

ILLINOIS BROTHER

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sailors. That was Thanksgiving Day. Next day a navy scouting plane brought rescuing boats and the shipwreck survivors were rushed to Panama. On one of the rescue boats was Lt. Comdr. E. R. DeShaw, Syracuse '22, who befriended Tuck and his crew. Tuck writes: "I was glad, of course, to find a brother—although I have a feeling he would have helped anyone else just as gladly and promptly—for he's that kind of man." After a week there, recovering from their ordeal, they were returned to this country.

Brother Tucker arrived at his home in Chicago on Christmas Eve, 1943, for a one-month furlough, and saw for the first time his daughter born on December 2, 1943.