

Kincaid, Clarence W.

**Marine Veteran
Home On Leave**

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Pfc. Clarence W. Kincaid, veteran of 26 months Pacific duty with the hard hitting 12th Marine Division, arrived unexpectedly at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kincaid, Sr., Bethlehem R. D. 1, yesterday.

Pfc. Kincaid wears the American Theater and the Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbons with three battle participation stars for the Bougainville, Guam and Iwo Jima campaigns. He served with an artillery unit, rushing supplies and ammunition to the front lines.

The young Leatherneck enlisted in the corps in August, 1942, and after completing his training at Parris Island, S. C.; New River, N. C., and Camp Dunlap, Cal., he was sent overseas to New Zealand. Since February, 1943, he hit the beaches at Guadalcanal, Bougainville, Guam and Iwo Jima, all victories for the Marines.

Kincaid is a graduate of Wilson Borough High School and was employed by the Dixie Vortex Company in Easton before entering the Marine Corps. Upon completing his leave, he will return to Cape May, N. J. Right now, he's going to enjoy himself and swap stories with his buddy, Sgt. Edward Star, veteran of 31 months Atlantic duty, also home on a furlough.

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