

Is Teletype Expert



Cpl. Harold F. Bradford, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bradford, of Centre Hall, entered the service on July 11, 1942, and from the reception center was sent to Atlantic City where he was assigned to the Air Corps. From there he went to Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., where he completed a special course in the operation and maintenance of teletype instruments.

From Rantoul Field, Cpl. Bradford was sent to Topeka, Kansas, and is now stationed at Kearns, Utah, where he is receiving training for overseas duty. He is a graduate of the Centre Hall High School and was a senior at Penn State when he entered the service.

Gunner Reported Lost
Sgt. Robert J. Kramer, of Galeton, who participated in the first bombing of Rome, and in the raid on Ploesti oil fields in Rumania, has been missing in action since August 27, his parents have been notified by the War Department. The young gunner enlisted in January, 1942, and has been overseas since June of this year.

Honorably Discharged
Pvt. Norman Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wells, of near Zion, last week received an honorable medical discharge from the armed forces and has returned to his parental home. He had been in the service for six months. Wells has accepted a position at the Titan Metal Company plant here.

Home on Furlough
Sgt. Herschel Kephart is enjoying a ten-day furlough at the home of his mother, Mrs. W. J. Kephart, of Blanchard street, Coscocta Mills. He is stationed at Fort Custer, Mich., and leaves in several days for his post of duty. Sgt. Kephart has had three years of foreign service to his credit.

Turkey Producers Urged to Speed up

Large Demand For Turkeys To Meet Army Christmas Requirements
Centre county turkey producers are being urged to speed up the finishing and marketing of some of their birds to help the Army Quartermaster Corps meet its August and September requirements of 10 million pounds of turkey to be shipped overseas. The turkeys will be used in Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners to be served American men at every base or fighting front abroad.

Helping to fulfill this request should be the first order of business for turkey producers, say government officials. Making it possible for our fighting men to have a typical holiday dinner of turkey and all the "fixin's" is one small way of telling them that the folks at home appreciate their sacrifices and are backing them to the limit.

The Army request can be met if civilians do not buy early turkeys and producers finish off a small portion of the 1943 turkey crop ahead of the usual schedule.

Bibles Go With Every Life Raft In U. S. Fleet

Bibles which are placed on every life raft and life boat on Army transport vessels for the spiritual guidance and inspiration of men forced to take to the water in the event of disaster are being protected from the effects of salt water by the same type of cover that protects pistols, rifles and machine guns in landing operations, the War Department reports.

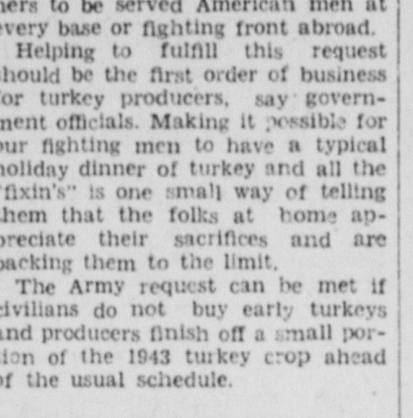
By a curious incongruity, the covers used for pistols are of exactly the right size for copies of the Bible, and have been adopted by the Chaplains Corps as a standard protective covering for them. The covers were developed by the Quartermaster Corps from a pliable, transparent waterproof film known as vinyl. They are buoyant enough to float the books if they are accidentally dropped overboard or washed out of the rafts in heavy seas.

Advanced to Fireman 1st Class
Maynard R. Schmoke, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben L. Schmoke, of Pine Glen, was awarded the advanced rating of fireman, first class upon his recent graduation from the Naval Training School for dieselmen located at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Navy Pier, Chicago, Ill. The Bluejacket's selection to the specialty school was based on his "boot training" aptitude test scores which indicated his mechanical ability. His completed course of study included the function, maintenance and operation of internal combustion engines, distilling plants and pumps. Principles of physics, blueprint reading and mechanical drawing were also included in the course. Assignment to the fleet on the high seas or to some naval shore establishments awaits the newly graduated Bluejacket.

