John Butts, Medal of Honor recipient from Medina, 'performed magnificently' while leading soldiers in World War II

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MEDINA – Of the five Medal of Honor recipients from Orleans County, John E. Butts of Medina was the only county native who received the award posthumously for his heroic actions near Cape La Hague, France.