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Corporal Gilbert T. Schaffer Jr., in a recent letter told of his promotion to his present rating. He entered the service in September, 1942, and received his basic training at Parris Island and New River, N. C., later being transferred to San Diego, Cal. For the past one and a half years he has been stationed in the South Pacific area. He was graduated from Liberty High School and before entering the service was employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Schaffer Sr., reside at 702 West Union Boulevard.

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