

150 APPLY FOR 'GI' EDUCATION

Continued Heavy Response By Indiana Veterans Foreseen.

Some 150 Hoosier world war II discharges have already applied for government-financed college education as provided for by the "G. I. bill of rights," and a continued heavy response is expected by state education and veterans administration officials.

As might be expected, Indiana and Purdue universities have received the greatest number of applications, but virtually every institution of higher learning in the state is on an accredited list of schools eligible to participate in the veterans program. C. J. Dexter, state veterans administration director, said.

Col. Robinson Hitchcock, Indiana selective service director, says selective service here anticipates an extremely popular demand for veterans' educational privileges in the Hoosier state, with its profusion of colleges and universities.

Threefold Objective

The colonel pointed out that the program has a threefold objective:

1. It will allow former college men to continue their interrupted education.
2. Many youths who otherwise could not have afforded college education will be able to do so under the government-sponsored project.
3. Whole-hearted participation in the program will somewhat relieve the labor problem by furnishing ambitious veterans with a "buffer" activity that will assure better jobs when more jobs are available.

Quality to Be Maintained

The tremendous influx of discharged veterans into the state's educational accommodations will in no way affect the quality of facilities offered at the respective institutions, Col. Hitchcock asserted.

Selective service and the veterans administration will require colleges and universities to re-qualify each year for veterans-training eligibility. These government agencies will demand of those institutions participating in the program the same teaching standards established by the state department of public instruction.

Tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. representatives of state schools are to meet with veterans administration representatives in the office of Dr. Clement T. Maize, superintendent of public instruction, to discuss policies of sponsorship and enrollment.

The state department of public instruction will appoint a representative to the state service committee and will also volunteer assistance in the comprehensive Indianapolis information center to be established here soon for the benefit of servicemen.

RETURN QUEZON'S BODY TO CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (U. P.).—The body of Manuel Quezon, whom President Roosevelt called the "George Washington of the Philippines," will be placed aboard a funeral train for Washington tonight at Saranac Lake, N. Y., where the Philippine president died yesterday after a lingering illness.

Quezon's widow and three children will fly from their Saranac summer home to the capital, where services will be held at St. Matthew's cathedral. The body will be placed in Arlington cemetery until it can be sent to the Philippines for final burial.

The new president of the Philippine commonwealth, Sergio Osmeña, 65, vice president under Quezon, was sworn in five hours after Quezon's death. The ceremony took place in the oak-paneled office of Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes here.

PLANE PRODUCTION UP

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (U. P.).—Aircraft production this year will reach its goal of 100,000 planes, government officials indicated in disclosing that 60,000 bombers, fighters and other types of planes were turned out by American factories during the first seven months of 1944.

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Hoosier Heroes: Phillips, Hendrixson, Harris, Stahley Killed in Service; Five Wounded



Lt. Henry A. Gardner... safe at base in Italy.



Sgt. Harold E. Shireman... captured by Nazis.



Metalsmith 3-Jay Q. Hendrixson... killed in Atlantic zone.



First Lt. George W. Stahley... killed in France.



Sgt. Robert D. Richardson... missing after first air mission.



S. Sgt. Boyd Foxworthy... prisoner of war in Germany.

Sgt. Donald E. Harris, son of Mrs. Leota Hildebrand, 1021 N. Groff ave., was killed in action in France July 15. He was a member of a ranger division and participated in the D-day action.

Mrs. Hildebrand was notified of her son's death Friday. She received a letter from him Monday, dated July 14, which he wrote while on guard duty. Most of his friends and relatives, with whom he corresponded regularly, also received letters this week.

He entered the service in March, 1943, and was sent to England in January. His outfit was presented the presidential citation last week.

The 20-year-old soldier was graduated from Washington high school and formerly was employed by the Link-Belt Co.

Survivors, besides his mother, include two younger brothers, Robert and Kenneth, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly R. Lee, 1169 Sharon ave.



Pvt. Norman W. Phillips... killed in France.



