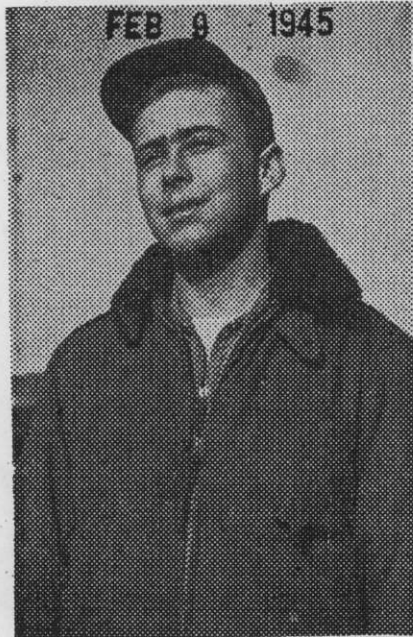


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## In Italy



15TH AAF IN ITALY—Standing in front of two of the engines of his B-24 Liberator plane is Cpl. Edward H. Young, 19, who recently joined the 15th AAF heavy bombardment unit as a waist gunner. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Young, 629 Maple Street, Bethlehem. A graduate of Bethlehem High School, Young joined the USAAF in May, 1943. He received his gunnery training at Harlingen, Tex., and there received his wings on August 27, 1944. Young is now a member of a group which has scored more than 200 attacks against Nazi targets in the Mediterranean Theatre of Operations in a year's combat service. For outstanding performances the unit has been cited twice by the War Department.

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