

Gaumer, Curtin W.

Gets First Stripe

A NINTH AIR FORCE TROOP CARRIER STATION, England—Promotion of Pvt. Curtin W. Gaumer, of Bethlehem, Pa., to private first class was announced recently in England by headquarters of the IX Troop Carrier Command.

Private Gaumer, the son of Mrs. Anna E. Gaumer of East Mauch Chunk, is a motor vehicle operator with a troop carrier squadron in England.

Before entering the service in April 1943, he was employed by the Lehigh Valley Railroad as a repairman.

He was graduated from the East Mauch Chunk High School in 1941 where he lettered in basketball.

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