Red Cross Drive Leaders Named

The American Red Cross hah set $200,000,000 as its cost, the 1944 war fund to finance its global service for victory program according to Byron B. Webb, chairman of the Oakland County Red Cross Chapter. Announcement of the amount was received by the chapter from Norman H. Davis, national chairman of the American National Red Cross.

Of this sum $140,000,000 will be required by the national organization to finance Red Cross national and international services to America's fighting forces, Mr. Webb said. The remaining $60,000,000 will go to the 3,756 local chapters for community work, most of which is related to service men and their families.

C. E. Radderham of Pontiac and Bloomfield Hills is war fund chairman in Oakland County and met with members of his planning committee this week to discuss ways and means to conduct the fund drive and personal appointments in the various townships of the county. The planning committee chairman is Marshall E. Smith, Waterford township; other members are Dr. E. B. Cudney, Mrs. Hugh Little, Pontiac; Mrs. Sheldon Noble, Bloomfield Hills; R. J. Emmert, Birmingham; Clarence Kimball, Royal Oak; and Mrs. Ernest E. Wilson, Milford.

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Men in Service

Editor's Note—Men in the armed forces, and parents, are invited to send us news of the boys' whereabouts and activities. Service men, scattered about the country, are hungry for news of their friends. Even the address of a newly-placed inducted man is of interest.

Earl Moody, Jr., machinist mate first class, writes from somewhere in the European theatre of war operations to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moody, 847 Purdy, explaining his part in his ship's campaign for a ship's history in pictures. Somewhat of an amateur photographer himself, the veteran of the engine room of one of Uncle Sam's big landing barges, is assisting in the dark room of his ship as new photographic equipment is set up and put to use. The ship received a donation recently for athletic equipment, but the men expressed the wish to change this to photographic equipment to make a ship's history in picture. The Birmingham youth went through the Sicilian and Italian campaigns.

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John P. Finch, son of George B. Finch, 1280 Latham, is now enrolled in the Navy V-12 college training unit at the California Institute of Technology in Pasadena, Calif. There he is undergoing training designed to fit him to serve as a commissioned engineering officer.

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Naval Aviation Cadet Richard S. Vaile of Birmingham has been graduated with the 35th Battalion at St. Mary's (California) Pre-Flight School and will be transferred to the Naval Air Station at Norman (Okla.) for his primary flight training. At Pre-Flight, Cadet Vaile successfully completed three months of ground school, military and athletic training.

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Pfc. Donald Burnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Burnett, 563 Hanna, has sent word to his parents that he has arrived safely overseas and is stationed "somewhere" in North Africa.

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Byron N. Coons, 407 Greenwood, and Frank R. Grosvenor, Jr., 661 Pierce, are in the preflight school of the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center. They are two out of the 242 Michigan men there.

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Recent graduation ceremonies at the Naval Training School for midshipmen on the Northwestern University campus in Evanston, Ill., saw two Birmingham men receive their commissions as ensigns in the U. S. Naval Reserve. These ensigns are: Lester R. Slusser, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Slusser, 545 Pierce; and Irwin J. Shuter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Shuter, 646 Woodland avenue.

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Pvt. Leroy Braisted, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Braisted, of Square Lake road, has been transferred from Fort Sill, Okla., to Ft. Ord, Calif.

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A/C John J. Wallbillich, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Wallbillich, 966 Glenhurst, will be home for a 10-day furlough, after receiving his wings Jan. 7, at Eagle Pass, Army Air Force, Tex. His father will attend the graduation exercises.

Citations received by Baldwin high school graduates in service will be announced at an honors assembly in the school auditorium Jan. 11 at 11 o'clock. It is hoped that parents and friends of servicemen will communicate with the high school to inform them of citations. The school may be reached at 825 until five and after six at 2025. (See Page 1, Part 1 story.)

Lt. C. J. Lawler, Jr., left Tuesday, after spending a short leave with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Lawler, at his home, 461 Oak St. Lt. Lawler is stationed at Camp Miles Standish, Taunton, Mass.

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William R. Denyes, motor machinist mate 2/C, USCG, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Denyes, and his wife at the Denyes home, 283 Merrill, over New Year's. He was home from New York City.

