

Couch, Robert

Robert Couch Made First Lieutenant

Advancement of Robert de S. Couch to the rank of First Lieutenant, Quartermaster Corps, was announced in a statement issued today by Brigadier General J. E. Barzynski, Commanding General of the Chicago Quartermaster Depot.

Lt. Couch has been stationed at the Chicago Quartermaster Depot since November, 1942, when he was graduated from the Quartermaster's School at Camp Lee, Va., which he entered as an officer candidate.

Lt. Couch, who was engaged in packaging research before entering the Army, is pursuing the same occupation as a member of the packaging research staff at the Quartermaster Subsistence Research Laboratory in the Chicago Depot. The laboratory is the only one of its kind in the country devoted to the analysis and study of Army foods.

Lt. Couch recently was married to Miss Ann Benton, of Maplewood, N. J. His mother is Mrs. F. F. Couch, 30 West Market Street, Bethlehem.

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