

Surname

Given

Sager

Edwin M

19 Jan 1944 pg 5

Edwin M. Sager has been promoted to staff sergeant, according to information received here by relatives. He won an air medal in December. He is an aerial engineer in a Flying Fortress and has been in England since October.

31 Jan 1944 pg 3

Edwin M. Sager of Kalispell, Montana was recently promoted to the grade of staff sergeant in the Eighth Air Force Bomber Command. He is a son of Millard Sager of Kalispell.

11 Mar 1944 pg 1

**S/SGT. EDWIN SAGER
MISSING IN BATTLE**

Staff Sergeant Edwin Sager is reported missing in action over Germany, according to word received by his wife from the War department. The message stated that he has been missing since February 22. Sgt. Sager is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Sager of Kalispell.

His wife is the former Frances Enchiber of Kalispell. She is now employed at Portland. Further information concerning the young man is expected from the War department.

Sgt. Sager was an engineer and waist gunner on a Flying Fortress, and completed his 58th mission the day previous. He had been awarded an air medal, which he had sent home. It arrived here a week ago, and was forwarded to his wife. He arrived in England on October 12, last.

He has a sister, Mrs. Ralph Olson, also of Kalispell.

Saling

William J

14 Apr 1944 pg 4

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Saling have received a telephone call from their son William Saling, Pfc., who is interned in the Dibble General hospital at Montopark, Calif. He is recovering from head injuries received in line of duty and has spent two years in New Guinea and Australia.

14 Jun 1944 pg 5

Pfc. William J. Saling has received his honorable army discharge at Flathead county court house. The paper was issued at Dibble General hospital, Menlo Park, Calif., on May 16, 1944. He has seen action in the Pacific and has the Asiatic Pacific campaign medal. He arrived in Kalispell Saturday and will remain at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Saling.

Salzman

Robert W

4 May 1944 pg 2

Bob Salzman, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Salzman, recently enlisted in the army air corps and is in training at Buckley Field, Denver, Colo.

15 Jun 1944 pg3

Pvt. Robert W. Salzman arrived last Monday from Buckley Field, Denver, Colo., to spend his furlough with his mother, Mrs. M. J. Salzman. He has been assigned as a specialist draftsman in the air corps and leaves June 15 for his new station at Fresno, Calif.

Sanders

Robert J

7 Jun 1944 pg 5

Pvt. Robert J. Sanders has returned to Camp Bowie, Tex., after spending a nine-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sanders, in the Lower valley.

Sandon

Freeman

23 Mar 1944 pg 3

Freeman Sandon of Sunburst, Montana, is a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Laura M. Albert of this city. He is a photographer's mate first class in the Navy Air Corps, having enlisted in January, 1940. He has seen considerable action in the South Pacific as a gunner on a Liberator bomber and is now awaiting his next assignment.

Sanford

Thomas M

9 Jun 1944 pg 5

Thomas M. Sanford has filed his honorable army discharge with Clerk and Recorder A. J. Shaw. He held the rank of sergeant during World War I and was discharged at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., on June 28, 1919.

Sather Alfred 1 Jul 1944 pg 5

Mrs. Alfred Sather has returned from the east where she visited her husband who is in an army camp there.

Sauerbier Jack E 2 Dec 1944 pg 2

SAUER TO BE ASSIGNED
Second Lieutenant Jack E. Sauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sauer of Kalispell, has completed basic aviation ground officer training at



the Quantico, Va., Marine Corps base and is now ready for assignment to an administrative post with an aircraft.

Sauerbier Gerald G 20 Sep 1944 pg 5

Gerald G. Sauerbier, A. M. 3/c, who was here on furlough left Sunday for Vancouver, Wash., to visit his mother, Mrs. Sam Sauerbier. He has served a year overseas.

Sauerbier Harold 6 Jan 1944 pg 5

Harold Sauerbier left Monday for Fort Douglas, Utah, after spending his furlough at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Sam Sauerbier who is seriously ill in a Vancouver, Wash. hospital. Mrs. Sauerbier was operated on last week.

29 Mar 1944 pg 5

Private Harold Sauerbier, who has been home from Lincoln, Neb., on furlough, left Thursday for Vancouver, to visit his mother, brother and sister. He was accompanied by his father, Sam Sauerbier.

Saulsbury James E 3 Jul 1944 pg 2

Word has been received that Aviation Cadet James E. Saulsbury, U. S. N. R., has completed his flight training and graduated at Corpus Christie, Tex., on June 10, having been awarded the coveted gold wings and a commission as ensign. He is the son of Mrs. Blanch Saulebury of Great Falls but has always made his home with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Culbert of Bigfork. Ensign Saulsbury graduated from Bigfork High school in May, 1941, and enlisted in August, 1942. He was called for training in December, 1942. At the present time, he is in Green Cove Springs, Fla., for further training before being assigned to the fleet.

Saunders James 6 May 1944 pg 5

Mrs. Daisy Saunders, who is at present in Napa, Calif., has received word that her son, James Saunders, has arrived safely overseas in the south Pacific area. He was a graduate of the Flathead high school, and operated a service station here for a number of years. He is in the Merchant Marine service, and his address is c/o S.S. Peter Sylvester, Coastwise and Far East Lines, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.

