

Teveri, Frank

Doughboys Mark Second Year Abroad

Doughboys of the 143rd Infantry Regiment marked their second anniversary overseas with a drive into German soil, through the Siegfried Line and to the Rhine River, before Nazi capitulation.

Since its baptism of fire on D-Day at Salerno, Italy, where it was among the first American infantry units on European soil, its men have amassed approximately 365 combat days and captured over 23,000 Germans. It participated in the liberation of Naples and fought bloody battles below Cassino.

Members of the regiment include: Pfc. Frank Teveri, 630 Third Avenue; Sgt. Peter Mikitka, 1130 Minsi Trail, both of Bethlehem; Pvt. James I. Gaumer, Eighth Street and Pfc. James Burger, Sixth Street, Allentown, and Pvt. Aloys Deutsch Jr., Route 1, Nazareth.

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