

He'll Toot Horn for Uncle Sam



When Uncle Sam sent out a plea for musicians to join his Army in the Canal Zone the other day, he found a ready response in Albert J. Fisher, of 183 Garrison road, Williamsville, left above. Fisher, a trombone player, is shown being sworn into the Army by Capt. John Hopkins, local recruiting officer.

Uncle Sam, it seems, has fight-

ing men in abundance and is now seeking horn tooters and drum rollers. Fisher has had experience. He was a member of the 174th National Guard band for six years.

He will be sent to the recruit depot at Fort Slocum to await sailing on the transport Republic on April 29. In the Canal Zone he and his trombone will join the 14th Infantry band.

First to Get Ancient Order



The first medal awarded under the newly revived Order of the Purple Heart to arrive in Buffalo is being pinned on Warren E. Babcock (left) by Capt. John Hopkins, U. S. Army recruiting officer. The order was instituted by Washington during the Revolutionary war, when three of the medals were given.

Since then there have been no further awards until Feb. 22 of this year, Washington's 200th birthday anniversary, when the order was revived. All veterans wounded in action during the World war or holding a meritorious service certificate signed by Gen. Pershing are eligible to receive the medal.

Recruiting Chief Here

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Satisfied with the production and quality of recruits enlisted in the Buffalo district, Col. Douglas Potts, left, corps area recruiting officer,

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second corps area, Governor's Island, returned today, following his annual inspection here. Potts conferred with Capt. John Hopkins, recruiting officer of this district.