Saurey	Gordon	18 Jan 1944 pg 3	22 Mar 1944 pg 4	1 Jun 1944 pg 5	3 Jun 1944 pg 4
		Gordon Saury has just completed his primary pilot's training course at Fort Stockton, Texas, and is now stationed with the Basic Flying Training Squadron, Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, Texas, according to word received here.	Aviation Cadet Gordon Saurey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Saurey of Columbia Falls, has completed basic and preliminary pilot training at San Angelo, Tex. He has been transferred to Foster Field for advanced work. Upon successful completion of the advanced course, he will be awarded the silver wings.	Mr. and Mrs. Robert Saurey, Jr., have learned that their son, A/C Gordon Saurey was commissioned a second lieutenant in the air corps at graduation exercises held May 23 at Foster Field, Tex. He is a pilot.	Headquarters Army Air Forces Central Flying Training Command, Randolph Field, Tex., June 3—Thousands of young Americans from the 48 states and from Cuba, Hawaii, Alaska, Brazil and Canada became army air force pilots recently in mass AAF Training Command graduation exercises at the eleven flying schools of the Central Flying Training Command: Cecil W. Everitt, Columbia Falls, Mont., Altus Field, Okla., Robert G. Saurey, Columbia Falls, Mont., and Jack L. Craven, Kalispell, Mont.
Savage	DeLos	28 Jun 1944 pg 6	10 Nov 1944 pg 8	2 Dec 1944 pg 7	
		DeLos Savage left Friday morning for Camp Beable, Marysville, Calif., having spend a furlough with his parents here.	DeLoss Savage, having spent a furlough with home folks here, left Wednesday morning for Texas where he is stationed.	Word has been received from Corporal DeLos Savage that he has been transferred to New York from where he will embark for overseas duty in a short time.	
Sawyer	Art	18 Apr 1944 pg 5			
		Pvt. Art Sawyer is now stationed in New Caledonia. His mother, Mrs. Edith Sawyer, resides at 276 Third avenue west north in Kalispell.			
Schaefer	Gus	27 May 1944 pg 5			
		Gus Schaefer, CMM, is here from Port Huacame, Calif., Navy Seabee embarkation camp, visiting his mother, Mrs. Robert Schaefer, and relatives and friends. He will be here about four or five days.			
Schafer	Arthur	22 Jan 1944 pg 3			
		Pvt. Arthur Schafer, son of Mrs. Bob Nelson, writes from the south west Pacific. He writes that he is safe and sound and had been in New Caledonia, Guadalcanal and Vella Lavella. Later, he went to Samoa and has experienced several air raids. He said he laid in his fox holes during the raids and "shook all over with patriotism." He said raids cause men to pray who have never prayed before. The islands are all right to pass through but no place for a white man to live, in his opinion. Seeing six feet of snow would be a real thrill, his letter says.			
Schafer	Harold R	20 Jan 1944 pg 5	21 Jul 1944 pg 7	8 Nov 1944 pg 4	
		Word has been received by Mrs. Sam Burkhardt from her grandson, Corporal Harold R. Schafer, that he was in the landing on Tarawa in the Gilbert islands but that he is now out of there in a rest camp. This is the first word since October 1. His address is: Corporal Harold R. Schafer, U.S.M.C., Company A 6th Marines, Second Marine division, in care of Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.	Corporal Schafer Recuperating From Saipan Battle Wounds Corporal Harold R. Schafer was wounded in the Saipan battle, and is in a hospital in Hawaii, according to a telegram received by his grandmother, Mrs. Sam Burkhardt. Mrs. Burkhardt advises that his address is Cpl. Harold R. Schafer, U. S. Naval hospital, ward 34, Navy No. 10, care of Fleet P. O., San Francisco, Calif., in case his friends wish to write him.	Cpl. Harold R. Schafer of the U. S. Marine corps left last week to return to the naval hospital at San Diego, Calif., where he will undergo another operation following wounds received in the battle of Saipan. While here on 30-day leave from the hospital, he visited with his grandmother, Mrs. Sam Burkhardt and other relatives. Cpl. Schafer was glad to be back in "good old Montana" and is looking forward to the time when he can return to stay.	

Schappacher Norman

20 Jan 1944 pg 5

6 Jun 1944 pg 4

Maxton, N. C., Jan. 20—Norman Schappacher of Kalspell, Mont., has been promoted from corporal to sergeant at Laurinburg, Maxton army air base, where he is assigned to the First Troop Carrier Command. Sergeant Schappacher was a ranger with the U. S. forest service before entering the service in 1942.

Schappacher Promoted

A Ninth Air Force Troop Carrier Base, England.—Norman Schappacher, husband of Mrs. Eleanor Schappacher of Kalspell, Mont., has been promoted to the grade of Staff Sergeant. It was announced recently at this Ninth Air Force Troop Carrier base. Before his induction into the Army in September, 1942, Sergeant Schappacher was employed as a forest ranger by the U. S. Forest Service in Kalspell and is now a radio operator in the Communications Section of this Troop Carrier group.

A Ninth Air Force Troop Carrier Base, England.—Sergeant George W. Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Wood, Kalspell, Mont., is now serving with the Ninth Air Force Troop Carrier Command in England.

Schlegel Murrel Robert

11 Mar 1944 pg 5

Murrel Robert Schlegel, who has been on leave from Farragut Naval Training station after completing boot training, left Kalspell Friday to return to the station. He visited at his home in Kalspell for 15 days.

Schmauch Norman W

19 May 1944 pg 3

10 Oct 1944 pg 5

Norman Schmauch, S 2/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmauch, arrived in Kalspell, recently from Farragut Naval Training station to spend a 15-day leave with relatives. He will return to Farragut for assignment.

Bluejacket Norman W. Schmauch, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Schmauch, 370 Third avenue west north, Kalspell, received recognition as eligible to qualify for the petty officer rate of signalman third class in recent graduation exercises at the Naval Training School (Signals) at the University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Schnell Jerry

13 Mar 1944 pg 3

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3 Jun 1944 pg 5

7 Nov 1944 pg 5

Jerry Schnell, petty officer 1/c, is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Schnell, in Kalspell. He has been in the navy for more than two years and is a member of the first construction unit of the Seabees. Since leaving Kalspell he has spent considerable time in the South Pacific.

Schnell Made Ensign

Kalspell friends of Jerry Schnell will be pleased to learn of his commission as Ensign, U. S. N. R., recently. Ensign Schnell has been stationed at Camp Parks, Calif., since his return from the Southwest Pacific area and since his recent furlough in Kalspell. He is expecting to be transferred to a new base on the west coast soon, according to Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Schnell, who received news of his advancement this week.

Ensign Jerry Schnell is spending a brief leave in Kalspell with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Schnell. He is enroute from San Francisco to Cambridge, Mass., where he will enter the navy supply corps school at Harvard university. He will leave Wednesday and expects to fly east for his new assignment.

Ensign Gerald Schnell left today for San Francisco where he will be assigned a ship. He has been visiting here the past week with his parents.

Schreckendgust W

1 Jul 1944 pg 5

W. Schreckendgust, S 2/s, and Cadet Dorothy West visited Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred West at Somers. They came from Missoula.

Schultz William R

26 Sep 1944 pg 1

LT. SCHULTZ OF ESSEX MISSING IN ACTION

Lt. William R. Schultz is missing in action, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Schultz of Essex, it has been learned here. He was a navigator and had been stationed in England. Young Schultz is a graduate of Whitefish high school and attended Washington State college.

Sethney Harold O 28 Nov 1944 pg 4

Gun Becomes Bridge
 Sgt. Harold O. Sethney is doing vital repair work as one of a group of army engineers in France who ingeniously converted a huge gun, abandoned by the Germans in the wake of the Allied Seventh Army's push into a railroad bridge. The gun's strong steel carriage forms a bridge over a demolished railroad span for long supply trains carrying ammunition, rations and gasoline to Allied units pushing the Germans back into their homeland.

The job was first estimated as three weeks' work but by using the gun carriage the conversion took but four and a half days, the company commander stated.

Sgt. Sethney is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Sethney, former Kallispell residents.

Sexton Kenneth B 3 Mar 1944 pg 4

Private First Class Kenneth Sexton, who spent the holidays in Kallispell with his mother, Mrs. Esther Sexton, his sister, Mrs. Willard McPheters, and other relatives, writes from Memphis, Tenn., where he is hospitalized. He is assisting the Red Cross in the hospital and writes that he enjoys the Inter Lake which he receives there. He sends greetings to local friends.

The soldier returned from New Guinea and Australia on a ship with 78 sick and wounded late last year.

Shaw Samuel M 7 Jul 1944 pg 5

Samuel M. Shaw has recorded his honorable army discharge with Flathead county clerk and recorder. It was issued at Thayer General hospital, Nashville, Tenn.

Shaw Samuel W 15 Jan 1944 pg 3

Staff Sgt. Samuel W. Shaw, arrived in Kallispell Monday, January 10, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaw. Sergeant Shaw has been stationed in the Panama Canal Zone for a period of two years. He will report back to Fort Devens, Mass., on January 22.

Shea Vernon 29 Apr 1944 pg 4

PFC. Vernon Shea arrived home Wednesday from Ft. Richardson, Alaska, on a 15-day furlough, part of which he will spend here with his mother, Mrs. Norman Conrad, and the remainder with relatives in Seattle, Wash.

Sheeran Norman 11 Aug 1944 pg 5 18 Oct 1944 pg 5

Ensign Norman Sheeran has left for Tucson, Ariz., after spending a leave in Kallispell with his sister, Mrs. Robert Bowman.

Ensign Norman Sheeran is visiting at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowman. He is being transferred from Tucson, Ariz., to Miami, Fla.

Shepard Frank A Jr 24 Jun 1944 pg 5

S 2/C Frank A. Shepard, Jr., has returned to Farragut after a 15-day leave spent here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Shepard, northeast of the city, and his sister, Mrs. Geo. N. Haddow.

Shepherd Robert L 20 Jan 1944 pg 2 15 Nov 1944 pg 6

Word has been received here that Corporal Robert L. Shepherd is now stationed in the New Hebrides Islands.

Word has been received here that Bob Shepherd who is serving in a headquarters company in the New Hebrides has been promoted from the grade of Corporal to Sergeant.

Sheppard David R 25 Feb 1944 pg 5

David R. Sheppard, F 2/c returned to Farragut Naval Training station Tuesday after spending a 15-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sheppard of Kallspell.

Shoaf James W 10 May 1944 pg 2

OLD DISCHARGE FILED
Sgt. James W. Shoaf has filed an honorable army discharge at Plattehead county court house which was issued following his service in the Spanish-American war. He was mustered out at the Presidio, San Francisco, Aug. 23, 1899.

Shuey William Jr 30 Dec 1944 pg 5 30 Dec 1944 pg 8

Mrs. Geo. Colby has received word that her brother, William Shuey, Jr., has been reported missing in action in Luxembourg.

WM. SHUEY OF KILA REPORTED MISSING
According to word received from Kila, Mrs. George Colby of that community was advised recently that her brother, William Shuey, Jr., was missing in action in Luxembourg.

Shurtleff Dwight K 28 Dec 1944 pg 1

CPL DWIGHT SHURTLEFF IS REPORTED MISSING
Cpl. Dwight K. Shurtleff has been reported missing in action over Germany. The message to his wife from the acting adjutant general states that he has been missing since December 6. If further detail or other information are available, Mrs. Shurtleff will be promptly notified.
Mrs. Wilma Shurtless is the daughter of S. W. Swenson.

Siblerud Donald R 17 Feb 1944 pg 4 20 Apr 1944 pg 5 18 Oct 1944 pg 3

Donald R. Siblerud has finished his basic training at the Army Air field at LeMoore, California, and has been transferred to Douglas, Arizona, where he will take advanced flying. He should receive his wings in about two months.

Donald Siblerud of the army air corps will be home this week-end from Texas. He has just graduated and earned his wings.

Donald R. Siblerud, son of Mrs. Amelia Siblerud of Kallspell, has been transferred from Deming, N. M., to the radar school of the Army Air Force at Victorville, Calif. He expects that he will be there for about three months.

Sibley Wilfred 12 May 1944 pg 6

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Sibley have received word from their son, Wilfred, who is in Italy, that he saw Vesuvius erupt, was hungry for some real potatoes, and hoped Uncle Sam would send them some eggs for Easter. He stated he was tired of the dried variety.

Sibley Wm 17 Jan 1944 pg 5

The Sibley and Ross families here have received word from their boys, Sgt. Wm. Sibley and Sgt. Delmas Riss in Italy that their boys are stationed only five miles apart, and had a day together recently. One of the boys wrote that it was his happiest day in the army. He said, "We are wallowing in the same mud."

Sievers Harry R 11 Jul 1944 pg 2

Harry R. Sievers, son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Sievers of RFD 1, Creston, has completed his course of studies as an aviation mechanic in the army air forces technical training school, according to word received from the Amarillo army air field at Amarillo, Tex. He will be sent to an air base where he will assist in keeping America's Flying Fortresses in the air.

Sievers Larry K 17 Mar 1944 pg pg 4 27 Mar 1944 pg 5

Larry K. Sievers, aviation cadet, has successfully completed his basic flying training course at Marana Army Air Field, and will be sent to an advanced flying school to complete his training. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Sievers of Creston, Mont.

Larry K. Sievers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sievers, of Creston, Montana, has successfully completed the Army Air Forces Advanced Flying School training at Williams Field, Chandler, Arizona, and has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Air Corps.

Simard Vern Claix 8 Jun 1944 pg 4

Vern Claix Simard, seaman, second class, has received his honorable navy discharge and has placed it on record at Flathead county court house. It was issued at Faragut Naval Training station on June 5, 1944.

Simonson Ray 22 Ju 1944 pg 4

Friends of Ray Simonson will be pleased to learn of his promotion to the rank of first lieutenant. He is attached to regimental headquarters of the Fourth Infantry at Fort Benning, Ga.

Simpson Arthur 19 Aug 1944 pg 7

TWO CANADIAN SOLDIERS SPEND FURLOUNDS HERE

Corporals Arthur Simpson and Bill Goikas have returned to their camp at Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, Canada, after spending a seven-day furlough with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kaeding of route 1A Kalispell. Corporal Simpson is a nephew of Mrs. Kaeding.

Corporal Simpson is with the Quartermaster Corps of the Canadian infantry and Corporal Goikas is with the Regina rifle regiment. They have served in the Canadian army for 18 months. Corporal Goikas has three brothers serving with the Canadian armed forces and Corporal Simpson has two.

This was the boys' first visit to the states and they believe Flathead is a wonderful country and the people most hospitable and are looking forward to their next visit here.

Singleton	George B	28 Sep 1944 pg 4	14 Nov 1944 pg 3	29 Nov 1944 pg 5
		<p>Sgt. George B. Singleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Singleton, Elbow, 6th Avenue West, Railroad Street, Kalispell, Mont., is due to arrive in the United States soon on furlough from the Asiatic Pacific theater of operation where he served 30 months with the quartermaster corps.</p>	<p>Sgt. Singleton Awarded Bronze Star For Gallantry: Sgt. George B. Singleton, 25, is wearing a bronze star award for gallantry in action behind the lines in the Aleutians. He has been injured here. He is the son of Thomas K. Singleton of Kalispell. The release was received here from Santa Barbara, Calif. Sgt. Singleton served for 30 months with the quartermaster corps and is now resting in the Biltmore hotel of the army ground and service forces redistribution station in Santa Barbara, while he undergoes the reorientation and reassignment procedures. After attending Flathead high school, the local soldier was employed by the American Timber company prior to enlistment in the army in August, 1940.</p>	<p>Sergeant George Singleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Singleton, is now stationed at Fort Missouri.</p>
Sipe	Keith	14 Oct 1944 pg 5	2 Nov 1944 pg 5	10 Nov 1944 pg 8
		<p>Keith Sipe, P. O. 2/C, is here on leave from the Southwest Pacific to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Sipe of Lakeside. He has been overseas three years and was a submarine soundman. Petty Officer Sipe will return to San Diego for schooling.</p>	<p>Keith Sipe, home on furlough, is spending this week with his sister and family in Roundup.</p>	<p>Keith Sipe left Monday for Seattle, having spent a furlough with his parents here. He is with the Coast Guard.</p>
Slama	Orland P	4 Jan 1944 pg 4		
		<p>Cpl. Orland P. Slama, son of Victor Slama of Kalispell who was graduated this week from the Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery school at Fort Meyers, Fla., will be retained as an instructor at the school.</p>		
Slennard	Jack R	21 Nov 1944 pg 5		
		<p>Capt. Jack R. Slennard of Whiteside has been transferred from the AAF Convalescent hospital, Nashville, Tenn., to the army air forces newly-activated convalescent hospital at Fort Thomas, Ky., where he now serves as a member of the post's permanent party personnel. Announcement was made by Col. W. Frank DeWitt, who serves as commanding officer at Fort Thomas. Capt. Slennard entered the army Jan. 17, 1940. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baye, 43 Pine Avenue, Whitefish. Prior to his entrance in the army he was employed by the U. S. Forest Service. His wife, Mrs. Elaine Scholt Slennard, resides in Kentucky.</p>		
Sloan	Thomas L	28 Jun 1944 pg 5		
		<p>T/5 Thomas L. Sloan has filed his honorable army discharge at Flathead county courthouse. He was released from service at Torney General hospital, Palm Springs, California, Jan. 22, 1943.</p>		
Slyter	Bud	28 Nov 1944 pg 4		
		<p>S/Sgt. Bud Slyter, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. (Pete) Slyter of Kalispell, is now in the Philippines, his parents have learned. He was with Company F and has been overseas 33 months. Slyter has taken part in all major campaigns in the South Pacific.</p>		

Smith Gaylord O 15 Jan 1944 pg 3

Gaylord O. Smith, Seabee, I/C meolsmith, left today for Danville, R. I., after spending a 30-day leave visiting in Kalspell. He was in Africa for 10 months. The serviceman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Smith of Kalspell.

Smith John 17 Jan 1944 pg 2

Chief Petty Officer John Smith is now stationed in the Fiji Islands, according to word received in Kalspell by relatives. He is a Seabee.

Smith Norman 3 Mar 1944 pg 5

Mrs. Norman Smith has left for Daytona Beach, Fla., to join her husband who is stationed there.

Smith Raymond 24 Feb 1944 pg 5

Private Raymond Smith has filed his honorable army discharge at the Flathead county courthouse. He was released from service at Fitzgimmons General hospital on Feb. 18, 1944.

Smith Richard 28 Nov 1944 pg 4

T/Sgt. Richard (Harpo) Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Kalspell is home on furlough after spending 32 months overseas. He is to spend 21 days at home before reporting to Santa Barbara, Calif., for reassignment. Sgt. Smith took part in three major engagements in the Pacific and most recently was at Biak Island. He entered the service with Company F, National Guard, in 1940.

Smith Russell E 24 Jan 1944 pg 3 18 Sep 1944 pg 3

Russell E. Smith, C.M. 2/c, is home on leave, which he is spending with his father, W. C. Smith, at Coram. He is with the Seabees at Davisville, R. I.

Russell E. Smith, C. M. 3/c, has been spending a leave from his station in Rhode Island with his father, W. C. Smith of Coram. He returned to duty Monday with the naval construction battalion.

Smithers Conrad 22 Feb 1944 pg 2

Conrad Smithers, 726 Fourth avenue East, has completed training at Marine Corps Sea School, San Diego, Calif. He is now awaiting transfer to a ship of the U. S. fleet, where he will serve with a Marine detachment.

Smithers Edwin M 1 Mar 1944 pg 5

Edwin M. Smithers, Mo. M. M. 3/c of the United States Navy, is spending a two weeks' leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Smithers, in Kalspell. He is in mine sweeper duty on the east coast.

Snell Jerry 30 Oct 1944 pg 5

Ensign Jerry Schnell is spending the week in Kalspell with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Schnell. Having completed the Navy supply course school at Harvard university, he is to report to San Francisco for assignment.

Snyder Byron D 20 Mar 1944 pg 4

**THREE INDUCTEES
VOLUNTEER SERVICES**

Three Flathead county inductees volunteered for immediate service upon acceptance for the armed forces. Ellis S. Dickey, chief clerk of the Flathead Selective Service board, announced today. They are Harold C. Anderson and Clifford F. McDonald, who have enlisted in the navy, and Byron D. Snyder, who was accepted for the army.

Spear Harry 6 Jun 1944 pg 5

Mr. and Mrs. Irvan Spear have learned that their son, Harry, has arrived safely overseas but he was not allowed to state in the letter in what country he is stationed.

Spencer Norris R 29 May 1944 pg 3

Norris R. Spencer has been promoted to hospital apprentice first class and has been transferred from the navy to the marines to serve as corpsman, according to word received here. He is taking a field surgery course before going into combat. He is now stationed at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif. The serviceman's home was at Swan Lake before he entered the navy.

Spriggs Edison 21 Nov 1944 pg 5

Pvt. C. Edison Spriggs and wife and two-month-old daughter have arrived at Kalspell. Pvt. Spriggs has been in various army training camps and for the past several months was hospitalized at Denver and later at Tucson, Ariz., because of rheumatic fever. He was released from the service with a medical discharge, November 10.

Stafinbil Don 6 Sep 1944 pg 4

Don Stafinbil has been assigned to field artillery at Fort Sill, Okla. He is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stafinbil of Kalspell to enter the service. Jack is a signalman armed guard and James is a chief pharmacist's mate in the Navy. Both are on duty in the Pacific.

27 Dec 1944 pg 3

Pvt. Donald Stafinbil arrived Monday from Fort Sill, Okla., to visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stafinbil. He has finished basic training and will return to Camp Gruber, Okla., later. His brother, Jack Stafinbil, Signalman 3/c of the Navy, spent a short holiday visit at his home here. He recently returned from the Pacific.

Stafinbil Jack 5 Jan 1944 pg 4

Jack Stafinbil, seaman 1/C, has just completed a course in the naval signal school at the University of Chicago and was given the rating of third class petty officer. He has been transferred to San Francisco for an advanced signal course. Jack is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stafinbil of Kalspell. He left here in April and took boot training at Farragut Naval training station.

Stafinbil James 16 Jun 1944 pg 5

James Stafinbil was promoted to chief pharmacist on June 1, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stafinbil of this city. He enlisted in the Navy in 1939, receiving training at Portsmouth, Virginia, Brooklyn, New York, and Bethesda, Maryland. He has been on convoy duty in the Atlantic for over a year.

