

Sergeant Kraft Wins Promotion As Instructor At Daytona Beach

Jayne C. Kraft of Teaneck has just been promoted to the rank of first sergeant in the Waacs at Daytona Beach, Fla., where she serves as drill master and instructor. Her rank is the highest, non-commissioned rank in the Waacs.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kraft of 800 Chestnut Avenue was graduated from Teaneck High School in 1930. Before her enlistment Dec. 29, 1942, Sergeant Kraft was employed by the New York Safety Campaign Committee in New York City, where she did stenographic and clerical work.

Miss Thoren at Des Moines
Ann G. Thoren of 143 Cane Street, Teaneck, is now a top sergeant in the Waacs stationed at Des Moines, Iowa, doing administrative work. Sergeant Thoren graduated from Dickinson High School, Jersey City, in 1932 and then went to business. She was doing cost accounting work when she entered the Waacs in August, 1942.

Miss Marks A Sergeant
Barbara J. Marks of 17 West Englewood Avenue, West Englewood, is now a sergeant doing administrative work for the Waacs in a new camp, called Branch 7, at Alpine, Texas, near El Paso. She graduated from West Orange High School in 1937 and then attended Olivet College in Michigan for a year. She then went to business for a few

years doing clerical work for a publishing house in New York. In 1942 she left business and took a one-year course in Bergen College, Teaneck. In February, 1943, she enlisted in the Waacs and received her basic training at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, and additional instruction at Denton, Texas.

Miss Roemer At Kilmer
Margaret M. Roemer of Roemer Avenue, West Englewood, is now stationed at Camp Kilmer, New Brunswick, doing clerical duty in the Waacs. Auxiliary Roemer was graduated from Teaneck High School in 1932 and then was employed by the Prudential Insurance Company, with whom she remained until she entered the service of the army on Mar. 29, 1943. At the time of her enlistment she was head of the clerical staff in the Englewood office of the Prudential.

Miss Gay In Boston
Ann K. Gay of 275 Washington Street, Teaneck, is now doing service somewhere in the area of Boston as a Waac. She is a graduate of Teaneck High School. She was engaged in personnel work before enlisting in the Waacs on May 12, 1943. She completed her training in a Waacs school in Texas.

Miss Maicochi In South
Mary C. Maicochi, 114 Shepard Avenue, West Englewood, is at the new camp of the Waacs in Orlando,

AT DAYTONA BEACH



JAYNE KRAFT
Teaneck

Florida. After graduating from Teaneck High School she designed and made ladies' slippers. She enlisted in the Waacs on Oct. 23, 1942.

Another Promotion For Jayne Kraft

(Special to the Brown Evening Record)
Daytona Beach, Fla., May 14—Miss Jayne Kraft of Chestnut Avenue, Teaneck, on duty with the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, gained her second promotion in recent weeks here the other day. She rose in rank from corporal to sergeant.

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AT FORT DIX



Second Lieutenant Gertrude Eckhardt (above), executive secretary of Bergen County Tuberculosis & Health Association, is with the U. S. Army Nurse Corps at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix.

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Lakeland, Fla., June 23—John A. Moore, 26, of West Englewood, N. J., has been promoted from second lieutenant to first lieutenant at this Army Air Force base.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moore of 147 East Forest Avenue, West Englewood. The former Miss Maria Elizabeth Ufford of New Milford, N. J., is with her husband. They were married December 26 at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Teaneck, N. J., 3 days after Moore won his commission at Camp Lee, Va., Officer Candidate School.

Moore was graduated from Teaneck High School and was president of the Second District Democratic Club of Teaneck before he was inducted into the Army June 15, 1941.



SGT. CLIFFORD M. WOLFF

CLIFFORD WOLFF ON MISSING LIST

But W. Englewood Parents Are Hopeful

Sergeant Clifford M. Wolff, radio operator on a Flying Fortress, whose home is in West Englewood, today was officially listed by the War Department as missing in action over the Central Pacific fighting area, but his parents, who expected him home on a furlough this month, feel that a mistake has been made.

In his last letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolff, received just a week before June 15, when the telegram from the War Department came, Sergeant Wolff told them he'd see them when the corn was ripe. Throughout his letter he talked about the time when he'd be able to see them and talk over old times.

"We just don't feel that anything serious has happened to him, and we're holding fast to the hope that he may have started home on his furlough and it wasn't marked on the records," Mrs. Wolff said today.

"In his last letter he also said that he and the crew of his Flying Fortress received the Air Medal, so we believe he really saw some action," she said.

Until Monday of this past week his family had no idea where he was fighting. Their first information came from a buddy of their son who is home on furlough in Cleveland, Ohio. He wrote to Sergeant Wolff at his home, believing that Wolff was also home on furlough, and when Wolff's parents told him their son was missing in action, he replied and gave the added information that they fought together in Guadalcanal.

He said they had fought in the Solomons since August, 1942. He and Wolff met at Scott Field, Ill., in August, 1941, where they both were stationed with the Army Air Force. Wolff graduated from radio school there and served as instructor until February, when they were both sent to Morrison Field, Palm Beach, Fla., for specialized training, the nature of which has never been revealed to Wolff's family.

In June of last year they left Florida and went to Hawaii where they stayed for 2 months. They separated then and left at different times for Guadalcanal. They met again on Guadalcanal and saw each other frequently until the furlough of the Cleveland boy separated them.

Wolff was just 30 years old this month, and his mother said that he hoped to make the Air Force his career even after the war. He was turned down because of poor eyesight when he tried to enlist in the Air Force in 1940, and determined to get in some way, he enlisted in the Field Artillery in October, 1940 at Fort Sill, Okla. Almost a year later, in August, 1941, he received his transfer to the Air Force and was sent to Scott Field.

"When he was graduated from radio school in Scott Field and was told he would remain there as an instructor he was very disappointed," his mother said, "and he was much happier when he was sent to Florida and then to combat duty."

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