

Traggorth In Chicago

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Chicago, Feb. 9—Private Willard C. Traggorth, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Traggorth of 319 Woodbine Street, Teaneck, N. J., is here attending the radio operators' and mechanics' school for duty with the Army Air Force. His father was a chief petty officer in the Navy in the last war. Traggorth is 18 years old. At Teaneck High School he was a member of the football team.

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SGT. DIAZ IN FLORIDA

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Avon Park, Fla., Feb. 9—Staff Sergeant A. C. Diaz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Diaz of 227 Elm Avenue, Teaneck, N. J., has taken over duties here at the Army Air Force Bombing Range. He entered service last July 16 and was graduated from the Air Force Gunnery School at Tyndall, Fla., last month.

Diaz trained at Miami Beach Fla., Sioux Falls, S. D., and finally Tyndall. Before he joined the Army he worked for Bendix Aviation Corporation.

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Joseph Moshinski Jr. of 455 Boatrice Street has left for service with the Army. He is the husband of the former Miss Norma Mazza of Teaneck.

2-9-43

In Naval Training At 17

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Newport, E. I., Feb. 9 — Carlos J. Acosta, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Acosta of 983 Fallside Avenue, Teaneck, N. J., has completed his boat training at this Naval Training Station and has been selected to attend a school for motor machinist's mates. He played football at Teaneck High School.

2-9-43

Four Teaneck Men

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Berkeley, Calif., Feb. 9—Four Teaneck, N. J., Army men are on post here with a school detail of Antiaircraft of the Coast Artillery. They are Theodore Knudsen, George Weighart, Patrick O'Neil, and Clifford Reynolds.

2-9-43

Elliott Commissioned

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Fort Knox, Ky., Feb. 10—Ralph Henry Elliott Jr., son of Ralph H. Elliott of 681 River Road, Teaneck, N. J., has been commissioned a second lieutenant here on graduation from the Armored Force Officer Candidate School. He was a member of the twentieth class of officers, the one named in honor of Lieutenant General Brehon B. Somervell, in command of the Army's Service of Supply.

2-10-43

Tilson In Texas

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Pecos, Tex., Feb. 10—Aviation Cadet Thomas J. Tilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Matelli of 898 Ogden Avenue, Teaneck, N. J., is at this Army Air Force Field for basic training in combat duties.

2-10-43

Sulley In Navy

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Great Lakes, Ill., Feb. 10—John Philip Sulley, 18, son of Teaneck (N. J.) School Trustee and Mrs. John H. Sulley of 1282 Longfellow Avenue, Teaneck, has enlisted in the Navy and is in training at this Naval Training Station. Sulley attended Teaneck High School.

2-10-43

CANADIAN FLIERS VISIT NEW YORK

Teaneck Youth In Unit On Goodwill Trip

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
New York, Feb. 11—Jack W. Roussel, 21, of 625 Maple Avenue, Teaneck, N. J., along with other members of the Royal Canadian Air Force, will do a hands-across-the-border trick here tonight and tomorrow on a goodwill trip to this city.

He arrives as a member of the Precision Drill Squadron made up of 30 Americans and 80 Canadians selected from 5,000 candidates now in training as pilots, observers, and gunners.

The Squadron is due in Grand Central Station at 7:25 P. M. tonight on its official visit.

Tomorrow the unit will march to the eternal light at Madison Square, where a wreath will be placed, and then to City Hall where the men will give a demonstration drill and present to Mayor Fiorello La Guardia an R. C. A. F. flag.

Tomorrow night they will appear on the stage of the Strand Theater before the premiere of the film: "Captains of the Clouds".

Roussel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roussel of the Maple Avenue address. Mrs. Roussel is president of the Teaneck Woman's Republican Association, and Roussel is a former Teaneck V. F. W. commander. Roussel attended Teaneck High School and Bergen College, studying aviation 2 years with Arthur Norwood, former aviation instructor at Teaneck High School.

His brother, Thomas Roussel, has enlisted in the Marines and is waiting to be called up for duty next week.

2-11-43

Teaneck Man Instructor

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Bainbridge, Ga., Feb. 15 — Walter J. Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Andrews, 635 Sunset Lane, Teaneck, N. J., is now stationed at Bainbridge Army Air Field, where he is a flying instructor. The local field, a unit of the vast Army Air Forces Southeast Training Center, is commanded by Colonel R. E. L. Choate, a veteran of 23 years Army experience.

A former student of Stevens Institute of Technology, Lt. Andrews was employed by the Oxford University Press before enlisting in the Air Force on Jan. 15, 1942.

2-15-43

Missing at Sea

Deck Cadet Philip George Branigan, 20, the son of Mrs. Dorothy Indelicato of 1160 Lorraine Avenue, West Englewood.

Able Seaman Frank Jacobsen, 40, with next of kin listed as Mrs. Elsie Zingerman, a friend, of 111 Fifth Street, Ridgefield Park.

The sailors were among 406 listed casualties for the nation in the late December and January period. The tabulation does not include seamen wounded at sea or those Americans sailing the seas on foreign-flag ships.

2-17-43



Laura Armiento (top) of Hackensack and Barbara Jo Marks (below) of West Englewood have enlisted in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. Miss Armiento is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Armiento of 243 Moore Street, Hackensack, and Miss Marks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marks of West Englewood.

2-15-43

HIS FIRST TRIP

Branigan was to make his first trip on a Liberty freighter bound for England. His mother last heard from him November 29 as this unidentified ship prepared for its voyage out of a Newfoundland port. Since then no report has come from the ship or any of its 80 hands. The cadet enlisted last August 27 and was graduated from the Great Neck (N. Y.) Merchant Marine Academy 3 months later. In 2 days he was already aboard the ship and at the Newfoundland harbor. He is a Teaneck High School graduate.

2-15-43

Levang Made Sergeant

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Pendleton, Oregon, Feb. 17
Leif E. Levang of 978 Grace Terrace, Teaneck, N. J., has just been promoted to sergeant here, where he is a first cook. Prior to Army induction Mar. 2, 1942, at Fort Dix, N. J. Sergeant Levang was a blacksmith and galvanizer at the Federal Shipyard, Corning, N. J. He is the son of Leif C. Levang, East Kingsbury, N. J.

2-17-43

Burger Made Major

Captain Valentine J. Burger of 873 Ester Avenue, Teaneck, has been raised to Major. He is stationed at Gelger Field, Spokane, Wash., with the 385th Bombardment group.

He was formerly with the 104th Engineers staff, and during the World War was in the 90th Air Squadron.

2-17-43

Henry G. Deeny Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Deeny of 854 Belle Avenue, who enlisted in the Army Reserves last November is spending a few days at his home before reporting to Fort Meade, Md., February 20. He was a sophomore at Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, Pa., where he was a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity. He was graduated from Teaneck High School.

2-17-43

4 From Bergen Survive Tests

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Chapel Hill, N. C., Feb. 18—Four Naval Aviation Cadets from Bergen County have survived first tests toward their goal as Naval Aviators and commissions as Ensigns at this Pre-Flight School on the campus of the University of North Carolina.

The cadets and their assignments to Naval Reserve Aviation Bases are as follows:

TEANECK — Laurance Nottingham Lightbody of 11 Merison Street; Memphis.

These cadets were members of a class of 272 to be graduated from pre-flight courses. They face 3 months of primary flight instruction and another 3 of advanced training before they gain their wings and commissions.

2-18-43

2 Bergen Men Are Graduated

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
Randolph Field, Tex., Feb. 18—Pampa Field, newest among Army Air Force schools in the Gulf Coast Training Center with headquarters here, graduated two Bergen County men in its first class of twin-engine pilots Monday.

Bergen also had representation in this class with men from Blackland, Foster, and Ellington Fields, all in Texas, among the nine A. A. F. bases of this training center.

Each of the six graduates gained his wings as a fighter or bomber pilot and a commission as second lieutenant. Local men and the fields from which they were graduated, are these:

TEANECK—Robert E. DeWitt of 6 Jasper Avenue; Foster. These local officers were members of Class 48-B largest yet to be graduated from this training center.

2-18-43

11 From Bergen Aviation Cadets

(Special to the Bergen Evening Record)
New York, Feb. 18—Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board of the Third Naval District with headquarters here at 120 Broadway, today announced names and assignments of 11 Naval Aviation Cadets. Listing of local cadets with their assignments is as follows:

TEANECK—Walter John Brauer of 569 Maple Avenue; Colgate.

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