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Alexander John M 3 Sep 1941 pg 4

#### ENLISTS IN NAVY

John M. Alexander of Whitefish has been accepted for enlistment in the U. S. Navy, it was announced this morning by Recruiting Officer G. W. Nelson of Missoula.

Officer Nelson stated he would be in Kalispell until Friday, September 5, to accept applications for enlistments.

AuClaire Harold 26 Nov 1941 pg 5

Harold AuClaire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry AuClaire, after a few day's leave spent with his parents here, has returned to Seattle to the Navy service school.

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Billsborough Harry L 15 Oct 1941 pg 4 9

Stripes have been added to the uniforms of two privates of Co. "F". Private First Class Harry L. Billsborough received notice of his promotion to the grade of Corporal Oct. 8. In addition he will receive a boost in pay from \$36.00 per month to \$54.00 per month as corporal plus the \$10.00 per month raise granted to soldiers having a year or more of intensive training, which was in effect September 16.

Borgan Norman 22 Feb 1941 pg 4

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Branch Graydon 18 Aug 1941 pg 3 9 Oct 1941 pg 3

Graydon Branch arrived here from Fort Ord, California, Monday on a short furlough. He left Friday morning for the return trip taking his car back with him.

Word has been received from Graydon Branch, who has been with the 74th Field Artillery at Fort Ord, California, that he has been transferred to the air corps field at Spokane where he reported for duty this week.

Broner Ernest G 12 Dec 1941 pg 5

Ernest G. Broner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Broner, left from Missoula Tuesday for San Diego to enlist in the U. S. Navy. Waldo Pierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pierson, expects to leave the first of the week also for San Diego to enlist in the Navy.

Cash Mike J

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Chrisinger Raymond G

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Lieutenant Raymond G. Chrisinger former First Sergeant of Co. "F," is now at Fort Benning, attending the officers school.

Clapper Neil R

8 Aug 1941 pg 4

#### NAVY APPLICANTS ACCEPTED

Applications of Neil R. Clapper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil H. Clapper of Kalispell, and Robert Thorpe, Columbia Falls, for enlistment in the U. S. Navy have been accepted and the two youths will leave for U. S. Naval Reserve at San Diego this week. They will be placed in the V-3 class.

Recruiting Officer G. W. Nelson, who enlisted the two, said he will be in Columbia Falls, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Conn James H

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Cyr Robert R

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Private Robert R. Cyr of Somers left last week for Fort Benning, Georgia, where he will attend a three-month course in auto mechanics. Private Leo A. Herricks of this company is also at Fort Benning taking this course.

DeLong

Russell R

24 Oct 1941 pg 5

Announcement has been made from Fort Douglas, Utah, that Russell R. DeLong has been transferred to the army air corps, at Wichita Falls, Texas.

Derr

Robert

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Private Robert E. Derr is instructing two buglers from every rifle company in the 163rd infantry. These buglers march as a unit with the band in parades and HRC military ceremonies in addition to playing bugle calls for the regiment.

Dockstader

Willard

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Dufour

Wilfred P

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Assignment of Wilfred P. Dufour of Kalispell to the Air Corps at Biloxi, Mississippi, has been announced from Fort Douglas, Utah.

Dukleth

Gordon

30 Oct 1941 pg 4

Word has been received that Gordon Dukleth was on his way to Wichita Falls, Texas, to an army camp. Mr. Dukleth recently enlisted in the air corps.

Dutro

Howard J

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Eklund

Burtell

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Elsass

Fred

13 Mar 1941 pg 3

**Enlists in Navy**

Fred Elsass, who enlisted in the navy, left Monday for Missoula where he will entrain for San Diego to begin his training.

Jake Kartheiser spent the weekend in Spirit Lake where he was called by the illness of his father. He reports having made the trip to Spokane in five and one half hours.

Mrs. Bertha Schimpf arrived from California Sunday.

26 Dec 1941 pg 5

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Elsass of the West Lakeshore have received word from their son, Fred, that he is safe and well and is now in Honolulu.

Elwood

Warren

3 Oct 1941 pg 5

Warren Elwood, who has been training at the Naval Training Station at San Diego, Calif., has been transferred to the Metalsmith Trade School in Alameda, according to word received here.

Fredenber

Robert A

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Geiken

Milo M

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Gorton

Sid

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Grauman

Herman

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Private Herman Grauman has also received his discharge. Private Grauman plans to return to Kalispell for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. A. Frederick, and then will return to the coast where he will receive employment.

Guanella

Bart Mino

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Private First Class Bart M. Guanella, Company "F's" chief fireman, surprised everyone a short time ago by going out on the machinegun range, on his day off, and shooting a score which qualified him as an expert light-machine gunner. Besides this, he qualified as expert with the M-1 rifle last fall. Private Guanella was from Somers before induction and is the son of William Guanella, of Somers.

