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After completing my sophomore year at SDSU I entered the Army in August 1942. I was assigned to the field artillery and remained in that section throughout my military service. We entered Normandy on June 24, 1944 and were in combat until May 5, 1945 when we met the Russians at the Elbe River near Magdeburg, Germany. I re-entered SDSU in February 1946 and received my degree in January 1948. I soon went to work for San Diego County and remained with that agency until my retirement in 1976. My wife and I moved to Escondido in 1951 where we raised our five children and where we still live. We have property near Mt. Shasta and usually spend our summers in that area.

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