

# LAKE VIEW LOCAL

In honor of the men of this community who served their country to restore freedom to the world.

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| Ahr E.A.       | Ericson W.       | Kelleher J.P.  | Patrikus B.V.    |
| Ahr J.L.       | Eye F.C.         | Kelleher W.F.  | Patrikus J.A.    |
| Antozzi W.O.   | Fierle J.M.      | Kelm J.T.      | Patterson D.     |
| Baines R.S.    | Fierle G.J.      | Kieler F.A.    | Poppenberg A.J.  |
| Barris R.W.    | Fierle L.F.      | Kieler S.J.    | Poppenberg J.W.  |
| Beckman G.E.   | Fierle R.J.      | Kimberly S. II | Porter M.        |
| Beckman P.C.   | Fierle R.M.      | Kimberly W.R.  | Potopchuck W.    |
| Beckman S.J.   | Fierle W.A.      | Kocic S.S.     | Potter B.R.      |
| Betts C.F.     | Fueller F.       | Koester R.G.   | Potter J.E.      |
| Biggar F.M.    | Gaghagen H.R.Sr. | Koren J.L.     | Pursel C.B.      |
| Bogdan L.      | Glassbrock F.C.  | Koren S.P.     | Pursel H.F.      |
| Bordonaro M.R. | Goergen T.W.     | Kushka G.      | Pursel T.L.      |
| Brudo W.A.     | Grant M.L.       | Lentini J.V.   | Roller C.G.      |
| Busha E.J.     |                  |                | Rowher E.J.      |
| Busha J.P.     |                  |                | Ryan G.J.        |
| Busha M.P.     |                  |                | Ryan R.L.        |
| Chase J.H.     |                  |                | Ryan W.R.        |
| Chase R.E.     |                  |                | Scherdt R.T.     |
| Chilson D.C.   |                  |                | Schledel R.F.    |
| Columbo R.     |                  |                | Schledel E.G.    |
| Columbo W.     |                  |                | Schledel O.A.    |
| Coniglio C.A.  |                  |                | Schoellkopf J.F. |
| Coniglio F.C.  |                  |                | Shanks J.W.      |
| Coniglio S.M.  |                  |                | Smalley R.L.     |
| Coniglio W.J.  |                  |                | Smerski C.       |
| Corff V.L.     |                  |                | Smerski E.J.     |
| Cross W.H.     |                  |                | Smerski L.       |
| Daniels C.J.   |                  |                | Smith E.J.       |
| Dean J.W.      |                  |                | Smith G.G.       |
| DeMichael J.   |                  |                | Sobetzner H.J.   |
| DiOrio C.J.    |                  |                | Spittler D.J.    |
| Durni H.A.     |                  |                | Staats P.H.      |
| Ebel R.C.      |                  |                | Staffehl H.L.    |
| Entwisle E.B.  |                  |                | Szyminski A.J.   |
| Ericson H.     |                  |                | Welsted H.J.     |

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Beckman R.G.  
Ahr L.F. III  
Weber W.R.  
Flick J.J.

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| Grant S.M.     | Malinowski C.J. |
| Haberman H.E.  | Maurer F.       |
| Hahn C.        | Mayer E.B.      |
| Heiderman J.E. | Mayer M.G.      |
| Heiderman V.E. | McAllester C.W. |
| Heil E.J.      | McAllester W.R. |
| Hudson W.      | McCabe F.       |
| Hummel G.E.    | Milliren H.     |
| Hummel R.J.    | Mingola J.M.    |
| Hutton J.R.    | Morgan C.J.     |
| Ihlenfeld F.J. | Nielsen N.H.    |
| Jamieson R.F.  | Owen B.D.       |
| Jswart R.S.    | Pakenham J.C.   |

To those who have given their lives that we may enjoy freedom, we promise never to forget.

To you of the Armed Forces, we pray that your sacrifices may be a crown of everlasting happiness. We all await your speedy and safe return.

## The Smile of God-Is Victory

With the ending of the war, the fulfillment of our accomplishments are realized. V-J Day brought to us the peace that we have been fighting, working, hoping, and praying for. Our minds quickly turn to post-war dreams. Now we can do the many things we used to say we'd do "When the war was over." Needed for reconversion program in L.V.--farmers, doctors, shoe repair men, dentists, barbers, soda jerks, carpenters etc. (That's so near the truth you can't argue about it!)

