

Mulzet, Otto F.

**Receives Oak Leaf
Cluster to Medal**

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The first Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal was awarded recently to Sergeant Otto F. Mulzet, 22, at the U. S. Ninth Air Force bomber base in France.

The A-26 Invader gunner, a member of the famous 416th Bombardment Group, received the award in recognition of meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the European Theater of Operations.

Sgt. Mulzet flew 11 missions against German targets before the final capitulation of the enemy. These attacks against communications centers, bridges, railroad yards and fuel stores were designed to break down the enemy's strength immediately ahead of forward troops.

The sergeant entered the service in August, 1943, and received training at the Army Air Forces school for aviation mechanics at Goldsboro, N. C., as well as the flexible gunnery school located near Fort Myers, Fla. He is the son of Mrs. John Mulzet, 967 Wyandotte Street. His wife, the former Anne Fasnacht, lives at 1626 West North Street.

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