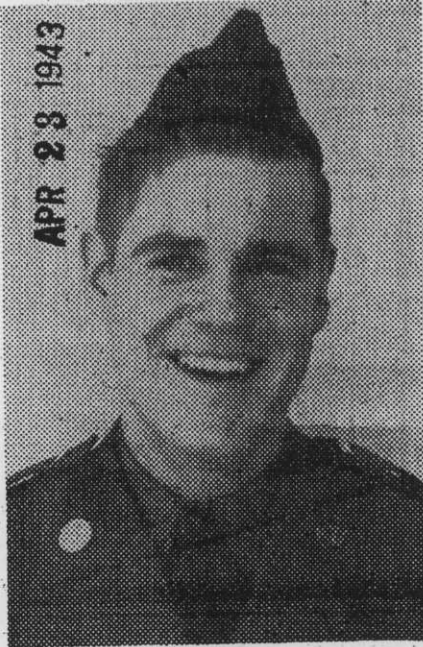


Youngkin, Edwin B.

Reported Missing



Pvt. Edwin B. Youngkin (above), son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Youngkin, 57 Juniata Street, Freemansburg, has been reported missing in action in North Africa. His parents were advised of the misfortune by telegram from the War Department, which said the young soldier had been missing since March 28.

The Youngkins last heard from their son in a letter dated March 11, in which he said he was well and having a "swell time". He was inducted into the service June 26, 1941 and assigned to the Infantry. He was sent overseas last November 1, going directly to Africa.

He is a former pupil of the Monroe School, Freemansburg, and a member of Christ Lutheran Church. He has two sisters and three brothers, one of whom, Henry, 26, is serving with the U. S. Marines in the Pacific area.

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