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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Holy communion.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wesnesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

During the absence from Columbus of Rabbi Rosenthal, no Jewish services will be held at the Post.

Chaplain Wood will have charge of the 10:30 services on Sunday at the Protestant Chapel, assisted by Chaplain Reynolds. Holy communion will be administered at the close of the service.

Chaplain Futcher left this week for Walter Reed Hospital for treatment.

Chaplain White is leaving for Savannh Later the Chaplain will be located at Milledgeville, Ga.

Chaplain Lennan returned last week from leave and will have charge of the services at the Catholic Chapel. Father Moylan cared for the services during the absence of Chaplain Lennan.

Chaplain Gray is returning to Fort Benning with the troops from Camp McClellan.

The Chaplain's Conference will meet at the Protestant Chapel on Tuesday morning at 9:30.

Chaplain Reynolds who comes this week for duty at this Post, has been

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## OFFICERS MAY NOT BE ELIMINATED

### REMEDIAL BILL INTRODUCED IN CONGRESS.

Representative Charles F. Curry has introduced a bill in Congress known as H. R. 12398), the purpose of which is to so amend legislative action providing for the drastic reduction in the officers personnel as to make it possible to retain in the Service officers who have been or will be slated for elimination. The sense of the bill is to reduce the number to be eliminated from 1349 to 524, officers of the line.

In a statement given out by Mr. Curry he is quoted as saying, "After reading General Pershing's letter to the Committee on Appropriations I carefully investigated the matter, and I am fully convinced a very serious error has been made by the Congress —an error which strikes at our national defense policy in a vulnerable spot. If it is not immediately corrected we cannot hope to recover from its effects in years." All of which leads to the belief that the pendulum is beginning to swing back and that it is only a matter of a short time before the "open season" on the Regular Army will be closed.

The following table shows in concise form the differences in the provisions of the Act of June 30, 1922, and Mr. Curry's bill:

| | Act of June 30th | Under H. R. 12398 |
|---|---|---|
| Colonels | 149 | 99 |
| Lieut. Colonels | 90 | 92 |
| Majors | 616 | 466 |
| Captains | 1235 | 935 |
| First Lieutenants | 59 | 0 |
| Total | 2149 | 1592 |
| Maximum who may be held as additional or demote | 800 | 1068 |
| Minimum elimination | 1349 | 524 |

## Attractions Coming To Post Theatre

The Post Theatre and its branches offers the following program for the week September 3rd to 9th inclusive:

**Sunday, September 3rd.**

"Crack Your Heels," a comedy by Lloyd.

"Just Around the Corner," a Cosmopolitan production.

**Monday, September 4th.**

"Getting Even," a comedy by Mutt and Jeff.

"Bought and Paid For," (Holt).

**Tuesday, September 5th.**

"Assorted Heroes," comedy by Campbell.

"Conquest of Canaan" (Meighan).

**Wednesday, September 6th.**

"The Messenger," a comedy (Aubrey).

"Behind Masks," (Dalton).

**Thursday, September 7th.**

Fox News.

"Male and Female," a Su[illegible] ial production.

**Friday, September 6th.**

Pathe Review.

"Lose No Time," a comedy by Hal Roach.

"The Little Minister" (Compson).

**Saturday, September 9th.**

Sports Pictorial.

"The Man From Home" (Kirkwood).

**Schedule of Shows:**

Colored Theatre—6:15 p. m.
29th Infantry—7:00 p. m.
Post Theatre—7:30 p. m.
Admission—Adults, 15 cents, or one USAMP coupon. Children, 10 cents.

The opening of the 29th Infantry branch theatre has relieved the congested condition at the Post Theatre and there is now room for everybody. The attention of the garrison is invited to the fact that this post is participating in the profits of the theatre. The proceeds, temporarily, will be applied on the completion of the new theatre. When finished this theatre will have the largest seating capacity of any theatre in the South

POLO TENNIS

# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

It is too early to predict what is going to happen in connection with the Infantry School football team. A large amount of good material will be available for the coach this year and it has been predicted that a better team than the one of 1921 will be in the field. Those who saw the Infantry School machine in action during the latter port of the football season last year will admit that it could hold its own with any of the Southern teams. Some of the old players will be back this year and with these as a nucleus the team should be good.

Last year there were a number of teams organized among the organizations on the post. The 29th Infantry had three, the 15th Tanks had one, the 83rd Artillery had one, and the I. S. D. (Col.) had one. This season it is probable that each battalion of the 29th Infantry will have a team, that a team will be organized in each battalion of the 24th Infantry, and that the 15th Tanks and 83rd Artillery will each have a representative team. Last year the 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry, won the post championship from the Tanks. This year the latter organization intends to avenge their defeat and have already begun light practice. The games between these different outfits will be played on the new football field being constructed between Service Club No. 1 and Wold avenue.

## POLO.

Polo, which was temporarily abandoned during the period while most of the players were away on leave, has again been started and games are played every Sunday between the Freebooters, 83rd Artillery, and 29th Infantry teams.

The plans for the formation of a polo association to be composed of various polo clubs have been completed and arrangements have been perfected for the playing of games every Wednesday and Sunday afternoon during the coming school year.

New horses have been added to the present strings and these animals, while still green, are showing cons erable promise. The outlook for most successful year is bright.


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## BOXING.

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Some wanted to organize a boxing union and sell membership cards good for one month, three months, or six months; others wanted to assess all organizations, a certain amount per month; still others wanted to have the Post Exchange donate sufficient funds each month for the financing of the bouts. Practically every plan was suggested from highway robbery to house breaking but none seemed exactly practical.

The status of these bouts is still in doubt but it is believed that there is more than a possibility of their being renewed in the near future.

In the event that these bouts are made possible the following card has been suggested—suggested only, understand:

Peck vs. Tenner, ten 3-minute rounds.

Twyman vs. Athens, eight 2-minute rounds.

Sebukaty vs Dundee (6th Cav.) eight 2-minute rounds.

Earle vs. Grantham, six 2-minute rounds.

Keenan vs. Head, four 2-minute rounds.

Cup fight (Five dusky huskies). Winner take all.

"Tiger" Flowers, of Atlanta, is willing to meet Troupe, of the 24th Infantry. Troupe is more than willing to meet Flowers and such a fight would keep the crowd on its toes. Budd, of Atlanta, also wants a go here with some good man. It may be possible to accommodate him some time in the future.

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The following rules governing players have been recommended and will probably be adopted with but minor changes before this goes to press:

1. All courts will be reserved for officers only on the afternoons of Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday. On all other days the courts will be so reserved after 3:30 p. m.

2. Only tennis shoes, without heels, will be worn ou the courts.

3. No court near the Post Flag Pole, in front of the Commanding General's quarters, or in Block 16, will be played upon whenever an orange colored pennant is displayed on a flag staff near the courts located in the vicinity of the Post Flag Pole. The same rule will apply in the case of courts near Block 23 except that an additional orange flag will be hoisted especially for these courts.

4. Courts will be in condition for play expect as noted in Rule 3 but when a particular court is posted with a sign reading "Keep Off—Court Under Repair," the court so posted is not to be used.

5. When players are waiting to play then single matches will be expected to invite the waiting players to play doubles or else to use the court time about; if still others are waiting to play (when all courts are occupied with double matches) then no double matches will continue for more than one consecutive set without inviting the waiting players to use the court or form a new match.

6. Players will be expected to wear a correct tennis costume. Undershirts, O. D. breeches without leggins, and similar clothing is not considered to be in keeping with the atiquette of the game.

7. Nets will be loosened by players last to leave the courts.

8. Special rules will govern tournament play.

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## Purpose of The News.

In making its initial appearance before the military and civilian population of Fort Benning and Columbus the Fort Benning News announces its policy as being that of fostering athletics and recreational activities generally. Its mission will be to bring more closely together, in order that the pleasant relations between the civilian and military population may continue to exist, the people of Fort Benning and Columbus. This will be brought about in a business way by the publication of advertising matter furnished by the business men of Columbus; in a social way by the publication of social news of interest to both the military and civilian population.

With the belief that it is better to start in a modest way and grow than to start on a large scale and suddenly collapse, The News will at first be but a minature newspaper. As it continues to grow it will extend the scope of its activities until it finally reaches the magnitude of a full-grown paper.

Letters of local interest pertaining to social or recreational activities are invited. These must necessarily be in condensed form. News notes of interest are especially invited. If there is some manner in which the paper may be made better the information should be in the hands of the editor. The readers of the paper know what they want and they should make their wishes known.

In connection with the advertising carried by The News the military [illegible] urged to patronize the [illegible] people of Columbus who [illegible] their interest by in[illegible] in advertising. It [illegible] that this paper can grow and become a credit to Fort Benning. The Military personnel, whose interests The News represents, can show their appreciation no better than by reciprocation in the matter of buying.

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A number of student officers and instructors who live in Columbus and make daily trips to Fort Benning in their cars are making complimentary remarks about the Columbus-Fort Benning road. Some of them seem to be of the opinion that officers making this trip—especially those who drive flivvers—should be excused from taking the prescribed course in athletics which is part of the Infantry School curriculum. Their contention is that their efforts in trying to stay inside their car is sufficient instruction in acrobatics. One Officer tried to get the number of bumps with a pace counter. He ran the thing over 999 twice and finally lost the little device when an unusually large bump sent him through the top of the sedan. This happened before he got to Bull Creek from Columbus. He then tried to keep the number of bumps in his head but by the time he reached the Fort he was a raving maniac. While th esurgeons were working on him he was heard to mutter, "Two billions, three hundred and fifty seven millions, nine hundred and thirty-six thousand, eight hundred and sixty-two." He could not stop counting and in this manner the Service lost another promising young officer.


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# SOCIAL NOTES

The hot weather has tended to reduce social activities on the Post to a minimum. With the exception of the bi-weekly officers' hop and the weekly Service Club dance, social activities have been confined to small, informal dinners and informal card parties.

While the officers' hops have been gradually falling off in attendance on account of the large number of officers away on leave, the Service Club dances have been steadily growing in attendance and last Wednesday evening it was necessary to hold the dance in Biglerville Hall in order to accomodate the crowd. The occasion was a marked success. The Service Club Dance Committee is considering a plan whereby the enlisted personnel of the Post may build their own dance pavilion. Biglerville Hall is going to be used for a mess hall and will not be available for use. It has been proposed to build a pavilion on the same general plan as the 15th Tank Battalion's log hut but on a much larger scale. When definite plans have been submitted they will be published in the News.

