

**LT. D. M. PETTY, JR.,  
TO SPEND HOLIDAY HERE**

**Army Air Corps Officer Recuperating  
From Serious Injuries.**

Lieut. David M. Petty, Jr., U. S. Army Air Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. David M. Petty, of 1900 Paul Avenue, will arrive in Bethlehem on Wednesday at noon to spend the Christmas season with his parents and his brother, John Stewart Petty, a sophomore at Lehigh University and U. S. Marine Reserve.

Lieut. Petty, who gave up his senior year at Clemson College to volunteer in the Army Air Corps, received his commission April 29 at Moorefield, Texas, after which he was ordered to Hamilton Field, Calif. He was injured, seriously, there when he had to make a forced landing while flying a P-38 Lightning, and has been a patient at O'Reilley General Hospital, Springfield, Mo., for months.

On January 5, Lieut. Petty will return to the hospital to wait orders from the Army.