RETIRED from Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation with 34 years of dedicated service.

GRADUATED from Columbia High School and attended Hudson Valley Community College, Alfred University and Bard College.

WORLD WAR II, veteran recipient of numerous decorations including Bronze Star for performance beyond the normal call of duty.

Since 1955, has held numerous leadership positions locally, regionally and nationally in the American Legion. Among these offices have been: Post Commander of Melvin Roads Post #1231; Commander, Rensselaer County; Commander of Third District, Department of New York and Chairman, National World War II Commemoration, to mention just a few.

Has also committed his talents and energies in the local community and Capital District as a member of Boy Scouts of America; American Red Cross; East Greenbush Youth Council; East Greenbush School District; and Town of East Greenbush resulting in his receiving 'The Greenbush Award' for outstanding service.