And now, friends, the time has come when our services are no longer required. This will be the last issue of the L.V.L. Our year and a half of service is through & our application for a discharge has been granted. (Thanks Uncle Sam) From now on things will begin to happen. Most of you will be moving around and it will be impossible to keep up with you.

We will see you sometime soon & let's make a date for say about a year from now to a get-together party at the firehall. Bowling, dancing, refreshments, etc. is our idea----- but you'll know what you want. We'll send you an invitation.

HEARD IN PASSING

Pandimonium walked upon the scene in L.V. when word came over the radio announcing that the Japs had quit. George Spittler threw the switch on the firehall siren and walked away. She blew & blew & who shut it off-- we don't know. East, west, north & south came noises of shot guns, bells, whistles and yells. The ladies got a flag and started a parade. The boys raced around in their old jalopys.

One of the most amusing incidents we saw was a truck carrying a piano & sitting at the piano was Sam Duff giving out with a little "Boogie Woogie."

The firehall was open for anyone & most of the gang gathered there to indulge in--you know what!!!!

A favorite subject, no matter how you spring it---is a wedding. And its an especially pleasant subject when the two people involved are Elsie Welsted and Howard Bushen (recently discharged from the Army) The marriage took place at the brides home Sunday Sept. 9, at 3 P.M. Rev. Turner officiating.

Elsie was dressed in a turquoise blue wool suit, offset by a corsage of gardenias & tea roses. The groom wore a dark brown pin-striped suit. They always say the honeymoon is over when the newlieds stop necking and start flying at each others throats. We hope not, in this case. All kidding aside, here's to all the happiness in the world.

You boys who were in the habit of taking a nightly trip to Charlie Stadlers will find the place under new management. Charlie Stadler has sold his hotel to Thomas Rockwood (better known as Rockie) who came from S. Buffalo. The Stadlers have purchased John Deans house. Deans bought a home in North Evans.

Once again, we come to the old, old story of the Hamburg Fair. It was the firemens' good fortune to win first prize for best appearance & 3rd prize for their display in the firemen's building. Let's give them a hand. The ball team had a chance to play an exhibition game at the fair this year but the game was called because of rain.

Mrs. Samuel Beckman, kind friend of many of us, passed away after several months of illness. Funeral services were held on Labor Day at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. We extend our deepest sympathy to the Beckman family, three who are in the service of our country.

The dedication of the Honor Roll, situated in front of the firehall, took place Sept. 19th. A reproduction appears on the cover of the L.V.L. this month. Firemen, Boy Scouts, & the 12 service men who were home, stood guard while it was unveiled.

Never-ask-why-dept.

L.V. School has a new teacher, Mrs. Thomas Dady from Albion. Her present experience consists of 6 yrs. taught in Medina schools. Just another "War Widow" as her husband is a member of Uncle Sams Navy.

Miss Kleis, intermediate room teacher, was recently married to Lt. Ellsworth Ahrens of Blasdell.

We find it irresistible not to watch Spiegel peaking under the hood of his Ford every single night (without fail) to see if it's still in good enough condition to make the trip to Buffalo the next day.

C.N. Mary Mayer, taking 5 months of her training in New York City writes that she has lost 4½ lbs since she's been there. It must be that she doesn't get enough to eat. We'd gladly bake her a cake but by the time it reached her it would probably be like a flatiron---flat!

Helen Potter who is in training at the General Hospital is now at U.S. for a few months.

Dolores (Hell) Rendell is now living in Louisiana with her husband.

Naomi Jewart visited her husband, Ralph, at Virginia.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS YEAR GRADUATES

Janet Odell is attending State Teachers College. She stays at a sorority house with 25 other girls.

Elizabeth Barris is attending Roberts Beauty School. Keep this in mind--in a few months you can have her do your hair & nails for you.

Betty Schlaue is working in the office of the Steins Brewery. She has nothing what so ever to do with the beer.

Betty DiOrto is going to attend Albright Art School.

Bess Keller is going in training at Milliard Fillmore Hospital. Bess will make a nice nurse won't she folks?

Have you heard about the 1st grade class at Dist. No. 12. You haven't? There is such a big class that half come to school in the morning and the other half in the afternoon. They number 19. Whew?

Six more of our boys who have done their share to bring peace to our country have been discharged from the service. They are T/4 Raymond Schiedel, P.F.C. Jim Morgan, P.F.C. Raymond Koester, Sgt. Tom Fursel, Cpl. Robert Chase, & Ralph Jewart. A.M.M. 3/e.

We find these boys coming home have peculiar characteristics. For instance, Ray Koester collects Japs gold teeth. He's got a whole bag of souvenirs to show off. Ray who has been overseas 4 years has visited most of the islands in the south Pacific.

Ray Schiedel, overseas 2½ yrs. saw Ireland, Scotland, England, North Africa and for the last year has been stationed in Texas.

Jim Morgan who entered the service in April 1941 left for overseas in Feb. 1942. He was in the invasion of Normandy and the Rhineland. Jim was in the Medical dept. He is now in Kentucky visiting relatives.

Tom Fursel entered the service May 1942 and has been overseas since Jan. 1943. He was in the African and Italian campaign.

Ralph Jewart was overseas 27 months and has been in all major battles in the Pacific.

Bob Chase was overseas 25 months serving as a turret gunner & Armor man on a bomber.

Joan Fierle H.A. 1/c was also discharged from the WAVES and is now living in Washington D.C. with her husband.

Small World Dept: Sam, Bill, and Frank Coniglio met each other in Guam.

Home on furlough: 1st Lt. Bud Fierle, S/Sgt. Grace Smith, 1st Lt. Frank Kieler, P.F.C. Roy Smalley, Ralph Fierle Na. M. 2/c, P.F.C. Harry Staffehl, Walter Potopchuck G.M. 2/c, Sgt. Joe Heiderman, P.F.C. Louis Smerski, T/5 Sam Beckman, and S/Sgt. Charles Smerski.

P.F.C. Leonard Bogden writes: By now you all must surely be familiar with might and force of our newest weapon, the atomic bomb. The atomic bomb is precisely the big secret upon which we were working here in the seclusion of the mountains & mesas of New Mexico. It certainly was exasperating to all of us engaged in this world-revolutionizing research here to hold such stupendous knowledge in our minds yet be unable to tell anyone about it. I believe the biggest moment in my life was on the morning of July 16th when the final test of the bomb was to be made in the desert. Results exceeded all expectations.

We are proud to hear that one of our boys was working on this great weapon.

Also received interesting letters from: Jim Mingoia, Stewart Grant, Charles Coniglio, Roy McAllester, Milton Grant, and Mary J. Hubbard.

Promotions--Johnny Patrikus-T/Sgt and Herbert Pursel -P.F.C.

Reunion of the Kelleher's took place in July for the 1st time in over 3 years. Quite by coincidence the 3 boys came home at the same time. P.F.C. Jim, of 3rd Div, 5th Infantry was overseas 9 months and saw the battle thru Germany. He has a baby son born in July. Cpt. Jack, overseas 3 1/2 yrs. was in the E.T.O. air transport command. Cpt. Bill, has seen 2 1/2 yrs. in the South Pacific. Bill was married in July.

"L.V. BALL TEAM CHAMPS OF SERIES"

The Lake View A.C.'s wound up in 1st place in the Lake Shore League. As a reward the firemen will buy the team jackets. They will be blue and white. (Whistle!)

The last game in the series was held at Woodlawn. The score, 6-0 favor of Lake View.

|           | Runs | Hits | At Bat |
|-----------|------|------|--------|
| Lake View | 6    | 6    | 34     |
| Woodlawn  | 0    | 0    | 31     |

Batteries for L.V.--Heil, pitcher, and Drago, catcher. Gene had 14 strike outs in this game.

The game incidentally, the only no hit, no run game in the league, gave the boys a terrific lift. The final standing put L.V. and Athol Springs tie for 1st. It was agreed to have a play off game on a neutral diamond.

Play Off Game---L.V. vs. Athol Springs at Hamburg. L.V. defeated A.S. 5-1 which shows we've got what it takes. The game was tense all the way through due to the fact that we didn't get a run until the 8th inning. But never say die no matter what. It poured at the end of the 3rd inning but as soon as the shower passed they started right in. Gene Heil, pitcher, struck out 16 men. Tony Drago was the catcher.

L.V. has the following rating in the league:  
 4 out of 5 shut outs in league  
 Most runs in any one game  
 Most hits in any one game  
 Most stolen bases in any one game  
 Least errors in any one game  
 Most attendance.

The team wants to express their thanks and appreciation for the fine backing that the people of Lake View gave them.

Batting averages are as follows:  
 Drago-466, Heil-456, R.Fierle-391, Galloway-355, A.Fierle-353, Schoetz-350, Brudo 326, Almendinger-290, Grody-225, Schlaui-210, and Spittler-133.

"MAY THE HINGES OF OUR FRIENDSHIP NEVER GROW RUSTY."

