Orla Houser, who is somewhere in the Southwest Pacific, writes his wife that he has been promoted to gunner's mate third class, United States Navy.

Master Sergeant Dwight Huddlestun of Camp Campbell, Kentucky, was home on a three day leave over Sunday, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huddlestun of Yale.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Eugene A. Barthelme of Camp Phillips, Kansas, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barthelme and family of Sainte Marie.

Private Hugh James is spending a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. James of Newton. He is stationed at Chanute field, Rantoul.

First Lieutenant Leland E. Conley of Newton has been sent overseas with a General hospital unit. They are somewhere in the Pacific area.

Mrs. Paul Fields and infant son were brought home from an Olney hospital, Wednesday, in the Reese ambulance. Mrs. Fields is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boldrey are the proud parents of an eight and one-half pound son, born Friday, September 17. He has been named Tommy Francis. Mother and babe are getting along nicely.