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Local U. S. Offices Bulging With Ex-Servicemen

Post-war goodies have certainly been favorable to the U.S. Immigration, Customs, Health, and Agriculture Departments of this district, with the return of twenty-six soldiers, sailors and marines.

When one looks at the large majority of ex-GI's compared with non-ex-GI's, one wonders how the services operated efficiently during the war without them. According to some of the officers stationed here during the war, "We just did the best we could while they were away."

Customs Leads
U. S. Customs seems to have received the largest number of returnees, with thirteen men. In the Customs patrol is ex-GI O. K. Dompier Jr., Army; A. H. W. Norton, Army; E. L. Hawn, Navy.

Men of Customs inspectors are: O. D. Allred, Navy; R. V. Cole, Marines; R. S. Jarvis, Marines; Thomas Jennings, Marines; T. W. Littleton, Navy; H. E. Burnett, Navy; D. V. Farias, Army; P. E. Houghtoling, Army; C. R. Nash, Marines; E. S. Buckley.

Immigration inspectors are riding high with five old men returned to the new set-up. They are: James S. Tillman, Army; Charles H. Wylson, Navy; Albert H. Howard, Marines; Troy Dillow, Army; and J. D. Halrston, Navy.

Most of the temporary appointees have been released; Mr. Graham of the Agriculture dept. says he is ready to return from whence he came—good old farm life. EX-GI's in the Agriculture dept. are: Frank A. Allan, Navy; Jack M. Darden, Paratrooper (better watch this guy; he's liable to be doing a little practice from the bridge) William C. Edgeworth, Army; John H. Gayden, Army; Carl Schweter of the Army.

Not to be left from the lime light are the men who stepped out of the Army Medical Corps; The men who picked up more spare names than any other branch of service. These noteworthy men are: Raul Garcia, Army AC; Ralph P. Rohrman, Army MC; Dr. A. W. Para, Army M.C.

It is the general opinion of the men in charge of these various sections that there are still more old men who will return to the service. However, comments one, there will also be a few who have developed an intense dislike for uniforms of any sort and likely will not return.

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