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1/C Petty Officer William Timm is home on a 10-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Timm, 1275 Cedar drive. William is a Navy physical instructor stationed at Norfolk, Va.

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Warrant Officer (JG) James R. Packard, formerly of 737 Pierce, has successfully completed a special course of instruction at the Southern Signal Corps School at Camp Murphy, Fla.

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Paul Maelen Heinsohn, seaman second class in the school for electricians at the armory in Detroit, is just home from a four weeks' stay in Herman Kiefer hospital in Detroit and has been enjoying a belated Christmas season. Last Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Heinsohn, 404 S. Bates, had their Christmas dinner, and gift presentations. The tree has been kept lighted and the decorations in place until Seaman Heinsohn could come home to enjoy them.

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Sgt. Robert V. Hetler, son of Mrs. Joseph Hetler, 224 Gray Court, writes from somewhere in New Guinea that he recently met friends from Detroit among the servicemen in that war area. It was the first time he had met anyone he knew since arriving there. "I want to come home, but not until we back the Japs right back to their front door in Tokio," he writes.

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Leo G. Ward arrived home recently on a surprise furlough with another stripe (making him a sergeant) to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ward, of Emmons street, and his wife and little daughter. He was home from Cherry Pointe, N. C., where he is stationed with the Marines.

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Roderick J. Quail, Jr., specialist 2/C is bringing his wife, the former Vera Ward, and 8-months-old son to visit Mr. and Mrs. William Ward, of Emmons street, on Jan. 8. They will remain for 10 days.

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Robert A. Wolfston, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wolfston, 4200 Foxcroft, Birmingham, recently commissioned a second lieutenant at Chanute Field, Illinois, has been assigned as a weather officer with the Army Air Forces. Lt. Wolfston received his commission following completion of a course in meteorology.

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Lt. William G. Cobb is in his final combat training and is stationed at Hillsborough Army Air Base Tampa, Fla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner M. Cobb, 1009 Suffield.

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Pfc. Alvin J. Quinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Quinn, 817 Henrietta, is home on an 18-day furlough from the Army Airbase, at Rapid City, S. D. Pfc. Quinn is an aerial photographer; he will report to Salt Lake City, Utah, on Jan. 10.

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Lt. Earle B. Wilson, Jr., arrived home Friday to spend a 10-day leave with the senior Wilsons at their home, on West Lincoln road. Lt. Wilson is stationed at Camp Van Dorn, Miss.

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Pfc. Robert Murray, U.S.M.C.R., left last Wednesday for Wright Junior College, Chicago. He spent a week's furlough here from the Marine Base at San Diego, Calif.

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Richard Charlton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Charlton, 319 Greenwood, stationed "somewhere in England," has been promoted to the rank of a sergeant.

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Pvt. Stephen F. Booth, "Thornlea," Bloomfield Hills, left on Dec. 16, for Gulfport Field, Miss., where he has begun his training in the Army Air Forces.

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John S. Black, son of Mrs. John S. Black of 691 Oak, is at the AAF's Training Command School, Yale University, for courses in the duties in a Technical Officer in Communications. He will receive a commission at graduation.

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A/C Jack L. Coons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coons, Greenwood avenue, has just completed his basic training at Miami, Florida, and is now at Western State Teachers' College, Bowling Green, Ky., continuing his aviation instruction.

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A/C Byron Coons, stationed for some time at the San Antonio, Texas, aviation center, has received a medal for expert marksmanship with the use of side arms. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coons of Birmingham.

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RECLASSIFICATIONS

Jared W. Stark, 2B; Stanley J. Thornback, 2-B; G. J. Gleason, 2-B; Leonard C. McClure, 2-B; Donald F. Killewald, 2-B; Charles R. Hamilton, 2-B; Roy McLellan, 2-B; Franklin H. Taylor, 2-B; Lewis C. Akerley, 2-B; Dwight LaBarre, 2-B; Campbell A. Harlan, 2-B; Walter E. Thompson, 2-B; Dwight P. Allen, 2-B; Thomas O. Cox, 2-B; Arthur Lubellier, 2-B; Leon J. Ostrander, 2-B; Elmer G. Greene, 2-B; John W. Creveling, 2-B; Vincent F. Wilczyski, 2-B; and Rae C. Cully, 2-B.

