Orlando, Joseph M.

Cited For His Part In French Invasion

The parents of Joseph Michael Orlando, S1C, 417 Adams Street, received a letter from USN Commander Joseph R. Barbaro in which he expressed his 'appreciation of his meritorious service as a member of the assault boat crews that struck the Normandy beaches in northern France during the period of the 5-7 of June."

Orlando has been overseas seven months. He attended Holy Infancy Parochial School and enlisted April, 1943. His parents have not heard from him since the campaign in northern France.