## CHAPEL NOTES.

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on duty at the Training Camp at Fort Barrancas, Fla., during the summer. Chaplain Reynolds was commissioned a Chaplain in the National Army in August, 1918, and came into the Regular Army in July, 1920.

### SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Parents are urged to send their children to one of the Sunday schools of the Fort (Protestnat at the Protestant Chapel at 9:30 a. m., Roman Catholic at Roman Catholic Chapel at 9 a. m.) Busses make the rounds of the garrison to collect children and to return them after Sunday school.

### PRAYERS.

Evenings at 9:20, just preceding "tattoo" (lights out), a little group of men gather at the Chaplain's office for "family worship" or "evening prayers." A hymn is sung, the Chaplain reads three or four verses of Scripture and leads in prayer and then all unite in the Lord's prayer. Many men are being helped by this quiet little service.

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# EXTRACTS FROM ARMY ORDERS

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Those who desire to entertain incoming officers until they can find quarters should notify Major W. H. Walker. "When a feller needs a friend" is the time he is looking for quarters.

Officers on leave reporting at a new station are entitled to the rental allowance during their period of leave provided they vacate their quarters for this period. Reporting from leave at the same station the officer is not entitled to the allowance even though he vacate his quarters.

A new road has been opened up between Vibbert avenue, in front of Post Headquarters, and Jenks avenue. This road should be used by traffic coming from Lumpkin Road and proceeding to the West end of the Post in order to avoid conjestion at the street intersection near Post Headquarters.

## 3RD BATTALION, 29TH INFANTRY TO BECOME INACTIVE

Pursuant to instructions, the 3rd Battalion, 29th Infantry will be made inactive—the 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry being designated as its "Active Associate."

The enlisted personnel of the "inactive associate" battalion will be absorbed, so far as practicable, by transfer to other organizations in the regiment.

Beginning with the next issue of this paper the Regimental Chaplain will commence in this column, the publication of a history of the 29th. As much as we have space for will be published each week. So—get a scrap-book; clip and paste in the articles as they appear; then see that you do not miss a single issue of the paper. The articles will be numbered.

Among former members of the Regiment ordered to Fort Benning either as instructors or students are the following:

Lt. Col. Frank B. Hawkins, Majors C. W. Mason, Carroll B. Hodges, Harrison McAlpine, Francis R. Fuller Captain Clifford A. Gray.

Lieutenants R. W. Douglas, Jr., and C. Mehegan, of the 1922 class of West Point, have been assigned to the 29th.

The "Chaplain's Bulletin, 29th Infantry," heretofore published at private expense, will be discontinued after the next issue. All items of interest to the Regiment will be found either in this column or in the Chaplain's column.


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## TWENTY-NINTH INFANTRY NEWS.

This column is intended for items of interest to members and friends of the Regiment. The Regimental Chaplain has been asked to edit it. To make the column what it should be it is important that all co-operate with the Chaplain. All members of the Regiment, commissioned and enlisted, are urged to assist in the gathering of news. Items for publication must reach the Chaplain by Wednesday noon each week.

The Second Battalion commences its homeward march at the end of this week. The route selected by Major Williams is as follows:

First day, Camp McClellan to Heflin (through Oxford). Second day to Beason's Mill. Third day to Wedowee. Fourth day to Roanoke. Fifth day to Chattahoochee River on Roanoke-LaGrange Road. Sixth day to LaGrange on LaGrange-Hamilton Road. Seventh day to Hamilton. Eighth day to Cataula. Ninth day to Columbus, north side on Hamilton Road. Tenth day to Fort Benning.

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## What the Papers Say About Cutting Down the Army

Some of the newspapers who are championing the cause of the Army are becoming outspoken in their editorials and the following recently appeared in the Brooklyn Standard Union under date of August 12th:

"It is certainly too bad if the War Department cannot get second lieutenants. But, is it surprising? Nobody wants to be a second lieutenant all his life. And at the same time this urgent call is sent out from subalterns discharges are being handed out wholesale to hundreds of higher officers who reached their present rank by hard study and application and years of faithful service.

Of course, this is not the fault of the War Department, nor of any Army officer. Congress cut down the appropriation and passed a law reducing the personnel. * * * At the time this legislation was enacted there was a widespread feeling that the way to protect this country from the dangers of foreign war was to abolish the Army and Navy altogether. So the scrapping and chucking out began.

We must be getting safer and safer every minute. If this keeps on until we have discharged every officer above the grade of second lieutenant, and are unable to get any second lieutenants, surely all our foreign foes will curl up and die of chagrin and we shall be forever safe from the horrors of foreign war."

Here is another good one. It comes from the Chicago Tribune of August 8th:

"Congress should have taken a more prominent part in the 'No More War' demonstration of July 29th, and its members should have paraded the streets of Washington bearing banners. Mr. Bryan's policy of defense by the million armed springers is fore firmly established after the war than before it, and Congress wishes them to spring without the interference of much leadership."

(Note: The News does not publish the above except in a spirit of levity. This paper has nothing to do with politics and is fostering athletics. In view of the fact that somebody has said that the use of the Army as a political football is the most interesting outdoor sport at the present time, however, it is believed that such items have a place in our columns.)

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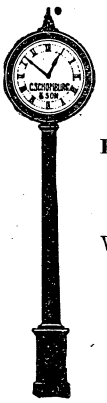
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In another column of this paper mention is made of a bill introduced in Congress by Representative Curry in connection with reducing the number of officers to be eliminated. Washington dispatches advise that Major General Harbord and Representatives Anthony and Curry have urged the Congress to take immediate action in the matter. In view of the fact that Representative Anthony is reported to be behind the request there seems to be more than a probability of the requested consideration of the Curry bill taking place.

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At the earliest date that the data is available the names and addresses of officers living in the city of Columbus will be published in these columns.

Speaking of good roads again, why wouldn't it be a paying proposition to have an electric car line from Columbus to Fort Benning? It appears to have been for both Camp Gardon and Camp Jackson and those were but temporary camps. On Saturdays and Sundays especially the cars would be crowded by sightseers bound for the Fort and with the military personnel going to Columbus. Around the latter part of the month when the aggregate wealth of the Post—for a very short time—is something like a quarter of a million dollars (or some other vast sum) a street car company would have to call out all their extra cars and the Columbus merchants would have to hire more clerks. There are mighty few people who would not be willing to pay ten cents, or maybe more, for such a trip and just think of the convenience it would be! We have not much extra money for investment purposes but we, for one, are willing to take stock in such an enterprise.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 137; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

Chaplain Wood will have charge of and preach at the morning service at the Protestant Chapel on Sunday and Chaplain Gray will have the evening service.

Chaplain Gray teaches the Men's Bible class at the Protestant Sunday school.

Commencing this Sunday Chaplain Reynolds who is on duty with the 24th Infantry, will have morning services at 11 o'clock.

Chaplain Reynolds' family arrived this week.

Chaplain White and family left this week for Tarboro, N. C.

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## EDITOR'S NOTE

**....Space was reserved in The News last week for several organizations News Items that did not show up, and as they came in this week after the space had all been taken they will appear in next week's issue.**

## Welcome to Incoming Student Officers

**JUST OPEN UP THE OLD BEDDING ROLL AND MAKE YOURSELVES AT HOME.**

A hand of friendly greeting is extended to those officers who have arrived and who are arriving today. Those of you who were overseas and had rats and cooties for bed fellows are pretty good sportsmen and you are going to take what you get—or have to go after—with a grin. Those of you who have been stationed at permanent posts will not find your quarters attractive unless you live in Columbus and you will find the road to the Fort less attractive.

Apologies are not being offered for conditions here because everything possible has been done and is being done for the comfort of those coming in. That biggest of all handicaps, lack of funds, has been experienced ever since the day when the first students came in and had to live in tents with just room enough for the lady and the kiddies to find a place to put a cot. About seven million dollars were required to make Fort Benning what it should be but last year the Post got an appropriation of about $400,000.00. Some day there are going to be quarters enough for everybody and they are going to be brick quarters, but in the meantime everybody must remember the Doughboy slogan, "Follow Me," and make the most of a trying situation.

To incoming ladies especially, a welcome is extended. Very few of the ladies' husbands who will not hear the remark, "I refuse to live in such a place," when the prospective lodgings are reviewed for the first time. After the first outburst, however, the situation will be sized up, plans made, friendships formed—and this is the important feature—and things will not seem so bad after all.

There is an officer's hop to go to every Friday evening, polo games every Sunday, a bridge battle every Thursday afternoon, football on the Post every Wednesday and Sunday and in Columbus nearly every Saturday, and various small dinners and card parties to fill in with between times. Taken as a whole, everybody has an opportunity to have a pretty good time along with the hard work necessary to complete the course.

In addition to all of the above, you have an avenue through which you may tell the world of your troubles. This is the "Knockers Column" on another page of this paper. This column was created with the sole end in view of giving you an opportunity to relieve the pressure without liability to court martial. In extending this welcome an invitation is offered to work the Knockers Column overtime.

Again we bid you welcome.

## Many Demotions; Few Eliminations

**REPRESENTATIVE CURRY, OF CALIFORNIA DESERVES THANKS OF ARMY.**

The Curry-Anthony bill, amending the officers elimination features of the Army Appropriation act of June 30, 1922, was favorably reported to the House Aug. 31. The House, by a vote of 180 to 35, passed the bill without change on Sept. 1. A duplicate bill has been reported to the Senate the same day. On motion of Mr. Wadsworth the House bill (H.R. 12493), was substituted for the Senate bill, was reported to the Senate without amendment, ordered to a third reading and passed without a dissenting voice.

The Curry-Anthony bill would not now be a law if it had not received the support of Representative Chas. F Curry, of California. The critical period was reached when the House Committeee on Military Affairs was considering the two bills in executive session, Aug. 31, at the close of the hearings.

At that time if Mr. Curry had insisted upon his bill as introduced a fight would have ensued which would have at least postponed action and with the crowded condition of the calendar of both Houses might have defeated the bill.

When the committee went into executive session a majority of the members were in favor of the Curry bill, but there was not a quorum present when the time came for the committee to act. One of the supporters of the Anthony bill announced that he would raise the point of no quorum if an attempt was made to report the Curry bill favorably. This information was communicated to Mr. Curry and he declared that he would be satisfied if the Anthony bill was reported with certain amendments, which were agreed to by the committee. Mr. Curry made it plain that what he was seeking was action, and he did not propose that the fact that he had introduced the original bill should interfere with prompt action on the part of Congress.