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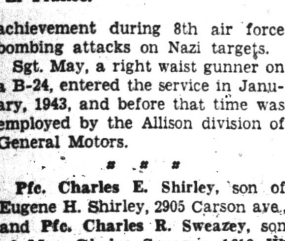
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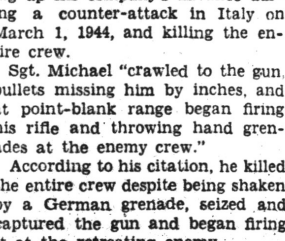
Elden Cox... Wounded



John Silcox... Wounded



F. Rushon... Wounded



Howard Watts... Wounded

Metalsmith 3-Jay Q. Hendrixson, on duty with the navy in the Atlantic, was killed July 30, two days after his 23d birthday and one day after his first birthday of his young daughter.

Husband of Mrs. Maxine Baker Hendrixson, 1838 Carrollton ave., Metalsmith Hendrixson died during an electric storm in line of duty. He was to have been promoted to metalsmith 1-c this month.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Q. Hendrixson, 1731 Arrow ave., and has two daughters, Phyllis June, 3, and Shirley Lee, 1.

Entering the navy in February, 1940, after graduating from Technical high school, the young sailor had been on convoy duty in the Atlantic most of the time he was in uniform. His wife had not heard from him for four weeks.

He was a member of the Hillside Christian church and the Moose lodge.

A sister, Mrs. Mary Francis Perkins, also survives. Services will be held at the Roy J. Tolin funeral home, 1908 Prospect st. The time has not been arranged.

First Lt. George W. Stahley, an officer in the infantry, was killed in France July 4.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Stahley, 4103 E. 38th st., Lt. Stahley attended civilian military training camp at Ft. Harrison several years. He was commissioned in February, 1942, and went into active service in April of that year.

The 22-year-old soldier arrived overseas last April and went into Normandy in June.

A graduate of Technical high school, he was attending Butler university when he entered service. A brother, James L. Stahley, is in the marine corps at Miami university, Oxford, O.

Lt. Stahley, a member of Lambda Chi fraternity, trained at Ft. Benning, Ga., Camp Atterbury, Camp Forrest, Tenn., and Camp Breckinridge, Ky., before going overseas to England.

Pvt. Norman W. Phillips, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Phillips, 1101 N. Bellevue pl., died in action on the battlefield in France July 15.

Mrs. Phillips received the war department telegram notifying her of her son's death just two days after she heard he was seeing action in France.

A native of Indianapolis, Pvt. Phillips attended Washington high school and worked at the American States Insurance Co. He entered the army last November and went overseas about three months ago. His unit was part of the forces which invaded the Cherbourg peninsula.

A brother, T. 4th Gr. Walter, is in the army in England. Two sisters, Joan Phillips and Mrs. Cecilia Green, and another brother, Richard, live in Indianapolis.

Sgt. Robert D. Richardson, a tall gunner on a B-17, has been missing since July 19 over Germany on what is believed to have been his first mission.

Son of N. D. Richardson and brother of Miss Virginia Richardson, both of 4936 W. 12th st., Speedway, the 19-year-old airman arrived in England July 2 and in a letter written July 14 said he had not been on any missions yet.

A graduate of Speedway high school, Sgt. Richardson won his runner's shoes at an army air field in Nevada after enlisting in the air force in September, 1943.

He was last home on furlough in February, when his mother died.

Seaman 1-c Francis L. Rashdon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Rashdon, 102 W. Arizona st., was wounded in action Feb. 21 and is in a hospital in Shoemaker, Cal. He was first confined to a hospital in Hawaii and has been awarded the purple heart.

A graduate of Sacred Heart school, he attended Manual high school and entered the service March 3, 1942, going overseas 18 months ago.

Pvt. Elden J. Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cox, R. 20, Box 483, was wounded in France about June 25 and is in a hospital in Normandy.

Although no official war department notification has been sent to Mrs. Cox, Pvt. Cox wrote home that he had been hurt in the leg. He had been fighting in France about three weeks.

The 21-year-old infantryman received his training at Camp Blanding, Fla., after entering the army Oct. 23, 1943. He went overseas in April and was based in England before the invasion.

Before entering service, Pvt. Cox was employed at Eli Lilly & Co. and was graduated from Decatur Central high school.

