

Nonne macher, Benjamin!

Commended For Part In Building Airbase

Brig. Gen. H. S. Hansell, Jr., commandant of the 21st Bomber Command, has announced the names of 161 Pennsylvanians who were commended for aiding in the construction of a B-29 airbase in the Marianas.

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The ground exchelons were called

upon to construct building and service facilities although they were clerks, medical technicians, truck drivers and chemical warfare instructors. In less than 20 weeks, B-29's were bombing Tokio from the Mariana Island base. Men who won Gen. Hansell's commendations included: Pvt. Benjamin F. Nonne-

macher, Bethlehem R-3, and S/Sgt. Harry A. Deer, 1220 Union Street, Allentown.

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