AIR FORCE CAPTAIN

According to word received by his parents, William S. Kirkpatrick of Easton, has been promoted to the rank of captain in the United States Army. He is the son of Federal Judge and Mrs. William H. Kirkpatrick.

Captain Kirkpatrick who is 27 years old is stationed at the Newark Aliport.

His brother, Miles W. Kirkpatrick, a member of an armored force unit at Camp Polk, La., was recently made a sergeant.

Capt. Kirkpatrick was graduated from Roosevelt Field, Long Island, in 1938 and has been active in flying ever since. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Corps on April 5, 1942 and was made a first lieutenant last fall. His wife and young daughter reside with him in New Jersey.

Sgt. Kirkpatrick is a graduate of Princeton university and then completed his studies at the University of Pennsylvahia Law School before being inducted into the Army Slast November.