

PYLE IS AWARDED JOURNALISM HONOR

Late Reporter Gets Sigma Delta Chi's Human In- terest Prize

Chicago —(AP)— For the second consecutive year, top achievement Sigma Delta Chi awards in journalism went to the late Ernie Pyle, the G.I.'s favorite reporter, and to Frederick Kuh, London bureau manager of the Chicago Sun, for war and foreign correspondence respectively.

Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, announced Pyle's award shortly after he was killed on Ie Shima off the coast of Okinawa by a Jap machinegun bullet.

Other awards announced yesterday went to Henry T. Gorrell of the United Press for spot news war correspondence as distinguished from Pyle's human interest reporting, Eddie Doherty, Chicago Sun, for general reporting, Marquis Childs, United Feature Syndicate columnist, for Washington correspondence.

Hank Barrow of the Associated Press for editorial cartooning; Felix R. McKnight of the Dallas (Tex.) Morning News, for editorial writing, and Prof. Earl English of the University of Iowa, Iowa City, for research in journalism.

Honorable mention went to Hal Boyle, Kenneth Dixon, and Joseph Morton of the AP and Frank Coniff, International News Service, for war correspondence, Walter R. Humphrey, editor of the Temple (Tex.) Daily Telegram, and S/Sgt. Walter Scott of the Plane Dealer for general reporting, and to E. H. Linford, editor of the Laramie (Wyo.) Republican and Boomerang, for "his consistent editorial and news campaigns throughout the year for civic betterment and patriotic endeavor."

The Milwaukee (Wis.) Journal received the courage-in-journalism award for a news, editorial, and picture campaign, written and directed by Richard S. Davis of the Journal staff, detailing housing conditions in Milwaukee's Negro section.

Judges who made the awards included Linwood I. Noyes, retiring president of the American Newspaper Publishers Association and publisher, the Ironwood (Mich.) Daily Globe, and Ross Lewis, Milwaukee (Wis.) Journal cartoonist.

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