

Local News

July 3, 1943

Richard Worchester Jr., was inducted into the U. S. Army last week at Camp Grant. He will continue his medical course at the University of Illinois Medical School in Chicago under army regulations. His wife will remain with him.

Sgt Robert Dillman is spending a fifteen day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Dillman. Bob is stationed at Turner Field, Albany, Go., where he is in charge of a special crew working on Hydraulic Systems.

Sgt. Lou Mascher of Kearn Field, Salt Lake City, Utah is home for a ten day furlough. He is a radio technician and is now taking overseas training.

Mrs. Richard Vickers left Wednesday for Walterboro, S. C. where she will join her husband, Sgt. Vickers who has joined an embarkment unit there.

Mrs. Tom Marshall and son, Tom Jr, have returned to Newton from Pennsylvania after an absence of several Months.

Mr. Marshall has since reported for duty aboard ship. He will be in and out off the East Coast, but hopes to pay a visit home before very long.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James and daughter, Lynda Gay of Springfield are spending a two week's vacation at the home of Mrs. James parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Page

William Erwin, who recently moved to Flora where he manages the Houchin Tavern, visited in Newton over the week end

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Van Hecke of Chicago, were holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clark. Mrs Van Hecke is a sister of Mr. Clark. Mr Van Hecke will be inducted into the Navy this coming week.

Mrs. W. L. Hagebush and daughter Judy visited Mrs. Hagebush's parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Isley over the Fourth.

John Halterman and son Roy from Dwight,, Ill, are visiting Mrs. Ella Halterman of Willow Hill. Roy is a Pharmacist Mate in the Navy and is stationed at the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Mr. George Westerman is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ben Utley of Newton. Mr. Westerman is from the Methodist Home at Lawrenceville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harris and sons of McLeansboro, are spending their vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colmore Harris. Mr. Harris has been with the Pure Oil Co since the new field opened here in 1937.

J. W. Crews and family of Columbus, Ohio are visiting with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crews of Newton.

John A. Gonnor, S 2-C was here over the week-end on his 32 hour liberty. Johnny has three remaining weeks of training at Great Lakes, where his is taking a Gunner's Mate Course.

Postmaster Paul Laugel received notice from the War Dept., that his son Jim was "shipped out" from Camp Kipper, California three weeks ago. However, he has not received any word from Jim as yet.

Gene Salyers is spending an eight day furlough with friends and relatives of Newton. He is in the Cavalry at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Florent (Bub) Faller has been moved from Camp Grant, Ill to Camp Lee, Va., where he will take his basic training.

July 8, 1943

Mrs. Harry Hester, spent last week end in Chicago visiting her husband. Harry is in the U. S. Army and is stationed at Camp Custer, Michigan.

Mrs. R. L. Worcester, has returned from Chicago where she has been visiting her son, Robert who was then stationed at Camp Grant, Ill., but since her return Mrs. Worcester has received word that he has been sent to Camp Croft, S. C. for his 14 weeks of basic training.

Miss Lena L. Raef has returned from St. Louis after an absence of two weeks and is now again in the office of W. L. Raef & Co.

Mrs. Roy N. Woods spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Trainor and family of Olney.