

Shamenek, Louis F.

Local Sergeant Gets Air Medal For Nazi Missions

Technical Sergeant Louis F. Shamenek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Shamenek, and husband of the former Mary Bush, 421 East Morton Street, was recently awarded the Air Medal for having participated on missions from November 1 to 11 over Germany.

Sergeant Shamenek graduated from radio school at Sioux Falls, S. D., and from aerial gunnery school at Kingman, Ariz. In civilian life, he was employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company. His brother, Daniel, a private first class in the Marine Corps, is serving in the South Pacific.

Shamenek is remembered by local sports fans for his prowess as a player on George Jacobs football team at Bethlehem Catholic High School in the late twenties.

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