

Griffiths, Robert

ATTEND FAREWELL PARTY.

9-2 — 1942

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Griffiths, city, spent a few days in Connecticut where they attended two farewell parties for their son, Robert, formerly of Bethlehem, who was inducted into the service from the Milford, Conn., draft board. He is now stationed at Camp Devison, Mass.

A "stag" farewell party was given the draftee by fellow-workers and friends of Stratford, Conn., where he was employed.

Another party was attended by relatives and close friends and took place at the home of Mary Brewer and Helen Keen, Stratford. Among those present at this event were the draftee's sister, Mrs. C. V. Larkin, and her husband, of Katonah, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths, his parents.

Robert received as gifts a total of \$105 in cash, a carton of cigarettes, and a pen and pencil set. One of his most prized gifts was a kit presented by his father on behalf of the Bethlehem Tobacco Club.

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