Feonard, Clyde C.

Clyde C. Leonard Made Staff Sgt. In Paratroops

Sgt. Clyde C. Leonard, 20-year-old paratrooper, has recently been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. He is assigned to F. Co., 187th RCT, 11th Airborne Division, stationed at Camp Kreis, Sapparo, Hokkaido, Japan's northern island.

Leonard entered the Army at New Cumberland, on July 31, 1944. He joined the paratroopers on Luzon March 11, 1945 and qualified for his parachutist wings on June 1, 1945, and has been with the unit since that time.

Serving in the Pacific theater, Leonard now holds the Asiatic Pacific and Phillipine Liberation ribbons, and in addition, the Infantryman's Combat badge, Victory medal and Good Conduct medal.

Prior to his enlistment, Leonard was graduated from Franklin High School, where he participated in most of the school's sports events. His hobby is photography. He was an egg auctioneer by trade.

S/Sgt. Leonard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard, live at 333 Arch St. He has one sister, Margarete, residing at 535 Penn St.