This cleared the way for the prompt action that was taken by both the Senate and the House. Mr. Curry not only consented to this action in the House Military Committee, but he went on the floor of the House and supported the Anthony bill, as amended.

The Dickman board is authorized to take care of all of the surplus in the grades of major, captain and second lieutenant by demotion. By such a policy there will be something like 2,000 demotions. The amendment of the law provides that demoted officers will not have their pay and allowances reduced. They will simply lose rank. They will not lose their position on the promotion list.

## Commanding Gen'l Home From Leave

General Gordon has returned from leave and has assumed command of the Post. Although leave of absence is granted primarily for the purpose of allowing officers to get away from their duties and spend a certain amount of time in recreation which will get them fit for again taking up their work with renewed vigor, the General did not forget the worries of some of his subordinates while he was away. He spent some valuable time in getting, among other things, some badly needed equipment for the new theatre at Fort Benning. As a result of the personal efforts of Gen. eral Gordon in this connection the theatre will be in operation and will be better equipped at a much earlier time than was thought would be possible before the equipment and material was secured.

**INFANTRY SCHOOL OPENS ON MONDAY, OCT. 2.**

The Infantry School will open this year on Oct. 1, but due to the fact that this is Sunday, the school will officially open Oct. 2. There will be two courses. One, which will be known as the company officers' course, was formerly divided into the basic course and company commanders' course. The other is the advanced course. This was formerly known as the fiield officers' course.

In addition to the above there will be the special courses consisting of a course in communications and other phases of instruction.

The refresher course for field officers, it is expected, will be conducted along the lines heretofore followed for that course.

The National Guard and Reserve officers' course will be conducted from Nov. 1 to Jan. 31. About seventy-five National Guard officers and eighteen Reserve officers are expected to attend this course.

# Knockers' Column

September 10, 1922

To the Editor of 'Fort Benning News'

What have you agin' the Medical Corps?

Being the wife of a rather overworked member of that despised corps of pill pushers, I protest most forcibly.

I see no space in your paper reserved for the medical corps. It does't seem quite just that this very important organization should be so ignored—an organization, whose members gladly "dig in" when asked to support various camp activities, athletic or social.

Did you peruse the year book of last year's graduating class of the Infantry School? I defy anyone to find one line in that book devoted to the medicos! One line to tell of the splendid work these men are doing here! Yet what other corps was so treated?

Even Calculator and two brother hounds occupied one whole page and then some! We'll admit those three animals contributed an important item to class history. The medical officer who was dragged out of bed in the wee small hours to listen to the groans and moans of these stoical soldiers, didn't count a line's worth.

There! That's off my chest! It's been there ever since June when I first read the year book; and when I saw your paper with its "This Space Reserved for 15th Tank Battalion News," "This Space Reserved for Military Police Co. Notes," etc., etc., I just exploded. Do you wonder?

What have you agin' the Medical Corps?

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(Editor's Note:—Letters like the above come up to the standard for printing in this column and this letter is particularly welcome. On the face of it the letter might sound like somebody was after the editor's scalp but when the following explanation is offered it is believed that this correspondent will appreciate the situation.)

On August 31 the Daily Bulletin of that date, in Paragraph 5, states and directs:

"If preliminary arrangements can be completed the first issue of the Fort Benning News will be mailed on Saturday, September 2nd.

"It is desirable that every unit on the Post be represented in the first issue. For this reason unit commanders will designate an officer to furnish the Post A & R Officer with news items pertaining to the unit concerned. These must be in the A & R Office by Thursday morning of each week."

The issue of September 1st was published in due time but nary a news item appeared from the units which should have been interested. Realizing that the order quoted above went out rather close to the date of publication the editor made due allowances for the fact that possibly insufficient time was given the correspondents and lived in hopes that the second issue would develop plenty of good reading matter. No such matter had been received just prior to going to press and, with the end in view of dropping a gentle hint to the units which had failed to let us know what they were doing, we hurriedly wrote out an incomplete list of the units on the post and told the printer to publish their names with space reserved for future articles. We have no method of compelling people to send us news but the space is reserved for them and, judging from the furor caused by the reservations of space made last week, we cannot but believe that there will be news supplied in the future.

The above letter, which was written by a lady, is gladly printed as this gave us an opening we would not have otherwise had. The suggestion is made respectfully to this lady, and other ladies on the Post, that they use their influence with the male members of their families to get action in this connection. The means to be employed is not suggested by us as this is a matter of interior administration. The assistance of the ladies is especially requested in getting social news to us. These items may be telephoned to either Phone 146 or Phone 72, Post.

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**Extracts From Remarks Recently Overheard By Editor**

"I declare I do wish somebody would do something about the way the drivers give you short measure on ice. Today I ordered fifty lbs. and I am positive what I got did not fill one corner of the refrigerator. Of course I know the ice melts some between the ice plant and the quarters but it doesn't seem to me that we ought to have to pay for what melts. Goodness knows they charge enough for their ice. Somebody ought to say something to the quartermaster about this, don't you think so?"

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## TWENTY-NINTH INFANTRY NEWS.

Football practice will commence the first of the week. There will be three battalion teams. Some splendid material is available and it is believed that the regiment can put on the field three strong teams. Let everyone help.

On Saturday evening of this week, (Sept. 16) the loyalty club of the regiment will have a sociable gathering at the regimental library tents from 7 to 9. This will be in the nature of a re-union of the club and also a farewell to members of the 29th about to be discharged. Everyone is invited to be present. Drop in for a few minutes.

While the old saying "like father, like son" may truly be applied to a military organization, whether it be brigade, regiment or company, there is however, a world of truth in the statement made by one of the speakers in addressing the men of the regiment about to be discharged: "..The regiment during your service in it is very largely what you have made it. If you have given your best—service, talent, interest, thought—it is a better outfit than the day you joined. If you have not,—then—."

It is good to have the second battalion at home again. Once more the entire regiment is together.

The regimental library tents received a large number of books recently. Here the men of the regiment will also find the best magazines, plenty of regimental writing material, games, a cozy place and friends. The chaplain can be found in his office at the library tents almost every evening except Monday. We have a "Sing" every Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p. m.

Don't fail to read and keep the articles on the History of the 29th, published in another column.

Colonel Goodale returned from leave on Wednesday.

Major Heidt has been assigned to duty with G-4 as Post Police Officer.

Lieutenants C. V. Allan and H. N. Hartness have been ordered to attend Columbia university.

2nd Lieutenants Douglas and Mehegan joined this week.

Lieut. Dismuke has been detailed on special duty in the office of G-3.

Lieut. C. A. Smith has been detailed on special duty with the 15th Tank Batalion.

Lieut. Murphy has been detailed on special duty with the 3rd Batt. 24th Inf.


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## History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 2.**

Lt. Col. T. F. Forbes was the first lieutenant colonel of the regiment, being assigned to it March 21, 1901. The first majors were Leonard A. Lovering, Carver Howland and William P. Evans.

Captains H. R. Perry and Robert H. Allen were assigned to the regiment in April, 1901. Captain F. D. Ely was appointed commissary officer

In April, May, June and July the second lieutenants who were assigned and joined were: 2nd Lts. John B. Barnes, E. G. McCleave, H. A. Wells, R. E. Beebe, H. S. Stevenson, E. O. Saunders, James L. Craig William R. Leonard, George E. Price, Frank W. Dawson, Clarence H. Farnham. Before the end of the year, this number was increased by the assignment of 2nd Lts. Wilford Twyman and Robert O. Patterson.

The first lieutenants for the regiment joined in June, August and September and were: ..1st Lts Jas. D. Reams, Frederick R. De Fumiak, Jr., George E. Ball, Ernest E. Haskell, William H. Waldron, R. P. Rifenberick, Jr., H. Watterson, Jr., F. W. Healy, Charles L. Willard, Edward Y. Miller, Frank H. Burton, Albert B. Sloan, Alpha T. Easton, Alfred W. Bjornstad, and Paul C. Galleher.

Captains W. A. Raibourn, Albers S. Brookes, Frank H. Whitman and Frederick W. Lewis were added to the roster of the regiment.

Upon the retirement of Colonel Van Horne in Oct. 1921, Colonel William Auman was assigned to the 29th

Under date of July 23, 1901 occurs the following entry:

"1st Battalion, 14 officers, 393 enlisted men left Fort Sheridan, Ill., at 6 a. m., by rail for Columbus barracks, Ohio, arriving at 9 p. m., same date." This became the station of the first battalion.

In October " the second and third battalions participated in three days practice marches and field exercises in the vicinity of Fort Sheridan, Ill., distances covered, 45 miles by each battalion."

The strength of the regiment on Dec. 31, 1901, was 46 officers and 1233 enlisted men, a total of 1279.

It is interesting to the older members of the regiment as well as to old men of the army to read over the list of officers above and to trace their splendid records in the years that have followed.

(Note: The chaplain will greatly appreciate the help of former members of the regiment in preparation of these articles. Many interesting items have been omitted, undoubtedly from the official records that would be of value in compiling these notes. Any items that will enlarge upon the history will be gratefully accepted by the chaplain and used in later articles.)


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When the first issue of The News was published the fact was announced that it would start on a small scale and endeavor to grow. After the first issue the amount of copy on hand for the second issue together with the advertising contracts secured indicated that an eight page paper was not going to be large enough. As a result the paper was increased to sixteen pages because of the fact that technical difficulties in the matter of printing made it appear impracticable to publish a twelve page paper. The sixteen page paper is a little too large and it is believed that a happy medium has been reached with the paper in its present form. Unless something unforseen happens The News will be continued in its present form.

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THE ENQUIRER-SUN'S edition of last Sunday was not only a credit to that paper but it was an interesting outline of business development in the South. All of which suggests the idea, indirectly, that all elements of a community or section are dependent upon each other for progress.

To get closer home, both Fort Benning and Columbus are dependent upon each other. Some of us of the military personnel are prone to remark something like this, "If it wasn't for Fort Benning where would Columbus be?" As a matter of fact Columbus managed in some way to worry along without a military post in her vicinity for almost one hundred years. Those of us who belong to the military can not afford to be too independent in this connection because, while it is a fact that Columbus has materially benefitted in a financial way because of the proximity of Fort Benning, the city has other sources of income and is not solely dependent upon our support for progress. Like wise neither can Columbus act too independent of the financial support being received from Fort Benning because this does run up into big figures within the course of six months or a year.

