

Soldier Killed in Action in Germany

Pfc. Earl F. Stevens was killed in action somewhere in Germany April 17 according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Earl Stevens, who resides at 323 Platt street, formerly Mildred Boehlke Plomedahl.

Word was received through public relations Monday that Pfc. Stevens, a scout with the 602nd tank destroy-



PFC. EARL F. STEVENS

er battalion attached to General Patton's Third Army had received the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in action against the enemy while fighting with the reconnaissance company.

Wounded last December in Belgium, he held the Purple Heart award.

He entered the service December 28, 1942, and received his training at Camp McCoy, Camp Forrest, Tenn., and Fort Dix, N. J.

He left for overseas July 18, 1944, and fought in France, Belgium, and Germany. Pfc. Stevens was formerly from Kansas City, Mo.