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# In the Service— GI'S FROM HERE ARE PROMOTED

WAC Included in List of  
Advancements at U. S. and  
Overseas Bases.

Indianapolis servicemen are being promoted at various bases in this country and overseas.

Pharmacist's Mate 2-c James H. Armstrong, son of Joseph Armstrong, 2802 E. Michigan st., was promoted to that grade in the Pacific.

Harry L. Dunlop, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlop, 1521 Deloss st., WAC Coar C. McNeal, former undergraduate nurse at Sunnyside sanatorium, and Joseph Palancer, 2346 Collier st., have been promoted to corporal. Cpl. Dunlop is in France, Cpl. McNeal at Newport News, Va., and Cpl. Palancer in the Pacific area.

Willis E. Milan Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis E. Milan Sr., 1572 W. New York st., has been promoted to technician 3d grade at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Promotions to staff sergeant were awarded to Francis E. Duncan, 352 N. Miley ave., at Drew field, Fla.; Julius Lockman, son of Mrs. Ida Lockman, 15 E. McCarty st., in Italy; George E. Switzer, son of Mrs. Nora M. Switzer, 1772 Brookside ave., in Italy; and John P. Woods, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woods, 271 Burgess ave., in England.

**Vollmer Made Captain**  
Robert F. Vollmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Vollmer, 902 N. Chester st., has been promoted to captain in Belgium.

Advanced to sergeant are Joseph E. Carille, son of Mrs. Laura Carille, 1603 Pleasant Run pkwy., South dr., at Camp Chaffee, Ark., and Gus K. Mascari, husband of Mrs. Rose Mascari, 821 S. New Jersey st., in Panama.

Robert E. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Jones, 121 W. 12th st., bombardier, has been promoted to first lieutenant in England.

Promotions to technician 5th grade were won by Cpl. Leonard E. Leach, husband of Mrs. Irene Leach, and son of Mrs. Wometta Gies, both of 902 N. Pennsylvania st., in England; James O. Cantrell, 722 Virginia ave., at Camp Barkley, Tex.; James E. Stone, son of Dr. and Mrs. Orval E. Stone, 5241 Washington blvd., and C. R. Baker, son of Mrs. Mary Baker, 634 N. Parker ave., both at Camp Crowder, Mo.

Serving as instructors at Camp Lejeune, N. C. are:

Cpl. Harold L. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Brown, 2042 N. Alabama st., in the chemical warfare school; S. Sgt. Nelson C. Roetter, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Roetter, New Augusta, in telephone school; and Sgt. Clarence J. Pike, husband of Mrs. Mary E. Pike and son of Clarence W. Smith, 2305 Southeastern ave., in the motor transport section. Sgt. Roetter wears the presidential citation ribbon for service with the marines on Tulagi and Guadalcanal.

## Fighting Family



Carl Daly Michael Daly

The marines and navy are represented in the Daly family of 523 Warren ave.

Ship's Cook 1-c Carl Edward Daly is with the navy while his brother, Pfc. Michael A. Daly Jr., is stationed at the Camp Lejeune, N. C., marine base.

Michael recently spent a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Daly Sr. of the Warren ave. address, after service overseas.

Fireman 1-c John Carl Haverly Jr., son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Daly and husband of Mrs. Anna Haverly, 1206 S. Chester st., is at Newport, R. I., with the navy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haverly Sr., 505 1/2 Division st., and father of James Lee, Peggy Ann and John Michael.

## LOCAL SERVICEMEN FINISHING COURSES

Indianapolis soldiers are completing primary and advanced courses for aerial and ground warfare at various camps in the States.

Pvt. William C. Siegman, son of Mrs. Tillie Siegman, 1911 Madison ave., has completed a maintenance and repair course at Ft. Knox, Ky. Tech. 4th Gr. James A. Decker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Decker, 1914 Mainfield ave., an advanced engine course at Atlanta Ordnance Depot, Ga., and Pvt. William E. Rider, 1532 Bellefontaine st., heavy anti-aircraft fire control training at Aberdeen proving ground, Md.

Commissioned second lieutenants at Camp Lee, Va., and Farrell M. Scott, 306 Matthews st., a second lieutenant at Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Graduating recently from the bomber mechanics school at Keesler field, Miss., are Pvt. Robert T. Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Barker, 2830 Guilford ave., and Pvt. Frank Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, 1807 Fulton st.

First Lt. John S. Schechter, 4816 Roslyn ave., has completed the medical field school for reconducting instructors at Ft. Lewis, Wash., and Cpl. Herbie L. Harold, son of Herschel H. Harold, 3446 Guilford ave., won his wings in the flexible gunnery school at Yuma army air field, Ariz.