All of which suggests that by working together the military and civilian population of any community can be of mutual benefit. Columbus merchants and business men can, by establishing a reputation for fair dealing in the matter of prices, etc., open up channels of advertising for the city, through the hundreds of officers who leave the Infantry School each year, which, if paid for by space rates in current newspapers, would soon run up into thousands of dollars. Officers, by impressing these business people with their courtesy and by their showing an interest in things local, can gain badly needed support in a political way at a time when such support is necessary.

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AN OFFICER of high rank remarked to the editor recently that he had no idea The News would get the amount of advertising it has received. He was informed that the class of people who advertise with this paper are "live wires" and readily see the possibilities opened up to them by such advertising.

Our advertisers have executed advertising contracts on purely a business basis; on the same basis it is up to the military personnel to give them preference when buying. The business man who is progressive enough to advertise knows that he has to deliver the goods when it comes to the matter of making a sale. For this reason the person who buys from, or has dealings with, this business man stands a better show of getting value received than when trading with the man who has done no advertising and consequently has no claims to live up to. This point might be worth considering the next time the Army lady goes to Columbus on a shopping tour.

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THE NEWS does not feel that it is getting proper support from the members of the garrison. Last week a certain amount of space which had been reserved for units on the post remained vacant because the units concerned appeared to have no interest in getting items of interest from their unit to the editor. It should be understood that this paper is being run for and by military personnel. Co-operation is necessary to make it a success. It is not desirable that the buck should be passed to one man to run the whole thing. The one man might satisfactorily supervise the workings of the paper as a whole but he has to have help in the matter of news gathering. Send in your news items so as to reach the A. & R. Office not later than each Thursday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

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BOUQUETS may or may not be in order in so far as The News throwing them at itself is concerned, but it is considered worthy of mention, with all due modesty, that a certain officer requested 200 additional copies, for distribution, of the last issue. Unfortunately, the regular distribution exhausted all but about 75 copies and these were furnished. It was understood that the additional 200 copies were to be mailed away from here to individuals in the Service. This could have meant that either a vile scheme was in the process of hatching the ultimate end of which

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was to eliminate The News or that the paper had enough merit to warrant its being given wider distribution than the ordinary channels. Being of an optimistic nature we have assumed—again with due modesty—that the latter hypothesis is correct.

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THE POLO GAME last Sunday brought forth a remark from a certain player which is considered by us to be a masterpiece. He was remarking about a blow he had just stopped with his head the said blow having been accidentally delivered with a fifty-two inch mallet. The remark was, "That bird sure came near knocking me for a row of Algerian mustache cups." This may be old stuff but the combination sounds new.

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THE COLUMBUS-FORT BENNING ROAD presents many difficulties to the motorist at present. A number of years ago we remember taking a fifteen mile trip through a swampy area in a wagon. The wagon had no springs and the road was a corduroy road which, for the benefit of the younger generation, is a road built of small saplings laid cross-ways. The experience of this trip had nearly been forgotten until a few days ago when we had occasion to take a trip to Columbus. We rode in an automobile which had fairly good springs and the cushions were well upholsterd but the result was the same as the trip taken years ago.

This trend of thought leads around to the subject of an electric car line between the Fort and Columbus. Such a project should be a success not only because of the saving of time and money between the tpo points, but also because of the possibilities of such a line as a freight carried. This looks like a good opportunity for some progressive business man to start a project of this nature. Stock should be easy to sell and the returns eventually should pay considerably more than 8 per cent on the investment.

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BOXING being a form of athletics that this paper is fostering, it has been decided to give a short history of the ring experience of each of the post champions during the next few weeks. This decision is made in view of the fact that the Fourth Corps Area boxing tournament is in process of arrangement and the military personnel of Fort Benning may be interested in the men who are to represent this station in this tournament.

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The announcement in another column of a stadium to be opened up at Quantico by the marines about October 1st recalls to mind the fact that in 1917 the 11th Infantry was stationed at Chickamauga Park. At this time the only theatre was at Fort Oglethorpe and this was between two and three miles from the 11th Infantry area. The idea was conceived in that regiment to build a theatre and the idea soon materialized into a fact. At the time the building was started each company averaged about 75 men but by getting some help from the regimental exchange, donations from the officers, and with the voluntary labor of the enlisted personnel a theatre was soon completed which ranked with the Liberty Theatres being constructed at that time.

The marines have constructed a stadium with a capacity of 30,000; one regiment of infantry constructed a theatre which was in constant nightly use either for road shows or motion picture shows. Some of the progressive non-commissioned officers have conceived the idea of building for the enlisted personnel, with voluntary labor, a dance pavillion most of the material for which is easily available at practically no expense right on the reservation. This can be as easily accomplished as the two projects mentioned above.

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Born Aug. 18th, 1922, a daughter, Margaret Kent, to Capt. and Mrs. J. O. Green.

Born Aug. 26th, 1922, a daughter Annie Fay, to Sergt. and Mrs. Joseph Vogt.

Born Aug. 23rd, 1922, a daughter, Barbara Elizabeth, to Lt. and Mrs. D. McK. Ashton.

Born Aug. 30th, 1922, a son, Jack Foster, to Sergt and Mrs. J. M. Wheeler.

Born Aug. 31st, 1922, a daughter, Ethel Irene, to Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Forman.

## SYMPATHY

Sympathy is expressed for Sergt. John Herman in the loss of his wife, Mrs. Opal Turner Herman, who passed away this month.

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

Interest in the coming inter-unit football series is coming manifest. The units concerned are being equipped and prospective players in the various organizations are trying hard for a place on the teams.

The schedule runs through December and is shown below:

Sept. 20—1st Bn. 29th Inf. vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

September 24—83rd Art. vs. Freebooters.

September 27—15th Tanks vs. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.

October 1—83rd Art. vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

October 4—Freebooters vs. 15th Tanks.

October 8—83rd Art. vs. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.

October 11—15th Tanks vs. 2nd Battalion.

October 15—1st Bn. 29th Inf. vs. Freebooters.

October 18—15th Tanks vs. 83rd Artillery.

October 22—Freebooters vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

October 25—2nd Bn. 29th Inf. vs. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.

October 29—83rd Art. vs. Freebooters.

November 1—15th Tanks vs. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.

November 5—83rd Art. vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

November 8—15th Tanks vs. Freebooters.

November 12—1st Bn. 29th Inf. vs. 83rd Art.

November 15—15th Tanks vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

November 19—1st Bn. 29th Inf. vs. Freebooters.

November 22—15th Tanks vs. 83rd Art.

November 26—83rd Art. vs. Freebooters.

November 29—1st Bn. 29th Inf. vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

December 3—Freebooters vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

December 6—15th Tanks vs. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.

December 10—83rd Art. vs. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf.

December 13—15th Tanks vs. Freebooters.

December 17—1st Bn. 29th Inf. vs. 83rd Art.

December 20—2nd Bn. 29th Inf. vs. 15th Tanks.

December 24—Freebooters vs. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.

December 27—15th Tanks vs. 83rd Art.

December 31—2nd Bn. 29th Inf. vs. Freebooters.

The Freebooters team consists of the Service Co., Headquarters Co., and two Machine uGn companies of the 29th Infantry. A great deal is expected of this team by its supporters and in view of the fact that the grouping of the above organizations together is an experiment the outcome is being watched with considerable interest.

## POLO.

A Doughboy is not supposed to know much about horses, equitation, horsemastership, or horsemanship according to our friends from the horse artillery and cavalry. Members of those two branches of the Service might change their minds, however, if they should happen to be present at some of the games played each Sunday afternoon. There is at least one artillery outfit whose members are convinced that the aforesaid down-trodden Doughboy is adaptable to learning something about horses generally and the game of polo specifically. If further proof of this is required go down to the polo field next Sunday and watch the artillerymen hustle for a goal.

One thing that is troubling the mind of artilleryman and doughboy alike is the question of where the finances are coming from with which to get the new polo field and the Polo Club House completed. At the present the only source of income is a small donation from the Officers' Club. This donation would not pay horse orderlie fees. Dues in the polo association are applied for the purchase of new equipment—not personal—for use of the various teams and for orderlie hire.

It has been suggested that parking space be sold at the Sunday afternoon games, the proceeds from such income to be applied toward fitting out the club house and for certain incidentals necessary for the completion of the new polo field. Definite action has not yet been taken in this connection, but it is believed that the growing enthusiasm for the game, in conjunction with the large number of offic ers now interested, will provide ample funds to enable the Polo Association to complete their plans.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## BOXING.

As stated in another column, a brief summary of the Fort Benning champions in the different classes will appear each week, for the benefit of the fight fans who are interested in the men who will represent For Benning in the Fourth Corps Area boxing tournament.

**Battling Twyman:**—Born in New York City in 1876. Began ring career in 1900. Prior to ring career had experience as jockey. Fought 56 fights since 1918. 11 draws; 35 decisions; 10 knock-outs.

Twyman is probably one of the most unique characters in the ring. His whole system of fighting is one developed by himself, and his defense alone, is something which baffles his opponents, especially the younger men with less ring expecience.

The following list shows the fights Twyman has had since 1918, including that year, with the result in each case:

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|---|---|
| Jimmie Monahan | Draw |
| Kid Garcia | Draw |
| Red Emerson | Decision |
| Kid Bailey | Decision |
| Cyclone Santos | Decision |
| Mike Donovan | K. O. |
| Kid Woodruff (2 fights) | Decision |
| Cyclone Santos | Decision |
| Mickey Farrell | Decision |
| Jimmy Hilton | Decision |
| Jerry Monahan | Draw |
| Young Terie | Decision |
| Red Emerson | K. O. |
| Bat Cortez | Decision |
| Cowboy Reyes | Decision |
| Benny Carter | Decision |
| Paul Gyn | Decision |
| Guan Pauline | Decision |
| Willie Davis | Decision |
| Young Cohn | Decision |
| Benny Carter | Decision |
| Spider Mott | Decision |
| Lucky Flynn | Decision |
| Young Eagan | K. O. |
| Kid Crites | Decision |
| Charlie Lanham | Draw |
| Kid Waite | Draw |
| Kid Poncho | Draw |
| Kid Hylan | Decision |
| Natty Goode | Decision |
| Franky McFarlan | Decision |
| Stiff Brierty | Decision |
| Micky Farrell | Decision |
| Battling Morgan | K. O. |
| Jack Dalton | K. O. |
| Kid Schwartz | Decision |
| Johnnie Lesner | Decision |
| Tiny Trinkle | K. O. |
| Young Cole | Decision |
| John Williams | Decision |
| Kid Bernard | K. O. |
| Kid Brown | Decision |
| Tiny Redfield | Decision |
| Red Hogan | Decision |
| Tiny Redfield | K. O. |
| Beau Sexton | K. O. |
| Kid Alonzo | Tech. K. O. |
| Red Keenan | Draw |
| Red Keenan | Draw |
| Johnnie Helms | Draw |
| Bat Reilly | Draw |
| Kid Brown | Draw (2) |
| Kid Head | Decision |
| Kid Earle | Decision |

That Fort Benning will again have monthly boxing bouts is an assured thing.

