

Award Combat Infantryman's Badge *10/13/44*

Sergeant Cornelius H. Volk of Bogota Is Given Coveted Badge for Service in Admiralty Islands

Somewhere in the Southeast Pacific.—Sergeant Cornelius H. Volk, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Volk of Bogota vicinity, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's badge by the commanding general of the First Cavalry division, for combat service during the Admiralty islands campaign. The Combat Infantryman's badge is awarded soldiers who come into actual conflict with the enemy.

Sergeant Volk entered the service in January, 1942, at Camp Grant and received his basic training at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Sergeant Volk has two brothers also in the service, Urban Volk in the Army and Joseph Volk in the Navy.

Raymond V. Shryock Wounded

Corporal Raymond V. Shryock was slightly wounded September 18 in Germany, his wife has been notified. He was in a Tank battalion and received much of his training at Fort Meade, Maryland.

He married the former Genevieve Dhom of St. Peter vicinity northeast of Newton.

Slightly Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Romack of Newton received word from the War Department, Wednesday, that their son, Sergeant Gordon D. Romack, had been slightly wounded in Germany, September 25. He was with the Third Armored division. The word was received on his birthday.