Pfc. Clarence Ross, son of John Ross, formerly of Indianapolis, is in Welch hospital at Daytona Beach, Fla., after 28 months overseas.

## LOCAL MEN IN 8TH AAF NEWS

Doan Wins Staff Sergeant's  
Stripes; Bottorff Made  
—A Captain.

Names of Indianapolis servicemen are figuring in the news from the 8th air force base in England.

Francis Doan, husband of Mrs. Betty Doan, 3141 Ruckie st., and holder of the presidential citation, has been promoted to staff sergeant. Joe Marvin Shelton, 4305 English ave., has been advanced to captain.

The good conduct medal has been awarded to Pvt. George Deputy, 880 Denison st., and Radio Operator John H. Crouch, husband of Mrs. Mildred Crouch, 1307 E. Vermont st., and son of Mrs. Otha C. Crouch, 521 Lockerbie st.

**Serves as Gun Mechanic**  
Serving as a gun mechanic at the base is Pfc. Albert McKinney, son of Mrs. Verda McKinney, 1459 1/2 Spann ave., while 2d Lt. Ralph E. Carson, son of Mrs. Irene Carson, 441 Forest ave., is a squadron adjutant.

One of the teletype machines at the air force headquarters is operated by Pfc. June Fitzsimmons, R. 1.

S. Sgt. Clifford A. Johnson Jr., son of Mrs. Fern Johnson, 3309 N. Sherman dr., is an aerial gunner and 2d Lt. William M. Canaday, son of James P. Canaday, 5767 Central ave., a bombardier.

**Downs Nazi Fighters**  
In a raid over western Germany 1st Lt. Richard Roper, 6225 Washington blvd., accounted for two Messerschmitts, while Cpl. Raymond Aug, husband of Mrs. Irma Aug, was a radio operator and mechanic of a headquarters squadron which destroyed 24 enemy planes in two days.

Robert A. O'Neal, radio operator and gunner, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. O'Neal, 1019 S. Roena st., was advanced to technical sergeant. His group was cited by the President for its England-Africa shuttle bombing over Regensburg, Germany.

Cpl. Robert Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simpson, 3964 Guilford ave., is a member of a Mustang group which destroyed 24 enemy planes in two days.

Qualification badges for their skill in their respective occupations have been given to S. Sgt. Stephen Noland, 607 E. 39th st.; S. Sgt. James Phillips, 2064 S. Meridian st.; Sgt. James Mortenbeck, 2266 N. Meridian st., airplane mechanics, and Cpl. William Carson, 601 Parker ave., squadron armorer.

**WASP Mildred W. Grossman**, daughter of Mrs. Fred Grossman, 2705 S. Capitol ave., is a pilot in the tow-target section at Pocatello, Idaho, army air field.

## Brothers in Land and Sea Action



Von Shelton Joe Shelton James Shelton J. Z. Shelton

4 after meeting Von last Easter Sunday in England. The brothers are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Shelton, Sebree, Ky. Their cousin, S. Sgt. James Shelton, is in a hospital in England.

The three soldiers formerly were stationed with the 11th infantry at Ft. Harrison.

## Local Soldiers Advanced At Various Bases in U. S.

Richard Merrick, son of Mrs. John Merrick, 1928 Central ave., and husband of Mrs. Mary Merrick, near Camp Wolters, Tex., has been promoted to first sergeant at Camp Wolters.

Harry E. Goss, 349 N. Arsenal ave., and Robert German, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. German, 1236 Olive st., have been promoted to sergeants at the marine air corps station, Santa Barbara, Cal.

Pvt. Jesse P. Smith, husband of Mrs. Marjorie E. Smith, 1101 Emerson ave., is in the South Pacific and 1st Lt. William J. Hyde, of Indianapolis, is in charge of a bakery division in the southwest Pacific.

Lt. Virgil M. Heistand, 1739 Sloan ave., has completed photo-reconnaissance training and is at a staging area in Coffeyville, Kas., before going overseas.

## INDIANAPOLIS MEN TRAIN IN MARINES

Indianapolis marines who are training at Camp Pendleton, Cal., for amphibious landings and jungle warfare are:

Pvt. Louis R. Whitsett, son of Mrs. Sarah Whitsett, 201 N. Davidson st.; James A. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie P. Smith, R. 1, Molton W. Roof, son of Mrs. Beulah M. Alderson, 629 S. West st.; John W. O'Donald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. O'Donald, 318 Mills ave.; William C. Newhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Myers, 516 S. West st.; Ralph S. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Johnson, 916 Albany st.; William L. Jessup, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Johnson, 916 Albany st.; George D. Hayes, son of Mrs. Inez Hayes, 2022 Kenwood ave.; Oliver Castleman Jr., son of Mrs. Christine Castleman, R. 2, Cleo Cassaday Jr., son of Mrs. S. M. Cassaday, 1205 W. 19th st.; Harold K. Bruce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burle Bruce, 258 S. Pennsylvania st., and Pfc. John D. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Anderson, 2201 N. Drexel ave.

