

Trimble, Hugh J.

## Radar Specialist

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**HUGH JAMES TRIMBLE**

Radar Technician Hugh James Trimble is spending a 20-day leave with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. Trimble Jr., 1212 Broadway, Fountain Hill. While attending the Fountain Hill High School he enlisted September 23, 1941, and on March 23, 1942, graduated from the U. S. Radio School at San Diego, Calif., as a radar technician. Since then he served on a naval tanker and made four trips to North Africa, one to Ireland and Newfoundland. He also spent several months in South America. When he enlisted in 1941 he was too young to volunteer for submarine duty as he was then only 17. Now that he has passed the 20 mark on January 1, 1944, he has reached the age that he is permitted to be assigned to the naval duty he was refused at first. He has volunteered for submarine duty, which is a promotion to the service he held before and is one of four young volunteers accepted. Radar Technician Trimble, after his leave, will go to New London, Conn., on February 4, where he will attend a submarine school for three months before he will be assigned to a vessel. He is the son of Hugh A. Trimble, 1164 East Fourth Street, but he has been with Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. Trimble since he was 18 months old.

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