Fenske, Bruno B -

[information copied to Dropbox 30 Jan 2016]

per Headstone Applications:

DOB – May 1, 1915; date of enlistment -Dec. 28, 1939; Sgt., serial number 6954718; KIA, date of death – April 5, 1943; Co. A, 18th Infantry, 1st Infantry Division. Burial: Trinity Lutheran Cemetery, Riesel, Texas. Requested by family member Ewald O. Fenske, Rt 1, Riesel, Texas.

WWII Army and Army Air Force Casualty List Texas p.61 McLennan county

Name: Fenske, Bruno B; serial number: 6954718, Rank: SGT; type of casualty: KIA Likely place of death is Tunisia in North Africa.

Per Ancestry – family tree of Tracie Fenske (tjfenske)

Father – Ewald Oscar Fenske; mother – Ida Augusta Finn

full name: Bruno Bernard; had a twin brother – Louis Leopold Fenske; two other brothers: Julius and Herbert; and three sisters: Bertha, Selma, Elda

Family location: 1920 Census – North Corner, Falls County, Texas

Family location: 1930 Census - Pct 6, Fall county, Texas

Family location: 1940 Census - Pct. 2, McLennan County, Texas [Note Bruno and Louis are shown and marked as absent as members "Infantry, US Army" - Bruno B., 1935 resident of McLennan county, Texas, also shown in 1940 census Private, 2nd Battalion, 18th Infantry, US Army, Fort Wadsworth, Richmond Borough, New York City, New York; Louis L. also shown in 1940 census Ft Sam Houston, Texas, as member of Co. I, 23rd Infantry]