

Overdorf, Fred

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### THREE YOUTHS ENLIST, FURLOUGH TOGETHER

#### Local Trio in U. S. Navy Complete Radio Course.

Three Bethlehem youths, all of whom were sworn into the U. S. Navy at the same time, are home on nine-day furloughs after having completed a basic radio training course at Bainbridge Naval Base, Baltimore, Md.

The three youths, all of whom rate second class seaman rank, are Charles W. Romig, 1431 Center Street; Fred Overdorf, Twelfth Avenue, and Keith Shafer, 1123 West North Street. Romig attended Franklin Junior High School, Overdorf and Shafer attended Nitschmann School.

The three were sworn into service on October 20, which was the 17th birthday anniversary of Romig. All were attached to Company 10, located at Bainbridge base, and won honors on the sharpshooting range.

Upon their return at the conclusion of their furloughs the three will be sent to advanced radio schools for further training.

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