

NEWS FROM MEN IN SERVICE

Three Men Receive Navy Commissions

Three Birmingham men have been appointed officers in the Naval Reserve. They are Lt. W. L. Nolen, 980 Westwood, Lt. Walter W. Ayrault, 1005 Stanley, and Lt. (Jr) Fred P. Clifton, 887 Ridgecrest...

Shaffner an Officer in Armored Forces

Birmingham's first selectee to leave after the Pearl Harbor returned the post weekend with his commission in the armored forces (the tank command). He is 2nd Lt. William Laurence Shaffner, Jr., of 224 Wembleton, and he got his commission Jan. 16 at Fort Knox, Ky. His orders will take him to Fort Riley, Kan. Lt. Shaffner was inducted Jan. 12, 1942.

BACK TO NOVA SCOTIA. Sigmund Hillary Craig, of the Royal Canadian Signal Corps, has been home on a furlough since Nov. Year, and is leaving for Debert, Nova Scotia, where he is stationed, tomorrow. He is the son of Mrs. Suzanne Craig, of North Woodward.

Another Contingent Goes Into I-A

Jan. 14, 1943. Walter W. Hitchcock, 1-C ent. Hugh W. Hitchcock, 1-C ent. James T. Kegan, 2-B. Ferris C. Stanley, 2-A. Robert C. Noyes, 2-A. Robert C. Jay, 2-A. Wendover P. Holzworth, 2-A. Thomas C. Tucker, 2-A. Thomas A. Remick, 2-A. Howard T. Worden, 2-A. Robert L. Sims, 2-A. William Calbert, 2-A. Robert Milby, 3-B. James J. Lawler, 1-A. Jules S. DeBeaution, 1-A. Leonard E. Lawrence, 1-A. Low C. Churchill, 1-A. (volunteer). John L. Parks, 1-A. Elton H. Dufor, 1-A. Ralph A. Ewing, 1-A. Leo G. Ward, 1-A. Eugene W. Mezz, 1-A. Donald A. Gould, 1-A. Leo G. Ward, 1-A. Ernest S. Pettipiece, Jr., 1-A. Thomas A. Reaney, 1-A. Harry S. Conwell, 1-A. Malcolm E. Browne, 1-A. John W. Upmeyer, 1-A. Harry M. Yeager, 1-A. Charles W. Steinbock, 1-A. Henry J. Dossley, 1-A. Edwin D. Spicer, 1-A. Donald C. Erickson, 1-A. Laurence J. C. Walker, 1-A. Fredrick W. Raetzke, Jr., 1-A. (volunteer). Royce C. Thorpe, 1-A. Richard J. Griffin, 1-A. Gerard R. Kothas, 1-A. Louis J. Corsi, 1-A. Douglas H. Ewen, 1-A. Richard V. Rayman, 1-A. Robert C. Cindler, 1-A. Charles J. Ardiusi, 1-A. Thomas F. Runyan, 1-A. William J. Watson, Jr., 1-A. Dexter A. Craig, 1-A. James Johnston, 1-A. (volunteer). John B. Kuhlman, 1-A. Jack E. Martin, 1-A. Charles H. Kitson, 1-A. Howard H. Breitweber, 1-A. Artie Slade, 1-A. Richard G. Thiel, 1-A. LeVern J. Ebach, 1-A. Timothy B. Stevens, 1-A. Albert J. Heneka, 1-A. William G. Puzosy, 1-A. Louis B. Vivaldi, 1-A. Robert G. Lynch, 1-A. (volunteer).

New Mail Rules For Overseas Men

Because of the enormous amount of mail consumed by packages sent to fighting men, and the fact that they so often contain objects that are already in the hands of the Army in bulk control shipments, the War Department, in cooperation with the Post Office Department, has issued new regulations governing mail sent to soldiers.

Package Size Limited

The packages will be limited in weight to 5 pounds, and may not be more than 12 inches in length, and 36 inches in length and girth combined. Under the new regulations, magazines and newspapers will be mailed to a soldier only by the publisher and only if the soldier is more than 12 miles in length, and 36 inches in length and girth combined. The mailing to soldiers overseas of single non-subscription copies of magazines and newspapers will be discontinued.

Cadet McCutcheon Completes Half

GREENVILLE, Texas.—Aviation Cadet George E. McCutcheon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. McCutcheon, 780 Lakeview avenue, has completed the first half of his basic flight training at Majors Army Air Field near here and this week was graduated to the 1939 class.

WOULD AID DETROIT'S BOMB VICTIMS

Three hundred professional social workers have begun a ten weeks' training course to fit them to direct a program of financial aid to Detroiters who may be made homeless or destitute by enemy bombers—if and when.

Women in Service

Mary E. Beery Begins Training

PORT DES MOINES, Iowa.—Auxiliary Mary Elizabeth Beery began her training in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

Many Opportunities In Waves, Spars

With educational requirements lowered and types of duty expanded, greater opportunities exist for women interested in joining the Waves or Spars of the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Ellen Ford Gets Naval Commission

Ellen Ford, formerly of 327 Southfield road, Birmingham, has been commissioned an ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve, and has been assigned to Radcliffe College for further training.

Absorb Salesmen In Other Work

DETROIT.—Industry is rapidly absorbing salesmen and other workers in less essential fields where employment has been curtailed by war needs, according to John L. Craig, Michigan director of the United States Employment Service.