HONOR ROLL

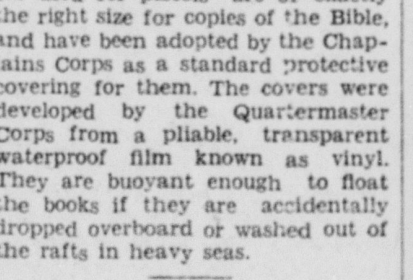


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MILLHEIM BROTHERS IN SERVICE



Cpl. Paul E. Brown, a graduate of the East Penns Valley High School, was inducted August 28, 1942. From the New Cumberland reception center he was sent to Miami Beach, Florida, and from there to Scott Field, Ill., to attend a radio school. Later he was transferred to Laurel, Miss., then to Alexandria, La., and again to Columbus, Indiana. He is now located somewhere on the east coast, as a member of the Army Air Corps. Before entering the service he was employed by the Titan Metal Mfg. Co. at Bellefonte.

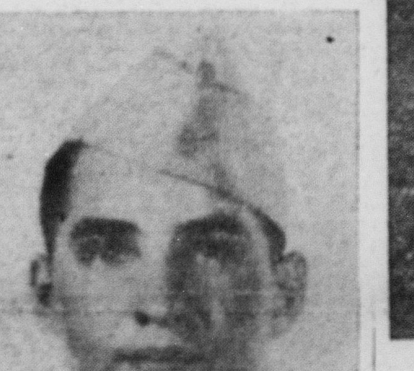


Pvt. John H. Brown, also is a graduate of the East Penns Valley High School. He was inducted February 13, 1943, at New Cumberland reception center and was sent at once to Camp Swift, Texas, where he is now stationed. He expected to be moved to a new location, and by the time this article appears may have been transferred to a new training camp. Pvt. Brown is attached to the Field Artillery. Before induction he was employed at the Glenn L. Martin plant in Baltimore, Md.

CLARENCE BROTHERS IN SERVICE



Sgt. Joseph McClusick 26, enlisted April 27, 1942, and went from New Cumberland to Ft. Knox, Louisville, Ky. After a year at that camp he was assigned to a tank division and was sent to Camp Polk, La. He attended the Clarence schools and before entering the army was employed by the J. H. France Refractories there.



Sgt. George McClusick 28, enlisted on August 20, 1940, and from the reception center at New Cumberland was sent to Ft. Belvoir, Va. Later he was transferred to a camp in Louisiana before being sent overseas last March. At present he is with an engineering unit somewhere in the Middle East, probably in Iran.

Americans Offer Many Ideas For Proper Method of Killing Hitler

The movie makers, producing a film about the strange death of Adolf Hitler, offered a prize for the best method of eliminating him and discovered that in so far as Der Fuehrer is concerned Americans are a bloodthirsty race.

Promoted to Sergeant

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pollock, of Hawk Run, received word from their son John, that he was promoted to the rank of sergeant. He is stationed at Camp Phillips, Kansas. He was inducted into the army December 7, 1942.

CHILDREN OF THE BLITZ REAL PEACE PROBLEM

How a generation of youngsters born during the war will have to be taught to recognize many common objects they have grown up without. Look for this illustrated article in the September 28th issue of The American Weekly, the big magazine distributed with the Baltimore Sunday American. Order from your newsdealer.

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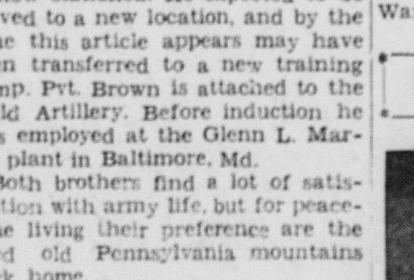
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Serving in West



Pvt. Breen, former Bellefonte High School student, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Breen of Milesburg, entered the service on March 1, 1943, and from the reception center at New Cumberland was sent to Ft. Lewis, Washington, where he is undergoing training.

