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### Local Soldiers Had Big Job Getting V-E Day Planes Ready

V-E Day found three Bethlehem soldiers, stationed at the First Base Air Depot in Warrington, England, on the job, helping to ready more combat planes and equipment for immediate action wherever they might be needed.

Cpl. Robert A. Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner, 512 South Benner Avenue; Pfc. Jay Spangenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Spangenberg, 1674 East Twelfth Street, and Pfc. Edward Lazar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lazar, Bethlehem R. D. 3, are members of the crack Air Service Command team who pitched in to back up the air assaults that helped knock Germany out of the war. JUN 12 1945

Cpl. Wagner has been overseas since October, 1943, and joined the army in December, 1942. He attended Fountain Hill High School and Moravian College.

Pfc. Lazar, overseas since May, 1944, joined the army in July 1943. He attended Bethlehem High School and was employed by Bethlehem Steel Company.

Pfc. Spangenberg is a graduate of Bethlehem High School and was employed at the Middletown Air Depot before joining the Army in June 1943. He has been serving overseas since August of last year.

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