

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 in the country, are happy for news of their friends. From the address of a newly-placed industrial man is of interest.

Captain Charlton Is Back In States

WITH THE 8TH ARMY IN JAPAN—Captain Cecil F. Charlton of Birmingham, Mich., is among the latest group selected from the famous 1st Cavalry Division returned to the United States from Tokyo for demobilization. He landed in Seattle last week and went to Fort McArthur, near Los Angeles, Calif.

Overseas six months, Captain Charlton served with the 7th Cavalry Regiment as the information and education officer, public relations officer and postal officer. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbon and the Philippine Liberation ribbon with a star. He also wears the American Theater ribbon, Victory ribbon, Good Conduct medal and the Army occupation ribbon for Japan.

His wife, Mrs. Ruth Charlton, and son, Richard, are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Allen, in Los Angeles.

After attending the University of Michigan, Captain Charlton became a commercial artist until en-

fort are becoming public knowledge. Within the space of a few days, the University has received word from the Army and was honored in New York City for its work on the atomic bomb project. In addition, Prof. Harry C. Carver, professor of mathematics, has received an award for his work as air operations analyst for the Eighth Air Force.

FINISHED BASIC COURSE
KEESLER FIELD, Miss.—Pvt. George Harabedian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harabedian, 647 Ruffner, Birmingham, Mich., was graduated last week from the AAF Training Command's basic airplane and engine mechanics course at Keesler Field. The training program he followed included, in addition to aircraft maintenance, fundamentals, instruction in airplane electrical systems, structures, fuel and oil systems, propellers, instruments, hydraulic systems, engine operations and basic airplane inspection.

Robert F. Duman, C. M. 1/c, has been promoted to C. M. 3/c. He has been stationed on Guam since June. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Duman, 14 Mile road.

Lieut. (J.G.) Frank C. Smith is on terminal leave with his wife and children, Peter and Sam, at their home on Washington street, after two and a half years of service in the Navy. He was in the Pacific area of operations for six months.

Sgt. James L. Juhl, who has been spending a 30-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. J. Lenard Juhl, Lanardale, will leave March 9 for Fort Sheridan, Ill.

HOME FROM ENGLAND
Flight Sergeant Noel Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Walker, 27 Pleasant street, has received his discharge from the Royal Canadian Air Force, in which he served during the war. He was doing experimental work on mosquito bombers during his 18 months overseas.

BACK IN THE STATES
Paul Harbin, information officer sends word that S/Sgt. Richard T. Cushing, of 355 Manor road, Birmingham, left that port aboard the S.S. Kingston Victory enroute to Seattle.

Howard S. Gans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Gans, 485 Kimberly road, is taking his Naval boot training at Great Lakes, Ill.

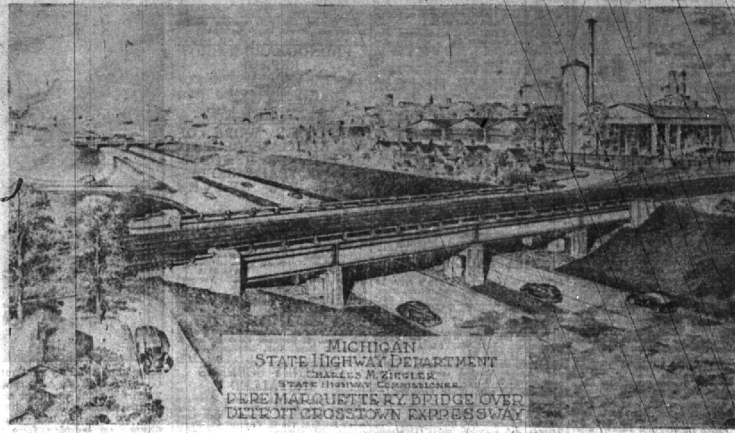
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NEED ARMY OFFICERS
Men who desire commissions in the Regular Army were cautioned to submit their applications as soon as possible. Colonel Walter C. Cole, commanding officer of the Michigan recruiting District, said that the applications must be received by the Adjutant General of the War Department not later than March 1, 1946. Recent legislation authorized the War Department to increase the commissioned strength of the Regular Army to 25,000. All the appointments will be made within the next five months.

V.F.W. TO HOLD ELECTION
The Birmingham Veterans of Foreign Wars will have their election of officers Monday evening, March 4, at eight o'clock at the Community House.

Overseas veterans are invited to join the post for the purpose of meeting their buddies and becoming organized to meet postwar problems.

