

SSgt Raymond H. Ruch

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Keesler Field, Miss.—(Special)
—Pvt. Raymond H. Ruch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruch, 824 Fifteenth street, Oshkosh, Wis., today was graduated from the nation's greatest army air forces technical school here after an intensive 19-weeks course which prepared him to serve as an airplane mechanic "on the line."

Private Ruch's class, which numbered in the hundreds, will be dispersed among the many units of the army air forces to maintain and service Uncle Sam's planes.

S/Sgt. Raymond H. Ruch, 534 South Park avenue, entered service Jan. 8, 1942. He was with the 35th army air force base unit. His decorations include the American theater ribbon, good conduct medal and victory medal.

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Word has been received of the death Saturday of former Oshkosh resident Raymond H. Ruch, 62, College Station, Texas.

He was born Sept. 26, 1918, in Oshkosh, the son of Henry and Louise Ruch. He married Sylvia Goodson, June 28, 1943, in Tallahassee, Fla.

Mr. Ruch lived in Oshkosh until 1963. He had been employed as a carpenter for the Ben B. Ganther Co. for many years, and was past commander of the Cook-Fuller Post of the American Legion in Oshkosh.

Surviving are his widow; one son, Dan Ruch, Port Aransas, Texas; one brother, Dr. Carlton Ruch, Bryan, Texas; and one sister, Lorraine Witzke, Oshkosh.