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Pfc. Carl Martin, 716 Wyandotte Street, is now serving in Italy with the 24th General Hospital which has made an impressive record during a year and a half overseas.

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Pfc. Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin. In the seventeen months he has served overseas, he has been awarded the Purple Heart and the Oak Leaf Cluster. Prior to entering the service he was employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company.

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