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Lance Corporal William Riegel Schmalstieg

Bill came from the town of Lewisburg, Pennsylvania to spend only his senior year at Breck and has proved to be a great addition to the class of 1946. After having attended eight schools, he named Breck as the most enjoyable of these. Bill's greatest military achievements have come in the band, where he reached the rank of corporal. During this year he served as the band's librarian, keeping the music, papers, and books. He has earned the reputation of being a hard worker; he has consistently been in the upper fifth of his class studies; he has done much excellent writing for the Bugle, and his work has been admired by his readers as well as by professionals. His friends have nicknamed him "little Willie," probably because of his good-sized physique. Bill's mirth-laden laugh is always present in any of his classes or activities, but he is known also for his studious attitude, fine sense of humor, and jovial smile.