Hanson

Ivan

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Hart

Charles W

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#### RECOMMENDED AS ENSIGN

Charles W. Hart, chief machinist, U. S. Navy, of Rexford, has been recommended for a temporary commission as ensign in the navy, authorities of the Thirteenth Naval district, Seattle, have been informed.

Hart was among 231 chief warrant officers selected from the entire navy for temporary commissioning, the report states.

Hendrickson

Clarence

2 Jan 1941 pg 5

Clarence Hendrickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hendrickson, left Wednesday for Salt Lake City where he is stationed in the Army air corps at Fort Douglas. He has been spending the holidays at his home here.

Herricks

Leo

23 Aug 1941 pg 4

Private First Class Leo Herricks left for Fort Benning, Georgia Sunday. He will attend the motor maintenance school and will be gone three months. Upon returning he will be transferred to Service company.



Hitchcock Frank J

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Hottendorf Edward

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hottendorf received word from their son, Edward, who is stationed in Hawaii, that he is alive and well.

Howard

Winston

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**Second Lieutenant  
Howard in Marines**



**WINSTON B. HOWARD**

Second Lieutenant Winston B. Howard, of Kalispell, is now in active service with the U. S. Marine Corps, according to word received here today.

This news reached here with word that Howard, son of Mrs. Emma J. Keller of Kalispell, has completed advanced training in the Platoon Commanders' class at Quantico, Va.

Commissioned with the Marine Corps Reserve last May, Second Lieutenant Howard was appointed to attend the Marine school at Quantico for additional training.

While there, he won medals for his ability to shoot the rifle and pistol. He is a graduate of the University of Montana, where he studied forestry.

Lieutenant Winston Howard arrived Saturday from Quantico, Virginia to spend a few days vacation with his mother, Mrs. Fred H. Keller. He expects to return New Year's eve to the U. S. Marine base at Quantico, where he is in the department of base defense weapons.

Howell

Walter L

6 Feb 1941 pg 7

Application for enlistment in the U. S. army of Walter L. Howell of Columbia Falls has been accepted at Fort Missoula, according to word received at the local recruiting office. Howell will be assigned to the quartermasters corps.

Hulson

Andrew T

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Hundahl

Maurice

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Kraft

Herbert

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## Enlists in Army



Herbert Kraft, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Walter A. Kraft, 35 Fourth avenue east, left Friday for Missoula, where he enlisted in the U. S. army and according to a telephone call to his home Saturday he will leave this week for California en route to the Hawaiian Islands, where he will be stationed.

Larson

Denny

18 Nov 1941 pg 5

Mrs. Lawson had word from her son, Denny Lawson, who has been in the navy 15 years, that he is being transferred back to Washington, D. C.

Lawson

Denny A

6 Dec 1941 pg 3

Denny A. Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lawson of Bigfork, who has been stationed at Washington, D. C. the past few months will sail Dec. 12, 1941 for Lisbon, Portugal. From there he will be stationed at Tangier, Morocco, in Africa on special duty as a radio operator for the state department.

Lewis

Howard G

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**HOWARD G. LEWIS,  
PROMOTED TO CORPORAL**

Word has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. Howard D. Lewis that their son, Howard G. Lewis, who enlisted in the U. S. Army Air Corps has been promoted to the rank of corporal, at Ellington Field in Texas, after four months of training. It was also announced that Corp. Lewis will head a group of five men from Ellington Field being furnished for the Houston Military police detachment. The detail, it was said

in a Texas newspaper, will have jurisdiction over all soldiers in that area, and will work in cooperation with the Houston police. They will be quartered in the old city hall in Houston.

Longpre

Joseph P

19 Dec 1941 pg 5

Joseph P. Longpre, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Longpre of Klispelt, has been transferred to company "A" of the 17th Infantry ski detachment, according to word received here today. The detachment, composed of nearly 1,000 picked men, will go into immediate mountain training.

Lovering

Forrest

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Lukenbill

Frank D

**LUKENBILL ASSIGNED**

Information from Camp Grant, Illinois, states that Frank D. Lukenbill of Kalispell, recent selectee, has been assigned there for basic training in the Medical Corps.

Lukenbill was inducted into the army in October and has been assigned to Company B, 27th Medical Training Battalion.

Lunstad

Ernest S

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Mahney

Charles A

21 Oct 1941 pg 5

Upon Capt. Edwin L. Sunde's departure for Fort Benning, Georgia, Company "F" will have a new commanding officer. Captain Charles A. Mahaney, formerly with Company "C" 162nd Infantry, will assume command of Company "F" on October 18.

