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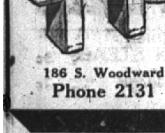
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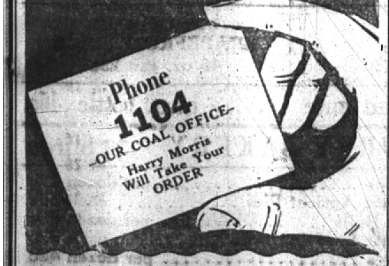

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# Men in Service

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.

## Air Medal Awarded Lt. Gene McCullough For Service In Battle

Charles F. McCullough, 8874 Cooley Lake road, Milford, has just received the following letter informing him of the awarding of

Lt. Gene McCullough

the Air Medal to his son, Lt. Gene N. McCullough:

Dear Mr. McCullough:

Recently your son, Lieutenant Gene N. McCullough, was decorated with the Air Medal. It was an award made in recognition of courage, service to his combat organization, his fellow American airmen, his country, his home and to you.

He was cited for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the South Pacific area from February 20, 1945, to May 6, 1945.

Your son took part in sustained operation flight missions during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These flights included bombing missions against enemy installations, shipping and supply bases, and aided considerably in the recent successes in this theatre.

Almost every hour of every day your son, and the sons of other American fathers, are doing just such things as that here in the Southwest Pacific.

Theirs is a very real and very tangible contribution to victory and to peace.

I would like to tell you how genuinely proud I am to have men such as your son in my command, and how gratified I am to know that young Americans with such courage and resourcefulness are fighting our country's battle against the Japanese aggressors.

You Mr. McCullough, have every reason to share that pride and gratification.

Sincerely,
GEORGE C. KENNEY,
General, United States Army,
Commander.

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### COAST GUARDSMAN HOME

Coast Guardsman Edward W. Brehm, Jr., fire controlman second class, and for some weeks enrolled at the Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn., has received his honorable discharge and arrived home last week Wednesday. He is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brehm, 320 Hawthorne road. He was in service 26 months, 14 months at sea and 11 months overseas, on the Coast Guard assault transport U.S.S. General W. H. Gordon. He plans to return to the University of Michigan next month for the final semester of his course in the Literary college.

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Pfc. Alford Peabody, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Peabody, 439 Park street, has been returned to Hickam Field, Pear Harbor, after duty on Canton Island. Alford is with the 145th Army Air Communication System, Headquarters Detachment.

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Lorenzo Verl Kline, FF 1/c, is home with a medical discharge and his wife, Pfc. Louise R. Kline, of the Wacs, has received her discharge. Lorenzo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kline, 1212 Holland. They will make their home in Pontiac.

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Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Dalley, of Pontiac, formerly of Birmingham, that their son, Wilbur E. Dalley, was promoted to the rank of Captain, U. S. Army, early in August. Captain Dalley was graduated from Birmingham High School in June, 1931, and enlisted in the armed forces in October, 1942, when he was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant. Capt. Dalley's headquarters are at present located in Detroit.

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John Peter Schaifer, of 16 Mile road, Birmingham, Mich., has recently been accepted for enrollment in the U. S. Maritime Service and is now undergoing basic training at the Maritime Service training station, Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.

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URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill.—An outstanding score in physical education tests given to Army Specialized Training Program men at the University of Illinois has been made by Pvt. J. L. Hardig, of 1033 Kennesaw, Birmingham. His record in the squat jumps was 76 times. The average in this event is 44.

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Sgt. Howard Estes, now serving in Virton, Belgium, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Estes of 492 Rivenoak that he has been doing some interesting experimental work in color photography for the Army. He has sent home copies of some of his work.

## Walled Lake Youth Dies From Poison

Arthur A. Lindsay, seaman 2/c, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsay, of Walled Lake, died Sept. 9, mysteriously poisoned by an "unknown agent" at the Puget Sound naval yard, Bremerton, Wash., the Navy notified the mother last week. It is expected the body will be brought home for interment.

Lindsay, 24, was a four-year navy veteran who escaped blistering kamikaze plane attacks on the aircraft carrier Bunker Hill and action off Okinawa.

Rear Adm. R. W. Christe, yard commandant, included no details in his telegram other than cause of death as from "poisoning of unknown agent." In addition to the four dead, seven others are hospitalized.

Lindsay was home last in July while the Bunker Hill underwent extensive repairs at Seattle.

Lindsay's two brothers in service, S/Sgt. John Lindsay, 32, a paratrooper, and Edward Lindsay, 19, stationed at Great Lakes. In addition to the mother other survivors at home are Jesse, 30; Lloyd, 27; Clarence, 25; Lenore, 34 and Olive 26.

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## Pvt. Donald Daly Is Discharged At Dibble Hospital, California

DIBBLE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Menlo Park, Calif.—Pvt. Donald J. Daly, of Birmingham, has recently been discharged from the service at Dibble General hospital, Menlo Park, Calif., after one year and eight months in the Army.