Pfc. John Silcox, husband of Mrs. Mary Silcox, 1544 Hoyt ave., was wounded in action in France and is in a hospital in England.

He is the son of J. N. Silcox, 1128 River ave., and entered the army in March, 1942. He went overseas last January and is 23.

Pfc. Ernest Kordes, brother of Clarence Kordes, 119 N. Grant ave., had both collar bones broken in action in France June 7 and is in a hospital in England.

A graduate of St. Anthony grade school in St. Anthony, he worked on a farm near Petersburg before entering service in March, 1942.

He trained at Ft. Harrison, Camp Claiborne, La., and Camp Edwards, Mass., before going overseas in October, 1943, and landing in Africa. He has fought in Sicily and Italy and was based in England before going to France.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kordes of St. Anthony, the glider infantryman has a brother, Cpl. Albert Kordes, serving with the army in the Pacific war zone.

Capt. Robert C. Patrick, pilot of a B-17, is a prisoner of war in Germany. He previously had been reported missing over Europe since May 12.

Husband of Mrs. Anne R. Patrick and son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Patrick, all of 201 N. Mount st., the 26-year-old captain has completed 10 missions and won the air medal. Before entering the army in June, 1940, he was employed at R. C. A. and was graduated from Butler university in 1938. He was a member of Kappa Kappa Psi and Phi Omega fraternities.

Receiving his commission at Ellington field, Tex., Capt. Patrick went overseas April 2, 1944. He has

an 11-month-old son, Robert Charles Jr.

S. Sgt. Boyd L. Foxworthy, who had been missing in action in Italy since June 13, is a prisoner of Germany. He was a ball turret gunner on a B-24 and completed 37 missions before he was reported missing.

Before entering service, Jan. 22, 1943, Sgt. Boyd lived with his aunt, Mrs. Carrie Judy, 418 N. Beville ave., and his grandmother, Mrs. Boyd Muse. His aunt and grandmother then lived at 1526 Linden st.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Foxworthy, Flemingsburg, Ky.

The sergeant went overseas in December, flying from California to Miami and then to Brazil, French West Africa and Italy, where he had been stationed since January. He holds the air medal and two oak leaf clusters.

T. Sgt. Harold E. Shireman, a first engineer on a 5th army bomber, is a prisoner of Germany. He had been missing over southern Europe since a mission on April 3.

Sgt. Shireman entered the service in November, 1942, and went overseas in December, 1943. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Odus Shireman, 3646 Rockville rd., and formerly worked for his father.

A graduate of New Albany high school, he is 24 and has a brother, Donald, in the engineers corps serving overseas.

Pvt. Alfred E. Aiyne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Aiyne, 1350 Commerce ave., has been reported a prisoner of Germany. He previously was listed as missing in action.

Lt. Henry A. Gardner, Indianapolis navigator who was reported missing in action by the war department, has returned safely to his base in Italy after spending two months in the mountains of Yugoslavia.

Son of Mrs. William Trees, 2325 Shelby st., Lt. Gardner was reported missing May 24 on a mission over Yugoslavia.

In his first letter to his mother since he was listed as missing he wrote that his plane was shot down and his crew parachuted to safety. After spending two months in the mountains returning to Italy, the 23-year-old officer said he had "seen enough mountains to last the rest of his life." The crew arrived back at its base July 24 and Lt. Gardner is now in a rest camp.

A graduate of Technical high school, he attended Purdue university.

Charles Herbert Arnold, a chief engineer in the merchant marine who was lost at sea in September, 1942, has been posthumously awarded the merchant marine mariner's medal.

The medal will be presented Friday to his sister, Miss Gladys Arnold, 6169 Norwalk ave., by Warrent officer Ralph N. Kramer, enrolling officer for the United States maritime service.

S. Sgt. Robert E. May, husband of Mrs. Betty Jane May and son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence May, 4232 Park ave., has been decorated with the air medal for meritorious

achievement during 8th air force bombing attacks on Nazi targets.

Sgt. May, a right waist gunner on a B-24, entered the service in January, 1943, and before that time was employed by the Allison division of General Motors.

