

Litrenta, Morris

## Brothers Meet in England



PVT. MORRIS LITRENTA

During the past several days, Mr. and Mrs. G. Litrenta of 828 Center Street, have received letters from their sons Thomas and Morris, both serving in the Armed Forces overseas, containing news that has brought happiness to the family.

Private Morris Litrenta, the younger of the two boys, now with the 297th Signal Installation Corps, while on a mission, came to the camp where he knew his brother was located and was given permission to look him up. T-S Thomas Litrenta, who is a mechanic in the Fourth Division, Field Artillery, was notified of his brother's arrival and was granted time to spend with him.

T-S Thomas Litrenta in his letter home wrote: "Boy, was I glad to see him. He looks wonderful—army life and this atmosphere must agree with him . . ."

Private Morris Litrenta, in one of his letters to his family this week, enclosed a letter bearing the signature of Captain Raymond H. Hoffman, of the 297th Signal Installation Corps, stat-



T-S THOMAS LITRENTA

ing that he was one of thirteen to receive the "Motor Vehicle Driver Award."

Last year, T-S Thomas Litrenta sent to his parents a letter written by Captain Harry L. Hooper Jr., to the Battalion Commander, 42nd F. A. Battalion, which read in part as follows:

"As officer in charge of the 42nd F. A. Battalion group of drivers on a trip to Camp Forrest, Tennessee, I wish to state that all men performed their duties willingly and ably and gave their cooperation to the fullest extent.

"I desire, therefore, to bring to your attention that the following men were outstanding in their ability and willingness to perform tasks over and above those required . . ."

T-S Thomas Litrenta was one of five to receive this commendation.

Private Morris Litrenta, the younger of the two, went overseas in October, 1943 and T-S Thomas Litrenta went overseas in January, 1944. Both are in England.

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