INDUCTIONS. Coming inductions have been set for Jan. 23 and Feb. 5. MODERN STORAGE FIREPROOF CONSTRUCTION GAUKLER Local and Long Distance MOVING BIRMINGHAM 10240 GAUKLER Storage Co. 9 Orchard Lake Ave. PONTIAC

HOW TO GET Longer Service from your ELECTRIC CORDS. Illustration of a cord being plugged into a wall outlet.

DON'T run cord through door jamb. DON'T run cord under rugs. DON'T run cord over radiators. THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY. Illustration of a cord being plugged into a wall outlet.

Ted Mack Named First Lieutenant

First Lt. Ted Mack, of Birmingham, was recently promoted to that position. He is adjutant for his unit. Drafted in March of 1941, he was graduated from the Infantry School in June of 1942. His wife, the former Betty Minor Forsyth, lives at Anniston.

Michael Gollygo Now in England

Corp. Michael Gollygo, of Franklin road, Bloomfield Hills, has arrived in England. He enlisted in the Air Force just after Pearl Harbor, and is now attached to a fighter squadron. The family came to America from Scotland in 1924. Michael was then five—and he hopes to be able to visit relatives there.

E. G. Fremont, Jr. 'Leatherneck' Officer

E. G. Fremont, Jr., formerly of 901 Fairfax road, is now a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps. He got his commission during December and then went into the reserve officers' school at Quantico, Va., and expects to finish his training Feb. 24. His address is Co. G, barracks C, 13th R. O. C., Quantico, Va., according to his wife, Mrs. Sallie F. Fremont, who is now at Escalon, Miss.

LEAVES AFTER FURLOUGH

PRC James A. Hensley, an infantry police company, Eden, Ill., spent 10 days with his mother, Mrs. George Stephenson, of 572 Stanley street. His brother, Edward G. Henry, of Detroit, also left this week to serve in the Navy. Formerly, he served in the submarine arm.

NOW A CORPORAL

PORT BENNING, GA.—Promotion of Pfc. William A. Hasslerger, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hasslerger, Sr., of 391 Fernside avenue, to the rank of corporal has been announced here by his commanding officer, Colonel H. N. BSWalker of the Academic Regiment.

GOES BACK

Senator Wendell P. Murters, 1151 Floyd, has returned to his station at Hoffman Island, New York, after nine days' furlough.

GET PACKAGES

Several local boys, including one in the Aleutians and one in Ireland, report receiving Christmas packages from Lt. Edward Straus, 3141 Adams road.

SEEK NAMES

The committee is gathering names to be placed on Birmingham's outdoor roll of honor paid for service men. Parents, friends and wives of men whose names may not be obtained locally for the reason that induction or commission took place elsewhere are asked to phone Mrs. Robert E. Watt.

All men in Michigan between the ages of 18 and 48, who have been subject to Selective Service registration for as long as six months and who do not have their classification cards, were advised today by State Selective Service Headquarters to communicate with their local boards at once. On and after Feb. 1, any man in this age group who does not have in his personal possession his Classification Card (Form 27) as well as a Certificate of Registration is liable to fine or imprisonment, or both.

This Isn't Child's Play



Bowling Scores

LADIES' HOUSE LEAGUE. Won Lost. Matthews, 31 24. Mihalovich, 31 24. Parks Coal, 30 27. McPhee, 28 29. McNeill, 28 29. Birmingham Movers, 27 30. H. Belle, 24 33. White Hair, 23 34. Aho, 19 38.

BIRMINGHAM MERCHANTS. Pontiac Cup Service, 41 19. Dixie Diner, 36 24. Birmingham Eccentric, 36 24. Holmes Ice Cream, 35 26. Gobel's Beer, 35 26. Triangle Furniture, 32 28. Michigan Club, 28 32. Great Lakes Greyhound, 28 32. Cullen's Tavern, 25 35. Hi-Way Inn, 23 37. Standard Tool Engineers, 22 45.

LADIES' ALIBI LEAGUE. Won Lost. Milk's Auto Service, 32 14. Economy Furniture, 32 14. Birmingham Nat'l Bank, 26 22. Maxwell Shop, 23 25. Walserne Chips, 22 26. Olsen's Market, 20 29. Lindquist Baths, 19 29. Reynolds Hardware, 17 31.

JUNIOR HOUSE LEAGUE. Birmingham Juniors, 38 13. Beer, 32 19. Peck's Clothing, 28 23. Beck Cleaners, 27 24. Mortimer, 23 28. Juddis Service, 22 29. Montgomery Ward, 18 33. Martin Lines, 18 33.

Why do people do it? Information Please... People who call "Information" for numbers that are readily available in the telephone directory probably don't realize the serious waste they are causing. 1,450 hours of operators' and equipment time are wasted each day in Michigan by calls for numbers that are listed in the telephone directory. Those thousands of unnecessary calls further congest the war-loaded telephone system. So please look in the directory for the number you want. If it is NOT listed and you must call "Information," write it down so you won't have to ask for it again. * Save Seconds for War * MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY. Illustration of a man on a telephone.

FIGURE IT THIS WAY... Uncle Sam will lay the largest tax bill in history on March 15. YOUR SHARE WILL BE... \$4.75. Make advance provision by setting aside tax money each pay day in your bank account. WE'LL GLADLY GIVE YOU INFORMATION THAT WILL HELP YOU FIGURE YOUR TAX. The Birmingham National Bank. "Birmingham's Community Bank". MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM. MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION.