

### Men In The Service

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Richard Hallett Dick, son of Dr. and Mrs. G. O. Olson, of Detroit, is now located at the U. S. Maritime Training Station, Sheepshead Bay, N. Y. Mr. Dick formerly lived in Birmingham. There are four men in the service from this household. Dr. Olson's oldest son is in Italy; his youngest is at Camp

Chaffee, Ark., and S/Sgt. Brent Beach, husband of the former Betty Dick, is in Georgia. Mrs. Olson is the former Mrs. Harold A. Dick, of Birmingham.

A/C B. Maynard Zimmerman, U.S.N.R., is expected home from Norman, Okla., for the Christmas holiday by his mother, Mrs. Thelma Zimmerman, 675 Vinewood.

### Reclassified

Roy E. Hall, 4-A; Charles A. Tuck, 4-A; Maurice A. Clausen, 4-A; William A. Periard, 4-A; Theodore A. Phillips, 4-A; Harold L. Breitenstein, 4-A; Murdock Morrison, 4-A; John O. Wolven, 4-A; George O. Carter, 4-A; Walter R. Ewald, 4-A.

Walter G. Robbins, 4-A; Norman G. Johnson, 4-A; Fred R. McKewen, 4-A; William D. Smith, 4-A; James King, 4-A; John P. St. Clair, 4-A; John Thomas, 4-A; Michael G. Kelley, 4-A; James M. Mosky, 4-A; Goldie F. Price, 4-A; John C. Boomer, 4-A; Roy E. Hawkinson, 4-A; Willis E. Malory, 4-A; Cecil H. Mason, 4-A; Harold O. Brewer, 4-A; Stanley R. Saunders, 4-A; Hollis P. Haladay, 4-A; John Juliette, 4-A; Christopher W. Fleming, 4-A; David R. Peltier, 4-A.

Robert P. Butler, 4-A; Bernard Warner, 4-A; Joseph A. Miller, 4-A; Harrison L. Cook, 4-A; Leonard Smith, 4-A; August A. Heitzman, 4-A; Edward A. Proctor, 4-A; Frank J. Ortmann, 4-A; Charles R. Toole, 4-A; Edward C. Moorhead, 4-A.

Curtis Day, 4-A; Fred J. Blaugh, 4-A; O. C. Lundy, 4-A.

Frank W. Loeffler, 4-A; James L. Green, 4-A; William J. Hays, 4-A; Eliot B. Coryell, 4-A; Vernon B. Myers, 4-A; Louis R. Brunsgrud, 4-A; Harry P. MacLennan, 4-A.

Howard O. Sutton, 4-A; George E. Phillips, 4-A; John Maggia, 4-A; Carl L. Allen, 4-A; Howard L. Coughlin, 4-A; Curtis Turvis, 4-A; Carl O. Stirling, 4-A; Elliott M. Chamberlain, 4-A; A. Patrick Cunningham, 4-A; A. Parsons, 4-A; Herbert W. Mitchell, 4-A; Roy E. Wheeler, 4-A; John N. Edwards, 4-A; Edward L. Westfall, 4-A; Clarence J. Parnley, 4-A; W. Eugene Wright, 4-A; Henry G. Gasaway, 4-A.

Lee G. Ragatz, 4-A; Rogers I. Marquis, 4-A; Theron M. Hall, 4-A; William H. Starnard, 4-A; Russell W. Layland, 4-A; Otto K. Borchert, 4-A; Walter H. Millard, 4-A; John G. Nielsen, 4-A; George S. Rolph, 4-A.

Orie E. Hammond, 4-A; Leroy O. Gunn, 4-A; Edward R. Voss, 4-A; Edward K. Martin, 4-A; Earl C. Knight, 4-A; Charles L. O'Connell, 4-A; Kenneth M. Schaefer, 4-A; Fred C. Hamill, 4-A; Errett L. Anderson, 4-A; Stuart M. Gasten, 4-A.

Robert T. Hatt, 4-A; James I. Ford, 4-A; Floyd T. Whitney, 4-A; A. W. Lorenz, 4-A; Oscar G. Withers, 4-A; Harold C. Tyler, 4-A; Walter C. Morgan, 4-A; Harlan A. Schooner, 4-A; John P. Simutz, 4-A; Sheldon H. Morris, 4-A.

### Lt. Col. Robinson Meets Fred Farrar In Far Off India

The following letter, just received from Lt. Col. Loren T. Robinson, of the U. S. Army Air Force in India, is of considerable interest to his many Birmingham friends:

Somewhere in India, November 2, 1944.

Editor the Eccentric:

Nearly half way round the world is quite a distance to travel for a Birmingham reunion but that is just what happened to me on my arrival at this station a week or so ago.

Going into the officers' mess for lunch on the first day after a torrid morning spent in getting quarters, etc., my eye lit directly upon a distinguished looking major at the first table—and lo, behold it was my old, old friend, Fred Farrar.

Well, there was a real reunion right then and there followed by some others, as we have been able to get together. Fred is looking fine and apparently is fully acclimated to India weather after several months in the theatre, I, having been in Birmingham last June,

was able to bring him up to date on some of the news of the old town although his correspondents, particularly his daughters, seem to have done a right good job of keeping him posted.

Our offices are in the same building on the station and not too far away. We eat at the same mess and our quarters are not far distant.

You can tell Col. Raynolds that we have organized an India chapter of the Birmingham Club of Clubs. We are located right on a street. However, the one thing we lack is a boat.

Fred and I are planning a trip to town shortly to look over the shops and I suppose we will come away as well laden as any two G. I.'s from a country town.

It is such a short time since I arrived in India that I can not yet appreciate to date I have been busy getting my books into the job and getting acquainted. Fred has an enjoyable job. The majority of these gifts will go to hospitalized servicemen though I expect some will also be sent to adjacent camps where they will be given out by Red Cross field directors.

December 15 is the deadline on which Christmas boxes will be accepted. Any person may contribute a box. Gifts enclosed are to be Christmas wrapped, at card with donor's name to be enclosed. Outside the package should be a list of the contents as doctors at hospitals determine to whom the gift may be given.

In Birmingham packages will be accepted at the Community House.

Both Fred and I send our best regards to all the Birminghamites, big and small.

With kindest regards to every body,

LOREN T. ROBINSON,  
Lt. Col. AAF.

### Christmas Boxes Are Due Friday

Oakland county men and women and many organizations throughout the county are working on Christmas boxes packed for members of the armed forces at present in Army hospitals and camps.

The business of distribution of these boxes is done by Camp and Hospital committees. O. A. L. of county chapter, American Red Cross, Mrs. Walter Appel of Birmingham, chairman of the box drive and county committee, announces that the local chapter has received 2200 Christmas boxes. The majority of these gifts will go to hospitalized servicemen though I expect some will also be sent to adjacent camps where they will be given out by Red Cross field directors.

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### VanWagoner's New Picture In Capitol

A portrait of Murray D. VanWagoner, of Birmingham, former Governor of Michigan, was unveiled to the state at a public reception in the Senate chamber in Lansing late week. Lloyd R. Ford, Detroit, was chairman of arrangements.

The life size portrait was painted by John Kopke, well known Detroit artist.

Justice Raymond W. Stark of this state presided during unveiling at the Senate chamber and Justice George E. Bushnell presided at the unveiling in the Capitol. Harry F. Ellis, secretary of the state, the portrait which is to be hung in the capitol with the portraits of other former governors.

### COUNTY CORN CHAMPION

A crop of 121 1/2 bushels per acre won the corn growing championship of Oakland county when 1944 National DuPont hybrid corn growing contest, it was judged this week. Arnold Crowder of South Lyon is the corn grower who has won this outstanding yield in this locality.

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Rinsol lge. pkg. 25c  
Lux Soap 3 bars 22c  
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Donald E. Belden, 1-A; Leo T. Hartley, 1-A; Robert H. Fortnes, 4-A; Sherman D. Smith, 4-A; Medford E. Pittman, 1-A; William B. Hargreaves, 4-A; Fred H. Layton, 4-A; Elmer J. Schickel, 4-A; Paul R. Reed, 4-A.

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James E. Rich, 1-A; Harry Clark, 4-A; Donald McGuffee, 1-A; John E. Thompson, 4-A; Otto A. Carlson, 4-A; Lawrence R. Britton, Sr., 4-A; James F. Runyon, 4-A; Manuel E. Marrique, 4-A; John D. Parrish, 4-A; Edward E. Willett, 4-A; Walter B. Miller, 4-A.

John H. Millard, 4-A; Bruce E. Johnson, 4-A; Carl H. Fortnes, 4-A; Deyle Service, 4-A; Truman F. Campbell, 4-A; Donald K. Flanniston, 4-A; Kenneth L. Roney, 4-A; Walter P. Bevins, 4-A; Russell R. Mading, 4-A.

Stanley C. Yabney, 4-A; William H. Maholland, 4-H; Clay C. Johnson, 4-A; Clifton Flowers, 4-A; Michael J. Dwyer, 4-A; Joseph E. M. deBruyn, 4-A; Lewis R. Wilson, 4-A; Glenn J. Prost, 4-A; Martin H. Granger, 4-A; Leonard T. Lewis, 4-A; William W. Smith, 4-A.

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John C. Chung, 1-A; Clarence Lyman, 3-A; Ralph E. Bell, 2-B; Allen L. McCabe, 2-B; Clinton M. Boston, 2-B; Morris C. Brown, 2-B; George F. Hill, 2-C.

**NEEDS BLOOD PLASMA**

Mrs. R. T. Garrison, 1830 Melburne, has been interesting herself the past week or two in securing donations of blood plasma for five-year-old Paul Hahn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hahn, of Detroit, very ill in Ford hospital. The lad can only be cured through the daily use of blood plasma, Mrs. Garrison says. Any person interested in assisting the lad in his desperate try for recovery may contact Mrs. Garrison, phone 3628.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held at the Public Office in the City of Pontiac, in and for said County, on the 27th day of November, A.D. 1944.

Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John H. Marshall, Deceased.

That the said administration of said estate having filed in said Court his final account, and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof, determination of the same and discharge of said administrator of the residue of said estate and the distribution thereof to the beneficiaries of said estate.

It is Further Ordered That public notice be given by publication of this order for three consecutive weeks beginning on the date hereof in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper published in and for said County, at the Court and County Office, B'ham, Michigan.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,  
Judge of Probate.  
26-37-38

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In the Matter of the Estate of Richard L. Shawlow, Deceased.

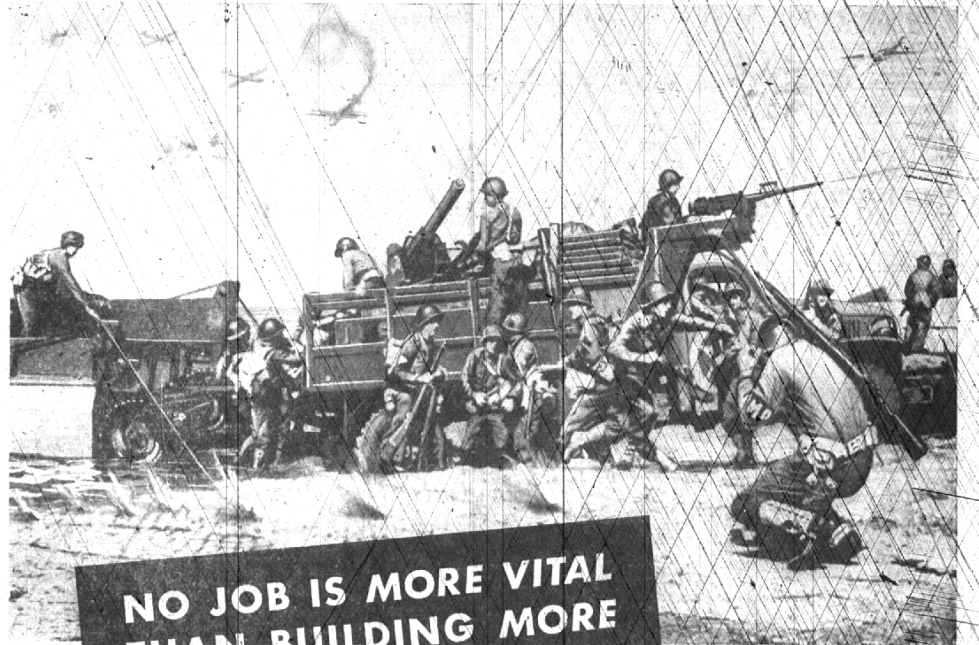
That the said administration of said estate having filed in said Court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Jane O. Shannon, in and for said County, and that she be appointed guardian of said estate.

It is Further Ordered That public notice be given by publication of this order for three consecutive weeks beginning on the date hereof in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper published in and for said County, at the Court and County Office, B'ham, Michigan.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,  
Judge of Probate.  
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