

Gets High Award

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LT.-COL. LOYAL V. BEWLEY

Bronze Star Awarded To Col. Bewley

Lieutenant Colonel Loyal V. Bewley, husband of Mrs. Katheryne Bewley, 1454 Main Street, has been awarded the Bronze Star by Major General Manton S. Eddy, XII Corps Commander, for meritorious service.

Lt. Colonel Bewley joined the Idaho National Guard as a private in 1916. During World War I he fought in the Argonne-Meuse sector as a sergeant, serving 28 months. From 1924 to date he has been in the Officers Reserve Corps and in the present war has been in active service since 1942. Lt. Col. Bewley attended Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, in 1938, the Naval War College in 1939, and the Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, Oklahoma, in 1942.

In civilian life Lt. Colonel Bewley was a research engineer with the General Electric Company from 1923 to 1940. In 1940 he became the head of the Electrical Engineering Department at Lehigh University. He is also the author of two books called "Travelling Waves on Transmission Systems" and "Protection of Transmission Systems against Lightning", respectively, and of 40 technical engineering papers and articles. He has won the National Best Paper Prize, American Institute of Electrical Engineering, Northeastern (New England States), the Best Paper Prize, American Institute of Electrical Engineering, and the Charles A. Coffin Award, General Electric Company.

The Bronze Star is not the first honor that Lt. Col. Bewley has received in the present war. On December 16, 1944, he was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry.