

Brig. Gen. Ivan Miller, Marine Corps Base Commander, Assures Big Air Show in City

Brigadier General Ivan W. Miller, whose cooperation has assured a large Marine participation in the coming Torrance air show, is the Commanding General of the Marine Corps Air Station at El Toro.

General Miller is a graduate of the 1926 class at the US Naval Academy and entered the Marine Corps the

same year. In addition to El Toro, he has commanded the Marine Corps Air Station at Quantico, Va., and Marine Fleet Air, West Coast with headquarters in San Diego.

The Commanding General served in the Santo Domingo, Haiti and Nicaragua campaigns and won the Legion of Merit for World War II in addition to the Nicaraguan Medal of Merit and the Hal-

lan Order of Merit. General Miller served on the staff of Marine Aircraft, South Pacific and with Marine Air Pacific during the war just ended. El Toro is the largest Marine air station on the west coast and many of the aviation recruits assume duty there upon completion of their initial training at San Diego.



GENEVIEVE W. BELL
S/Lie USNR (W), entered the naval service July 1, 1944, and was discharged April 15, 1945. Mrs. Bell, wife of Richard M. Bell, was stationed at UNTS, Hunter College, N. Y., and NSD, Oakland, California, and is entitled to the World War II Victory Medal and the American Theatre Ribbon. She is the daughter of Mrs. Minnie M. Teague, of Torrance.



ROBERT M. BENDER
Sgt. AUS, son of Mrs. William Bick, 21502 So. Berendo st., entered the service July 29, 1944 and was discharged Dec. 17, 1945. He served in the Mediterranean Theatre during his tour of overseas duty.



FLOYD EMMETT MAHON
ARM 1/c, US Navy, son of Mrs. Eunice Mahon, 530 Arlington ave. Entered the service March 15, 1943, and was discharged February 7, 1946. He served on the USS Breston and wears four battle stars on his Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon.



PAUL J. HIPPIK
Staff Sgt. US Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hippik, 1608 W. 220th st. Inducted June 19, 1943, he served with the Ninth Service Command and wears the Meritorious Unit Citation, American Theatre Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal and the Victory Medal. He was discharged March 27, 1946.



ROBERT LOUIS INGRAM
S/Sgt. AAF, of 1655 W. 214th st., served with the Ninth Air Force during 29 months of overseas duty in the European Theatre of Operations. He served in England, France, Belgium and Holland, and was wounded in Metz, France. Ingram was in the service more than three years.



He's back in Town to settle down!

You bet he's a little nervous! But man, is he happy! What fellow wouldn't be happy walking down the aisle with the girl of his "foxhole dreams"? Today, this very minute, is the beginning of something real and wonderful — the beginning of a new life he and his bride planned so many, many months ago. And they have so much to look forward to — a home — kids of their own and the millions of other little things that spell happiness for years to come. Yes, if you were to ask him he would say, "Fellows, in a world of Peace, this is life!"

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ELMER W. HIPPIK
Corporal US Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hippik, 1608 W. 220th st. Inducted February 1, 1943, he served under General Patton in the Third Army and was awarded the Bronze Star Medal, Presidential Citation, European Theatre Ribbon with three battle stars, Combat Infantryman's Badge, American Theatre Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal and the Victory Medal. He was discharged October 25, 1945.



CHARLES BELANO CROOK
T/Sgt. AAF, son of Mrs. C. M. Crook, 1256 Gramercy ave., served in the Air Corps from March 12, 1942, until his separation December 20, 1945. During his tour of duty in the Pacific theatre of war, Crook participated in air offensives at Iwo Jima and over the Japanese mainland, for which he received two combat stars on his Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon. He also holds the Good Conduct Medal, American War Ribbon and World War II Victory Medal.



RAYMOND J. MCINTIER
S/Sgt. USAAF, son of Mrs. Anna McIntier, 1735 Gramercy ave., entered service December 29, 1941, and was discharged December 27, 1946. During his tour of duty he spent a year on Guam.



TALMADGE D. ULRICH JR.
Corporal US Army Alsborne Troop Carriers, 1236 Cota ave., entered service January 12, 1945 and served 11 months in the European Theatre of Operations. He wears the European Theatre Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal and three sharpshooter medals. He was discharged November 9, 1945.



JACK KING
S/Sgt. USAAF, was discharged in January, 1946, following about two years service. He was awarded two Presidential Unit Citations and ribbons for service in the South Pacific. He is living with Mrs. King at 1521 Amapola ave. and is employed at the Torrance Lumber Co. He was a gunner on a B-24.



WILLIAM S. JOLLEY
Corporal, AAF, residing with his wife, Georgia, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jolley, at 2309 Torrance blvd., entered the service January 12, 1943, and was discharged November 16, 1945. Jolley served in England, France, Holland, Germany and Belgium with the 8th and 9th Air Forces and won the ETO Ribbon with six battle stars, Presidential citation with one cluster, Meritorious Service Plaque and Good Conduct Medal.



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