburg, has received a letter from her son, Pfc. Arthur C. Neidrich, stating he had the pleasure of meeting his brother, S-Sgt. Fred Neidrich, also another Phillipsburg boy.

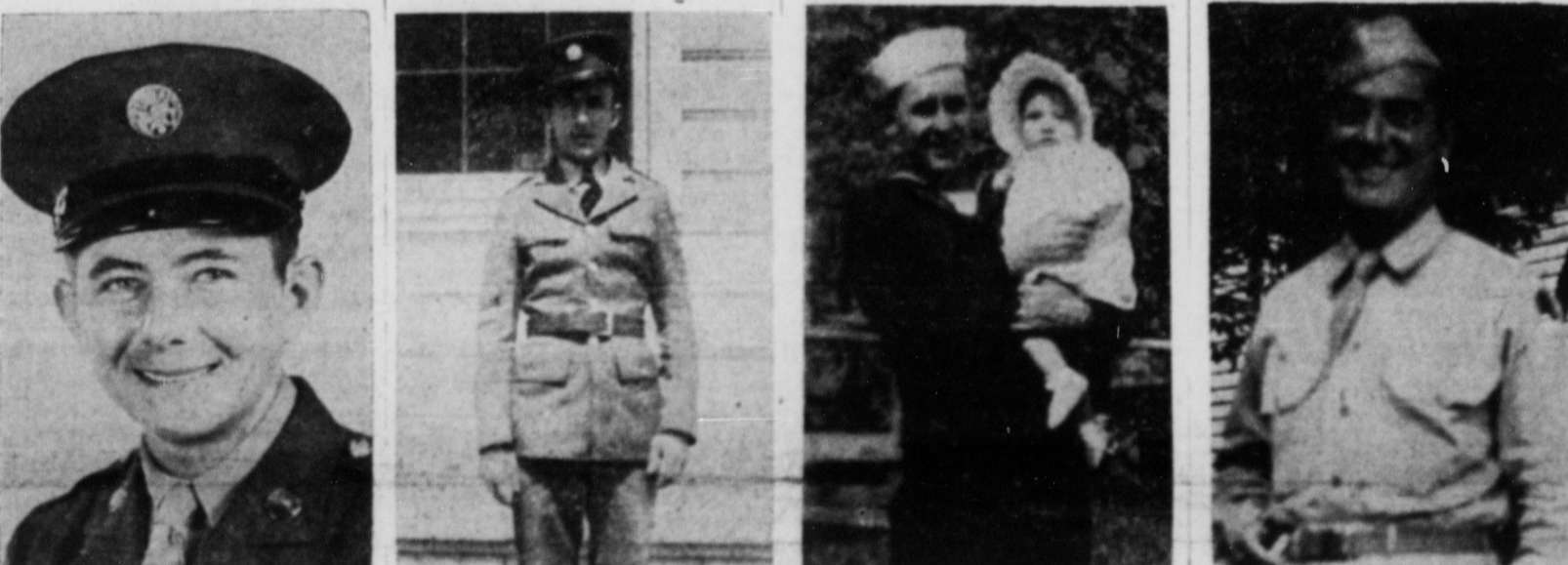


FOUR KUSTANBAUTER BROTHERS IN ARMED FORCES



When Orvis Kustanbauer, 19, entered the Navy on October 19, 1944, he was the fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kustanbauer, of East High street, Bellefonte, to become a member of Uncle Sam's armed forces.

Three Brothers and Brother-in-Law Battling For Uncle Sam



In the above group are shown the three sons and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John Parney, of Clarence. Pvt. Steve Parney, 20, was called for service April 17, 1943, and trained at Camp Blanding, Fla.

Howard R.D. Private Awarded Citation



Pfc. Harold L. Richner, of Howard, R. D. 1, along with other members of a Ninth Air Force Aviation Engineer Battalion, has been awarded the Presidential Distinguished Unit Citation for constructing an emergency landing strip while under fire on D-Day and an advanced landing ground on the Normandy beachhead.

Philipsburg Couple Are Reported Safe in Manila

In a broadcast from Manila last Wednesday night, reports the Phillipsburg Daily Journal, the message, "Peg and Doc" want their sister, Mrs. Frank Dunkle of Pennsylvania, to know they are safe.

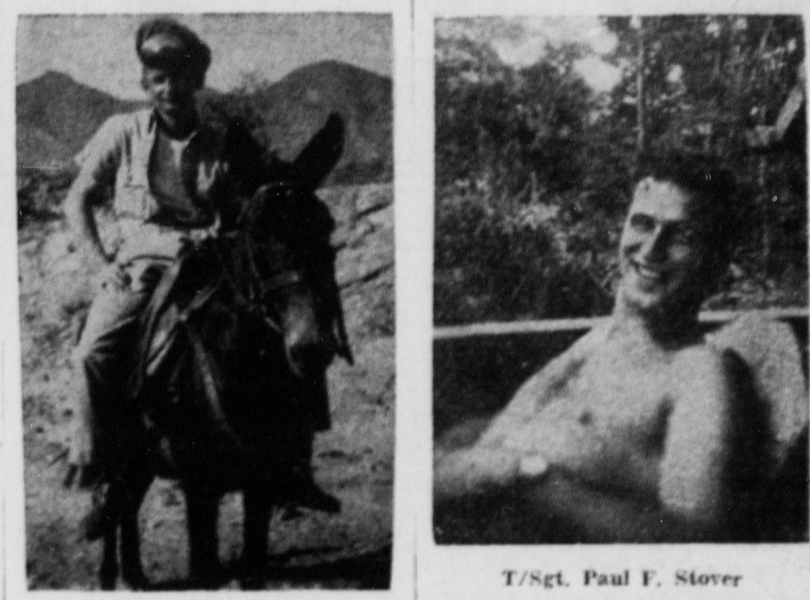
Lt. Flegal Decorated For Heroism at Saipan

Lt. Donald L. Flegal, former Bellefonte dentist, has been awarded the Bronze Star in recognition of extraordinary heroism during the battle of Saipan.

'Five Fighting Sergeants' Sons of Bigler Parents

The Neff boys of Clearfield county believe they deserve the title of "The Five Fighting Sergeants," and one is 25-year-old Staff Sergeant Paul M. Neff, gunner on the B-17 Flying Fortress "Gold Brick," who has added the latest exploits to the family's war record.

Brothers Separated by Half the Globe



Brothers shown above are the sons of Mrs. Braide W. Stover of near Woodward, Centre county. Both have been serving their country since 1942, but in widely separated battle zones.

ROBERT P. THOMPSON PROMOTED TO CORPORAL

Robert P. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Thompson, of 141 N. Spring street, Bellefonte, has been promoted to the rank of corporal at the Army Air Field, Dyersburg, Tenn.



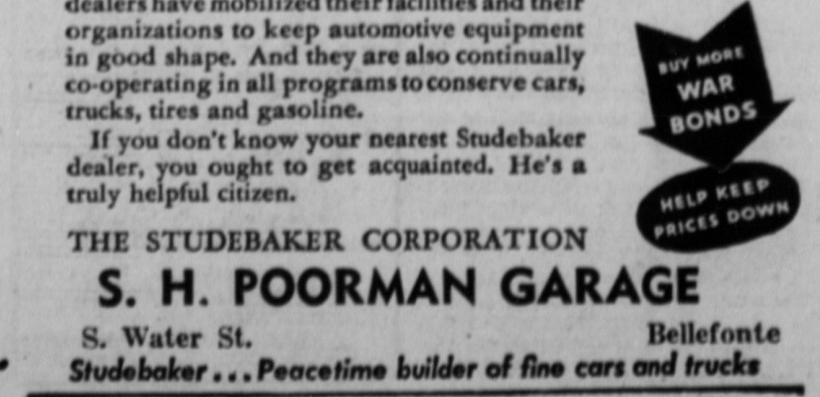
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County Man's Brother Killed Glenn Bene, 34, a brother of Dean Bene, of Phillipsburg, was killed at Erie when struck by a moving freight while cleaning the tracks in the yards of the Erie Steel Concrete Shipbuilding Company.