

Long, Austin W.

**Cpl. Austin Long  
With Iwo Marines** 23 1945

Corporal Austin W. Long, formerly of 534 Seventh Avenue, is a member of the Fourth Marine Division which made one of the initial landings on Iwo Jima. Cpl. Long enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps September 21, 1942, and went to Parris Island, S. C., and Camp Pendleton, Cal., to complete his training before going overseas in January, 1944. He is a veteran of the Marianas, Saipan and Tinian campaigns.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Long of Tunkhannock, recently re-

ceived a commendation awarded to him "for exceptional service in the line of his profession while serving as rifleman in a rifle platoon during the invasion and capture of Saipan." The Marine attended Calypso and Nitschmann schools. He observed his 21st birthday anniversary somewhere in the Pacific last week.

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