

Hartzell, Neil

First Lieutenant



Word received by his wife, Mrs. Emma Hartzell, informed her that her husband Lt. Neil Hartzell on February 13 was advanced to the rank of First Lieutenant. Lt. Hartzell is pilot on a P-47 Thunderbolt and at the present time is stationed in France. He was also awarded the Air Medal and five Oak Leaf Clusters the fifth known as the silver cluster. The young flier received his commission of second lieutenant at Moore Field, Texas. He received his flight training at San Antonio, Tex., Pine Bluff, Ark., and Independence Field, Kan. On March 17 he will have completed his three years in the service. 1st Lieut. Hartzell is the son of Charles Hartzell, 228 East 20th Street, Northampton. He is married to the former Emma Strohl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Strohl, 19 West 27th Street, Northampton. The couple observed their first wedding anniversary February 17.

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