

Jani Jr., Paul J.
Francis

Corp. P. J. Jani Wounded in North Africa

Corp. Paul J. Jani Jr., 19, of the U. S. Army, was wounded in action on May 6, in the North African theater of war, according to a telegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Jani, of 719 Broadway, from the War Department.

Corp. Jani enlisted in February, 1942. After finishing eight weeks of basic training at Camp Wheeler, Georgia, he was sent overseas. For six months he was a member of the A. E. F. in Northern Ireland, and on November 7 was one of the American soldiers that landed in North Africa. He was in a tank crew and saw much action, according to some of his letters prior to being wounded.

He attended St. John's Capistrano Parochial School and belongs to that church. He graduated from Liberty High School in 1941. While at high school he was active on Coach W. G. Stark's wrestling team as manager and player. Prior to enlisting he was employed by the Dennis Drug Company.

A brother, Private Francis L. Jani, is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky, in the 12th Armored Division, Medical Corps.

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