Stancill Paul B 22 May 1944 pg 3

Stancill Transferred
 Flight Officer Paul B. Stancill, son of Mrs. Ruth Jepson, of Kalispell has recently arrived at Rosecrans Field, a base of the Ferrying division, Air Transport Command, near St. Joseph, Mo. He will serve as a flight instructor at the Missouri training base.

Stearns George B 15 May 1944 pg 3

Sgt. George Stearns has reported to his Mississippi station following a furlough spent in Kalispell with his bride, the former Beulah Robertson and other relatives.

Stein Daniel W 29 Jul 1944 pg 5

Daniel W Stein, TS/c, left Friday for Boston, Mass., after spending a 16-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Stein, of Kalispell. Before coming home he was on the beachhead at Normandy during the early stages of the invasion.

Stein Darrell 2 Aug 1944 pg 5

Darrell Stein having spent a six-day furlough here and in Kalispell has returned to his camp.

Stenswick Clifford 1 Jul 1944 pg 5

Lieut. Stenswick Here
 Lieut. and Mrs. Clifford Stenswick are visiting in Somers. Lieut. Stenswick graduated from the Blackland Army Air Field of Waco, Texas, Tuesday morning, receiving his commission.

11 Jul 1944 pg 3

LT. AND MRS. STENSWICK VISIT WITH THEIR PARENTS
 Lt. Clifford C. Stenswick and his wife spent the past week visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stenswick and Mrs. Lillian Moore. He received his wings and commission June 27 at Blackland army air field, Waco, Texas. He will return to duty as pilot instructor at Waco army air field.

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Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Ariz., Nov. 7.—In the recent class of aerial combat crew trainees graduated here and qualified for immediate combat duty was Second Lieutenant Clifford C. Stenswick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnt O. Stenswick, Somers, Montana, who will soon go overseas to a combat theater as a co-pilot on a B-24 Liberator. His wife, Nona M., also resides in Somers.

Stenson Perry 28 Feb 1944 pg 3

Corp. Perry Stenson Here
 Corporal Perry Stenson of the Marine corps is spending a furlough in Kalispell with his parents and wife. He has been in the service for 19 months, most of which has been in the Southwest Pacific, having been stationed at New Zealand and New Caledonia. Perry says the Flathead looks especially good to him at this time. He speaks interestingly of the customs of the natives in the islands where he was stationed. New Caledonians he found "especially religious and saw a number of lovely shrines which natives had erected. His transfer is for 30 days.

15 Jul 1944 pg 3

STENSON TO OCS
 Cpl. M. P. (Perry) Stenson of the U. S. M. C. has been selected for officers' training, according to word received here. He will report to Camp Lejeune, N. C., for the training.
 His selection followed his picture appearing on the cover of the Fifth Marine division booklet, "Speartouch," recently. The 26 year old "cover man," is a former University of Montana athlete and a veteran of overseas. He is the son of Nels Stenson of Kalispell.

2 Dec 1944 pg 2

STENSON COMMISSIONED
 Commissioned a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps at Quantico, Va., was Perry Stenson, 26, whose wife, Elaine, lives here.
 Lieutenant Stenson, son of Nels Stenson, of Kalispell, received his commission after completing basic officer training. He now is ready for advanced officer instruction.
 He is a former student of the Uni-



versity of Montana, at Missoula, where he was a member of the football team, four years; basketball team, two years; and track team, three years.
 He enlisted in September, 1942, as a private, and rose through the ranks to corporal before being sent to officer school.

Stenwick Clifford C 5 Jul 1944 pg 4 5 Aug 1944 pg 3

Aviation Cadet Clifford C. Stenwick, Somers, was one of the men to graduate at Randolph Field, Tex., June 27. Graduates received the silver pilot wings of the army air forces. The base is one of the advanced twin-engine training fields. It was the seventeenth and largest class of cadets, student officers and military pilots to graduate.

Lieut. and Mrs. Clifford Stenwick spent a short time here while Clifford was being transferred from Waco, Texas. He has now gone to Lincoln, Nebraska.

Stevens Clinton Robert 11 Apr 1944 pg 3

Pvt. Clinton Robert Stevens is spending an 8-day furlough in Kalispell from Camp Roberts, Calif. He will report to Ford Ord at the conclusion of his leave.

Stevens Roy 8 Aug 1944 pg 4

Pvt. Roy (Dob) Stevens returned Sunday to Fort Monmouth, N. J. after spending an eight-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. H. A. Stevens, in Kalispell.

Stiemnitzer Earl 13 Mar 1944 pg 4

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stiemnitzer are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sparks. Earl will soon be leaving for service in the Marines.

St John Charles 22 Apr 1944 pg 5

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1 Jun 1944 pg 5

Gerald St. John is spending a 21-day furlough with relatives in KallsPELL. He has just returned from the Solomon Islands and was sent to the United States because of having malaria. He has been overseas for two and one-half years. Gerald is one of five brothers in the service.

St John James 22 Apr 1944 pg 5

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Stock William H 1 Aug 1944 pg 3

Pvt. William H. Stock of Fort Knox, Kentucky, left Somers after spending 10 days with his wife and little daughter, Patsy, at the home of his wife's mother, Mrs. Lillian Moore. He will report to Fort George Meade, Md., for more training as radioman in the tank corps.

Stocklin Francis A 5 Apr 1944 pg 4

THREE 17-YEAR-OLD FLATHEAD YOUTHS ENLIST IN THE NAVY
Don C. Foote, recruiter in charge of the Missoula navy recruiting station, has announced the enlistment in the U. S. navy of the following Flathead county young men, all 17 years of age: Francis A. Stocklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Stocklin of KallsPELL; George N. Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cross of Somers; Rino V. Carbonari, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henri Carbonari of Somers.
Chief Foote stated that the young men will soon leave for a naval training station where they will receive their basic training.

