

National Capital's Top Cop One of Our Hometown Boys

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by officials in several instances for his assistance in clearing this case. On August 24, 1946, Det. Sgt. Sullivan engaged in a running gun battle with a wanted murderer—one William H. McLaughlin. Sgt. Sullivan was successful in shooting McLaughlin down, but not before one of McLaughlin's bullets had found its mark in Sgt. Sullivan's hand.

Det. Sgt. Sullivan was commend-

ed by the Major and Superintendent of Police for the shooting of McLaughlin. It would be impossible to enumerate all the major cases in which Det. Sgt. Sullivan was a moving figure. In 1947 he was ordered to attend the Washington Police Academy, and on June 7, 1947, he was graduated from this intensive course in the detection and prevention of crime.

On March 25, 1952, Det. Sgt. Sullivan was put in command of the Sex Squad and was shortly named as an acting lieutenant. On February 10, 1954, Acting Lt. Sullivan became a full lieutenant as a result of a highly competitive examination he had taken under the Civil Service Commission rules and regulations.

Lieutenant Sullivan became eligible for examination for promotion to Captain. He took the examination and was among the top three on the list for promotion. On November 27, 1958, he was promoted to Captain.

Captain Sullivan's record shows he has received 53 commendations among which is a personal commendation from J. Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; a commendation from the Commissioners' Committee of Awards for Meritorious Service; meritorious mention and Certificate; a commendation and reward from the United States Army for the apprehension of a deserter, and many commendations from grateful citizens.

Captain Sullivan is the Chairman of the Research and Planning Committee of the National Conference of Police Associations and also serves on the Retirement Committee, the Professionalization Committee and the Public Information Committee.

He was the personal representative of the Metropolitan Policemen Association at the Sixth annual Conference from June 30 to July 4, 1958, at Detroit, Mich. He is past Vice-President of the Policeman's Association of the District of Columbia and as such represented the association at the annual conference which was held in San Francisco, Calif., during 1957.

He is past president of the Shepherd Park Lions club which enjoys the distinction of counting among its members prominent judges, lawyers, bankers and business men. He is a member of the Board of the Membership Committee of the Elks club.

Captain Sullivan has also earned an enviable reputation as a lecturer in the past several years having been invited by a number of representative organizations such as the Professional and Business Women's club, the entire student body and working staff of the new Washington Medical Center Hospital, and others, to address these groups on

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police matters from both an informative and an instructive standpoint.

Captain and Mrs. Sullivan have a son and a daughter, and four lovely grandchildren.

Such is the report on John L. Sullivan that the Mirror received from Washington. If you ask us, it's a record good enough to rate Johnnie a prominent spot on any newspaper's front page. That's where he belongs, and that's where we're placing him this morning.

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A SAFE AND CONVENIENT WAY to store garden tools is to stick them into a tray or box of sand mixed with a small amount of crank case oil. The sand and oil mixture cleans the tools and helps preserve the metal and they are kept rust-free.

LEMON JUICE AND SALT rubbed into your breadboard at frequent intervals will keep it fresh-smelling and white. This makes a

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