



Remembering our brothers who have passed from this life

**GITTENS, SIDNEY ROGERS JR. '40**

Army 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant Gittens was killed in action 7 March 1945 near Eitelsbach, Germany. He was a member of the 417<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, 76<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division. He was later interred in Sherwood Burial Park, Salem, Roanoke County, Virginia.

Gittens came to Augusta for three years from Atlantic City, New Jersey. First year: Private, "B" Company, Peep Football, Swimming Team, Bible Class, Glee Club, Bayonet Staff. Second year: Corporal, "B" Company, Assistant Manager Football, Basketball Team, Track Team, Bible Class, Glee Club, Bayonet Staff, Y.M.C.A. Cabinet, Declaimer at Finals. Third year: Sergeant, "A" Company, Manager Football, Secretary Bible Class, Glee Club, Y.M.C.A. Cabinet, Dramatic Club, Orchestra, Honor Roll.

("World War II KIA's" book, Alumni House)