Marriage

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McQuirk John J 15 Aug 1941 pg 5

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Olson

Ellis W

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Sergeant Ellis W. Olson, has been relieved of duties with Company "F" and is now on special duty as assistant fire marshal of the 163rd regiment. Sergeant Olson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Olson, formerly of Bigfork, Montana. Mr. and Mrs. Olson are now residing at Pell, Washington.



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Palmer

William A

3 Jul 1941 pg 4

**FLATHEAD YOUTHS ENLIST**

Enlistments of Flathead county youths in the U. S. Army air corps were William A. Palmer, route No. 2, Kalispell; Fred W. Strobel, Columbia Falls; and Frank E. Waddell, Columbia Falls CCC camp. Recruiting Officer Dean Corey said his office will close this evening until July 17.

Perry

Thomas C

9 Jun 1941 pg 5

Thomas C. Perry has been accepted as a flying cadet in the Army Air Corps according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Perry. He will be stationed at Ryan Field Hemet, Calif.

Potter

Lloyd A

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Quesnel

Maurice

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Maurice Quesnel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar A. Quesnel of Kalispell, and Keith B. Sipe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl B. Sipe of Somers, have enlisted in the coast guard at Seattle, and been transferred to the training station at Port Townsend, Wash.

10 Nov 1941 pg 5

Maurice Quesnel returned to Spokane Sunday evening after a weekend visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Quesnel. He is stationed in the Coast Guard recruiting office in Spokane.

Quinland

John

27 Mar 1941 pg 7

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SIGN WITH REGULARS**

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John Quinlan of Whitefish will be placed in the ordnance department at March Field, California, and Herman Spalding of Kalispell joined the medical detachment stationed at Manila, P. I.

Reitan

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Rhodes

Cecil C

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First Lieutenant Cecil C. Rhodes of Company "F", has been transferred to Company "G" of the 163rd. Lieutenant Rhodes was formerly of Kalispell and before induction was manager of the Mobiloil station in Kalispell.

Ripley

Walter L

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Walter L. Ripley of Kalispell enlisted in the U. S. Army air corps Saturday and has been sent to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

Roe Archie 22 Feb 1941 pg 4

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Roe Joseph B 24 Jun 1941 pg 4

**THREE FLATHEAD COUNTY MEN TO BE INDUCTED BY DRAFT**

Three registrants with the Flat-head county draft board will take final induction examinations for their one year of military service under the selective service act tomorrow, two leaving here for Missoula at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning and the third being inducted through the Spokane draft board.

Leaving from here will be Raymond O. Olson, Whitefish, and Milo M. Gefken, Kalispell. Joseph B. Roe, Kalispell, will be inducted from Spokane.

An additional 22 registrants were given physical examinations last evening at the offices of Dr. J. E. Delaney in preparation for classification.

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Runsvold Donald V

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**PVT. DONALD RUNSVOLD  
GRADUATES FROM HIS  
COURSE AT AIR FIELD**

Chanute Field, Ill., Nov. 8.—Private Donald V. Runsvold, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Runsvold of Kalispell, Montana, was graduated recently from the airplane mechanics course of the Chanute Field branch of the U. S. Army Air Corps Technical schools.

Private Runsvold, who enlisted in the air corps Dec. 12, 1940, is assigned to Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Schibsted James

19 Dec 1941 pg 5

Mrs. Lee Veal received word from her son, James Schibsted, saying, "I'm alive and o. k., don't worry." Schibsted is a machinist in the A & R shops at Pearl Harbor. He joined the navy 18 months ago.

Schibstead Birdeen

4 Aug 1941 pg 4

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Schomer John F

28 Nov 1941 pg 4

Fifteen men of Company F have transferred to the 161st infantry, seven are Kalispell men with the others from California. Those who transferred from Kalispell are Pvt. Russell C. Adamson, Robert E. Aurland, Harold G. Norris, James H. Conn, David L. George, Leroy E. Mooers, and John F. Schomer.

Scott George

6 Jan 1941 pg 5

George Scott, who spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Scott of Columbia Falls, has returned to Fort Ord in California, where he is serving an enlistment in the regular army.

Stenswick Robert

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Shepherd Lowel E

13 Feb 1941 pg 2

### SIX ENLISTMENTS IN THE REGULAR ARMY SIGNED UP RECENTLY

Six enlistments from Flathead county to the U. S. Army have been reported this week by Recruiting Officer L. A. Dellinger.

Those who enlistment applications have been accepted and their assignments from Fort Missoula are: Andrew T. Hulson, 29th Engineers, Portland, Oregon; Lowell E. Shepard, letterman, General hospital, San Francisco; Robert B. Reitan, coast artillery, Phillipine Islands; Howard J. Dutro and Phillip A. Dutro, both of Columbia Falls, field artillery, Fort Ord, California; and Forrest Lovering, typist clerk, Fort Missoula.