Pvt. Daly joined the service Dec. 31, 1943, and after basic training at Camp Wolters, Texas, went overseas Sept. 7, 1944, with the 29th "Blue and Gray" Infantry division. His outfit saw action in France, Belgium, Holland, and Germany and it was during a full scale attack near Aachen, Germany, on Nov. 17 that he received shrapnel wounds in his left arm and side. He returned to the States Jan. 4 of this year after serving overseas four months.

Besides the Purple Heart the 27-year-old infantryman wears the European Theater ribbon with two battle stars, the Combat Infantry badge and the Good Conduct badge.

Before joining the service Daly was employed in machinery maintenance in the construction field. He is the son of Mrs. Margaret Groves, of 651 Townsend street, Birmingham, and Thomas Daly, of Big Beaver, Mich.

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### IN ARMY SCHOOL

SHRIVENHAM, England—The U. S. Army University Center in England, designed to give soldiers a chance to get college instruction while waiting to return to the United States, has started its first semester here with an enrollment of 3,811 students, including Private First Class Thomas H. Clark, 19, of Adams road, Birmingham, Mich. Pfc. Clark, a member of the 94th Infantry Division, is studying English, French, and college algebra. He attended University of Michigan. His parents live at the above address.

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John Vernon Wendorph, Mus. 2/c, aboard the U.S.S. Iowa, has been made Mus. 1/c. Vernon is a graduate of Baldwin High School and has been aboard the Iowa for three years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Wendorph, formerly of Birmingham and now living at 5936 Carrollton avenue, Indianapolis, Ind.

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News of the promotion of their son, Lt. Donald G. Fouracre to captain has been received by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fouracre, 391 Townsend street. Captain Fouracre is instrument check pilot with the First Troop Carrier Command, George Field, Lawrenceville, Ill.

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S/Sgt. Michael Gallogly, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gallogly of Bloomfield Hills, arrived home Sept. 13 after serving 34 months with the Eighth Air Force. He has received his honorable discharge. The airman wears the Bronze Star Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, Distinguished Unit Badge and the European, African, Middle East Service Medal with six Bronze Stars.

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Stanley Everingham, S 2/c, aboard the U.S.S. Wilkes-Barre, with the Third Fleet, wrote his mother, Mrs. Jennie Everingham, 212 Daines, on Aug. 30 that he was in Tokyo harbor. Stanley states "the Japs turn their backs on American vessels but here everywhere they turn they have to face an American ship." Stanley has been in the Marshall, Hawaiian and Caroline Islands.

### SEVENTH WAR LOAN REPORT

The Birmingham Woman's Club collected $48,000 for the Seventh War Loan under the chairmanship of Mrs. Matthew Cammareri. Among the gallants were Mrs. Cammareri, Mrs. H. E. Tremper, Mrs. Glen Coley, Mrs. William O. Merrill, and Mrs. Pearl Robinson.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 317
AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL
ORDINANCE NUMBER 120

The City of Birmingham Ordains:

Section 1. That Ordinance Number 120 entitled "An Ordinance Relative to the Burning of Garbage and Vegetable Matter in the Incinerator in the Village of Birmingham, Michigan, and providing punishment therefor" be and the same is hereby repealed.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately after the passage and upon publication thereof.

Made and passed by the Commission of the City of Birmingham this 10th day of September, A.D. 1945.

WILMER E. MOODY, Mayor
IRENE E. HANLEY, Clerk 26

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David Findlay, Jr., 4-A; Leonard A. Sawicki, 4-A; Henry A. Fielding, 4-A; George Courtney, 4-A; Gordon H. Barkell, 4-A; Robert T. Garrison, 4-A; Otto Loeffler, 4-A; Harry Bertola, 4-A; Charles E. Smith, 4-A; Francis J. Byrne, 4-A; James V. Giacalone, 4-A; Frank J. DeMara, Jr., 4-A; Lawrence O. Phillips, 4-A; Ralph E. Bell, 4-A; Patrick Shields, 4-A; Homer J. Murphy, 4-A; William N. Bell, 4-A; Sylvester J. Knepfler, 4-A; John W. Erhard, 4-A.

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## 'Shadow Factory'

All that's left of one of Tokyo's "shadow factories," or backyard machine shops. This method of mass production, contrary to popular impression, was not introduced as a war measure to thwart bomb attacks. It developed a thousand years ago the entrepreneur controls with the individual for certain finished parts or materials, and the parts are assembled at a central point.

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## Justin Buckeridge Is Expected Home Soon For 30-day Furlough

Pfc. Justin P. Buckeridge, 17th Airborne Division, arrived in Boston, aboard the transport Marpose, Saturday, Sept. 15, and expected home on a 30-day furlough preliminary to discharge, sometime next week. He has five battle stars and 85 points.

On April 20, 1944, Pfc. Buckeridge sailed with the 550th Glider Regiment from the Newport News, landing near Oran early in May. He participated in the invasion of Southern France and was in the glider capture of LeMuy, front the Germans. He fought in the operations in Southern France, Rhineland and in the battle phases of the Ruhr of the Rhine.

After V-E day, Pfc. Buckeridge was made editor-in-chief of the Talon, newsmagazine of the 17th Airborne Division. He also wrote and produced a short illustrated history of the 550th Airborne Battalion which was printed in Nice, France. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Buckeridge, 507 Brookside.



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