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Wood County Soldier Killed On Luzon Isle

Pittsville—Pfc. Clarence Schmidt, 23, son of William G. Schmidt, Route 1, Pittsville, was killed in action on Luzon island in the Philippines April 25, according to word received Tuesday by the soldier's father.

Private Schmidt entered the service September 10, 1942, and had been in Hawaii, New Guinea, and the Netherlands East Indies. He was formerly employed at Marshfield and was a native of Wood county.

Surviving, in addition to his father, is a brother, Sgt. Clifford Schmidt, a bombardier now based in England; a sister, Mrs. Frank Weinfurter of Marshfield, and eight brothers and sisters at home, Wallace, Sidney, Lloyd, Allan, Betty and Bobby (twins), Erma and Margaret.

Clarence
Schmidt