This will come as pleasant news to those fight fans who have been constantly enquiring at the A & R office for information with regard to this.

The system of financing the fights will be by making a small admission charge. This charge has become necessary due to the fact that the athletics of every nature are necessarily self-supporting since no appropriations are available for such purposes.

The probable admission fee will be 25 cents for enlisted men and 50 cents for officers. It has been suggested that reserved seats, which will constitute ringside seats, be sold for $1.00. Ladies will probably be admitted free. The price of admission to civilians will be the same as that for officers.

Due to the fact that the area now occupied by the open-air arena will be used for the building program now under consideration, it is necessary that the boxing platform and seats be moved to the area just south of Service Club No. 1. This will take some time and it is possible that there will be no bouts before October. The Post Athletic Officer has promised a big night some time during October, however, and the fight fans who were so keenly interested in the bouts in the past will again have an opportunity of seeing their favorite in the ring at a nominal price of admission.

Further information in this connection will be printed as soon as definite detailed plans have been completed.

## TENNIS

Everyone interested in tennis is looking forward with pleasant anticipation to the tournaments scheduled to begin October 18th. The thirteen courts on the Post are undergoing repair now and by the first of October there should be courts in good playing condition in the several different areas of the Fort.

The tennis committee is working constantly to have everything in proper shape for the tournament.

Columbus business men have very generously given tennis their support by donating a number of valuable and very useful prizes. There will be about eighteen of these prizes offered.

Tennis players are urged to get out the old racket and begin warming up. The prizes offered will be well worth the effort. These will be placed in display at the Officers' Club on October 2nd.

The following tournaments are contemplated:

Men's singles.
Men's doubles.
Men's consolation singles.
Ladies' singles.
Ladies' doubles.
Mixed doubles.

This year is the first time that any attempt has been made to run ladies' tournaments at Fort Benning but the committee hopes that all the ladies who have ever played will start practicing again and register f or the tournament.

The tennis committee urges that tennis players—(1) Begin practice today; (2) Look over the prizes on October 2nd; (3) Enter the tournaments.

## FOOTBALL

Coach Milburn, otherwise known as "Shrimp" to his friends in the Army at large, arrived last Monday, and since then the Varsity team has been put through its paces. Work is still being done in track togs but just as soon as the hot weather gives way to a cooler temperature the old shoulder pads and head harness will appear and then—watch their dust.

The indications of a fast, powerful back field are prominent. The probability is that backfielders will be big men with considerable speed.

About thirty men are preparing for practice each afternoon now, and the arrival of other students during the coming week will in all probability increase the size of the squad to fifty.


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The following picture program is offered for the coming week at all theatres:

***Sunday*, September 17th.**

"Man's Law" (Livingston) 6-reel feature.

"Drawing Cards," comedy.

Sport Pictorial.

**Monday, September 18th**

"Fool's Paradise," 9-reel feature.

"Modern Fishing" (Mutt & Jeff), 1-reel comedy.

Fox News.

**Tuesday, September 19th.**

"So This Is Arizona" (Farnum), 5-reel feature.

Comedy.

**Wednesday, September 20th.**

"Broadway Peacock" (Pearl White), 5-reel feature.

"The Piper," 2-reel comedy.

**Thursday, September 21st.**

"Garments of Truth" (G. Hughes) 5-reel feature.

"Chicken Hearted" comedy.

Fox News.

**Friday, September 22nd.**

"The Fox" (Harry Carey), 5-reel feature.

"Call the Witness" (Hal Roach) comedy.

**Saturday, September 23rd.**

"The Real Adventure" (F. Vidor) 5-reel feature.

"The Black Ace" 2-reel comedy.

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There are now three theatres in operation on the Post. When the 29th Infantry branch theatre was opened up predictions were made that, as most of the patronage at the Post Theatre was derived from members of this unit, the attendance at the main theatre would materially decrease. These predictions were partly fulfilled for a short time for the reason that patrons from other units had almost quit going to the Post Theatre on account of the congested condition there. Gradually, however, the news spread that the 29th Infantry branch was taking care of the overflow from the Post Theatre and members of other units began to patronize this theatre. The house is beginning to be comfortably filled at night and by the time cool weather arrives it is expected that the nightly attendance at the Post Theatre alone will be 600.

As soon as the new theatre is completed Fort Benning will have a theatre with a seating capacity for 2310 people. Arrangements are being made to equip the new theatre with comfortable theatre chairs and eventually this building will be as well equipped for showing pictures and vaudeville as any play house in this section of the country.

Until September 1st of this year all profits from the theatres were forwarded to the War Department and were applied to the purpose of supplying the smaller stations in the Army with motion pictures. On this date, however, the War Department issued an order providing that 20 per cent of the local net profits, over and above $22.00 nightly, the cost of furnishing the films, would revert to the local A. & R. Fund.

In order to complete the new theatre with the least loss of time it is necessary that the nightly attendance be increased at all theatres with the ultimate end of having at least 1000 people see the shows each night. With this number attending nightly Fort Benning will have an income of approximately $600.00 a month for the purpose of completing the new theatre and for other purposes when this has been done. Every patron should make it a point to bring a visitor each night.

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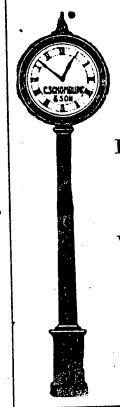

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

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9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6.00 p. m.

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Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
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**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

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Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

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Please note the change in the hour for the Wednesday night Prayer Meeting.

On account of the New Year and Day of Atonement services in the Synagogue in the City, Rabbi Rosenthal will not be able to hold the usual Jewish services at the Post on Sunday, Sept. 24 or on Sunday, Oct 1.

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Two little boys, sons of officers, were playing together at Fort Benning. One of the youngsters had a very good grasp of the American art of cussing. The other little boy wasn't so good along this line. After a time some difference arose and the two youngsters started shoving each other. The first boy got his vocabulary into action and was doing very well with it. The second boy didn't have the ammunition with which to come back. Finally, made desparate by his inability to compete wth the first boy and in an effort to "hang a cuss" on the first one the second boy managed to stamer out, "Y-y-o-u, you, PECKINPAUGH!"

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## American Legion Makes Drive—Gains Objective

**Resolution For Larger Army to Be Presented at New Orleans In October.**

The largest American Legion post in Georgia went over the top Monday night this week, in its drive to secure one thousand members by January 1st, 1923. In order to lend zest and zeal to the scramble for new members, prizes will be given those who have signed up the greatest number of members on or about the 10th of October. The date thus set will enable lucky winners to join the hosts of the legion traveling to the National Convention to be held in New Orleans October 16-20.

The big membership from Fort Benning has helped the local Charles S. Harrison Post to take such a lead over its brother posts in the race for state supremacy. And as yet only a relatively small per cent from the Fort have joined.

In connection with the drive for membership, the Legion wants to emphasize the fact that it isn't interested in politics, except in cases where politics come in contact wth the welfare of legionaires. The Legion has found that many prospective members object to becoming American Legion men because they think the Legion is "going in for politics." This is not the case. The national interests of the Legion have been aroused over such things as the bonus, compensation and hospital treatment for the wounded, the securing of jobs and positions for ex-soldiers, so on. That isn't politics, but politics is greatly mixed up with these activities.

A thorough canvass of Fort Benning is going to be made by the local Post for new members. The Charles S. Harrison Post invites the officers and enlisted men of Fort Benning to become members. It particularly asks that the purposes and principles of the Legion be given the closest study and analysis so that those who are not well informed may know just what the Legion stands for in American life and endeavor.

If by any chance there is any doubt as to the "politics" of the Charles S. Harrison Post, attention is called to the following resolution which was passed unanimously, and which the local Post will make every effort to have adopted at the National convention. This resolution has already had a wide spread influence upon not only individuals but other states:

"Whereas, by the act of Congress approved June 4, 1920, there was established and authorized by legislation for the first time in the history of the United States and adequate military policy for the nation, and

Whereas, said act provided for an Army of the United States to consist of the Regular Army, the National Guard, and the organized Reserves, welded into a single unit for training and combat, and

Whereas, said act appropriately contemplated the maintenance of a Regular Army of appropriate size to instruct and train the National Guard the Organized Reserves, and the Citizen's Training Camps so as to insure the safety of the nation in the national emergencies, and

Whereas, the authorized strength of the Regular Army since has been reduced from 250,000 men in 1920, to 150,000 men in 1921, and to 125,000 men in 1922, and the commissioned personnel has been likewise reduced by recent legislature, and

Whereas, the War Department has repeatedly urged against such reductions, as impairing the effectiveness of the Regular Army for the training the American citizen against that day when they may be called out as necessary re-enforcements in the time of war, and

Whereas, the Congress of the United States has repeatedly refused to pay proper heed to the earnest importunities of the War Department, be it hereby

Resolved that the American Legion ———, composed of veterans of the late war who realize the fatal results of insufficient training of citizens in time of emergency and the delays incident thereto, expresses its entire approval of an adherence to the policies and desires of the War Department as repeatedly communicated to Congress, and be it further

Resolved, that the American Legion deplore the action of Congress in disregarding the wishes of the War Department in this respect and in failing to enact legislation and to make appropriations in conformity with the principles of the said Act of Congress approved June 4, 1920, and be it further

Resolved, that the American Legion considers that the duly elected representatives in the Senate and House of Representatives have not acted in respect to military appropriations and the personnel of the Regular Army in conformity with the wishes of their constituents, with the current trend of public opinion, and with the present circumstances of American foreign policy and American life.

## Infantry Team Breaks The World's Record

**ALL MEMBERS MAKE PERFECT SCORE AT 800 YARDS.**

Of particular interest and a cause for gratification in so far as the doughboys are concerned is the fact that the Infantry Rifle Team has broken a world's record at Camp Perry, Ohio.