Phillip M. Hubbard, 2-B; William E. Atchley, 2-B; Graydon F. Cory, 2-B; John R. Geggie, 2-B; Peter Orlando, 2-B; James L. Pritchard, 2-B; Charles M. Pierce, 2-B; Irvin T. Yankee, 2-B; James C. Bingham, 2-B; Edward V. Barnes, 2-B; Aaron W. Greenawalt, 2-B; Melvin S. Pillon, 2-A; Ernest F. Hobbs, 2-A; Richard E. Beaubien, 2-A; T. J. LeMessurier, 2-A; Frank L. Gabriel, 2-A; Robert L. Bliesath, 2-A; Tony J. Paul, 2-A; Norman B. Mack, 2-A; and John W. Blanchard, 2-A.

Stanley G. Gill, 2-A; George L. Birdick, 2-A; Philip S. Faude, 2-A; Howard T. Worden, 2-A; Murray J. Moore, 2-A; Pierce E. Ryan, 2-A; Wilson B. Clingan, 2-A; George S. Dixon, 2-A; John H. Savage Jr., 2-A; Howard E. Tuggey, 2-A; Alonzo J. Haimbaugh, 2-A; William E. Kegel, 2-A William C. Puckett, 1-A H; Charles L. Sdunek, 3-C; Elliott Dean, 3-C; Ronald G. Oliver, 2-C**; Wiley M. Gardner, 3-D; Eugene Griffin, 3-D; Marvin R. Patterson, 2-B H; and Francis P. Kurkowski, 2-B H.

Raymond Y. Hoyt, 2-B H; Alfred S. DeNocker, 4-F; Arthur J. Ducheney, 1-A; Maurice S. Kaplan, 1-A; William N. Vigus, 1-A; Samuel S. Ericsson, 1-A; Frank E. Webb Jr., 1-A; Robert W. Spicer, 1-A; Thomas J. Powell, 1-A; Howard H. Kingsbury, 1-A; Kenneth E. Anderson, 1-A; Walter G. Steeker, 1-A; Jose Contenas, 1-A; William D. Bell, 1-A; Daniel R. Webster Jr., 1-A; Louis E. Smith, 1-A; Raymond F. Bethards 1-A; Roy J. Sweet, 1-A; Rodger B. Emmert, 1-A; John E. Hall, 1-A; and John F. Birrell, 1-A.

Women in Service

Dorothy Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Darby Taylor, 636 Wimbleton has enlisted in the WAVES and will leave for Hunter College, New York, Jan. 27.

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Lorraine Stanley has been promoted to Petty Officer 3/C in the Waves. She has been transferred from Atlanta, Ga., to Patuxent River, Md., where she is a Link trainer instructor. Her rating is that of a special teacher 3/C. Lorraine is the daughter of Mrs. A. Alberta Stanley, 435 Madison.

High Twelve Club to Hold Installation of Officers Monday p.m.

The Birmingham High Twelve club, which recently elected its new officers, will hold its official installation at a Ladies Night meeting Monday evening at the Community House. Dinner will be at 7 and following will come the installation, dancing and other entertainment.

The installing officer will be Hugh Allerton, international vice-president, who is coming especially for the occasion.

Officers to be installed include F. W. DuBois, president; Guy Jensen, first vice president; Roe Cole, second vice president; Merton Adams, international representative; Fred McKewen, secretary; Otto Beier, treasurer; H. Wood, sergeant at arms; and Robert Chissus, Clyde Wood and John Martz, directors.

At the meeting Monday evening of this week the club heard a talk on "Employer and Employee Relations" by Ralph Lee, of General Motors, Detroit.

Michigan Coon Sets New Travel Record

EAST LANSING, Jan. 6—A new Michigan coon record of 36 miles for cross-country hiking has been set, biologists at the state conservation department's Rose Lake wildlife experiment station report. An adult male raccoon with ear tags put on by game men at Rose Lake in the fall of 1942 was shot by a hunter two miles east of Howell.

In traveling so far from Rose Lake the animal broke the previous long distance record in Michigan made by a raccoon who traveled 27 miles in Allegan county.

A program of tagging and releasing animals is regularly carried on at Rose Lake station and much valuable information on wildlife is obtained from these experiments. Cooperation of hunters in returning tags to the conservation department game division makes it possible to get this important information.

