

LeVan, Earl W.

**Sgt. Earl W. LeVan,
Completes Three Years,
Receives Discharge**

INDIANTOWN GAP, Pa.—Completing three years service, nineteen months of which was overseas duty, M/Sgt. Earl W. LeVan, 304 Main Street, Hellertown, has been honorably discharged from the Army at Indiantown Gap Separation Center. He was recently returned from the Pacific Theater of Operations.

Sgt. LeVan served with the 245th Signal Company and with the 432nd Signal Battalion as mechanic and motor sergeant. He served in India, China and Burma.

Participating in three campaigns in the China-Burma-India Theater, Sgt. LeVan wears the Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbon with three battle stars, Presidential Unit Citation, Good Conduct Medal, and the World War II Victory Medal.

Following his induction in Sep-

tember 1942, Sgt. LeVan received training at Camp Barkley, Tex.; Camp Polk, La.; Fort Sam Houston, Tex., and Fort DuPont, Del. He attended Army mechanics school for two months previous to his overseas service.

Awaiting Sgt. LeVan's return were his wife, Frances, and 11-months-old daughter, Cheri Ann.

Previous to his induction Sgt. LeVan was employed as an electric welder by the Bethlehem Steel Company at Bethlehem, Pa.

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