

If A Buddy Meet A Buddy

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Several men from the University of Oregon campus have been home on furloughs during the summer months; still others have come home to stay. We can all look forward to seeing some of the old gang back this fall.

A few of those who were home were Bill Love, now stationed at Notre Dame in the ROTC program; Shubert Fendrick (a former shackrat); Chuck Nelson, a former swimming star who is in the Timberwolf division; and Dan Mahoney, who received further training in the States and is now due for service in Manila.

Don Kirsch, Phi Delt, has received a medical discharge after being wounded in the European campaign. We hope to see this former basketball star back this fall.

Russ Monohan is reportedly taking a laboratory technician course in the army medical corps. Steve Bodner, former football star, is stationed in India at present.

Let Vic Overseas

Vic Huffaker, now a private stationed in Belgium with the 258th engineers combat battalion, and former Emerald worker, is almost half a world away from his brother, Carl Huffaker, who is stationed in the Philippines with the 2nd reconnaissance squadron (long range photo). Carl, who received his bachelor's degree and had begun on his masters, was an anthropology major. Vic has been in the army since December, 1943; Carl has been in since February, 1942.

Three Portland Marines recently were commissioned second lieutenants, after graduating from platoon commanders school at Quantico, Va. They are; Kenneth C. Hume, Robert E. Santee, and Harry Saltzman. All attended this university.

Emil Edwards Ek, UO football, basketball, and track team member, was commissioned an ensign in the naval reserve and designated a naval aviator recently at the naval air training bases, Pensacola, Florida. He has completed his intermediate training at the "Annapolis of the Air," and will be ordered to duty either at an instructor's school for further training or at an operational base.

China Service

PFC Wendell L. Reeder, Theta Chi, is now on duty with the Chinese combat command, the United States army organization working in the field with the Chinese army to increase their effectiveness against the Japanese invaders. PFC Reeder entered the army in January, 1944. He received his basic training at Fort Riley, Kansas, and went to Burma in time to join the Mars task force on its memorable march to see action near the Burma road.

Lt. (j.g.) Kenneth B. McCubbins, USNR, who piloted a carrier-based Avenger on 39 combat missions while attached to the torpedo bomber squadron of air group 17, won his wings in April, 1943. He is a wearer of the distinguished flying cross and has been awarded the air medal for the third time. He is an Oregon graduate and a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Marine First Lt. Joseph F. Marty, class of '42, has piloted his dive bomber on 56 combat missions in support of army troops in the Philippines. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Murphy In Paris

Captain Allen J. Murphy, UO graduate, was attached to the photo interpretation section of intelligence with Patton's third army. He has been reassigned to headquarters near Paris. Captain Murphy received his degree in anthropology. He was a member of Scabbard and Blade.

John J. Mathews, former jive expert and Emerald associate editor, has returned to the States on rotation furlough from the Pacific. He has been visiting Portland and Eugene.

Another shackrat who also dabbled in radio, Bill Minehart, is stationed at a general hospital near

former Oregon Beta. However, he didn't mention his name.

Oregon Alpha Tau Omega Jack Crocker wrote that he's a navigator on a B-17 now but expects to be transferred to B-29's. Another Tau, Oge Young, received a combat promotion to first lieutenant while he was in Genoa in the hospital.

Major Gene L. Brown, '42, is stationed in the Bavarian Alps with the 101st airborne division. He has 125 points but plans to stay in the army.

Lt. Ed Moshofsky, of the three famous Moshofskys, visited Portland and Eugene recently and was to report to Louisiana in the middle of August.

Bill Phipps is in Bombay, India, handling the Associated Press India service.

After six years of service with the army, Mark H. Hathaway of Eugene has been discharged at Fort Lewis and will return to the University under the GI Bill of Rights. He spent 33 months in the Pacific theater with the 41st division and received the purple heart after being wounded at Biak.

Other former Ducks who are planning to return include Bill McClennan, former DU and Phi Delt Jimmy Griswold.

Manila. He reported he had seen his former roommate, Walter Lundberg, who is recovering from wounds.

Junior Birdman

One of the former junior birdmen of the air corps group stationed on the campus in 1943-44, Don Ness, is in India.

Roy Vernstrom, BMOC of a few years ago, has been discharged from the marine corps after almost four years of service. He plans to work for an advertising agency in Portland.

Two Oregon men figured in the dramatic rescue of the three survivors of a plane crash from Shangri-La, the hidden valley in New Guinea. Reynolds Allen piloted a glider into the valley three times in rescue work. He reported that one of the rescue party was a

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