

CPL. AUGUST G. TAGLIENTE
Funeral services for State Police Corporal August G. Tagliente, who died in his home at 318 Clearfield St., Clearfield, yesterday, will be held from St. Francis Catholic Church at Clearfield Thursday at 9 a. m.

The Rev. Fr. Martin N. Glynn will officiate. Interment will be in the Calvary Cemetery. Military honors will be conducted at the graveside by the Clearfield American Legion.

Friends will be received at the Fred B. Leavy Funeral Home at Clearfield tonight and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Cpl. Tagliente, 29, enlisted in the State Police Aug. 2, 1950. After graduating from the police academy at Hershey, he was assigned to the Butler station. He had also served in Troop D at Kittanning, Armstrong County; Rochester, Beaver County; and New Castle, Lawrence County.

More recently, Cpl. Tagliente was assigned to the Bureau of Criminal Identification at Butler. He received specialized training in 1962 at Eastman Kodak, Rochester, N.Y., in fingerprint duties and criminal photography. He was promoted to corporal Nov. 15, 1962.

A veteran of World War II, Cpl. Tagliente enlisted in the U. S. Army March 25, 1943 and was discharged March 23, 1946, with the rank of corporal. He was assigned to Battery B of the 558th Automatic Weapons Battalion and served in the American and European Theaters of operation.

Cpl. Tagliente had received the American Defense Medal, European Theater Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal and World War II Victory Medal.

Born at Clearfield Aug. 17, 1924, he was a son of Angelo and Mary (Sansone) Tagliente.

He was a member of St. Francis Catholic Church, Butler BPO Elks No. 170, Saxonbury Volunteer Fire Company, Butler Lions Club, Kittanning Country Club and the Butler Kiwanis Club. He was a professional baseball player in the Boston Braves and Pittsburgh Pirates farm systems.

Surviving are his father and the following brothers and sisters: Albert, Lorraine, Carl, Rosemary, Gloria and Donald, all of Clearfield.

He was preceded in death by his mother on June 8, 1954.

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