How New Detroit Crosstown Expressway Will Look When Completed



MICHIGAN STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
CHARLES M. ZIEGLER
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER
PERE MARQUETTE RY BRIDGE OVER
DETROIT CROSSTOWN EXPRESSWAY

The artist's drawing above shows how Detroit Crosstown will look when finished. In the foreground above is the Pere Marquette railroad bridge across the expressway. Railroad traffic at this point will be maintained by temporary trestles during construction work. In the background is the structure that will carry

Livernois Street across the highway. Note entrance and exit ramps upper left. It is expected work on the expressway will start soon at this point. Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler has announced. The Crosstown expressway will run from Wyoming and Michigan avenues, where it will join the Detroit Industrial-Willow Run, ex-

pressway, across the city of Detroit to Eight Mile road in the vicinity of Jefferson avenue. The first section to be built in the next three years will run from Wyoming to John R. street and intersect the north-south John C. Lodge expressway at Hamilton avenue.

Estimated cost of the first sections of the Crosstown and Lodge expressways is \$45,000,000. The federal government will pay half of the cost, the state one-fourth and the city of Detroit and Wayne county each one-eighth. The State Highway Department is in charge of construction work for both projects.

IS BITTEN BY DOG

George Cutter, 645 Woodland, reports to police that his daughter, Sally, age 11, was recently bitten in the face by a dog. The animal, he says, is owned by George Martin, 564 Harmon. The child was taken to Ford hospital for treatment. The dog was ordered kept tied.

All kinds of household goods are readily sold by use of Eccentric Classified Ads.

Suggested Kinds Of Fruit To Set Near Birmingham

Inquiry reveals that many Birmingham home owners and owners of semi-rural homes are planning to add fruit trees to their yards and orchards this spring.

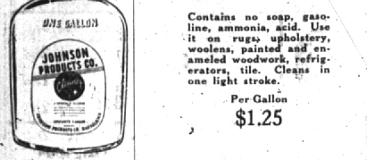
Local orchardists indicate they prefer to have planting of fruit trees for the Birmingham region, some contend that to get the most in early gives the spring rains a chance to back the earth around the roots. Many say they have had good success putting in trees as soon as frost is out of the ground.

Birmingham residents say they have found as many orchardists that not all varieties of trees do so well here. Robert E. Loree, horticultural specialist at Michigan State College, has made a careful study of varieties which do well in Michigan and this week offered the following suggestions as to varieties of fruits for home planting.

- Here Is List:
Peaches—Red Haven, Hale-Haven and Rochester.
Pears—Bosc, Bartlett and Seckel.
Apples—Yellow Transparent, Wealthy, Macintosh, Jonathan, Delicious and Stelco.
Plums—Green Gage, Stanley, Sanniois and French Prune.
Cherries—Montmorency (sour), and Windsor, Schmidt and Black Tartarian (sweet).
Raspberries—Latham and Taylor.
Black raspberries—Cambridge and New Logan.
Blue grapes—Van Buren, Fredonia and Concord.
Green grapes—Ontario, Portland and Niagara.
Red Grapes—Brighton and Delaware.
Strawberries—Premier, Guthrie, Michigan and Premier.
Wilding, Schmidt and Black Tartarian (sweet).
Gen and Mayzaka (everbearing).

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REGISTRATION NOTICE

City of Bloomfield Hills Annual City Election Monday, April 1, 1946

Notice is hereby given that any person wishing to vote at this election must be registered on or before TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1946 at 8:00 P. M.

Any person who is a Citizen of the United States 21 years of age, will have resided in the City of Bloomfield Hills 20 days and in the State of Michigan 6 months prior to the date of election may register by calling at the City Clerk's Office in the Municipal Building between the hours of 8:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M., except that on TUESDAY, MARCH 12 the Clerk's Office will be open from 8:00 A. M. to 8:00 P. M.

Those persons who have already registered under the permanent registration system, and have voted at least once during the last two years do not have to re-register.

NORVIL B. FARRELL
City Clerk

'Truman Loaf'



Agriculture Secretary Clinton P. Anderson shows President Truman samples of the "Truman Loaf" new wheat-saving bread baked from 80 per cent flour. This includes 10 per cent of the wheat formerly used for feed. Early reports: new bread is grayish, tastes milder, texture coarser, loaf heavier but a bit smaller. These samples are from the Agriculture Department's experimental laboratories at Beltsville, Md.

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Our Policy On NEW CAR ORDERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH FAIR PROCEDURE

We are now accepting orders for earliest possible delivery of new cars. However, as you know, there are not enough new cars for all who want them. Therefore, we want to make a clear statement of our policy . . . so that everyone will know exactly how we are handling orders for and delivery of new cars during the current shortage period.

- 1 We intend to fill orders for new cars in the order in which they are received. There are two exceptions to this basic rule—
- 2 We will definitely deliver a percentage of our cars to those who have served in the Armed Forces. We feel sure that all our customers will agree with this.
- 3 If definite need for a new car is a factor, we will, in the public interest, determine such cases on the basis of the now abolished, but publicly accepted, OPA priority lists.

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