

# In The Nations Service

Robert E. Moon has been promoted to the rank of 1st Lieutenant. Now an instructor at Lawson Field, Ft. Benning, Ga., he won his pilot's wings and 2nd lieutenant's rating in Marfu, Tex. His brother, Pvt. "Bud" Moon, now of the engineering corps at Camp Beale, Calif., was prior to his induction into service well known as a member of the local police force. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Moon, 598 Homewood Ave.

S/Sgt. James Musik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Musik, 132 Highwood Ave., Highwood, is expected home soon for a short leave. Mrs. Musik, formerly Lila Madden, of Fayetteville, Ark., will accompany him. Sgt. Musik, who enlisted April 27 of last year, has been

making a study of Japanese code. A brother, S/Sgt. Robert Musik, is serving in England as crew chief of a ground crew in the Army Air Forces.

Lillian Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Olson, 241 Prairie Ave., who was graduated recently as yeoman 3/c from Oklahoma A & M University, is now stationed at Washington, D.C., at the Bureau of Naval Personnel.

Lt. Carroll Binder, Jr., stationed at the army air base at Rapid City, S. Dak., is receiving advanced training as navigator of a Flying Fortress bomber. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Binder, Sr., 837 Forest Ave.

Pvt. Louis Schemmel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schemmel, Sr., 750 Court St., who was inducted into the service Nov. 6, is stationed at Camp Lee, Va., where he will receive training in the quartermaster's corps.

Naval A/C Richard E. Wilson, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Wilson, 200 Central Ave., is stationed at the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., "Annapolis of the Air," where he is receiving intermediate flight training. Upon completion of his course, he will receive his wings as a naval aviator, and be commissioned in the Naval Reserve or as 2nd Lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserves. Formerly a student at Illinois University, he was a member of the varsity baseball team.

Cpl. Domenic Rometti, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rometti, of 251 Evolution Ave., Highwood, is at present stationed with the air forces in Alaska.

John Rebeschini, yeoman 2/c USN, has left for his base in Norfolk, Va., after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rebeschini, Sr., 1320 Burton Ave. He has served 3 years in the navy, nearly two of which were spent in the Puerto Rican area.

Harry Parker, petty officer 2/c in the Seabees, recently visited his mother, Mrs. Henry Parker, 440 Lincoln Place. In service since Sept. 1, Parker has two brothers in the armed forces—Thomas, chief petty officer in the Seabees, stationed in Gulfport, Miss., and Sgt. John, member of the Royal Canadian Artillery.

Ben Guido, radioman 2/c USN, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Guido, 208 North Ave., Highwood. A radio operator in civil life, Guido has served in the Navy for 3 years, being stationed in the Solomons area, New Zealand and Australia, where, according to his accounts, he "almost" acquired a wife. After his leave he will report at San Pedro, Calif., for special instruction.

2nd Lt. Lawrence Rafferty, recently home on leave, has left for Liberal, Kan., where he will receive advanced training. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rafferty, 111 So. Green Bay Rd.

Four young sailors have completed their basic training at Farragut, Idaho, and enjoyed a 15-day leave at their homes in this vicinity. They are Seaman 2/c Timer Inman, 135 So. Second St., Seaman 2/c Wm. Hayward, Sheridan Ave., Highwood, Seaman 2/c James Sheahan, Sandwick Court and Seaman 2/c Robert Morley, 502 Central Ave. All have now reported to their base for further orders.

Leo J. Ladurini, stationed at the army air base in Salt Lake City, Utah, has been promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant. His home is at 669 Deerfield Avenue.

Cpl. Richard F. VanArsdale, son of Mrs. Laura VanArsdale, 218 Oakwood Ave., is stationed at Keeler Field, Miss., where he is receiving preparatory training as an aviation cadet. After 28 days of fundamental work, he will receive five months' university training in further preparation for his work in the army air forces.

Mention was made recently, in a dis-

patch from New Delhi, India, of David T. Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Sanders of 5 Woodbridge Lane. Although his main job is ambulance driving, the members of the American Field Service, with whom he is serving, must be able to do maintenance work, also, as well as to administer first aid. This is a very important service.

Pfc. Robert Sanders, a brother, who is with the army air corps, in radio, at Triax Field, Madison, Wis., recently spent a few days with his parents.

Jack Rettig, 2nd Class Storekeeper, USN, is enjoying his first leave in a year with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rettig, 220 Highwood Ave., Highwood. Peter Rettig, a brother, also of the navy, is now stationed at Great Lakes.

Sgt. and Mrs. Robert E. Conrad, after visiting his parents in Decatur, Ill., will spend the remainder of his furlough with Mrs. Conrad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Morani, 410 Waukegan Ave., Highwood. Sgt. Conrad is stationed at Camp Mackail, N. Carolina.

Wesley Salyards Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hayes, 518 Midlothian Ave., was recently graduated from the Naval Signal and Radio Training School, University of Chicago. He received recognition as "qualified striker" for petty officer rating of Radioman 3/c.

Word has been received that 2nd Lt. Robert Weinberg received his silver wings and an aerial navigator rating at the graduating exercises, Hondo, Texas, on Nov. 13. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Weinberg, 197 Edgecliff Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rosalini, 123 High St., Highwood, recently received word that their son, Pvt. Peter Rosalini had arrived with an engineering corps in India. They have two other sons, also, in the armed forces—Pvt. Adolph, of the infantry, who is stationed in Australia, and S/Sgt. Clarence, with a tank battalion, whose home base is at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

John Joseph Klemp, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Klemp, 310 No. Ridge Road, has completed his pre-flight training at Maxwell Field, Ala., as well as his primary training, and is not receiving basic flight training as an aviation cadet at Bainbridge Army Air Field, Georgia. Previous to his enlistment, he worked as installer of communications equipment. His brother, Mathias G., is in the signal corps, and a second brother Earl L. recently became an aviation cadet.

Ralph A. Bard, Jr., whose wife and two children live at 362 Oakland Drive, was graduated recently from official candidate school at Quantico, Va., receiving a temporary rating as 2nd Lieutenant. Upon completion of his present course, in reserve officers' training, his commission will become permanent. His basic training was taken at Parris Island, S.C.

A graduate of Princeton, J. L. Bard was a former executive of the Barco Manufacturing Co., Chicago. A brother, Midshipman George Bard, is now training at Annapolis U.S. Naval Academy.

Harry R. Walz was recently promoted to the rank of Sergeant upon graduating from the army air force gunnery school at Tyndall Field, Fla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Walz, 220 Sheridan Ave., Highwood.

Pfc. Robert Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, Sanders Road, Deerfield, recently completed his course at Automotive School, Camp Hood, and is now stationed at Camp Forest, Tenn. He is a member of a tank destroyer battalion, and drives a 34-ton truck. His brother, S/Sgt. Earl Patterson, is now with an outfit engaged in desert maneuvers. His home base is Camp Forest.

William Kane and his twin brother, James, after a separation of 8 months, following their induction into the army, are now stationed at the same base, the army air field at Waycross. They are assigned to the same unit in the army's third air force. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kane, 819 Prairie Ave. Their father served in World War I. The twins are 19 years old.

To have the chin strap of his helmet shot off and yet remain unscathed, was the unique experience of Pfc. Walter Melaski, brother of Mrs. Thomas A. Rogan, 616 Midlothian Ave. Young Melaski, of the U.S. Marine Corps, has seen plenty of action in the South Pacific area. His brother John, also a marine, instructing in gunnery, bombing and radio, recently received a medical discharge. Both are sons of Mr. and Mrs. John Melaski, Rib Lake, Wis.

A good conduct medal was recently awarded S/Sgt. Willard Banker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Banker, 2675 Deerfield Ave. The medal signifies that he has excelled in ability, conscientiousness and efficiency. He is stationed at Merced, Calif., army air field, in a responsible branch of the finance department.

### Parents Visit In Texas With Cadet Percy Prior

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Prior, 2026 Wade street, have returned from a three weeks visit in Texas with their son, Army Air Cadet Percy Prior, Jr., who recently completed a four months training course at A. and M. college, and was classified as pilot at the classification center. He has been assigned to the pre-flight school in San Antonio, to begin his flight training.

### Highwood Couple Wed In St. James Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Zaeca, 314 Ashland avenue, Highwood, announced the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jennie, to Peter Romitti, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Romitti, 251 Evolution avenue, Highwood. The wedding will be solemnized Saturday at 9:30 a.m. in St. James church.

### Sheridan Graduates From Gunnery School

Murray C. Sheridan, son of Mrs. John E. Sheridan, 1632 Hillside drive, has been graduated from the Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery school at Tyndall Field, Panama City, Fla., and promoted to the grade of private first class. Upon his graduation, the soldier received a pair of silver wings signifying that now he is ready to take his place as a member of the combat crew of an AAF bomber.

### Dogs for Defense, Inc.

Harry I. Caesar, president of Dogs For Defense, Inc., has recently explained the reasons why the army has revised its list of breeds of dogs for K-9 Corps.

Some breeds have been dropped from the list because of so few existing specimens in the country. Other breeds are omitted because of size or temperament.

Many more dogs are needed, Mr. Caesar says, to be used for messenger, scout and casualty work. The breeds in demand are Alaskan Malamutes, Belgian and German shepherds, Boxers, Bull Mastiffs, Curly-coated, Chesapeake Bay, Flat-coated or Labrador retrievers; Collies, Doberman pinschers, Eskimos, Siberian huskies, Mastiffs, and cross-breeds of any of the above breeds.

The dogs must be in good physical condition, aggressive and between one and five years of age. The limit in height is 20 inches at the shoulder, and weight 50 lbs. The animals must not be gun-shy.

Among collies, the "farm type" is preferred, not to eliminate the "show type," necessarily, but because they are among the best workers in the army.

### Delta Gamma To Present Benefit Mystery Show

Fun and mystery for the entire family is assured for the evening of December 11 when Delta Gamma, as a war benefit brings Dr. Franz Polgar in a return engagement to the North Shore. He will appear at the New Trier high school auditorium at 8:15 p.m. Polgar performs acts of mental telepathy, feats of memory and hypnotism.

In New York he located an object placed miles away, by giving a taxi man orders where to turn. The newspaper reporter seated next to him was giving Polgar directions merely by means of telepathy. In Connecticut a group instructed Dr. Polgar by mental process to go upstairs, take a sleeping baby from its bed, carry it to the kitchen and place it on top of the kitchen cabinet. Polgar followed to the letter these illogical directions.

Mrs. Ores Zehr, 1163 Green Bay road, Glencoe, is general chairman of the benefit. Tickets may be obtained through Mrs. Arthur Marquette, 109 Lake View terrace.

### Ensign Philip Dering Receives Medal for Extreme Heroism

The navy and marine corps medal for heroism has been awarded Ensign Philip R. Dering, 26, husband of the former Nancy-Leigh Bowes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome P. Bowes of 176 Laurel avenue.

Ensign Dering received the medal for rescuing a drowning woman off Ponte Vedra beach, Fla., in August. He swam far off shore through a treacherous current to save the woman, after one man had nearly drowned in an attempted rescue.

### Navy Pilot

He is the son of Mrs. Chrystal M. Knutson of 222 E. Chestnut street, Chicago, and he and his wife are living in Mt. Vernon, Washington, D. C., where he is stationed as a navy pilot. Ensign Dering's citation from the secretary of the navy read, "His gallant action in saving another at great risk to his own life was in keeping with the highest tradition of the United States naval service."

### Cocktail Party To Be Given By Service League

A benefit cocktail party will be given by the North Shore Service League of the Chicago Maternity center Friday evening, Dec. 10, at the Racquet club, 1361 N. Dearborn parkway, Chicago, from 5 to 8 o'clock.

Between 6:30 and 7:30 o'clock, there will be a floor show, with a master of ceremonies presenting radio and stage personalities. Dancing will follow and door-prizes will be awarded.

Chairman of the affair is Mrs. Wayne Rapp of Evanston, assisted by Mrs. Clifford Genetal, and Highland Park women on committees include Mrs. George D. Harrison as ticket chairman and Mrs. F. O. Dicus as a member of the entertainment committee.

### Morrissey's Spent Vacation In Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Morrissey, South Green Bay Road, Highland Park, have been spending a vacation at The Inn, Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida, and will spend Thanksgiving with their daughter in Greencastle, Indiana.

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Nov. 28, 29, 30-Dec. 1  
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And  
Frank Craven, William Gargan  
"HARRIGAN'S KID"

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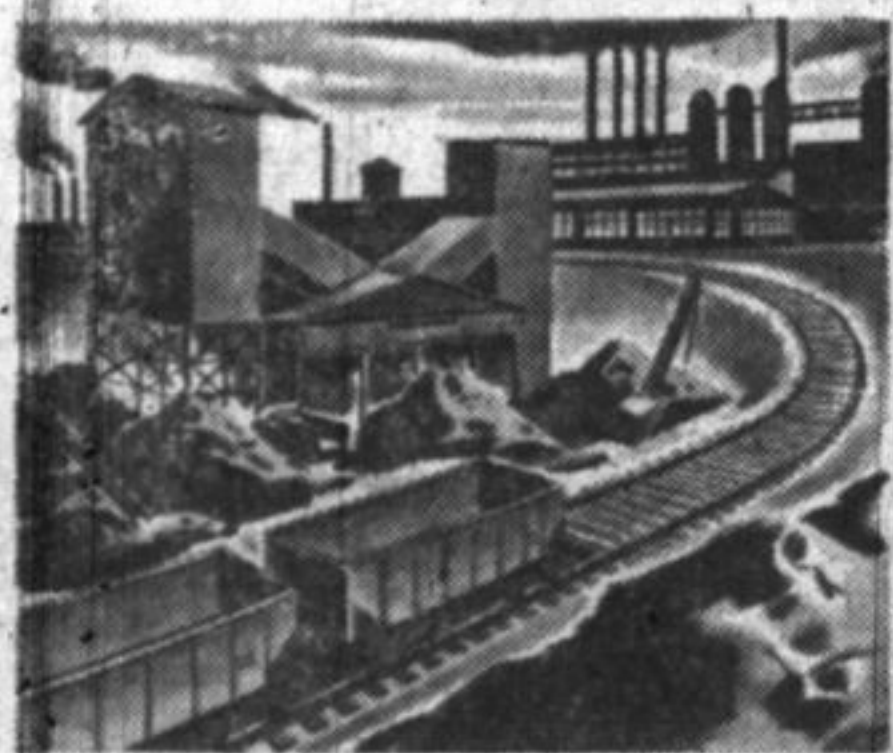
## Why you are asked to Conserve Electricity

Since there is no shortage of electricity, you may wonder why you are asked to conserve it.

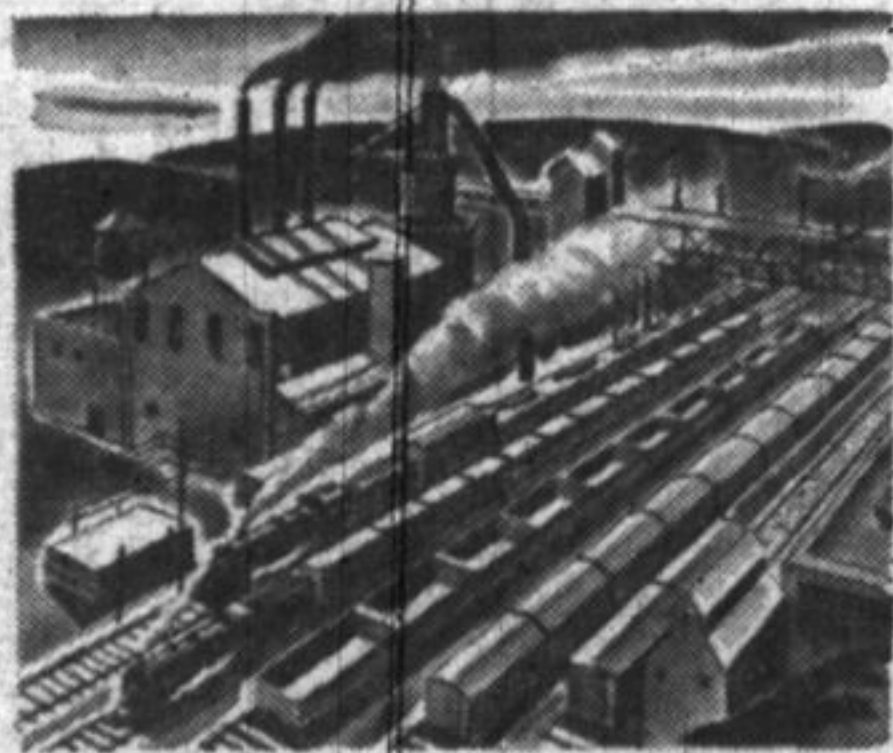
The answer is that there is a need to conserve fuel, railroad facilities, manpower and certain materials used to supply electricity. Conservation of elec-

tricity means a saving of these critical resources.

Read the story below and you'll understand where shortages exist and how you can help ease them to promote the war effort and speed the victory we are all striving for.



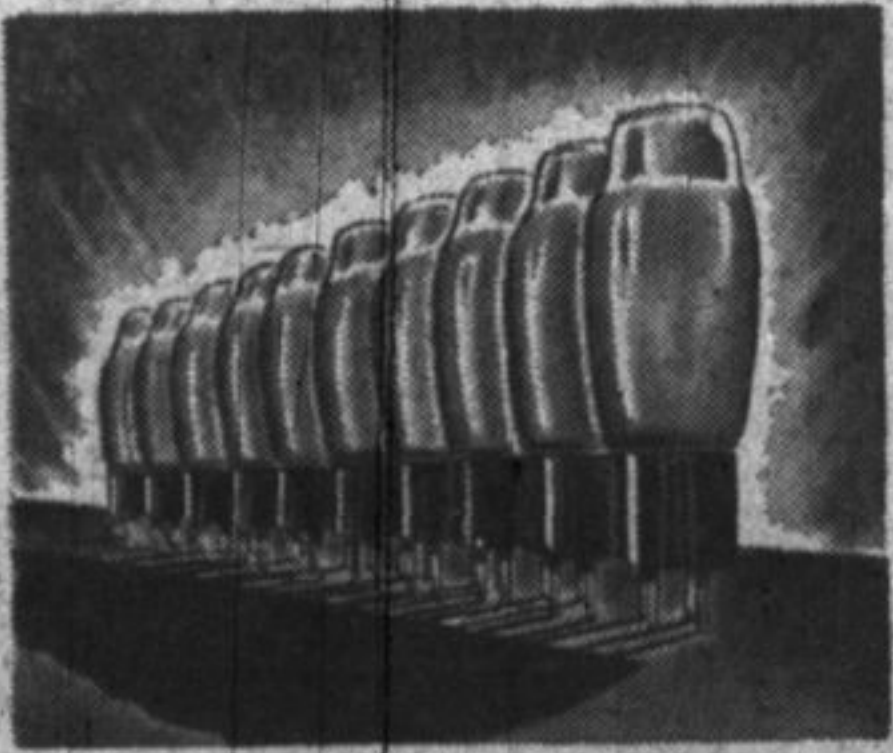
**Coal**—is a vital necessity for producing the arms and equipment our men need on the fighting fronts throughout the world. Coal is also a first necessity in producing electricity. By conserving electricity you conserve coal for war production.



**Transportation**—The nation's transportation system is heavily burdened in moving war supplies and troops. These same transportation facilities must also bring coal to our power plants. By conserving electricity you help ease the strain on transportation.

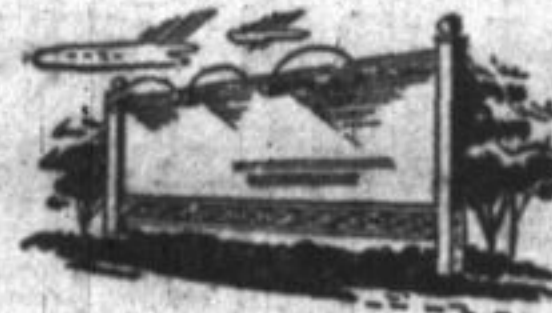


**Manpower**—The need for men in the armed forces has created a shortage of manpower. Conservation of electricity in commercial and industrial establishments and in the home, helps to conserve manpower for the producing and transporting of coal.



**Critical materials**—Every electric light bulb uses tungsten for a filament. Tungsten is also needed in great quantities for radio tubes, Radar and other equipment. By using fewer electric bulbs and using them conservatively, you help our men get more of the weapons they need.

Here's where you can help conserve electricity



Indoor and outdoor advertising, promotional and display sign lighting



Decorative and ornamental lighting, including decorative flood lighting



Show window lighting which does not provide essential interior illumination



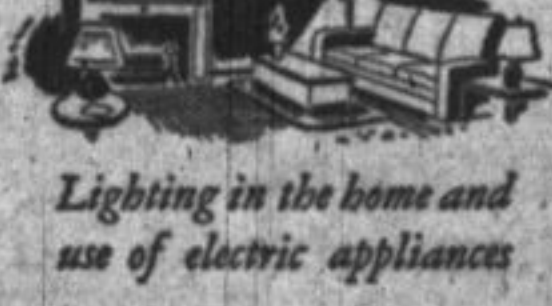
Marquee and building entrance lighting (other than advertising signs)



Lighting of outdoor business establishments



General interior illumination and show case lighting



Lighting in the home and use of electric appliances

Ask at any of our offices for a free booklet giving the detailed suggestions of the War Production Board as to how the above uses of electricity may be reduced.



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