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Ex-GIs, On Local Scene, In Many Peaceful Pastimes

In the layout above are shown former G. I. Joes and one G. I. Jane, with their "Name, Rank and Serial Number" as they were known in military service. Some have started their own businesses, others are working under the "on-the-job training program" as provided for in the G. I. Bill of Rights, and others are employed on private jobs.

First group shows the Adams brothers, contractors. Left to right, D. E. Adams, Staff Sergeant, 18,104,054, 8t hAir Force, served in E.T.O.; Arel Adams, Carpenter's Mate 1st Class, U. S. Navy, 843-00-34; Jearel Lee Adams, Seaman 1st Class, 968-81-71, U. S. Navy, served in Pacific Theater; T. G. Adams, Staff Sergeant, 38,547,131 Army Engineers, served in E.T.O.

Center, top. Hollis Rawlins, Staff Sergeant, 6,267,637, Corps Headquarters, U. S. Army, served in Southwest Pacific. Now employed as teller at First National Bank.

Top right, Jack M. Darden, Captain, O-519,371, 508th Parachute Infantry, jumped into action with 509th Parachute Inf. Battalion, 82nd Airborne Div. at Salerno, Italy and at LeMuy, France. Employed with United States Agriculture Department.

Left, bottom. John T. Ross, Chief Carpenter's Mate, 623-45-09, U. S. Navy. Served in Pacific Theater. Owns and operates Ross Plan Service; furnishes plans, estimates, and secures priorities for G.I.'s to build homes.

Center, bottom. W. P. (Pat) Barton, Sergeant, 17,034,996, 9th Air Force, served in E.T.O. Employed as body mechanic at Tuggle-Ury Motor co.

Right, bottom. Kathryn Welter, Sp (T) 2-c, stationed at NAAS Chase Field, Beeville, as Link Trainer Instructor. She is now Link Trainer Instructor at Delta Aircraft Co. Shown in the Link Trainer, is A. V. (Tex) Alis, Captain, A. T. C., who served in Indian-African Theater. Now employed as instrument instructor at Delta Aircraft.

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