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When Robert Prusynski, a private first class, moved up to the enemy position he spotted this dead Jap and removed the blood-stained flag from the head of the dead foe. The Biron marine has that flag with him today as the most prized souvenir obtained in his hectic months of fighting against the little yellow men. The flag is splattered with blood and also carries many Japanese writings and symbols, probably wishing the ill-fated Jap good luck.

Wounded In Arm
Private Prusynski was wounded in the left arm, later in the Peleliu engagement and, as the result, is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents at Biron.

He enlisted in the marines in July, 1942, at Milwaukee. He sadly recalls today how a chap who later became a close friend of his, Leonard Klesmith of Stevens Point, enlisted that same day with him and how they came up through boot training together, then moved from island to island in the Pacific together. Then, finally, on that first terrible day of the invasion of Peleliu, the Stevens Pointer was killed in action.

Twelve weeks of boot training for the youthful Bironite at the big marine base at San Diego, Calif., followed his enlistment and then, on October 20, 1942, he went overseas headed for New Caledonia. Upon See—PFC. PRUSYNSKI—Page 9

Adams Soldier Is Wounded in Holland

Adams—Pfc. Robert Herriot, son of Mrs. Robert Herriot of this community, was wounded in action in Holland on November 10. He received a flesh wound in the right forearm.

Private Herriot entered service in March, 1943 and was trained at Camp Butler, N. C., Camp Pickett, Va., and Fort George Meade, Md., before going overseas. He was with the glider forces which invaded Holland.

6,000 People Viewed Fur Show Here

"The Central Wisconsin Fur Breeders association first annual fox and mink show was a complete success, without any sort of controversy," stated M. C. Kelley, member of the show committee, as the event concluded Thursday night.

The show, sponsored by the association and the Kiwanis club, began Wednesday morning and ran through Thursday evening. An estimated 6,000 people streamed through the doors of the Wood county highway garage to view the various exhibits.

"Representatives, big and small, were here from practically all sections of the state," Mr. Kelley remarked. "The show was run off very smoothly."

Lloyd Felice, city, was awarded the prize mink pelt while Stanley Baumel, city, was awarded the silver fox pelt.

Sgt. Russell Reimer Is Prisoner of War

T/Sgt. Russell Reimer who has been declared missing in action twice since June 16 is now a prisoner of war in Germany, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reimer, Route 1, city, and his wife Florence, who lives on Route 2.

Sgt. Reimer was first declared missing over Italy last June 16 and a short time later he wrote his parents and wife that he was on his way back to his base after having been slightly wounded.

On October 17, another war department telegram was received, this one stating that Sgt. Reimer was missing in action over Vienna. He is a gunner in the AAF.

been named electric superintendent in charge of electrical equipment at all plants. Dec 8 1944

George W. Johnston now is foreman in charge of Centralia and Nepeco lake, succeeding W. J. McGrogan at Centralia, who retired this fall after continuous duty at the Centralia plant since it was started 31 years ago. Johnson, who has been with the company since 1923, has had charge of Nepeco lake operation since it was created in 1925.

C. J. Baumel Named Head of Machinists

C. J. Baumel was elected president of International Association of Machinists Local 655, American Federation of Labor, during a meeting Thursday night. Other officers elected include: Fayette Skinner, vice president; Henry Van de Loop, recording secretary; Don Dittburner, financial secretary; Edward Stensberg, treasurer; Clarence Mrsas, conductor; Leonard Sabota, sentinel, and Elmer Johnson, trustee.

Legion Memorial To be at 3 O'cl

This community, in conjunction with Charles Hagerstrom post, No. 9, of the American Legion, will unite to honor servicemen who have thus far given their lives in World War 2 at a memorial service in the music room of Lincoln high school Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Fred Burt, chaplain of the American Legion, announced that the service will be broadcast over radio station WFHR. Families of servicemen to be eulogized will be seated in the front rows of the music room and each will have a Legionnaire as escort. Those families who feel that they cannot attend will be sent a folder containing the names

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