Each member of the team made a "possible," or perfect score, at 800 yards which fact will not only give the Infantry team a decisive lead over all opponents but will be a material factor in enabling the team to win the match.

In view of the fact that the Infantry team is putting into practice the principles taught at the Infantry School the work of the team is of especial interest locally.

**PRESIDENT'S VETO OF BONUS BILL SUSTAINED BY SENATE**

**House of Representatives Overrides It.**

The Bonus Bill failed to become a law last Wednesday when the Senate sustained the action of President Harding by a vote of 4 less than the majority required by law to override the president's veto.

The House attempted to make the bill a law by overriding the veto, and was successful in getting the required majority with a comfortable margin but the action by the Senate nullified this action.

It is reported that a new bill will be introduced for consideration at the next session of congress.

## History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 3.**

"In compliance with orders, A. G. O. and Department of the Lakes, Headquarters, Band, second and third Battalions left Fort Sheridan, Ill., Feb. 20, 1902 at 11:30 a. m., arriving at the Presido of San Francisco, California, at 2 p. m., Feb. 26, having traveled by rail 2315 miles."

"Under the same orders the first Battalion left Columbus Barracks, Ohio, at 2 p. m., Feb. 22 by rail and arrived at San Francisco, on Feb. 27. Distance about 2300 miles."

"During the entire month of March the regiment remained in camp No. 3 at the Presidio of San Francisco. The official record continues:

"On April 1, 1902 the regiment sailed on the U. S. A. T. Sheridan for the Philippine Islands, stopping at Honolulu, H. T. from April 9th to 13th, troops being held in quarantine. A short stop was made on Midway Island (Wake) April 21st. Reached Guam April 26th. Arrived in Manila Bay May 1st, at noon where the transport remained until the 4th on which date it took its departure for Cebu where on the 6th, Headquarters, Band and Co.'s A, G, F. G. and K. Debarked. The rest of the Companies proceeded to the Island of Panay and Negros."

"The organizations of the regiment took stations as follows: At Cebu, Headquarters, Band and Co.'s E and F; at Argao, Cebu, Co. C; at Bogo, Cebu, Co. K; at Dumanjug, Cebu, Co. G; at Island of Bohol Co. A; at Dumaguete, Negros, Co. M; at Iloilo, Panay, Co.'s H and I; at Calivo, Panay, Co. D; at Concepcion, Panay, Co. B; at Bacolod, Negros, Co. L."

A little later in the year several of the companies were transferred to other stations, occupying in addition to those named, Coron, Busuanga, Puerto Princesa, Paragua, Guimaras Island, Camp Jossman. In December Co. H moved from "quarters on Calle Rosario to Fort San Pedro."

The promotion of Colonel Auman to rank of Brigadier General took him from the regiment. Golonel Charles G. Penney (promoted from Lt. Col. 23rd Inf.) was assigned to the 29th on May 24.

"On Nov. 2 companies B, D and L participated at Iloilo in a review by Lieutenant General Nelson Miles, commanding the Army."

Lt. Col. Benjamin C. Lockwood, upon being promoted to rank of Colonel, was assigned to the regiment and commanded until his retirement with rank of Brigadier General in Dec. 1907.

Lt. Colonel F. A. Smith, who had been a Major in the regiment, was detailed in the I. S. D. in July, and later assigned to the I. S. D.

Other officers who joined the 29th in 1902 were: 2nd Lieutenants Franklin P. Jackson, Joseph B. Caughey, A. F. Dannemiller; 1st Lieutenants Will H. Point and David B. Mulliken.

(Continued next week)

**GENERAL SNOW ARRIVES**

General Snow, chief of Field Artillery, arrived at Fort Benning Thursday on a tour of inspection.

Memorandum No. 39, September 18th, directs that all articles for press publication be given out through the office of G-2.

# Knockers' Column

I stood in Columbus at midnight
(My train was four hours late)
"Quarters in camp," my telegram read,
Now why should I have to wait?

But now I know why I met delay,
I've been at Benning a month and a day.

For the first three days I plied the trade
O carpenter, plumber, with hammer and spade,
"Why doesn't my furniture come," I said,
"There's naught in the house but a single bed."

"Why, you're lucky to have a bed and a roof,"
Was the strange, but truthful, queer reproof,
Eliminations were almost getting my goat,
My words about heat I will not quote.

Now there's an order I can't laugh off
As I flounder to town in the dust—and cough.
My furniture came three days ago,
But today my home has come to woe.

We have to move to town and live,
Billeting orders are kept in a sieve,
And I vision eighteen miles a day
While driving a Ford through dust and clay.

"Bob-o-link,
Bob-o-link, tell me true,
Did anything like this ever happen to you?"

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"With someone manufacturing a football schedule based on memories of the past baseball season the first battalion football squad was aroused this morning to the seriousness of the task facing them this fall to retain their prestige as champions of Fort Benning. Schedules for universities usually have a total of about eight games and with different opponents — but the "master-mind" who evolves football schedules for the enlisted personnel of Fort Benning imagined it would be a unique idea to have about twelve games for each team to play and also for each opponent to play each other at least three times. A rare gentleman—this schedule maker. An analysis of this remarkable schedule shows that the First Battalion will play the Freebooters, an aggregation of players from the special units of the 29th Inf. at least three times, the 2nd Battalion, 29th Infantry, three times, the83rd Field Artiliery three times, and the vulnerable Tanks three times. However, a dent has already been made in the schedule by the hot weather and it has already been announced that all games have been pushed back so that the first game will not be played until September 30th."

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# 24th Infantry News Notes

**Personal.**

Recent additions to the officers personnel of the third battalion include Chaplain Maurice W. Reynolds, U. S. A. attached, Captain Anthony P. L. Lagorio, Infantry, attached, 1st Lt. J. Earl Custer, Infantry, attached, 1st Lt. James A. Murphey, 29th Infantry, on special duty.

Captain James Sproule, Infantry, has returned from leave and has rejoined for duty. 1st Lt. Wm. D. Schas, 24th Infantry, has just returned from two months leave and will be welcomed back with the organization.

Captains G. S. Clarke, Geo. H. Hopkins and I. B. Mayers, all 24th Infantry have been granted leave of absence within the past week. 1st Lt. L. V. Jones has also taken advantage of one month and 12 days leave.

**Our Pride.**

Orders were published at battallion parade on last Wednesday setting forth the enviable record of the 3rd battalion, 24th Infantry, as having acquired no new venereal cases during the month preceeding, and a letter from the commanding general was received complimenting the organization on this fine record, and also announcing that for the first time since May, 1921 the rate of venereal cases of colored troops had been lower than for the white troops on the post.

**The New Chaplain.**

He is already on the job strong. Chaplain Reynolds is his name, and he comes under the category of a REGULAR. The other day he was seen hauling in several loads of G. I. roofing and roofing tin and other coveted building materials. Upon inquiry if he was attached to the Q. M. or Utilities, he admitted that he was merely preparing to build a NEW school-house for the children of enlisted men's families of the battalion. Well, what do you think of that? All supply officers take note. The chaplain may be able to give you some tips.

The chaplain was seen on a recruiting tour lately on the hunt for fighters who would like to form a committee on arrangements for the reception of the remainder of the 24th Infantry when they arrive from Columbus, New Mexico. Interbattalion fights and other athletic contests will be arranged as soon as the personnel of the missing battalion arrives.

Already there have been 7 football games arranged to be played at the local grounds with visiting teams. Practice has begun for the candidates for the Football team.

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# Fort Benning Theatres Have Excellent Program

**Sunday, September 24th.**
"Conflict" — 7-reel feature, Priscilla Dean. "Secret of Butte Ridge" 2-reel comedy, Western.

**Monday, September 25.**
"The Cub Reporter" 5-reel feature —Dorothy Talmadge. Hither and Thither"—1-reel comedy. Mutt and Jeff. Fox News.

**Tuesday, September 26.**
"Any Night," 5-reel feature, All-Star. "His Wife's Dot," 2-reel comedy, Semigraph.

**Wednesday, September 27.**
"Sure Fire," 5-reel feature — "Chums," Gibson, 2-reel comedy.

**Thursday, September 28.**
"Woman Who Walked Alone" Dorothy Dalton, 7-reel feature, Calvin. "His Old Brother," 1-reel comedy. "Gaiety." Fox News.

**Friday, September 29.**
"Fourteenth Lover," 5-reel feature —Viola Dana. "Years to Come," 1 reel comedy, Hal Roach. Pathe Review.

**Saturday, September 30.**
"Three Buckaroos," 6-reel feature, All-Star. "Love Egg," 2-reel comedy. Punch comedy.

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# Infantry School Detachment Notes

The Infantry School Detachment welcomes the appearance of the Fort Benning News. We feel that we are the most important outfit on the Post and are justly entitled to a place of prominence in its columns.

Private Spence, a recent addition to the detachment, is now on duty with the print shop.

Private Felton Ezell is now working with the Sanitary Officer. Fine chance for an ambitious lad to become a doctor.

Company "F," 1st Gas Regiment, has been transferred here from Camp McClellan. They are quartered with the Detachment until their new home is ready in the 29th Infantry Area. The ten chemical warfare men who have been here all winter will join their own outfit as soon as quarantine has been lifted.

Sergeant Jeff Smith is now on special duty with the Range Section Department of Military Art.

The Post Exchange shoe repairing and tailor shop having moved we now have the much needed building they vacated. The barracks are not quite so crowded and Cream can qualify as hotel clerk after assigning the new rooms-de-luxe.

One of our prominent sergeants and leading vocalists decided to take a lady friend to the boxing match, but claimed they could not see, as the fence and grand stand was in the way. What's the matter Sarge? Broke?

WANTED—Stenographic jobs of any kind, either English or Pollack; cheap; special rates to officers. Can be hired either by hour, day or the quality of work.See Sgt Jiggs Sikorsky, Infantry School Detachment.

Floyd Higginbotham, Master Man, former rough neck of the rough riders of the 29th Infantry, has joined the cod fish aristocracy of the city of Columbus and was seen at the Cricket Tea Room on the night of September 13th, 1922. We fear the master man has left the rough riders for good and will in the future be seen in the above mentioned society. The rough riders will miss the dashing young sergeant very much but will wish him the best of luck in his new venture.

After crushing a few hearts in Fort Payne, Alabama, our young Romeo, Glenn has returned to our midst and can be found punching keys in the Detachment Office. Welcome home Otis.

