

Cranbrook Program Observed Again In New Year Welcome

A new tradition for welcoming the new year was inaugurated four years ago at Christ Church Cranbrook. Filling the desire of many people to celebrate the beginning of a new year in a mood of quiet reflection and meditation, a joint service was held at Christ Church, Cranbrook, by the members of that parish and of St. James Church, Birmingham. The service that year and since then has been so well attended that it is to be continued this year.

A feature of this occasion is a carillon recital by Miss Nelly Beveridge, which begins at 11:15 p.m. The old year is rung out

and the new rung in to the tune of "O God Our Help in Ages Past" and other familiar hymns. The service itself begins at 11:45 p.m. Last year both the Rev. Warner L. Forsyth of St. James and the Rev. Charles Cadigan of Christ Church took part in the service, and a short address was given by Dean Marquis, Rector Emeritus of Christ Church.

It is hoped that Dean Marquis will be well enough again this year to take his part in the service.

This will be a union service for these two churches and any persons wishing to welcome the new year in this manner are cordially welcome.

"Eyes right!" roared the dusky sergeant of the local militia unit. "You're wrong!" responded a voice toward the rear of ranks.



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WE'VE BEEN HITTING 'EM
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Men in Service

Editor's Note—Men in the armed forces, and parents, are invited to send their sons' names to the Men in Service column. Service men, stationed all over the country, are hungry for news of their friends. Even the address of a newly-placed soldier can be of interest.

Word has been received that Norman J. Flemington, serving with the U. S. Air Force unit some where in England, was promoted to Corporal in November. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Flemington, 1047 Chestnut.

A/S Roger W. Hovey spent a Christmas leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hovey, 231 Oakland. Roger is stationed at Washington University in St. Louis, Mo.

Seabee Milton H. Fegley S. 2/C is home for the holidays until Jan. 2 from Camp Endicott, Rhode Island.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon H. Stevens of 651 Wallace that their son, Lt. Robert C. Stevens, has been appointed an instructor in the advanced flying school at Frederick, Okla. Lt. Stevens received his wings and commission on Dec. 4.

A/S William S. Spiegel has been moved from St. Louis to the 35th College Training Detachment, Springfield College, Mobile County, Springfield, Ala.

Three a. m. on Christmas Day saw the end of Sgt. Ralph Hemmery Jr.'s 15-day furlough with his parents at 3800 Quanton. Having graduated from an aerial gunnery school at Laredo, Texas, he now reports at Salt Lake City for some specialized training before going to an active assignment.

Pfc. Donald H. Beisel of the Army Air Forces, stationed at Eglin Field, Fla., arrived home Dec. 25 to spend a holiday furlough of 15 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Beisel of 1307 Spicer. He is now awaiting call for aviation cadet training.

Pfc. Leroy Brasted, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brasted, of Square Lake road, was one of three members of Battery F, 2nd Battalion, Fort Sill, Okla., who got the perfect score of 100 in physical fitness and technical examinations recently. His platoon averaged 95, exceptionally good. Pfc. Brasted graduated from Baldwin high school in 1938, and attended the University of Michigan for two years, where he studied engineering. Last fall he played right tackle on one of the crack touch football teams at the Fort.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Neil Russell, 1348 Edgewood, that their son, Russell, who is stationed overseas, has been promoted to a Major.

Pvt. Charles R. Delongchamp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Delongchamp, 968 Chapin street, arrived at Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, for a course of Army Air Force instruction lasting approximately five months prior to his appointment as an Aviation Cadet in the Army Air Forces.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice F. Smith, 844 Pilgrim, have received a cable from their son, Ensign Maurice F. Smith, Jr., stating that he has arrived safely overseas.

Aviation Cadet Ronald O. Bude, 21, of Birmingham, Mich., has completed his basic training at the Coffeyville Kansas Army Air Field and has gone on to an advanced field where he will finish his cadet training and win his wings in the Army Air Force. Cadet Bude is the son of Mrs. Carrie F. Douglas of 4315 John R. Road, Birmingham.

The medal of Marksman in rifle shooting is now being worn by Corporal William J. Holmes, 413 Larchlea, because of his accuracy on the range at the West Coast Ordnance Training Center.

Cpl. Julie F. Wenzel Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wenzel, Sr., 511 Hanna, is convalescing in the hospital at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., after two weeks' illness with pneumonia.

Pvt. Warren Dalley is home

from the anti-aircraft replacement training center, Camp Callum, Calif. He is staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Dalley, of Pontiac, formerly of Birmingham.

"Electricians' date" 2/C Paul Westberry left Tuesday after spending a 4-day leave from Indianapolis, Ind., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Westberry, of 3993 Big Beaver road.

Pvt. Richard M. Darval has been sent to an advanced meteorology unit and is now stationed at Chattanooga Field. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Darval, of East Huggins street.

Roy E. Olsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Olsen, 481 Park, has qualified as an aviation cadet and will enter the Air Forces pre-flight training center at Maxwell Field, Montgomery. A 15-a m. m. shortly. He graduated from Baldwin high school last June, then attended Duquesne University at Pittsburgh, Pa. He is now at the Air Forces distribution center at Nashville, Tenn., waiting for his departure for the south. He has been classified for training as a pilot.

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"Stu" Linton Home After 5 Crossings

Ensign Elizabeth Linton who is stationed in Washington, D. C., with the headquarters of the Personnel, was graduated from Midshipman school for WAVES at Smith College, Northampton, Dec. 14 and spent three days at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S. Linton of Oakland avenue. Her brother, Stuart Linton, quarter-master second class, came home on a five day leave and returned to sea last Tuesday. He is on an escort minesweeper in the Atlantic. "Stu" was with the Naval Aircraft prior to going to sea.

He was assistant navigator on a B-3; flying boat, and made four crossings to battle fronts in Europe, experienced two air battles and participated in two sinkings of German submarines. While here he visited Ann Arbor and the Naval unit where he was a member of the NBOTC for two years.

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