Singleton George

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Smith Richard F 21 Oct 1941 pg 5

Private First Class Richard F. Smith received a promotion to the grade of corporal, which went into effect October 11. With Private Smith's promotion, Private Frances Cory was promoted to private first class.

Smith William C 9 Jan 1941 pg 5

William C. Smith, electrician mate of the U.S.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith writes that he is now stationed at San Juan, Virgin Islands. His ship the U.S.S. Morris, destroyer first line, now has the Martinique patrol, to guard the 150 U. S. airplanes and the Vern, a French plane carrier which brought them there last summer.

Spalding Herman 27 Mar 1941 pg 7

#### **TWO FLATHEAD BOYS SIGN WITH REGULARS**

Two Flathead county youth have been enlisted in the U. S. Army this week, it was announced by Recruiting Sergeant L. A. Dellinger.

John Quinlan of Whitefish will be placed in the ordnance department at March Field, California, and Herman Spalding of Kalispell joined the medical detachment stationed at Manila, P. I.

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4 Aug 1941 pg 4

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Two draftees under the selective service reported to the local draft board this morning before departure for Missoula where they will be inducted in the U. S. army for a year's military service. They were Gerald E. St. John, Creston, and George R. Barton, Whitefish.

A third Flathead county draftee will be inducted today also through the Billings draft board. He is Clayton Warner.

Three men from Flathead county are also scheduled for induction on August 18. Names of those now slated to be called are Robert A. Fredenberg, Joseph A. Motichka and Donald E. Norton.

Strobel

Fred W

3 Jul 1941 pg 4

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Sunde

Edwin L

15 Oct 1941 pg 4

Lieutenant Edwin L. Sunde has been notified of his promotion to the rank of Captain, effective October 18. Captain Sunde will attend the officers school at Fort Benning, Georgia, and will leave here October 18.

Swanson

James H

26 Dec 1941 pg 5

James H. Swanson of Kalispell has been transferred to Camp Callan, California, according to a notice received today from the reception center for selectees at Fort Lewis, Washington.

Thomas

Frank G

15 Oct 1941 pg 4

Corporal Frank C. Thomas, who has been hospitalized since early spring because of internal illness, received his discharge from the Army of the United States. Before his illness Corporal Thomas was assistant to the supply sergeant in Co. "F."

Thompson Morrell

12 Apr 1941 pg 5

Corporal Morrell Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson, Sixth avenue west, has arrived home to spend Easter. He is stationed with the 2nd Battalion, 47th Quartermaster's Regiment, at Fort Lewis, Wash., and this is his first furlough since his enlistment last August.

Thorpe Robert

8 Aug 1941 pg 4

#### NAVY APPLICANTS ACCEPTED

Applications of Neil R. Clapper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil H. Clapper of Kalispell, and Robert Thorpe, Columbia Falls, for enlistment in the U. S. Navy have been accepted and the two youths will leave for U. S. Naval Reserve at San Diego this week. They will be placed in the V-6 class.

Recruiting Officer G. W. Nelson, who enlisted the two, said he will be in Columbia Falls, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Unwin Edward W

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White Billie

10 Sep 1941 pg 5

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. White that their son, Billie has been called to active duty in the army, and will be stationed at Camp Edwards on the base of Cape Cod, Mass. He is a first lieutenant and has been a reserve officer for some time. His wife and baby will join him there in about a month.



White Gordon P 24 Nov 1941 pg 5

Gordon P. White, recent Flathead county selectee, has been assigned to the U. S. Army engineers replacement training center at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, according to word received here from Fort Lewis, Washington.

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Wilson Ross 15 Oct 1941 pg 4

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Wood

Charles R

29 Jan 1941 pg 5

**CHARLES R. WOOD  
ASSIGNED TO FORT  
ORD, CALIFORNIA**

Charles R. Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Wood of Kalispell, has been assigned to the 19th U. S. Army Engineers Corps at Fort Ord, California, according to word received here.

Mr. Wood, who has been employed by General Motors at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was among the first to be called for military service under the selective service. He is a graduate of Flathead county high school and prior to his employment with General Motors was located at Chicago with the Allis-Chalmers company.

Zeek

Wily H W

14 Oct 1941 pg 5

Word has been received here from Fort Douglas, Utah, that Willy H. W. Zeck of the U. S. Army Air Corps, has been transferred to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. Zeck entered the army last month from Kalispell.

Zeller

Russell L

20 Nov 1941 pg 9

Russell L. Zeller of Kalispell has been accepted for enlistment in the U. S. Navy, according to Recruiting Officer Geo. W. Nelson, who will be on duty here at the City Hall until Friday.