

copies and enjoyed reading them very much.

"I am about twenty miles from Frankfurt, Germany, trying to guess whether it is C.B.I. direct for us or through the States. I am still in the combat engineer battalion as a mechanic and have seen a great deal of Europe since I came overseas. I have covered nearly all of England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. Also have been up into Wales. It is a pretty country over here in places, but I would trade it all in a hurry for Salem, Oregon and my old Highway job in the shops.

"I wish to thank the Association again for the magazine and hope to be back in the old familiar territory soon."

Charles Campbell is home from active duty in the Philippines. Mr. Campbell applied for and received his discharge from the Sea Bees and plans to return to civilian life soon.

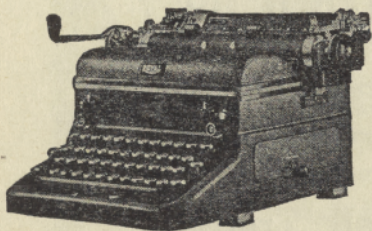
Cpl. John F. Kergil was married April 27 in England. The Kergils plan

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to make their home in Astoria again after the war. Johnie says he can hear Uncle Sam calling from the South Pacific, "Johnie get your gun, get your gun" so he doesn't expect to stay in England long.

Olaf G. Fransen lost his father a short time ago. We extend our sympathies. Olaf is on duty in the Marianas. He reports that work is about completed and they expect to move soon, maybe to Japan where he hears they need some highway and airport repairs.

Rolland H. McDonald, M.M.3/c is in the hospital at Corona, California, where he is recovering from a long illness. His wife and father are near where they can see him.

Major Keith N. Flory stopped in to greet old friends recently. Keith has been with the army engineers in Europe during the past year. He will go to Texas to join his outfit for further service in the Pacific. He said his experience while with our construction department with Booth, Furrow, Phelps and Franklin has been very helpful in building for the Army.

T/5 John Caplan, Hq. Fiscal Office in Manilla, son of Mrs. Kathleen Caplan, wrote an interesting eye-witness

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