






Pharmacist's Mate Third Class USN Hellen Twit (Arlene) graduated from Slater High School in 1942. She felt the need to contribute and do her part for the war effort so she enlisted in the Navy on November 11, 1943. She was trained first in New York, then went on to Bethesda Naval Hospital where a women's training school had been established, then on to Farragut Naval Hospital in Idaho. She was discharged June 30, 1945. Arlene married a patient from the Farragut Hospital, Joe Blackburn, who was lost in the Cascades in 1946.

Pharmacist's Mates are petty officers who, under the direction of medical officers, administer medical assistance treatment, and services to naval personnel. They may serve in the sick bay or dispensary of a ship or shore station, at a naval hospital or on a hospital ship. She became Arlene Twit Jacobson when she married

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Hellen Arlene TWIT	
Having completed the Navy Training Course	
for <u>Hospital Apprentice First Class and Pharmacist's Mate Third Class</u> with a	
mark of <u>3.9</u> , and all required practical factors for Petty Officer <u>Third</u> class	
and for the rating of <u>Pharmacist's Mate</u> in accordance	
with articles D-5202 and D- <u>5239 & 5240</u> Bureau of Naval Personnel Manual,	
is awarded this certificate this <u>17th</u> day of <u>May</u> , 19 <u>44</u> .	
Notation to this effect has been made in his service record.	
 C. SCOTT	 H. G. HARDING
Ensign W-V(S)(HC) USNR U. S. NAVY	Captain (MC) U. S. NAVY
Educational Division Officer.	Commanding U. S. Naval Hospital, Farragut, Idaho
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