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### Service Notes

Private Wilfred Scullard of Washington is visiting his family on Randall Street.

Dear Enterprise:  
Just a few words to show where I am now. Gardner Field is a basic school, and Taft, California, just inside the San Joaquin Valley. I hope I made it through, and I'm trying hard.

I'd sure like to receive the Enterprise here. A fellow feels a lot closer to home. Thanks a million.

A/C George Aubill.

November 29, 1943

Dear Sir:  
Although I have lived in the vicinity of Farmington for a period of about nineteen years, and I am a graduate of Farmington High School for a short time, the fact still remains that I'm not quite as well acquainted with Farmington and its people as I would like to be. Therefore judging from your paper, The Farmington Enterprise, from home just a short time back, I personally believe that I am the loser because I neglected to apply to your office a couple of years ago for a subscription to begin your paper. If it is possible, I would like my subscription to begin immediately upon your receipt of this letter.

It is my fond desire to say Hello to all my friends who are back there in the "Good Old U.S.A.," through your paper. Could this be accomplished? Thanking you, I remain

T/Sgt. Francis F. Fox.

Corporal Henry Dehaan has safely reached his overseas destination somewhere in the South Pacific, according to word received by his parents.

Mrs. May Mahoney has received a number of Italian coins, as well as some other curios from her son, Henry, now stationed in Italy.

Robert Kendall Floyd, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Floyd, of Route 1, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Air Force and assigned to duty with the 3rd Ferrying Group, Ferrying Division, at the Romulus Army Air Field.

Eust. Floyd, who attended the Bloomfield Hills High School, where he lettered in football, baseball and track, was a flight instructor before entering the Ferrying Division as a civilian pilot, September 1, 1942. He was commissioned upon graduation from the 3rd Ferrying Group Officers Candidate School.

Sgt. Eugene P. McKelvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Park H. McKelvey, 2014 Fremont Street, Farmington, was recent winner in the "Neatest Soldier Contest" conducted every week at Peterson Field, Colorado Springs, Colorado, where Sgt. McKelvey is now stationed. Judges in the contest to pick the neatest soldier on the field are the Peterson Field WACs. As reward, Sgt. McKelvey received a three day pass. Sgt. McKelvey is assigned to duty as a warehouse foreman in the Quartermaster Detachment at Peterson Field.

Two men from Farmington have been commissioned as second lieutenants of field artillery upon completing the Field Artillery Officer Candidate course of the Field Artillery School. They are Joseph W. Norton, 33200 Grand River, and Richard S. Reid, 33318 Grand River. Both men were graduated from Michigan State College with the class of 1943.

Winifred Kaufman, a member of the Spars, is home on an eight day furlough after completing training at Palm Beach, Florida. She will report to New Orleans, Louisiana, for further training.

December 7, 1943

Dear Sirs:  
I thought I had better write and thank you kind people for being so grand in the past and present for sending the Farmington paper to me.

My step mother called you folks and gave you my new address. Because I received the December 2 issue of the paper today and really it's just like a letter from home and I appreciate the paper lots.

During my eleven months overseas I have received the paper regularly and it's passed away many evenings that would have been awful lonesome but thanks to you people for the Enterprise.

I was very much surprised to be sent back to the States, but thankful to have such a wonderful country to call home.

The other day I ran into Roy Rosenboom here in the same hospital, and we had a very good talk, and Farmington seemed to be the main topic.

I don't expect to be home for Christmas, but am very glad to be so close to home, and I am looking forward to coming home within a few months.

I must close for this time, and thanks again for the Farmington Enterprise. It's a very good "moral" builder for the men in service.

Sincerely,  
Pfc. Ben Starkey.

November 12, 1943

Hello Enterprise:  
I am writing this note to you so that I may publicly thank the Blue Star Mothers Club for the most welcome box I received from them. Kindness by the people at home mean a lot to the men overseas. The isolated feeling is driven away by letters, packages, and papers that are thoughtfully sent to us.

In this tropical paradise which we call home, there are many things of interest. Natives are not the same as movie cameras would leave you to believe. On the whole they are short, black, thin and very unclean. We do not associate ourselves or our belongings with the natives. The native man's wife rates third in his primitive affections, his pigs and dog hold the first two spots in his heart.

We have a small animal here that resembles a kangaroo, although it is much smaller. The name of this awkward appearing

but swiftly moving creature is the Wallaby. They are very comical, but that is not to be held against their wild souls.

Although coconuts, pineapple and bananas flourish thickly here, it is not wise to gorge upon them. They will soon ruin a normal digestive system if caution is not practiced.

I shall close now and I remain sincerely, A Marine  
Pvt. Gerald J. Williams

Corporal Clarence H. Manzel returned to his base at Columbia Army Air Base, Columbia, South Carolina, after a week's furlough here. Cpl. Manzel says hello to his many friends he didn't get to see personally while here.

A new recruit at the U.S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., is William Rackov, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Rackov.

Pfc. Edward and Pfc. James Champagne, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Champagne, both of the Army Air Force, have spent the past two weeks with their parents and friends. They returned to camp December 14.

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AL PEARCE	DALE EVANS		
and			
<b>"HITLER'S MADMAN"</b>		18	
PATRICIA MORISON	JOHN CARRADINE		
Sun-Mon-Tues.			
<b>"HOLY MATRIMONY"</b>		19	
Monty Woolley	Gracie Fields		
and			
<b>"SO PROUDLY WE HAIL"</b>		20	
Claudette Colbert	Paulette Goddard		
Wed-Thurs.			
<b>FREE DISH NIGHTS</b>		22	
<b>"DANGER WOMEN AT WORK"</b>			
Patsy Kelly	Mary Brian		
and			
<b>"APPOINTMENT IN BERLIN"</b>		23	
George Sanders	Marguerite Chapman		
Fri-Sat.			
<b>"PASSPORT SUEZ"</b>		24	
Warren William	Ann Savage		
and			
<b>"GUNGA DIN"</b>		25	
Sun-Mon-Tues.			
<b>"IN WHICH WE SERVE"</b>		26	
Noel Coward	Bernard Miles		
and			
<b>"THEY GOT ME COVERED"</b>		27	
Bob Hope	Dorothy Lamour		
Wed-Thurs.			
<b>FREE DISH NIGHTS</b>		29	
<b>"NEARLY 18"</b>			
Gale Storm	Bill Henry		
and			
<b>"MYSTERY BROADCAST"</b>		30	
Nils Asther	Ruth Terry		
Fri-Sat.			
<b>"MEXICAN ROSE"</b>		31	
GENE ASTRY			
and			
<b>"BOMBERS MOON"</b>		1	
George Montgomery	Annabelle		

### Ration Calendar

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