Pfc. Charles E. Shirley, son of Eugene H. Shirley, 2905 Carson ave., and Pfc. Charles R. Sweazy, son of Mrs. Gladys Sweazy, 1610 W. New York st., both been awarded combat infantryman badges while serving in Italy.

The war department today confirmed previous reports that S. Sgt. Joseph C. Bruno, son of Mrs. Josephine N. Bruno, 4747 E. Washington st.; 2d Lt. Frederick B. Heckman Jr., husband of Mrs. Elsie F. Heckman, 32 E. 32d st.; Col. Elmer A. Malmstrom, husband of Mrs. Kathryn Elizabeth Malmstrom, 2724 W. Washington st., and T. Sgt. Roy W. Modglin, husband of Mrs. Marion L. Modglin, 1818 Lawndale ave., are prisoners of war in Germany.

A casualty list released today by the navy included the names of nine Hoosiers, one dead, one missing and seven wounded.

Seaman 1-c Oren Paul Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Doyle Baker, Lafayette, was listed as dead, and Lt. Mark Kenneth Bright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Bright, Anderson, was listed as missing.

The wounded, all members of the marine corps, are Pvt. Ernest A. Barna, son of Mrs. Ann Drouot, South Bend; Pfc. William E. Barton, son of Mrs. Julia Hicks, Evansville; Pfc. Orville J. Brown, son of Mrs. Mary Brown, Rushville; Pfc. Paul S. Glass, son of Mrs. Orle Templeton, Wabash; Pfc. Albert L. Glover, husband of Mrs. Albert L. Glover, Clinton; Pfc. Nathan L. Stepp, husband of Mrs. Nathan L. Stepp, Goshen, and Pfc. Frank L. Zloza, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Zloza, New Carlisle.

Capt. Joseph W. Hillenbrand, former Purdue university football star and brother of All-American Bill Hillenbrand, was killed in action July 5 in France, his mother, Mrs. Catherine Hillenbrand, Evansville, was notified yesterday by the war department.

The following Indiana men were included on a war department list of soldiers held prisoner.

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S. Sgt. Richard E. Abel, son of Mrs. Levelyn A. Quiley, Terre Haute; S. Sgt. Norbert J. Arvin, son of Mrs. Julia A. Arvin, Montgomery; Sgt. Charles J. Baldwin, son of Mrs. Bertha V. Baldwin, Kokomo; Cpl. Charles D. Bauman Jr., son of Mrs. Mabel Bauman, Princeton; Sgt. Delbert E. Bishop, son of Mrs. Edna S. Bishop, New Albany; 1st Lt. Harold L. Carver, son of Joda D. Carver, Michigan City; Sgt. Roger R. Clark, son of Mrs. Elsie E. Clark, Scottsburg; Pfc. Dewayne P. DeGroot, son of Mrs. Pearl DeGroot, Morocco; 1st Lt. Jack A. Griffith, son of Chauncey Griffith, Marion; Sgt. Francis J. Gregg, son of Mrs. Gertrude A. Gregg, LaGrange.

Second Lt. Joseph F. Kawiecki, husband of Mrs. Lois O. Kawiecki, Ft. Wayne; Pvt. Albert H. Miller, son of Mrs. Mable V. Hollinger, Angola; S. Sgt. Earl V. Muller, son of Robert Muller, Hammond; S. Sgt. Francis G. O'Connell, son of Lawrence M. O'Connell, Muncie; Sgt. Merrill Pennybaker, husband of Mrs. Velma R. Pennybaker, Yorktown; S. Sgt. Walter D. Pitta, son of Mrs. Doris Pitta, Greencastle; Pfc. Harold J. Rasch, son of Mrs. Ida Rasch, Hobart; Pvt. William Stein, son of Mrs. Jesse Stein, Kokomo; and Pvt. Lawrence Sharp, son of Mrs. Bertha E. Sharp, Ellettsville.

INTERVIEWED BY ROMANIA
Second Lt. Stanley P. Burack, son of Mrs. Michael G. Rudolph, Ft. Wayne.

Pfc. Elbert E. Bumbalough, son of Mrs. Maggie Bumbalough, Co-

WOODS RETIRES From Phone Co.

C. R. WOODS, assistant to the vice president and general manager of the Indiana Bell Telephone Co. has retired after 24 years service with that company and a total of 37 years in the telephone business.

An assistant traffic engineer with the Chicago Telephone Co. in 1917, he became general traffic manager of the Central Union Telephone Co. in 1915. He came to Indianapolis as general traffic manager in 1920, and was appointed to his last position in April of this year.

He was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America.

OIL PACT CONCLUDED
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (U. P.).—The state department will announce soon—possibly today—conclusion of an Anglo-American agreement on petroleum which may set a pattern for future agreements on such strategic international commodities as tin, rubber and sugar.

SCHRICKEER ENDS STRIKE AT MINE

300 Returning to Work at Terre Haute Under New Agreement.

Three hundred Terre Haute miners return to work tonight after a 34-day period of idleness and work starts on a retaining wall to reinforce the Saxton mine seal, under terms of an agreement reached at a conference yesterday in Governor Schricker's office.

Schricker was credited with ending the walkout, which began June 29 when the miners refused to work until a retaining wall was built at the mine seal which holds back the waters of the Wabash river.

The conference lasted three hours and ended with two agreements between United Mine Workers and company representatives.

Thomas R. Hutson, state labor commissioner, arranged the conference of miners' committeemen, U. M. W. officials and the mine management.

Another agreement provided that fines collected from employees for refusing to work be refunded and that fines assessed or to be assessed against others be canceled.

Those attending the conference said that the governor was "firm but tactful."

Hutson said that the settlement would eliminate the Terre Haute strike in "the only industry in the state where any work stoppage now exists."

CHANGE MEAT RATIOMS
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (U. P.).—The office of price administration by Aug. 13 will make steaks and roasts of quality grades of beef ration-free but will return hams and pork loins to the ration list, it was learned today.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
HEADQUARTERS
FORT BENJAMIN HARRISON
INDIANA
1 August 1944

To the Women of Indianapolis:
During the last year many combat soldiers have left this post for active duty overseas. Their jobs have been filled faithfully and efficiently by the members of the Women's Army Corps.

However, when the invasion began, orders requesting trained women for foreign service poured in to this headquarters. Our clerks, office machine operators, typists, cooks and drivers—thirty women in all—have left our WAC detachment to take over vital jobs in foreign theaters of operation.

These vacancies have placed an additional burden on the men and women now stationed here. They must perform their own duties as well as those incurred by the loss of personnel.

I am appealing directly to the women of Indianapolis and vicinity to enlist immediately in the Fort Benjamin Harrison contingent of the Women's Army Corps. These jobs here in your home state need you right away. Every day our need for trained personnel becomes greater and now is the time for you to back the invasion forces by filling a non-combatant job.

Sincerely yours,
Henry S. Tisdale
Colonel, F.A.C.
Commanding

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Stout Field, Indianapolis 6, Indiana
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To the Women of Indianapolis:
We need 69 Wacs at Stout Field at this time!

This means there are 69 positions where Wacs can contribute directly to the winning of the war.

Units of the I Troop Carrier Command now active in all the theaters of operation overseas need replacements. We must fill these replacement units with men trained to keep our skytrains in shape and flying. We must send trained flight crews to our Troop Carrier forces wherever they are located.

This is the reason why there are so many vacancies at Stout Field today. The Wacs need-d for Stout Field will be assigned to a variety of duties as they become available. Such positions include: photo lab technicians, general clerks, mail clerks, financial clerks, typists, and supply clerks.

The Wacs at Stout Field—those now on duty—have done an excellent job. That is the reason this field is joining with the recruiting service in bringing to you the urgency of the need for women who can fill these 69 vacancies.

In the words of Secretary of War Stimson: "Our need now, as it will be increasingly until the war is over, is for fighting men and capable women, who by their training and their skills and their temperament, can aid in bringing about that perfect machine which we must have for final victory."

In the Air Forces we have a job to do. Join the Wacs and let us have YOUR help.

Wanda J. Howard
Major, Air Corps
Commanding

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