Stockwell Theodore L 22 Feb 1944 pg 3

MORE DISCHARGES FILED
Two service discharges have been placed on file recently at Flathead county court house.
Pfc. Theodore L. Stockwell received his honorable discharge in Sept. 1943, at Borden General hospital, in Oklahoma. Private Philip L. Mueller was released from service at Camp Roberts, Calif., Feb. 5, 1943, the record shows.

Stockwell Willard 7 Dec 1944 pg 4

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stockwell have received a letter from their son, T/4 Willard Stockwell, stating that he has arrived safely somewhere in England and is feeling fine. He took his training in Texas, and at Aberdeen proving grounds in Maryland, and left for overseas duty recently.

Stoner Bill 20 May 1944 pg 5

First Lieutenant Bill Stoner, nephew of Mrs. Leon Phillips of Kalspell, piloted a transport airplane in the movie "Guy Named Joe," which was shown here this week. He is in the army air corps. Mrs. Phillips has learned from relatives that while the picture was being made, Mrs. Stoner watched scenes from the picture being shot near Tampa, Fla. The young couple had just recently been married.

Storm Orville 18 Jan 1944 pg 4

Home on Furlough
Orville Storm surprised members of his family in arriving home Thursday for a furlough from duties in the Pacific where he was a member of a crew on an airplane carrier.

Strand Milfred 24 Jan 1944 pg 3

Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., Jan. 17.—Cpy. Milfred Strand has reported at Keesler Field to begin training as a pre-aviation cadet. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Meinert C. Strand, 1012 Sixth avenue west, Kalspell, and will spend 28 days here before going to a college or university for five months of further work preparatory to becoming an air cadet.

Streit Carl 17 Mar 1944 pg 5

S/Sgt. Carl Streit, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Streit, is in Kalspell on furlough. He is en route to Santa Monica, Calif., from Schriek General Hospital, in Iowa, where he underwent surgical treatment.

Streit Paul 5 Apr 1944 pg 5

Staff Sergeant Paul Streit, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Streit, has left for Santa Monica, Calif., where he will be reassigned. He has been spending a furlough in Kalspell visiting relatives and friends.

Strom Orville 4 Apr 1944 pg 3

Orville Strom, SK 1/c, who has been spending a leave in Kalspell, will report to San Diego, Calif., for navy service. He will be accompanied on his return to the coast, Wednesday, by his wife, who had remained in Kalspell while he was on sea duty.

Stryker Frank W

10 Jan 1944 pg 2

From somewhere overseas, Sergeant Frank W. Stryker has written members of the Bad Rock Grange to praise their efforts and accomplishments in the September war bond drive. He followed the progress in the Weekly Inter Lake and takes pride in the work his home community is doing in the war effort. "Every dollar spent on war bonds and stamps brings all of us closer to home," he writes.

In his praise he mentions Emma Leighty, Moyne Weaver, Charlotte Brinkerhoff, Grace Hall, Therman Small and Ellen Heilman, for their part in all arrangements.

10 Nov 1944 pg 2

Army Engineers Busy

In a clipping from the "Stars and Stripes," a newspaper of the armed forces, the work of engineers in the European Theater of operations is described. Mrs. M. L. Vick received the item from her son, Cpl. Lynn E. Vick, who is with the outfit which replaced blown railroad bridges from Aix-en-Provence to Lyon, when the Seventh Army was on the move through eastern France.

Don McIntosh of Kalispell, Frank Stryker of Columbia Falls and several other men from Flathead County are in the outfit.

Stubbs Glenn E

26 Sep 1944 pg 5

Fort Benning, Ga.—Pvt. Glenn E. Stubbs, son of Mrs. Elsie Stubbs of Kalispell, Mont., has won the right to wear Wings and Boots of the United States Army Paratroops. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Sundahl George A

19 Jun 1944 pg 1

T/5 GEORGE A. SUNDAHL KILLED IN ACTION ON ITALY BATTLEFIELD

Mrs. Caroline Sundahl was advised by the war department Saturday that her son, T/5 George A. Sundahl, was killed in action in Italy on May 28.

No details were given in the telegram but it stated that a letter would follow. Mrs. Sundahl lives at 527 Third avenue west.

Sundahl John C

3 Jun 1944 pg 5

PFC. John C. Sundahl who has been spending a short furlough at the home of his parents here left Saturday for Camp Adair, Ore.

26 Oct 1944 pg 2

Sundahl Saw World Series

Pfc. John C. Sundahl has written his mother, Mrs. Caroline Sundahl, that he saw the final game of the World Series in which the St. Louis Cardinals defeated the St. Louis Browns. He was on furlough from Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

A soldier from Butte accompanied him to the series' game. He had visited in the Flathead so their time together was enjoyable. More than 30,000 baseball fans were in the stands and it really was exciting, Pfc. Sundahl writes.

Sundelius Clarence G

14 Apr 1944 pg 5

CROSS AND SUNDELIUS FILE NAVY DISCHARGES

Honorable discharges from the coast guard have been placed on record at Flathead county courthouse by Clarence G. Sundelius, pharmacists' mate, 1/c, and by Roy N. Cross, specialist, 1/c. Both papers were issued at Seattle. Dr. Sundelius' was signed April 10, 1944, and Mr. Cross' on March 31, 1944.

Sundt Helmer E

5 Jan 1944 pg 2

Pvt. Helmer Sundt writes from North Africa that he is now receiving the Weekly Inter Lake and it is certainly welcome.

24 Jun 1944 pg 5

Pfc. Helmer E. Sundt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sundt, is spending a furlough in Kalispell. He has served overseas in England and Africa.

1 Jul 1944 pg 2

Private First Class Helmer E. Sundt arrived home Friday evening from North Africa. He is on the rotation leave furlough and will report for duty at Medford, Ore., at the end of his furlough.

Sutherland George Douglas 25 Nov 1944 pg 4

George Douglas Sutherland, MM, 2/C, is reported missing in action by the Navy department in a telegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Sutherland, Saturday.

Swafford Jack L 25 Sep 1944 pg 2

T/Sgt. Jack L. Swafford, who has been missing in action twice, is now a prisoner of the German government, his wife, the former Eleanor Salama of Kalispell, has been advised by Major Gen. Twining of the Fifteenth Air Force. Sgt. Swafford formerly lived in Oklahoma City.

Information received by Mrs. Swafford revealed that due to enemy action, his plane was damaged over the target at Florisdorf, Austria. It continued behind its group for about 60 miles but upon reaching Koseyes, Hungary, it suddenly dropped out of sight of the accompanying crews. Six parachutes were seen leaving the plane before it disappeared.

Jack has a splendid record of service. For his heroic participation in hazardous operational flights against the enemy, he was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross with cluster, the air medal with 11 Oak Leaf clusters and the Purple Heart. He also has to his credit prior to Pearl Harbor, good behavior and Middle Eastern Campaign ribbons. He has been in 39 missions in the position of radio operator-gunner with a heavy bombardment B-24 outfit. In one mission alone after the ship was landed, there were 92 flak hits on one wing. In three missions, landings were made with but two engines.

Sgt. Swafford escaped in the Leercree mission on July 2, 1943, when one 10 millimeter shell hit the tip of the wing, another 40 m.m. broke three wing struts and another 40 millimeter hit about two feet to the right of the waist gunner, knocking out the hydraulic system and puncturing the wing fuel tank. On that mission an airdrome was bombed. This was a 1,200 mile round trip and they made it coming in on two engines and the flaps only one-quarter down. Mrs. Swafford related: His ship, the "Little Joe," was still in good condition after completing the many missions.

Swafford has five M-E 10's and two possibles to his credit. He also was in the famous Ploesti raid, spending 14 hours and five minutes in the air.

His wife makes her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Salama in Kalispell.

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Swanberg Donald S 27 Jun 1944 pg 2

Pfc. Swanberg Commended
A Kalispell Marine has been awarded a letter of commendation by his commanding officer "for devotion to duty during the Japanese shelling of the Bongoiuville airstrips in March."

He is Private First Class Donald S. Swanberg, an aviation mechanic and son of Mr. and Mrs. Stiney Swanberg, 230 East Idaho street.

According to the citation, the lone Marine and his buddies made it possible for Marine aircraft to continue in operation and make numerous air attacks against the enemy. He has been overseas 11 months.

16 Aug 1944 pg 4

Pfc. Donald S. Swanberg of the Marine Corps, has been promoted to Corporal. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Swanberg of Kalispell.

Swanson

Dean A

13 Jul 1944 pg 5

17 Aug 1944 pg 5

8 Dec 1944 pg 4

Dean A. Swanson, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Layton, of the Creston community, Tuesday enlisted in the Marine Corps at the state headquarters station in Butte. Now home on inactive status he will receive his basic training at the San Diego Leatherneck base when called to active duty.

Pvt. Dean A. Swanson, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Layton of Creston, who has been on inactive status since his enlistment in the Marine Corps on July 11, has been called to active duty. Private Swanson is leaving Butte August 17 for the Marine Corps base at San Diego, Calif., to begin his basic training. He was a student at Kalispell high school at the time of his enlistment.

The Marine Corps had news today of two Flathead county Marines.

Private Norton F. Gaede, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christ J. Gaede of Somers, has graduated from the Browning infantry and automatic rifle school at Camp Pendleton, Cal. A native of Columbia, Mo., he was engaged in farming before being inducted last February.

Also graduated from the same school was Private Dean A. Swanson, stepson of W. E. Layton of Creston. He attended Kalispell high school and also had been engaged in farming.

Sweeney

Thomas L

31 Jan 1944 pg 3

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12 Oct 1944 pg 5

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sweeney have received word from their son, Pfc. Tom Sweeney that he has been transferred to Fort Benning, Ga., for further training. He was a senior at Montana State college where he was studying under the Army Specialized Training program.

Fort Benning, Ga., June 20—Special—Thomas L. Sweeney of Kalispell, Montana, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the army of the United States recently upon successful completion of the officer candidate course at the infantry school at Fort Benning. Lieut. Sweeney is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sweeney of RFD No. 1, Kalispell.

Lt. Thomas L. Sweeney and Miss Katherine Sweeney are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sweeney, northwest of Kalispell. Lt. Sweeney is on a delay en route to Camp McCoy, Wis., where he will be stationed. Miss Sweeney will return on Monday to her duties at the Deaconess hospital where she is in the Cadet Nurses' Corps.

Swetland

William

18 Feb 1944 pg 4

FORMER KALISPELL MAN CALLED TO SERVICE

William Swetland, son of W. D. Swetland, was accepted for army service recently. He has just finished a three weeks' acting engagement at the New York Civic center playing in a revival of Thornton Wilder's, "Our Town." Several of the original cast were in the revival in which he acted the Frank Craven role.

W. D. Swetland and his daughter, Manette, are at Oberlin, Ohio, and write they enjoy news from Kalispell. They are having winter weather there with eight to 12 inches of snow.

Swinkel

John

6 May 1944 pg 2

Technical Sergeant John Swinkel is spending a furlough at home with his friends and relatives. Also home from the army is Sergeant Ray R. Eklund who has been stationed at Camp Claiborne, La.