

Gross, John H.

Lieutenant (j.g.)



Word has been received that Ensign John H. Gross, Communications Officer aboard the USS Tutuila, has been advanced to the rank of Lieutenant (j. g.), effective January 1, 1946.

Lt. Gross enlisted May 5, 1944 and after completing his boot training at Bainbridge, Md., was transferred to Princeton University for indoctrination. He was commissioned an Ensign there July 23, 1944.

Assigned as service officer aboard the USS Tutuila, he left San Diego, Cal. in October 1944, and boarded his ship some weeks later somewhere in the South Pacific. His repair ship serviced damaged flotilla in almost every Pacific theatre of war.

After the cessation of hostilities, the young Naval officer became communications officer for their group, which at present is stationed in Kula Gulf near Tientsin, China. He expects to return home for discharge about May 1.

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