

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, stationed about the country, are hungry for news of their friends. Even the address of a newly-placed inductee man is of interest.

RECEIVES COMBAT BADGE
SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION—First Lieutenant Forster L. McKay, 29, has been awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge for superior performance of duty in combat in the front lines of France and Germany. His wife, Mrs. Margaret L. McKay, resides at 367 Fernside, Birmingham, Mich.

Donald Kenneth Turner, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Turner, 1226 Bird street; and William John Watson, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest John Watson, Rt. 2, Smith road, are receiving their initial naval indoctrination at the U.S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. Their recruit training consists of instruction in seamanship, military drill and general naval procedure.

AT OFFICERS' SCHOOL
FORT SILL, Okla.—Technical Sergeant William A. MacLeod, Birmingham, Mich., has entered the Field Artillery officer candidate school at this post. Upon completion of the 17-week course he will be commissioned as a second lieutenant of artillery in the Army of the United States. Sergeant MacLeod attended the University of Michigan. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Carr, 18165 Kinross, Birmingham, Mich.

SERVING IN HOSPITAL
SIXTH ARMY GROUP, France—Staff members of the 36th General Hospital have been commended by their commanding officer for their work under trying conditions in Italy. On the hospital staff are Lt. Col. James E.

Lofstrom, 1631 Trautman road, and S/Sgt. Arthur K. Schaefer, 27363 El Dorado place, Birmingham, Mich.

The hospital, which at times was only five miles behind the lines in Italy, is now operating in France, serving the U. S. 7th Army and units of the Sixth Army Group. Before coming to France, the hospital had cared for more than 14,000 patients from the Fifth Army.

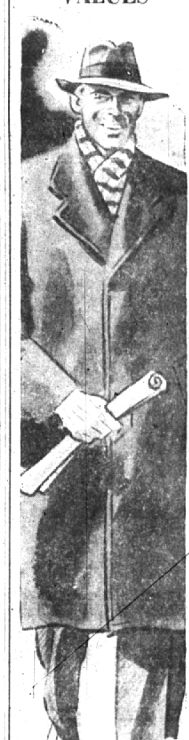
IS IN BOUGAINVILLE

BOUGAINVILLE (Delayed)
Marine Private George T. Acree, 21, husband of Mrs. Jennie Knight Acree, of 971 Cloverdale street, Birmingham, Mich., is flight clerk and plane mechanic of the "Lone Wolf" squadron here, in eight months of duty in the Southwest Pacific. Acree has been stationed in New Caledonia, Espiritu Santo (New Hebrides), Guadalcanal, Green and Emir Islands. Although he claims he has done nothing exciting, the Birmingham Marine admits he participated in a few straining missions over Japanese positions on Bougainville.

NOW IN ENGLAND

AN AIR SERVICE COMMAND STATION IN ENGLAND—F.O. Robert K. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Cavan, of Foxcroft, and Cpl. Edward D. Spicer, Sr., husband of Mrs. Margaret E. Spicer, 227 Gray, recently completed an orientation course designed to bridge the gap between training in the States and combat experience against the enemy in Germany.

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AT GREAT LAKES

William J. Cooper, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cooper, 28865 Telegraph road, Birmingham, Mich., is receiving his initial Naval instruction at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois.

Pvt. James Ronald Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Alford Jones, 91511 Lakeview, Chicago, Ill., was recently inducted into service, has been sent from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to Camp J. T. Robinson, Arkansas.

KEESLER FIELD, Biloxi, Miss.
Pvt. Calvin W. Laidlaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Estes, 803 Ruffner, is home on a 15-day furlough from the gunnery school at Keesler Field. It is his first furlough in 18 months.

Mrs. Hugh Denyes has received word that her husband, Hugh Denyes, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Mrs. Denyes resides at 871 Ann street. Hugh is with the Ordnance service in England. He has been overseas about a year.

Gordon L. O'Kelly, St. 2-C, arrived at his home, 511 Ridgeland, Tuesday, Jan. 23, to spend a 30-day leave at home after having spent 22 months in Europe, N. W. Africa.

READY FOR DUTY
MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Capt. Joe J. Richmond, 24, 180 Bay Street, Birmingham, Mich., has arrived at Army Air Forces Reorganization Station No. 2 in Miami Beach for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States. Veteran of 100 combat missions over Europe, Captain Richmond, a P-47 Thunderbolt pilot, returned to America in December, 1944, decorated with the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal, studied with 20 Oak Leaf Clusters.

He is the husband of Bernice A. Richmond, 380 Bates street, Birmingham, Mich.

Cpl. Paul F. Kurth of the Hunon Hardware Store is spending a 14-day furlough with his family and relatives after which he will return Feb. 8 to Camp Hood, Tex., where he is with a Field Artillery Service battery.

Frank Delahanty, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Delahanty, 1091 Surfside, left last Monday for his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill.

Sgt. Bruce L. Pettypiece, engine mechanic, returning from 36 months overseas in the Southwest Pacific theater of operations, was to reach Fort Sheridan, Illinois, early this week enroute to Birmingham to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Pettypiece, 171 Frank street.

A C. John M. Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Sanders, of 124 Pine lane, has recently completed gunner school at Harlingen Field, Texas, and is now attending navigation school at Hondo Field, Tex.

PROMOTED TO CORPORAL
TONOPAH, Nev.—Omer L. Bartholomew, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Bartholomew, 27350 Santa Barbara, Birmingham, Mich., was promoted recently to the grade of corporal. It was announced by Col. John A. Feagin, commanding officer of Tonopah Army Air Field. Prior to entering service in July, 1943, Col. Bartholomew was employed by the Ford Motor Company as a metallurgist assistant. He is a graduate of Harlingen Gunner School in Texas and is at present acting as nose gunner in training with a combat crew here.

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1 cup milk
4 tablespoons melted butter or shortening
1 cup raw apple, chopped

Combine liquid and dry ingredients. Fill greased muffin tins two-thirds full. Sprinkle with mixture of 4 tablespoons melted shortening, 2 tablespoons sugar, 1/2 teaspoon Sudan Cinnamon. Bake in moderate oven (375°) 25 minutes. Makes 12 to 15 muffins.

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United States	4 minutes	Hungary	30 minutes
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England	18 minutes	Brazil	30 minutes
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SAVORY SAVING... This recipe for using up "leftover" roast beef is highly recommended by our Home-Service Department:

Luncheon Rolls with Mushroom Sauce

2 cups sifted flour 4 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. salt 4 tsp. shortening
3/4 to 1 cup milk

Sift dry ingredients together, cut in shortening, and add milk to make a soft dough. Roll to 1/4-inch thickness and spread with mixture of ground leftover roast beef, finely minced cooked potatoes and finely minced onion. (This may be moistened slightly with white sauce or leftover gravy.) Roll like a jelly roll and cut into one-inch slices. Bake in muffin pans at 450° F for 12 to 15 minutes. Serve with mushroom sauce.

CARE OF CORDS... It is always important to take care of your electric appliance cords—and particularly so in wartime. These simple instructions will extend the life of your cords: Keep them free from oil, moisture and grease; avoid kinking and knotting; keep them away from sharp edges and hot appliances; Do not hang them over nails. When disconnecting them from outlets, grasp plug firmly—don't jerk cord.

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