A. P. CHIEF TO SPEAK

William McGaffin, chief of the Associated Press Bureau in the Middle East, will be the Detroit Town Hall speaker in the Fisher Theatre Wednesday, Jan. 12, at 11 a. m. He comes direct from Cairo where he reported the historic conference between Roosevelt, Churchill and Chiang Kai-shek. After a 14,000 mile airplane trip, McGaffin arrived in this country only five days ago for his first furlough in three years.

Drove Car on Rink

Donald Roper, 844 Ruffner, was arrested January 3 on a reckless driving charge, police reporting that he drove his car on the ice at the Torrey rink where grouns of eight and ten year old children usually enjoy the skating.

Maples Win From Plymouth 46 to 33 Tuesday Evening

By DON McLEESE

In a hard fought contest which saw four players removed from the game, the Birmingham basketball team outclassed Plymouth 46 to 33 on the latter's home court Tuesday night to extend their winning streak to four straight, a perfect season to date.

Plymouth took the floor hoping to avenge the 52 to 35 defeat by the locals earlier in the season, but was outplayed throughout the contest. The Maples got the jump on the Rocks early in the game and held an 11 to 6 lead at the end of the first quarter.

The second quarter was marred by an abundance of fouls, almost inevitable on the small Plymouth floor; and the Maples stretched their lead to 26 to 13 by capitalizing on their free throws. The Plymouth five was handicapped by the loss of Newton, regular guard, in this period because of four personal fouls.

The locals held their lead in the third stanza and Schultz, Plymouth forward, left the game also for too many personals.

The fourth period brought some aggressive playing by both quintets. Harsha of Plymouth was removed from the game for fighting; and Melvin Boomer, star Maple forward, had to leave because of the limit of personal fouls.

The Maples played a good brand of ball and their accurate and tricky passes made possible many baskets. Harold Kelley topped the Maples' scoring with 13 points, followed by Melvin Boomer and Alvin Larson with 11 markers each. Don Little's speed was cut down because of the slippery floor, but he accounted for eight points and kept the opposition on its toes with his aggressive playing. Fred Zoellin played his usual brand of steady, dependable ball, and turned in a fine performance and classic example of team play.

Bienas, the Rocks' center stood out in their offense with nine points. The lineups for the teams were as follows:

Birmingham		Plymouth
Boomer (Lee)	f	Bennett
D. Little (Watts)	f	(Mason) Schultz
Larson	c	MacGregor
(B. Little)	c	Bienas
Kelley (Saunder)	g	(Hall) Micol
(Woodhouse)	g	(Harsha)
Zoellin (Keller)	g	Newton

Maples Reserves Upset Plymouth

By TOM MILLDEBRANDT

Bringing their season's record to four victories and no defeats, the Maple reserves downed a fiery Plymouth squad on the Rocks' home floor Tuesday night by a score of 22 to 19.

The Blue and White seconds gave the local reservists their toughest battle so far this season, keeping the outcome of the game in doubt until the final gun.

Bob Berges, Maple forward, captured scoring honors with eight points. Berges is also high point man for the season with 23 points to his credit.

The starting lineup for the Rocks was Olds and Brink, forwards; Bentley, center; and G'Baniec and D'Haene, guards. The locals started Wangberg and Berges forwards; Cookerly, center; and Goldman and Lee, guards.

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High Individual Single—Stewart, 236.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Widdis and their four children? The Widdises have taken up residence at 146 Puritan, coming here from the Lathrup Townsite. Eight year old Nancy, is in attendance at Quarton School, as is her 7 year old sister, Mary, there is also 4 year old, Helen, and 3 year old, Nora. Mr. Widdis is service engineer at Koebel Diamond Tool Company.

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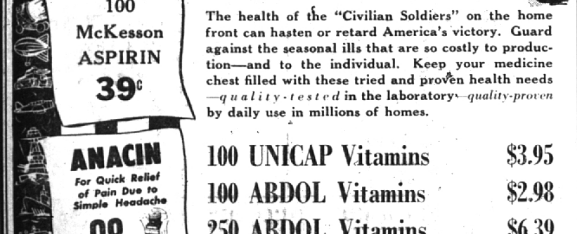

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