Home from Africa



Pvt. Watson, 39, son of Lemuel Watson, of Snow Shoe, was expected home early this week from the army hospital at Camp Patrick Henry, Newport News, Va., where he had been a patient since returning to this country from Africa. He was expected to be honorably discharged from service because of medical reasons.

Two Awarded Silver Star

First Lieut. Harold F. Stevenson, of Berch Creek, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action in North Africa, and had previously received the Purple Heart. Pfc. Edward L. Muirhead, of Bellefonte, also received the Silver Star at this time. Lieutenant Stevenson lost an eye in the African campaign. He was a member of the regular army reserves and was called to active service in February, 1941, and later was commissioned at Fort Benning, Ga.

Geo. Dowdell Raised To 1st Lieutenant

Recently promoted to the rank of 1st Lieutenant was 2nd Lieut. George R. Dowdell, formerly of Bellefonte. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dowdell of Curtin street. At the present time he is stationed at the Army Air Base in Grenada, Miss., where he is serving as the Adjutant of the base headquarters company. This is one of the highly administrative jobs in the army and Lt. Dowdell has under his supervision several hundred men.

Expert Marksman

Corporal Clair H. Kreamer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Kreamer, of Woodward, who is stationed at the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 1, Atlantic City, N. J., has qualified as a marksman with the rifle. To qualify as a marksman, a soldier must attain a score of from 147-183 out of a possible 220.

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What Does Boy At Front Want

OWI Gives Answer After Questioning Men Who Returned

Letters or family photographs are No. 1 items on the Christmas lists of men and women serving overseas. The Office of War Information, after quizzing recently returned officers, overseas correspondents and the Army Exchange Service, said that:

"More than the most elaborate gift, soldiers will welcome newsy, cheerful letters from home and recent photographs or snapshots of family and friends."

Other gifts rated highly are: Cigarette lighters "that will light in a strong wind," shockproof and waterproof wrist watches, hunting or Boy Scout knives and small inexpensive cameras with films.

Items not wanted, according to OWI, include: Cigarettes, assorted commercial packages of soaps, elaborate shaving kits, or food, except for a well-packed fruit cake.

A tip passed on by the Army Exchange Service is that leather coats and quickly in hot damp climates, so if your gift is going to the South Pacific canvas or cloth goods are better bets.

OWI stressed that gifts should be mailed between Sept. 15 and Oct. 15.

Pearl Harbor Vet



Lt. Reiber, grandson of Mrs. John Sampson, of Pleasant Gap, was graduated from the Kingston High School in 1939 and enlisted at once in the U. S. Army. In September of that year he was assigned to Hickam Field, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, and was there on December 7, 1941, when the Japanese attacked that U. S. base.

In November 1942, he was sent back to the United States to enter an officers' training school in Florida and at the completion of his course March 2, 1943, was commissioned as a lieutenant. At present he is stationed in Georgia.

Reiber spent most of his boyhood with his grandmother at Pleasant Gap and is well known in that vicinity. He was here for a brief furlough last spring.

Navy's First Woman Doctor Commissioned

Dr. Lydia N. Hershberger, resident intern at the Allentown hospital, is the Navy's first woman doctor from Pennsylvania.

Sworn in Monday as a lieutenant (jg) at the Office of Naval Procurement, Dr. Hershberger will be given a special indoctrination course at the naval medical school before being assigned to general duty.

It was pointed out at the procurement office that Dr. Hershberger is not a WAVE, but holds an identical commission to that issued to men doctors.

Meet in England

John Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Johnson, of Bellefonte, R. D., and Henry McCutler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McKinley, of Milesburg, who recently arrived in England with the U. S. armed forces, met over there Johnson's brother, Harry Johnson, who has been stationed in that country for the past 14 months. The three had a most enjoyable reunion, according to their reports.

Promotion Announced

The War Department has announced the temporary promotion of Robert Miller Kinkleman, machinist, of Northumberland, from second lieutenant to first lieutenant.

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