Our Personnel Sergeant, Thomas W. Howell, has invested in a What-You-May-Call-It. It runs (Sometimes) by gasoline and other things. Some chariot.

A very deserving promotion has just been awarded to Albert Cream of this Detachment. He will retire shortly after having served faithfully for thirty years and this promotion is no more than was coming to him.

Fishel Kushnetsky was seen in the company of Bill Stewart recently. Wonder what's in the air.

A plan is on foot to start a foot ball team in the Detachment this year. Our first attempt at this sport. Lookout Benning, as you know our reputation in other sports.

The Detachment is contemplating a dance in the near future and it is hoped that all of the ladies of the Post will be able to attend, as well as our friends from Columbus.

The Detachment is very fortunate in having Master Sgt. Kindervater for First Sergeant, while Master Sgt. Harris, who has just taken out another stack, is on furlough. Sgt. Kindervater has put a new spirit in the Detachment and we are behind him 100 per cent strong. Best of luck to Albert.

Mike Halpan has just been awarded two extra K. P's. for missing the weekly hair cut inspection. Mike being an aspirant for the foot ball team decided to try his ability on the door as he went out. It was a perfect place kick, but did not appeal to the Grand Goblin so Mike was recalled and awarded another two.

"Papa" Jack Wheeler is wearing a smile that won't come off. Wonder if he will be an outfielder, too.

"FINIS."

# 15th Tank Bat. News

September 12th the 15th Tank Battalion celebrated their 4th Anniversary in memorial of the Tanks first entry in the World's War at St. Mihiel.

Brig. General Walter H. Gordon opened the meeting with a short talk on the splendid work of the tanks in the World War. This was followed by short talks of the history of the light tanks by Capt. Higgins and the history of the heavy tanks by Capt. Taylor.

Immediately after the meeting a baseball game was played between the Light Tanks and the Heavy Tanks, which resulted in the Lights defeating the Heavies by a score of 10 to 3.

After dinner the men all went down to the Post Swimming Pool, where exhibitions of fancy diving, swimming, life saving and races were held.

The programme for the evening was very simple. The curtain raiser of the evening was a bout between Grantham of the Light Tanks and Hatfield of the Heavy Tanks, which was followed by a grotesque boxing match in which the contestants were blindfolded and tied to each other by stout ropes while an uninterested party stood by, and while the contestants endeavered to find their opponent he hit first one and then the other.

It was followed by a number of amatuer vaudeville acts, after which Brig. General Gordon gave the men an interesting talk about the tanks.

Refreshments were then served, and the rest of the evening passed off very pleasantly with comic dialogues and clog dancing.

Among those present were Brig. General Walter H. Gordon, Col. McCaskey, the Tank officers and many other officers of the post.

# Sanitary Notes

(Swat the Mosquito)

(a) If you are bothered with mosquitos, look about your own quarters for the breeding places. A half teacupfull of water which remains a week may be sufficient to grow hundreds of them.

(b) The ordinary wiggler or wiggletale develops into the mosquito. On the post such wigglers have been found in:

fire barrels,
bottles,
cans,
garbage and trash cans,
automobile tires,
ice cream freezers.
collections of water in basements
under ice boxes which drop on
the ground.

Kill these wigglers by destroying these breeding places.

(c) The best way to find the mosquito that is in your house, is to look on the screens early in the morning, and in the dark corners of the room in the middle of the day.

(d) Every insect that buzzes in your ear is not a mosquito.

(e) On July 17, 1922 there was found in Block 16, a washtub. It had not been used for a week, and looked innocent enough, resting on the ground, beside its owners' quarters. However, just a little water had been left in the tub. Hundreds of wigglers had developed, 33 of these were sent to Washington, and identified as the mosquito which transmits "Dengue." Dengue is a very painful disease. Hundreds of cases are reported in Georgia and in the surrounding states. If the owner of this tub had emptied it and then placed it so that it could not hold water, he would not have endangered the health of his neighbors, nor his own.

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In addition to thanking the indivuals listed above, we take occasion to commend the Boy Scouts for the good work done by them in acting as guides. As usual this outfit was "on the job" and the work of the individual members was especially good.

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The News of September 15th:

Headlines in Columbus paper: Damp, Bad Start; Football Practice.

Paragrapher's Comment: Sounds like cussing.

Reader's Comment: "Got Damp Quick, Too."

Note: It is believed that the chaplain should go after this fellow.

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Sometimes it pays to rent.

A story is going the rounds, on a certain officer who recently reported to take the Company Officer's course, which should have space in these columns. The story is vouched for by another officer who is now an instructor here.

While a certain regiment of infantry was in France that well remembered order forbidding the purchase of fresh eggs came out from G. H. Q. One morning the Colonel of the regiment was informed by his cook that he (the cook) thought the colonel ought to eat better than anybody in the regiment in view of the fact that the colonel was responsible for the unit, was the highest ranking officer present, and, out of deference to his rank, if for no other reason, he should have the best of everything The cook went further to state that he was not satisfied with existing conditions as far as the commanding officer's food was concerned.

The colonel informed the cook that what was good for the men was good enough for him, but he was informed that the men ate better than he did. The cook advised him further that he had taken a meal with the Supply Company the morning before and that they had fresh eggs for breakfast. This commanding officer was a stickler for carrying out orders and the company commander of the company concerned was immediately summoned upon the carpet.

"Captain," said the K. O., "I understand that you and your company had fresh eggs for breakfast a few mornings ago. Is that correct?"

"It is sir."

"Are you familiar with orders on this subject wherein the purchase of fresh eggs by members of the A. E. F. is prohibited?"

"I am, sir."

"Then will you explain to me, Captain, why you wilfully disobeyed these orders?"

"I will, sir, and I will prove to the colonel's satisfaction that no order has been disobeyed. When the order prohibiting the purchase of eggs came out I made a pretty careful study of its contents and I failed to find any clause in the order prohibiting the rental of hens. That is what I have done, sir, and these hens are the source of my supply.

The colonel immediately dispatched his cook to hunt hens for rent.

# Social Notes

Married, on September 19th at the home of the bride in Columbus, Georgia, Miss Melissa Golden to Major Robert P. Halpin. Major and Mrs. Halpin are going to the Philippines.

Dr. and Mrs. Chapman, father and mother of Capt. Gorry Chapman, have arrived in Columbus and have taken apartments at 2750 11th Ave.

The officer's hop last Friday night was well attended. Officers and their families returned from leave and as a result the small attendance during the summer months is a thing of the past. The sports dance held last night, a week ago, was so popular that the Hop Committee decided to repeat it. Last night the success of the previous hop had become known and the idea appealed to the dancers with the result that an unusually large crowd of officers and guests from Columbus were present. The music, which was furnished by the 29th Infantry orchestra, was especially good. The orchestra has made marked improvement during the past year and now compares favorably with the best civilian orchestras.

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During the first part of October, classes for children will be opened at the officers' hop room. Permit has been granted Miss Gertrude Joseph for the operation of these classes every Saturday.

Miss Joseph will also be pleased to receive applications for appointments from adults for lessons in ball room dancing, also for reducing classes, the latter being a new feature which is being adopted by all the modern schools.

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# Medical Dept. Notes

Capt. R. T. Arnest, M. C., has returned from temporary duty with the C. M. T. C. Camp McClellan, Ala. The Captain enjoyed a fifteen day leave, touring the South before returning.

Capt. J. S. Brummette, M. C., has returned for duty. Capt. Brummette has been on temporary duty with the C. M. T. Co Camp McClellan.

Major S. A. Moulton, M. C. has been granted a thirty day leave of absence. The Major expects to enjoy the "Good Old New England Weather," for the next few weeks.

2nd Lieut. R. C. Cravat, Army Nurse Corps, has been granted a thirty-fie day leave of absence, she will visit her home, Wauzeka, Wiss. After a strenuous summer in the operating room the change will be welcome.

Our smiling File Clerk Sgt. C. M. Mount, has improved wonderfully the last week. He actually stood revilee every morning, and done "charge of quarters" two days in succession.

Corporal Jesse Timmons is a master of sarcasm. Here is a verse Compliment he recently paid Corporal John C. Quinn in an address on the Briggs Parade Ground at this Post.

"Corporal Quinn is a very fine gentlemen," (excuse me, folks, I mean soldier.) He can compliment any cook. His digestive organs proceed to their task unruffled by disturbing thoughts. His taste in after-dinner save me shorts is based upon exhaustive knowledge of the subject. On the drill field the Corporal can stroll across the ground with the complacent nerves and fearless heart of any soldier. His analytical mind trained by long hours of application, can plot the trajectories of squads east and west to a nicety and calculate the backspan of his BACKWARD HO, with a truly prodigious grasp. The first three days of each week our Corporal devotes himself to this arduous and brin-trying pursuit. The next three days our Corporal is so worn out with his battles on the drill field that he has to go into retirement."

Capt. J. R. Sands, M. A. C., has returned from a sixty day leave of absence suent in New York and oBstonfl Capt. and Mrs. Sands made the trip by automobile and reported a wonderful trip.

ajor A. J. Bayley M. C. has returned from temporary duty with the C. M. T. C. Camp McClellan, Ala.

Capt. S. D. Hardeman M. C. has reported for duty at this Station and is assigned as assistant to the Attending Surgeon.

Capt. A. J. Vadala M. C. has recently reported for duty. Capt. Vadala is replacing Capt. Reeve Turner who is enjoying a sixty day leave of absence.

Capt. S. F. O'Day M. C. is leaving soon on a sixty day leave of absence.

2nd Lieuts. E. Jackson, M. Berry and E. Michener, Army Nurse Corps, are enjoying a leave of absence in New York. Canada and Pennsylvania, respectively.

The enlisted men and officers who have been on temporary duty at Camp McClellan, have returned to this station for duty. They were very welcome, as the personnel has been below strength.

2nd Lieut. Kinsley, A. N. C., who has recently been operated on for appendicitis, has returned for duty.

Capt. C. R. Hays, D. C., is leaving soon on a sixty day leave of absence, which he expects to spend in Europe.

Word has been received from Lt. Berban Huffien, MAC., that after a very enjoyable voyage, he has safely arrived at Tipler Hospital, Honolulu, H. I. Lieut. Huffien was the Medical Supply Officer at this station.

2nd Lieuts. Klain, Johnson, Griffin and Grinnell, Army Nurse Corps, have arrived safely at Station Hospital, Manila, P. I.

