

Surname	Given Name	Publication Date			
Fagerland	Kornel Jr	11 Dec 1945 pg 8	<p>Kornel Fagerland, Jr., private first class, was discharged from the United States Marine Corps at San Diego, Calif., Nov. 26, 1945. He entered service in March, 1943 and served in the Pacific area from Dec. 1943 until Nov., 1945. He participated in action against the enemy at Gilbert Islands, Okinawa and Ryukyus Islands.</p>		
Falkner	Robert E	10 Jul 1945 pg 4	<p><b>Falkner Promoted to C.P.O.</b> Robert Falkner has been promoted from yeoman, first class, to chief petty officer, according to word received by his wife in Kalispell. He is stationed in the Philippines at the present time.</p>	<p>20 Oct 1945 pg 5</p> <p>Robert Falkner returned Friday after serving in the Seabees for almost three years. He received his honorable discharge at Bremerton, Wash., earlier in the week. Mr. Falkner spent 23 months in the Pacific.</p>	<p>26 Oct 1945 pg 3</p> <p>Robert Falkner, chief yeoman, was released from the navy at Bremerton, Wash., Oct. 17, 1945.</p>
Feenan	Frederick J	1 Oct 1945 pg 3	<p><b>Mississippi</b> Among those in Tokyo. About the U. S. S. Mississippi, Tokyo Bay.—Entering Tokyo Bay in the advance force occupying Japan, the U. S. S. Mississippi impeded the feet of its predecessor, the first Mississippi, by anchoring in the same berth it did 53 years ago. Aboard her is Frederick J. Feenan, son of Mrs. Nora Feenan, Columbia Falls, Montana. He helped write the brilliant history of the Mississippi by his gallant heroism and steadfastness to duty under fire, first repulsive attacks of the enemy and kept his ship afloat and fighting.</p>	<p>21 Dec 1945 pg 2</p> <p>Frederick James Feenan, coxswain, was released from the navy at Bremerton, Wash., Oct. 14, 1945.</p>	
Feenan	Thomas M	27 Oct 1945 pg 2	<p>T/SGT. Thomas M. Feenan was released at Fort Lewis, Wash., Oct. 20, 1945. He entered the service Sept. 16, 1940, and took part in the Alentin Islands campaign. He has the good conduct medal, the Asiatic-Pacific service medal and the American theater service medal.</p>		
Fehlberg	Charles	21 Apr 1945 pg 3	<p>Charles Fehlberg, who has been in New California and the Hebrides, is now in the U. S. he has received further training and is chief engineer of his division.</p>		
Fehlberg	John	21 Apr 1945 pg 3	<p>John Fehlberg is in Germany and hopes to get a picture of his parents' home.</p>		
Fehlberg	Robert E	9 Jan 1945 pg 3	<p>1st. Robert E. Fehlberg left Sunday for Camp Claffen, Ark., after spending a fortnight with his parents. Previously he had been stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., in field artillery since August, 1944. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fehlberg of Coram.</p>	<p>15 Nov 1945 pg 5</p> <p>Cpl. Robert Fehlberg is home on furlough from Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He is in the personnel department.</p>	
Fessenden	Bob	22 Oct 1945 pg 3	<p>MSGT. Bob Fessenden is visiting at the home of Mrs. G. H. Adams this week.</p>		
Fetterly	Robert	28 Sep 1945 pg 5	<p>1st. Robert Fetterly is visiting in Kalispell while on leave from the service. He formerly was an instructor at Flathead county high school. He has served overseas with the armed forces.</p>		
Fetveit	Margit	2 Jun 1945 pg 4	<p><b>NURSE MARGIT FETVEIT IS ORDERED TO ACTIVE DUTY</b> Margit Fetveit, Rt. 1, Kalispell, has received her orders to active duty with the Army Nurse Corps and will report to Madigan General Hospital, Fort Lewis, Wash., soon for basic training. It was announced at Ninth Service Command Headquarters, Fort Douglas, Utah. The Kalispell nurse, recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the ANG, will be assigned to Madigan General Hospital upon completion of training.</p>		

Fincher	William H	19 Sep 1945 pg 5	13 Oct 1945 pg 5
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**Fincher At Tokyo**

William H. Fincher, S 1/C, writes that his ship was one of the first to land amphibious troops in Tokyo Bay on September 2. The letter to his mother in Katspell was most interesting in relating events on that historic date. Seaman Fincher is a member of the crew of the U.S.S. Cecil. He graduated from Washington county high school in 1944 and enlisted in the navy in May of 1944.

**Help Troops Disembark**

Aboard the U.S.S. Cecil—Two Katspell navy men, Kenneth H. Keller, seaman, first class, U.S.N.R., and William H. Fincher, seaman, first class, U.S.N.R., aided in the disembarking of troops of the First Cavalry Division from the attack transport in Tokyo Bay in the initial stages of the occupation.

The Cecil participated in operations at Kwajalein, Hollandia, Tarawa, Aitape, Guam, Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

Fischer	Charles	16 Mar 1945 pg 1
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**CHAS. FISCHER, SOMERS MARINE, KILLED IN ACTION ON IWO JIMA**

Charles U. Fischer of the United States Marine Corps, was killed in action on Iwo Jima on February 23, according to information received from the War Department by his father, Gilbert Fischer of Somers.

The message states that the Marine was killed in the performance of his duty and in service of his country. Dearest sympathy is expressed by A. A. Vandergriff, commandant of the Marine Corps.

Fischer was born and raised in Somers and graduated from Flathead county high school in 1942. He entered the service in November, 1942, and went overseas in March, 1943. He was a veteran of Bougainville, Guadalcanal, New Hebrides and Okinawa. At the time of his death he was 29 years old.

Fishbaugh	Julius	15 Dec 1945 pg 5
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Lawrence Julius Fishbaugh was released from the navy at Bremerton, Wash., Nov. 28, 1945. He was a carpenter's mate 1/C in the Seabeacon.

Honorable service assignments include the following: Sgt. Homer L. Akey was released at Fort Sill Okla., Nov. 24, 1945. He entered the army in Feb., 1943 and fought at Ardennes, Rhineland and Central Europe. He has the American theater, good conduct, victory and European African-Middle Eastern theater medals.

Fishbaugh	Lawrence	13 Jan 1945 pg 2
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Word comes from Lawrence Fishbaugh in the Philippines that he has been promoted to First Class Petty Officer.

Fisher	Phillip C	12 Dec 1945 pg 2
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Phillip C. Fisher, Stammer's mate 1/C, was discharged from the navy at Stockton, Calif., Dec. 4, 1945.

Flagg	Fred O	30 Jun 1945 pg 5
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**Flagg at Scott Field**

Sgt. Fred O. Flagg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Flagg, Katspell, Mont., has been enrolled at Scott Field, army air force training command post school. At the completion of training here, he will be qualified for further duty as a radio technician.

Fleming	John F	23 Oct 1945 pg 2
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**1st. John Fleming**

Santa Ana, Calif.—First Lieutenant John F. Fleming, Columbia Falls, Mont., was honorably discharged today from the separation base maintained here by the army air forces.

1st. Lt. Fleming is a veteran of 38 months of service in the army air forces. He served in the Solomon, Admiralty Islands, New Guinea and the Philippines as a P-52 pilot.

The AAF was awarded him the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal and 2 oak leaf clusters and the Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon and 7 battle stars.

Fleming	Harold Eugene	23 Jun 1945 pg 4
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Harold Eugene Fleming S 1/C, was released from the Coast Guard at Boston, Mass., April 26, 1944. He enlisted in June, 1942.

Flint	Kedric W	27 Dec 1945 pg 4
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Cpl. Kedric W. Flint was released at Camp McCoy, Wis., Dec. 2, 1945. He enlisted Jan. 14, 1942 and fought in the Rhineland and in Central Europe. He has the European-African-Middle Eastern theater service medal, the American theater service medal, good conduct medal and the distinguished unit badge.

Floerchinger	Eugene	21 Mar 1945 pg 6	Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nichols of Ledger, Mont., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Floerchinger of Conrad and their son T/S Eugene Floerchinger and wife Corp. Polly Floerchinger, Wyo., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peters for a few days this week.						
Floerchinger	Polly	21 Mar 1945 pg 6	Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nichols of Ledger, Mont., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Floerchinger of Conrad and their son T/S Eugene Floerchinger and wife Corp. Polly Floerchinger, Wyo., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peters for a few days this week.						
Foot	Charles E	26 Oct 1945 pg 3	Cpl. Charles E. Foot was released at Great Falls, Oct. 17, 1945. He entered the army Jan. 15, 1943 and fought in the Aleutians Islands campaign. He has the Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbon with two bronze stars, one service stripe, the good conduct medal and three overseas service bars.						
Fopp	Albert	15 Nov 1945 pg 5	Albert Fopp has arrived home. He is honorably discharged from the Army Engineers after almost three years overseas.						
Fopp	Silvio	7 Apr 1945 pg 5	Lt. Silvio Fopp is spending a furlough in Samers.	14 Apr 1945 pg 2	Saturday evening Lieut. Silvio Fopp of the navy was honor guest at a Devils dinner when his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Fopp were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Schimpf and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mine, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Greve, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Nordtome of Kalispell.				
Ford	Robert	25 Jul 1945 pg 5	Robert Ford, S 1/c, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Madelon Ford, in Kalispell while on a 10-day leave from the naval vessel at Port Chicago, Calif.						
Fordyce	Elwin J	22 Mar 1945 pg 5	Word has been received that Cpl. Elwin J. Fordyce is stationed somewhere in France. He was a former resident of Kalispell, and attended grade and high school here before going to Bremerton in 1942.						
Forhan	Rudi	15 May 1945 pg 5	Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Forhan have returned from a visit in New York. They attended the graduation of their son, Cadet Midshipman Rudi Forhan, from the U. S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N. Y. They report that V-E Day was widely celebrated in New York City and that ticker-tape and showers of paper filled the air and covered the streets like snow.	15 May 1945 pg 5	<b>Rudi Forhan Graduates</b> Kings Point, N. Y.--Cadet-Midshipman Rudi Forhan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Forhan of Kalispell, Mont., has just graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy here. He has qualified for his Reserve air third mate and he will soon be shipping out in that capacity aboard a vessel of the U. S. Merchant Marine. In addition to receiving his Reserve, he received a commission as Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve. Forhan, who is a graduate of Flathead County High school, also attended the Montana School of Mines.	18 May 1945 pg 5	Ensign Rudi Forhan to spending a 15-day leave in Kalispell with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Forhan. He graduated May 4 from the Merchant Marine academy at King's Point, N. Y. His parents and sister, Nettie, attended his graduation and returned home with him. Ensign Forhan of Clinton, Mass., also is visiting at the Forhan home.	28 Sep 1945 pg 5	Ensign Rudi Forhan left Tuesday for Portland after spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Forhan. He has been assigned to the S. S. Elv Whitney which sails for France, Oct. 2.
Forsyth	Gordon	3 Jul 1945 pg 5	S/Sgt. Gordon Forsyth spent several days last week here visiting his mother, Mrs. J. T. Forsyth. He made the trip by plane from Fort Meyer, Va., where he has successfully completed tests for aerial photographer and gunner. He expects to go to Lincoln, Neb., for his final training.						

1. Forsyth Leaves  
Lt. (jg) William A. Forsyth, son of Mrs. Rachel Forsyth, left Kailua-poli Tuesday for Seattle where he will report for further duty orders after spending a one-week leave with his mother and sister, Mollie Mae. Lt. Forsyth has just returned from Okinawa after having spent 18 months in the European theater. With the naval amphibious forces he took part in the invasion of Normandy on D-day. He was on the staff of the commander of a flotilla of LSTs which worked with the British navy in ferrying British and Canadian troops and tanks and supplies from England to the beach. This staff consisted on ship-anchored off the beach near Caen for several months assisting in maintaining offloading operations of all ships shuttling war supplies to this sector of the front.

From the beach, Lieutenant Forsyth returned to England where he remained for some months with the operations staff of the amphibious forces before proceeding and receiving orders to the operations forces for Germany. In Germany before the formal surrender of the Nazis he served with the naval force operating the port of Bremerhaven, until Japan's surrender, when he was ordered to the United States for further assignment. After visiting relatives and friends in Washington, D. C., and back, he came to Kailua-poli to visit his mother and sister.

Besides William, Mrs. Forsyth has four other sons in the service. Lt. Grand was released last month from the merchant marine. George and Lee are in the navy, and Gordon is in the Army air force. George and Lt. Grand were graduated from MIT, lead high school, and Gordon and Lee were students there.

William Reginald Forsyth, chief carpenter's mate, was released from the navy at Bremerton, Wash., Oct. 24, 1945.

Fosnes Harold O 10 Dec 1945 pg 2

T/4 Harold O. Fosnes was released at Camp McCoy, Wis., Nov. 25, 1945. He entered in July, 1943 and fought in the Ardennes, Rhineland and Central Europe. He received the Purple Heart for wounds received in action in the European theater on Nov. 19, 1944. He has the American defense service medal, the American theater service medal, the European-African-Middle Eastern theater ribbon, and two overseas service bars.

Fowler Harris A 17 Nov 1945 pg 5

Harris A. Fowler, 168 Fourth avenue west north, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fowler, who now live at Waukegan, Wash., has enlisted for three years and chose the army air corps. He asked for service in the Pacific theater.

Fox Eugene 7 Nov 1945 pg 6

Pvt. Eugene Fox, on furlough from San Antonio, Tex., is at his home at Salmon Prairie. He spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives at Kallispell and Digfork.

Fox Frank M 10 Feb 1945 p 5

Pvt. Frank M. Fox, who is stationed in Ft. Lawton, Wash., spent a three-day leave with his sisters and brothers near Digfork.

Foy Virgil 8 Jan 1945 pg 3

Leslie Foy has received a telegram from his son, Virgil Foy, fireman on an army transport, that he arrived in San Francisco, and is now at San Pablo, visiting his wife and little son, Eddie Foy, born December 1. He has been in the South Pacific area for the past six months.

Franklin Ralph L 7 Nov 1945 pg 3

Ralph L. Franklin, seaman first class, was released from the navy at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 23, 1945. He enlisted Aug. 6, 1942, and served on several vessels.

Mrs. Michael Fraycheck has just returned from Mountain Home, Idaho, where she visited her husband, Cpl. Fraycheck.

Cpl. Michael Fraycheck has returned to his base at Mountain Home, Idaho, after spending a far-lough with his family.

**Fraycheck Flies Discharge**  
Cpl. Michael Fraycheck has recorded his honorable army discharge at Plathdown county courthouse. It was issued at Fort Douglas, Utah, May 26, 1945. He served in the Pacific theater and has a bronze battle star for the Papanan campaign, the unit citation, two oak leaf clusters. He was wounded in the Bismarck Sea battle on March 2, 1947. He enlisted on Jan. 8, 1942.

**Lt. GEO FRAZIER  
REMARKS AWARDED**

First Lieut. Geo. L. Frazier of Rollins, is now enroute home to visit his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Frazier of Rollins, after completing his required number of mission over enemy territory.

Lt. Frazier, a graduate of Poison high school, entered the service in June, 1942, and went to the Pacific area in July, 1944. His colorful career is vividly described in a citation bearing the signature of Robert M. Knechtel, air corps citation officer, as follows:

In November, 1944, Lt. Geo. L. Frazier, pilot of a B-25 J, and three other B-25 crews from the 44th Bombardment group, were at Leyte

Island on courier missions, when urgent orders were received to prepare for an immediate attack on an enemy convey.

The convey, consisting of six transports, six destroyers, and other escort vessels, had been sighted in the vicinity of Oran Bay. The necessity of preventing the enemy from landing reinforcements and supplies to relieve their troops in the Oran Bay area, where fierce fighting was in progress, was so urgent and imperative, that it was deemed necessary to send these four bombers, the only ones then available, against this formidable force.

Each plane was loaded with two 1000 pound bombs and, at 12:10 the flight took off. Upon reaching the pre-determined interception point, it was observed that the convey had already entered Oran Bay, and that one large transport, surrounded by a protective screen of six destroyers, was unloading troops and supplies into landing barges, some of which were already beached on the shore. Several smaller cargo vessels were dispersed in the harbor and three other warships were seen entering the mouth of the bay.

As the formation came into view, they were met by a barrage of anti-aircraft fire directed at them from every ship in the bay and from shore-based batteries. The barrage had reached such an intensity by the time the formation had come within range that it appeared almost suicidal to continue in the face of this tremendous concentration of firepower.

The attack was, nevertheless, pressed, though it was apparent that the striking force was not adequate for an engagement of this magnitude.

Lt. Frazier selected the large transport unloading the men and equipment as his target. His thorough scrutiny of the convey disclosed a three-inch gun on the bow as well as several 60 smaller caliber, and as he hoisted directly over the vessel just forward of amidships, the explosion scored two near misses with the 1000-pound bombs.

When last seen the transport

was burning and listing badly. In breaking away from the target, Lt. Frazier had had to pass between two Jap destroyers and was subjected to point-blank cross-fire, but by employing violent evasive action, he withdrew safely from the area.

One plane was hit by a heavy burst of anti-aircraft fire which blew away the right vertical stabilizer, and the number was last seen heading for shore with a dead engine.

Despite the exceedingly heavy and accurate anti-aircraft fire, Lt. Frazier made a series of the pass, but could find no trace of the missing plane. The second ship was badly damaged, but still under control, and the third was hit several times by straggle.

Lt. Frazier's ship escaped unhit, and the three remaining planes returned safely to base. The courage and ability displayed by Lt. Frazier in pressing his attack in the face of such heavy opposition contributed materially to the success of this vitally important mission and are worthy of the highest commendation.

First Lt. Geo. L. Frazier has been awarded the Air Medal and recommended for the Oak Leaf Cluster for meritorious achievement while in aerial flight against the enemy.

**GEORGE FRAZIER, PACTIC  
WILL BE HOME SOON**

Fifth Air Force, Philippine Islands — First Lieutenant George L. Frazier, husband of Mrs. Charlotte Frazier of Rollins, Montana, has completed 9 missions totaling 389 combat hours as a pilot on the "Air Apaches," crack 345th Bombardment Group of the 5th Air Force in the Philippines, and will return home soon for a rest.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Frazier of Rollins, Lieutenant Frazier graduated from Poison High School in 1938.

One mission is particularly outstanding in his combat career. Early in the Philippine campaign last November, Lieutenant Frazier piloted his B-25 into the middle of a Japanese task force attempting to land reinforcements and supplies on Leyte Island. He picked a 10,000-ton transport which was unloading troops into barges and with his forward 50-caliber machine guns ablaze skinned his plane in 34 minutes to score with two 1000-pound bombs. When last seen the transport was burning and listing badly. The attack was made in the face of an intense anti-aircraft barrage, and in breaking away from the target, Lieutenant Frazier had to pass between two Jap destroyers which put up a hail of point blank cross-fire.

Overseas 11 months, Lieutenant Frazier served in New Guinea and the Netherlands East Indies before coming to the Philippines. He has been awarded the Air Medal and recommended for two Oak Leaf Clusters to him for missions over the Celebes, the Halmaheras, the Philippines, Formosa and the China Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier announce the marriage of their daughter, Shirley Lois, to G. J. LaBony of Michigan. The ceremony was performed at Kingsville, Texas on February 8. Mr. LaBony has been in the U. S. navy for more than three years, part of this time being spent overseas. Shirley is a graduate of the Poison high school and was employed in Kingsville when she enlisted in the WAVES in February, 1943. She has been stationed at Kingsville Field, Texas for more than 18 months. Her many friends extend best wishes.

The Fredenberg twins, Dale and Duane, who upon entering the navy had been sent to opposite directions, recently spent two days together somewhere in the South Pacific aboard Dale's ship.

Visit in Pacific — Dale Fredenberg, who is on a JST, and his twin brother, Duane, spent four hours together recently on Duane's battleship in the vicinity of Okinawa. This is their second visit together since leaving for the Pacific from ports on opposite sides of the United States.

Fredenberg	Duane	4 Apr 1945 pg 2	1 Oct 1945 pg 3
		<p>The Fredenberg twins, Dale and Duane, who upon entering the navy had been sent in opposite directions, recently spent two days together somewhere in the South Pacific aboard Dale's ship.</p>	<p><b>Fredenberg On Warship</b>  <b>Entering Tokyo Bay</b>          Aboard the U. S. S. Mindoro, Tokyo Bay.—Duane Fredenberg, 37, 176, son of the first glimpse of the Japanese home on August 27, when his ship, the U. S. S. Mindoro, sailed up to Tokyo Bay as part of Admiral "Bull" Halsey's powerful Third Despatch Fleet.          He served as a member of an anti-aircraft director crew during the Philippines and Ryukyus operations. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with two battle stars and the Philippine Liberation ribbon with one star.          He is the son of A. G. Fredenberg, of U. S. D. No. 1-A, Kullispell, Montana.          He has two brothers in the Navy and one in the Army. One of them, his twin brother, Dale, is aboard an L. S. T. in the Pacific.</p>
Fredenberg	Robert A	13 Oct 1945 pg 3	17 Oct 1945 pg 3
		<p><b>Group Released</b>          Fort Lewis, Wash.—The following men from Kullispell, Mont., have been honorably discharged from the service, officials at this separation center announce:          Cecil W. Chelinger, Elmer Kuba, LeRoy G. Gaffney, Robt. A. Fredenberg, Clarence E. Lee, Arnold E. Clark and Henry J. Rothenberg.</p>	<p>S/Sgt. Robert A. Fredenberg was released at Fort Lewis, Wash., Oct. 10, 1945. He entered the army, Aug. 13, 1941 and fought in the Philippines, New Guinea and at Iwo Jima. He earned the Philippine Liberation medal with one bronze service star, the Asiatic-Pacific Service medal and the American defense service medal.</p>
Fredericks	Floyd E	18 Dec 1945 pg 4	
		<p>Mr. Floyd E. Fredericks was released at Camp Carson, Colo., Dec. 8, 1945. He entered the army in February, 1944, and fought at Iwo Jima. He has the World War I Victory ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon with one bronze service star and the good conduct medal.</p>	
Fredericks	Lloyd	9 Mar 1945 pg 6	
		<p>Pvt. First Class Lloyd Fredericks writes from the South Pacific that the heat there is nearly unbearable but that coconuts, oranges, lemons, bananas and other native fruits are plentiful.</p>	
French	Dean	4 Dec 1945 pg 5	28 Dec 1945 pg 5
		<p>Mrs. W. L. French has received a wire from her son, Cpl. Dean French, that he has landed in New York and expects to be home soon. Cpl. French has been overseas for two years in France, Belgium and Germany.</p>	<p>T/Sgt. Dean L. French was released at Camp McCoy, Wis., Dec. 7, 1945. He entered the army in Dec. 1942 and fought in northern France, the Ardennes, Holland and central Europe. He has the good conduct, American theater service and European-African-Middle Eastern service medals and four overseas service bars.</p>
Friskie	James	13 Jul 1945 pg 3	5 Nov 1945 pg 5
		<p>James Friskie came home Thursday from the Pacific area where he has been for nearly two years. He has a flying laydown.</p>	<p>James Friskie who is stationed at the new yard at Bremerton, spent the week end at his home here.</p>
Friskie	Kenneth F	13 Mar 1945 pg 2	11 Jun 1945 pg 2
		<p>Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Friske of Columbia Falls have been informed by the War department that their son, T/Sgt. Kenneth F. Friske, is seriously ill in the Mediterranean area. The young man has been in Italy for 27 months.          The message states: "Be sure to inform you report received states your son seriously ill since Feb. 27 in Mediterranean area. Diagnosis pneumonia. Until new address is received, address mail for T/Sgt. Kenneth F. Friske, serial number hospitalized 2526 hospital section, A. P. O. 428, c/o P. M., New York. You will be advised as reports of condition are received."</p>	<p><b>Kenneth Friske Promoted</b>  <b>Pennsylvania Base Headquarters, Leghorn, Italy</b>—Master Sergeant Kenneth F. Friske, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Friske, of Columbia Falls, Montana, was recently promoted to his present grade. He is the chief clerk in the Inspector General's section of this base, the main Army Service Force in the Mediterranean theater of operations.          M/Sgt. Friske worked for J. C. Penney company in Kullispell prior to entering military service in August, 1942. He has been overseas since February, 1943, and served in Casablanca, North Africa, before coming to Italy.          A brother, James F. Friske, M/M 2 c, is serving with the navy in the Pacific theater.</p>
Fry	Donald	17 Sep 1945 pg 5	
		<p>Donald Fry and Edith Schorn, both seventh second class, have left for Camp Pendleton, where they are to report after their two days' check they spent in Kullispell.</p>	
Fry	Frederick J	25 Jan 1945 pg 4	5 Mar 1945 pg 3
		<p>Lt. and Mrs. Fred Fry are visiting in Kullispell. They came here from Langley Field, Va., where the Air Corps officer has been stationed. After a short leave, Lt. Fry reports in Lincoln, Neb. Mrs. Fry plans to remain here for the present.</p>	<p>Mrs. Fred Fry left Friday for Lincoln, Neb., where she will join her husband, Lt. Fry, who is stationed there in the army air corps.</p>

Fuller Edward C

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S/Sgt. Edward C. Fuller was released at Santa Ana base, Santa Ana, Calif., Sept. 28, 1943. Entered Dec. 22, 1941. Was in 5th offensive over Europe, has European-African Middle Eastern Theater ribbon with one bronze star and has four overseas bars. Wounded when he landed at near Munder, Germany, June 22, 1942.

Funk Thomas W

11 Jun 1945 pg 2

**Pfc. Funk commended**  
With the Second Engineer Special Brigade in the Philippines, Pfc. Thomas W. Funk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Funk of Kalspell, was recently commended for outstanding performance of duty. He has been overseas 28 months and is a spare parts clerk in the automotive section of the 182nd Ordnance Maintenance company, a unit of the famed decorated Second Engineer Special Brigade. He participated in the New Guinea and Philippine campaigns, wears two battle stars in his Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon and is also entitled to wear the Driver's Medal, Good Conduct Medal, and the Philippine Liberation Ribbon.

Fuqua Clarence

28 Apr 1945 pg 1

**PFC. CLARENCE FUQUA  
KILLED IN GERMANY**  
Pfc. Clarence Fuqua was killed in action in Germany on April 8, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Fuqua, of Kalspell, were advised by the War Department. Further information is to be sent the parents when it is available.

Furlong Edmond

17 May 1945 pg 5

T/S Edmond Furlong and Mrs. Furlong have arrived in Kalspell for a visit with relatives and friends. They are at the home of Mrs. Furlong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hovitsen. They will also visit in Chester for a few days. T/S Furlong recently returned from overseas service in the Mediterranean theater.

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S/Sgt. Edmond D. Furlong was discharged at Aberdeen Proving ground, Md., Oct. 15, 1945. He enlisted in the Army April 21, 1942, and fought in the Tunisian, Italian and North African campaigns. He has the good conduct medal, the European-African Middle Eastern theater ribbon with three bronze stars and the meritorious service unit award.