

ALLAN DILL has been appointed farm commentator for the Canadian Broadcasting Corp. Maritimes region, succeeding Ralph Marven who has joined the Dominion of Agriculture. Dill is a practical farmer as well as former newspaperman. He is attached to CBA, Sackville, N. B.

TIM DAVIS has resigned from the recording department of NBC Hollywood, to join the Navy.

JACK SHNELL, sound effects man of NBC Hollywood, has been transferred to KPO, San Francisco.

JOHN REDDY, newswriter of CBS Hollywood, is the father of a girl born Nov. 25.

MIKE CLARK, staff announcer of WWL, New Orleans, has joined the Army. Sharing his announcing duties are Jack Lewis, Ervin Viktor and John Kent, who replaces Clark as staff announcer.

BOB FRANKLIN, announcer of KGW-KEX, Portland, Ore., has become a Naval air cadet and is stationed at the training station near Boise, Ida.

DOUGLAS EDWARDS, for five years announcer of WSB, Atlanta, has joined the CBS announcing staff.

DONALD J. DEAN, formerly assistant promotion manager and in charge of farm department of WCKY, Cincinnati, has been commissioned a second lieutenant of the Army, following successful completion of the officer candidate course at The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

JON DUFFY, newscaster and producer of KWID, shortwave station in San Francisco, joined the Marines Dec. 7 as a combat correspondent.

JOSEPH W. GRAHAM, former announcer of WCKY and WCPO, Cincinnati, inducted into the Army a year ago, has been selected for officer candidate training and is now at Fort Benning, Ga.

LILLIAN ZATT, formerly in charge of promotion and publicity of women's programs and activities of WMCA, New York, has joined WNEW, New York, as assistant to Jack Banner, publicity director. She succeeds Betty Frear, who resigned to join her husband, who is completing his military training in Florida. Prior to joining WMCA, Miss Zatt served in the promotion department of the *New York Daily News*. She has also been associated with CBS and BBC in a production capacity.

DON BESTOR on Dec. 14 joins WHN, New York, as leader of the studio band, replacing Dick Ballou. Don Albert continues as manager of the band, also handling some of the conducting.



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DICK ALLAN, announcer of WLIB, Brooklyn, has joined the Army Signal Corps Reserve and will study radio communications while continuing his announcing duties. The station has added Evelyn Dworkin to the music department, and Jeanne Tedesche to the program department.

JEAN CAMPBELL, formerly news-writer and arranger of woman's programs of KGKO and WBAP, Fort Worth, Tex., has joined the English section of NBC's International Division, as a news writer.

GENE CHENAULT, formerly of KMJ, Fresno, Cal., is now program director of KFRE, that city. Del Forrest has been added to the announcing staff. Robert Davis has been made special events director of KFRE, with Miss Frances Quinn, war-program manager as well as director of women's programs.

LESLIE RADDATZ, in publicity department of NBC Hollywood, and Mona Bottrill of Los Angeles, were married Nov. 28 in Casa Grande, Ariz.

STOCKTON HELFFRICH, manager of NBC's continuity acceptance department, is father of a son born Dec. 6.

### Ensign Clinton Missing

ENSIGN JACK W. CLINTON, formerly of the CBS Junior Training Group, Hollywood, and recently on combat duty in the Solomon Islands, is reported missing by the Navy.

JOHN WOOLF, handling joint work in the program and announcing departments of KDYL, Salt Lake City, is now fulltime announcer. Dave Simmons, promotion manager, is assisting George Snell, continuity editor, on special assignments.

CAPT. WALLACE BEEBE, former announcer of KIT, Yakima, Wash., now with the Army somewhere in the Pacific, is the father of a boy.

MILLICENT POLLEY, formerly women's director and member of the sales staff of WBBF, Rock Island, Ill., has enlisted in the WAVES.

DURWARD KIRBY, BLUE staff announcer, and his wife, Mary Paxton, m.c. of *The Wishing Well*, on WBBM, Chicago, are parents of a son, born last week.

HENRY SCHACHT has left OWI in San Francisco to write, produce and voice a new agricultural program on KPO, San Francisco, which is scheduled to begin on the air about the first of the year.

BILL NEWELL, for seven months with the OWI in San Francisco, has rejoined KOMO-KJR, Seattle, in the news and special events department.

HOMER J. BLISS, education director of WHAM, Rochester, N. Y., and member of the Army Signal Corps reserve, was called for active duty December 8. Gordon Kestor, of the U of Rochester, will handle some of Bliss' announcing duties.

WILLIAM S. RAYBURN of the CBS sales promotion department, became the father of a boy Nov. 27.

DICK DE FREITAS, formerly chief announcer of WFAS, White Plains, N. Y., and previously of WAAT and the Alabama Network, has joined the announcing staff of WHN, New York.

GRACE HELLERSON, of the BLUE program department, has been appointed manager of the booking office of the BLUE, replacing Grace Gunderman, resigned. Geraldine Bohne has been named booking supervisor.