2nd Lieuts. Bush, Mizelle, Mullany and Mc.Donald, Army Nurse Corps, have reported for temporary duty at Camp McClellan. The last two named are recent arrivals from Coblenz, Germany.

Our smiling Mess Sergeant (Sgt. Walsa) is on a furlough in Pennsylvania. "Mickey" expects to have a good time with the P. S's. (Pennsylvania Dutchmen).

Our Personnel Clerk, Sgt. G. E. Long, reported that his clothes are getting too small. He was recently married and stays at home nights, possibly that explains it.

2nd Lieuts. A. Berninger and Rorothy Cleveland, Army Nurse Corps, have recently reported for duty, coming from Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C.

The question has been asked in the Hospital the last week, "How expensive are Sunday Papers at the Service Club?" It is understood that it cost one man a good deal of time and trouble.

Sergeant and Mrs. L. D. White spent the week-end in Birmingham, Ala. They made the trip in the "Flivver" and reported a very nice trip. They were accompanied by Privates Henry J. and Geo. D. Proctor.

Capt. C. P. Price, M. C., has returned from temporary duty at Camp McClellan, Ala. Capt Price was the Medical Officer with the 3rd Battlion 29th Infantry.

A very unusual accident happened in the hospital kitchen Tuesday afternoon; the water front in one of the stoves exploded. The report was heard a long distance. Luckly no one was seriously injured. Cook Rumph and Private Henri was slightly cut.

The hospital execueive officer wishes to invite the attention of the incoming officers and their families to the fact that there are three Medical Officers on duty as Attending Surgeons for this Command. Capt E. B. Bretz, in the city of Columbus, whose office is in the Chancellor building, 'phone 255, and who is quartered in Dimon Court, 'phone 2488, will promptly and cheerfully call on any of the Post Personnel living in the city, who are not able to visit his office for medical advice or treatment. Two officers are on duty at the post. Their officer 'phone is 126 where they can usually be reached. The Medical Officer of the Day, 'phone 127, will always care for any call when the Attending Surgeon cannot be promptly reached.

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Major R. H. Goldthwaite has returned from leave which was spent in New York and Boston.


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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL
BASEBALL

## POLO.

All polo speculations and predictions were upset last Sunday afternoon when the 83rd Artillery took the 29th Infantry into camp to the tune of 3 to 2. The Artillery team showed marked improvement over previous performances while the strong 29th Infantry team appeared to have made slower advance both in stick and in team work. The line up was:

| 83rd Artillery | Pos. | 29th Infantry |
|---|---|---|
| Beidenlinden | 1 | Rock |
| McClure | 2 | Roxbury |
| Malone | 3 | McCarthy |
| Betts | Back | Gannon |

Goals: 29th Infantry, McClure 1; etts 1. 83rd Artillery, McCarthy 1; Roxbury 2.

The second game was between the Post Staff team and the Freebooters, the latter team being composed of players who had never played together as a team before, and were at a disadvantage because of this. This game was a race from start to finish, the direction being the Freebooters' goal. With practice in team work, however, the Freebooters team will give any team at Fort Benning a sharp engagement. The line-up is shown as:

| Post Staff | Pos. | Freebooters |
|---|---|---|
| Elkins | 1 | (Burnett) (Paquet) |
| French | 2 | Douglas |
| Legge | 3 | McGill |
| Weems | Back | Breedlaw |

Goals: Post Staff, Elkins 1; French 4; Weems1. Freebooters, 0.

Next Sunday the line-up for all teams will probably be practically the same. The games, however, will be shifted so as to provide for different opposing teams meeting. These games are becoming more and more interesting, as was evidenced by the almost solid lines of automobiles along the side boards and it appears that more parking space will have to be provided in the near future. The game Sunday begins promptly at four o'clock.

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A tentative schedule of games has been announced for the purpose of fixing player's handicaps. This schedule runs from next Sunday until Sunday, November 26th. After these preliminary games have been completed a post tournament for the Dierks Cup will be played.

September 24th, 29th Inf. vs. Blues and Artillery vs. Yellows.

October 1, Artillery vs. 29th Inf. and Blues vs. Yellows.

October 8, Yellows vs. 29th Inf. and Artillery vs. Blues.

October 15, Blues vs. 29th Inf. and Artillery vs. Yellows.

October 22, 29th vs. Artillery and Blues vs. Yellows.

October 29, Yellows vs. 29th Inf. and Artillery vs. Blues.

November 5, Blues vs. 29th Inf. and Artillery vs. Yellows.

November 12, Artillery vs. 29th Inf. and Blues vs. Yellows.

November 19, Yellows vs. 29th Inf. and Blues vs. Artillery.

November 26, 29th Inf. vs. Artillery and Blues vs Yellows.

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| | |
|---|---|
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| Rabbit Devore | K. O. 2ndround |
| Sammie Sandew | Decision |
| Chick Harvey | Decision |
| Mickey Ross | Decision |
| Al Walthour | Decision |
| One Eyed Bennett | Decision |
| Frank Keenan | Draw |
| Eddie Coon | K. O. 5th round |
| Eddie Coon | Decision |
| Al Corbett | Draw |
| Al DeRose | Decision |
| Chief Alonzo | Draw. |
| Mike Miller | K. O. 2nd round |
| Kid Earle | Decision |
| Young Stribling, Keenan Knocked Out in 6th round. | |
| Tim O'Dowd | Tech K. O. |
| Kid Parnell | K. O. 3rd round |
| Johnnie Helms | Decision |
| Battling Twyman | Draw |

(2 fights, 6 and 8 rounds)

Keenan, on account of his weight, has had to go out of his class in order to get fights and in every instance that he has lost by decision or been knocked out his opponent has outweighed him several pounds. In his class he can handle any fighter outside of the professional class and it is expected that he will win again the Fourth Corps Area bantam weight championship this year as easily as he did last year.

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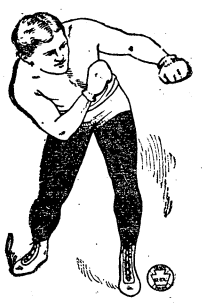

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# SPORTING NEWS

## FOOTBALL

The various unit teams are getting into shape and by the time the whistle is blown for the first kick-off the latter part of this month these teams will have rounded into shape and will put up an exhibition of real football.

The 29th Infantry, which regiment is putting three teams into the field, shows manifest interest in the coming season as is indicated by the large number of men turning out for practice. Notwithstanding guard duty and fatigue the players are getting at their practice in a business-like manner. Both the Second Battalion team and the First Battalion team have their eyes on the coveted pennant. This pennant was awarded to the First Battalion last year, although the game was protested by the "Treat-Em-Rough" aggregation The First Battalion believes that they can retain the post championship notwithstanding the insinuations of the Tank Battalion that they had to have the help of an officer to win the pennant last season. The Second Battalion is looking at the pennant with covetous eyes and are determined that the pennant for this season will have a new name plate on it this year.

The Tank Battalion is saying nothing and working hard. This team will bear watching by the other teams on the post. Last season they almost won the pennant and this season they are "out for blood."

Nobody seems to have any "dope" on the 83rd Artillery. However, they have the material in that organization and the team having expectations of running them ol the field is going to be disappointed.

The "dark horse" team is the special units team from the 29th Infantry. The grouping of these units into a team is an experiment. Someone remarked recently that it would be a surprise if this team cleaned up with the other teams on the post. This may happen. At any rate the Freebooters will be "there" when the time comes.

The varsity squad is being rapidly whipped into shape. Today saw the players out in football pants, jersies, and the rest of the football paraphernalia except the head harness and pads. These will be donned the latter part of the week. The line looks good. It looks terrible when it comes down to the field in the direction of the spectator. There is no telling what a crowd like that may do in the excitement of running signals. Lieut. Leman, thinking no doubt to add a touch of color to the general scheme, has furnished the players with baby blue stockings. "Babe" Adams especially looks well in these. When interviewed by a News reporter "Babe" seemed to be somewhat embarassed when questioned about his stockings and finally confessed that he couldn't do his best work for fear of getting the stockings soiled. This will probably wear off with "Babe," however, and when he hits the line with his old time form this season the color of stockings will not bother him.

Judging from form alone this year's varsity is going to be a winner Even at this early stage of the game the line gets off together and shows all the earmarks of developing into a wonderful machine. The backs are getting their legs limbered up and are beginning to catch punts and do broken field running like it was the middle of the season instead of hardly the beginning. This back field aggregation is as far advanced this season as they were behind last year, and when they start going around Piedmont's ends in the opening game those who saw last year's opening game will get a pleasant surprise.

## SWIMMING

Under the impetus given it by Lt. Paul B. Malone, Jr., this form of sport is increasing in popularity. The interest being displayed in the organization of a Fort Benning swimming team is evidenced by the following list of swimmers who are trying for the team:

(a)—Breast Stroke Swimmers—Capt. Foote, Lt. Malone, 29th Infantry; Sgt. Squirrell, Co. "B" 15th Tank Bn.

(b)—Sprinters—Capt. Colby, Capt Foote, Lt. Malone, 29th Infantry; Capt. Whitmore, Co. "L" 29th Inf.; Pvt. Shehane, Co. "L" 29th Inf.; Pvt. Powell, How. Co. 29th Inf.; Pvt. Wagner, Service Co. 29th Inf.; Pvt. Mathew, How. Co. 29th Inf.; Cpl. Heckman, Hq. Co. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.; Pvt. Gardener, Co. "M" 29th Inf.; Pvt. Thomas, How. Co. 29th Inf.; Pvt. Groenevelt, How. Co. 29th Inf.; Pvt. Maxwell, Co. "D" 29th Inf. Sgt. Squirrell, Co. "B" 15th Tank Bn.; Pvt. Stear Co. "B" 15th Tank Bn.

(c)—Back Stroke—Capt Foote; Pvt. Groenevelt, How. Co. 29th Inf.

(d)—Distance—Cpl. Heckman Hq. Co. 1st Bn. 29th Inf.

(e)—Plunge—Pvt. Major, Co. "A" 29th Inf.

(f)—Possibilities—Pvts. Swantic, Steer, Monager, Mac, Snedigar, Nugent, McCarthy, Co. "B" 15th Tank Bn.;Nelson, Co. "A" 15th Tank Bn.

Plans are now under consideration for sending a team to New Orleans next month to compete in a meet to be held at the time the American Legion holds its convention in that city. The prospects of a team from Fort Benning taking part in this meet are bright and it is believed that with the good material available this station will at least hold its own with other teams.


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## Quartermaster Det. