

SERVICEMEN ARE HOME FROM OVERSEAS

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Machinist's Mate Second Class Garland A. Diel is spending a few days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Diel of Grove township, after serving overseas for many months in the Pacific area. He says that the United States Navy is so superior in numbers and equipment that the Japs run when they see the fleet coming.

Yeoman First Class Jim DeVaney was expected here Thursday evening for a week's leave. He is in the Coast Guard and has been on Atlantic patrol for many months. Jim is the former Ford dealer at Newton.

Seaman First Class Evan Phillips is spending a twenty day leave with his mother, Mrs. Albert Phillips of Newton. He has been at sea in the Atlantic ocean but expects to be sent to the Pacific next.

Private Roe Reed, who has been overseas for the past two years in Australia and New Guinea, will be home soon on a furlough, his father, Sherman Reed of Newton, has learned.