Pvt. George E. Hanover, husband of Mrs. Dorothy Hanover, 1029 N. LaSalle st., is with a military police company in England.

## 16 LOCAL SOLDIERS RECEIVE TRANSFERS

Sixteen Indianapolis men have been transferred to training bases from Camp Atterbury.

Those sent to Camp Croft, S. C., were Pvt. Alfred Brown, husband of Mrs. Wilma Brown, 25 E. 9th st., apt. 414; Edgar Crews Jr., son of Mrs. Pearl Crews, 1337 W. 26th st.; Clifford Richmond, son of Mrs. George Richmond, 1350 W. 26th st.; Robert Goode, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goode, 4344 Winthrop ave.; Orpha Gentry Jr., son of Mrs. Ethel Gentry, 141 W. 26th st.; George Scidall, husband of Mrs. Elsie Kendall, 1327 W. 34d st.; George Payne, husband of Mrs. Maxine Payne, 831 Bradshaw st.; Gerry Blake Jr., son of Mrs. Myrtle Blake, 2511 N. Harding st.; Stanley Glogosa, son of Mrs. Theresa Glogosa, 768 N. Ketchum st., and Pvt. Joseph Stuskey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stuskey, 1150 Mortimer st.

Pvt. Wesley Richmond, husband of Mrs. Dorothy Richmond, 1228 College ave., was sent to Ft. Devens, Mass., and Pvt. Raymond Glaze, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glaze, 808 Goodlet ave., Virgil Harley, husband of Mrs. Nettie Harley, 290 N. Alabama; Arlie Chaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chaney, 2317 W. Walnut st., all to Ft. Knox, Ky.

Pvt. Curtis Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barrett, 1327 W. Third, was retained at Camp Atterbury, and Pvt. Kenneth Buck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buck, R. 2, Morgantown, was sent to Camp Croft, S. C.

Pvt. James E. Scott, husband of Mrs. Madeline Scott, 4222 S. 34th st., was sent to Camp Claiborne, La.

Pfc. Virginia C. Wambach, daughter of Charles P. Turner, 781 E. McCarty st., was advanced to that rank at the marine corps air depot, San Diego, where she is a squadron mail clerk.



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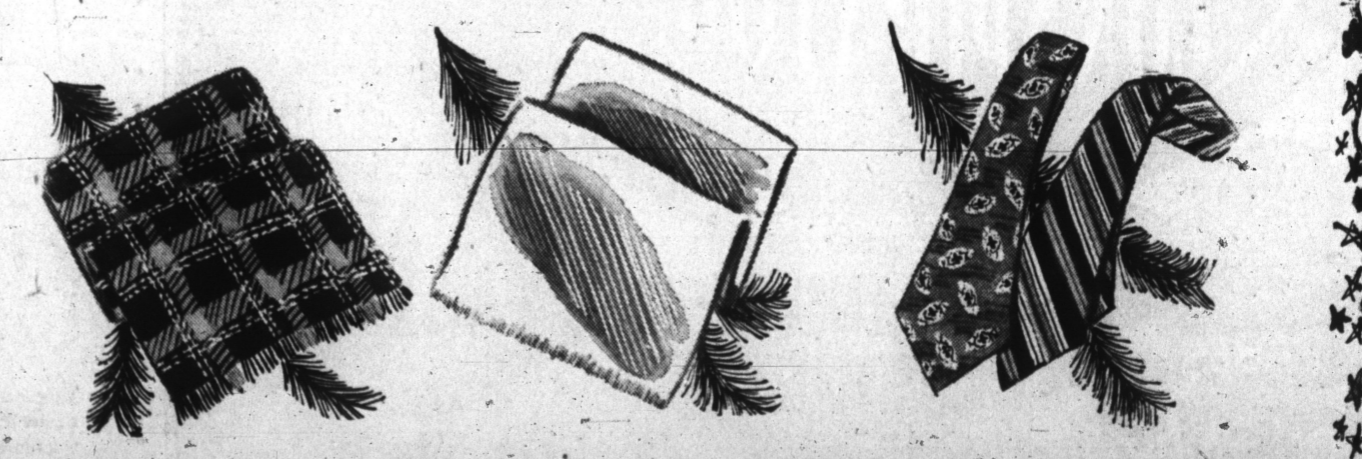
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