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Private Hombis Dies in Action In North Africa

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Another Bethlehem youth, Private John Hombis, U. S. Infantry, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hombis Sr., of 2 East Fourth Street, has made the supreme sacrifice.

A telegram from the War Department, received yesterday by his parents, conveyed the sad news.



PVT. JOHN HOMBIS

According to the information, he was killed in action in the North Africa theatre.

Private Hombis graduated from Liberty High School with the Class of '39, and was a member of the Red and Blue track team.

He was inducted into the combat forces November 7, 1942, and following basic training at Camp Wheeler he was a member of the U. S. force sent to Africa in February.

Besides his grieved parents, he is survived by a brother, Peter Jr., and a sister Tessie. His father is the proprietor of the New Merchants Hotel, Fourth and New Streets.

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