



Cpl. Gerald W. Naderman has been in active service in the European theatre since shortly after the D-day invasion.

Cpl. Naderman was formerly a member of the Medical Det., O.N.G. (Salem Unit) having enlisted in July 1940. After serving two years at Fort Stevens he was sent to the East coast and was stationed at Fordham University when the Army program at that school was discontinued. He was then transferred to his present unit and shortly thereafter went overseas.

Cpl. Naderman is the son of Geo. V. Naderman, Ass't State Engineer, and Mrs. Naderman, who reside at 1024 Highland avenue, Salem.

Lieut. Colonel George Hester, in command of a battalion of Army anti-aircraft half-tracks, visited with his former cronies in the Highway Department a few weeks ago and is looking fit. He intimates that he is westward bound for active service after two years of intensive training in this country. He commands some of the best armored equipment in the service and we are confident that George and his outfit will give a good account of themselves.

It is reported that Paul E. Davies, formerly with the Highway Testing Laboratory at Salem and now a Chief Carpenters Mate (Engineering) in the Sea Bees, has been hospitalized with arthritis of the spine. Late reports indicate he is now up and around but still under medical surveillance. Paul spent many months in active service in the Aleutians supervising the con-

struction of unloading docks, service roads, etc. Due to his recent illness he has been confined to a Naval Hospital in the States and reports receiving the finest of care and treatment. We look forward to Paul's speedy recovery.

C. F. (Chuck) Hageman breezed in on his old friends of the Highway Testing Laboratory at Salem a short time ago after having spent 19 months in the Aleutians as a C.P.O.—Storekeeper with the Sea Bees. He is now stationed at Camp Parks, California awaiting re-assignment. Incidentally, we understand Chuck received his present rating in active service, which speaks well for his ability.

Oscar White, long time employee at the Highway Testing Laboratory at Salem, is reported actively engaged as a Materials Inspector with the Maritime Service at Los Angeles. Based on his past experience, he should be doing well in his present position.

Lt. Hilbert "Hill" Young of the CB's, formerly a transitman for the Highway Department, spent the Christmas holidays with his family in Roseburg. He took part in the invasion of Normandy. He had a small Navy under his command; his "flagship" was a P. T. boat and he was in charge of several "Alligators." He ran into "Pop" Chandler over there someplace and had quite a time talking about the past, present and future. Lt. Young returned to duty shortly after Christmas.

Cpl. Warren Mann seems to be doing as well in the South Pacific as he did when he was working with the main-

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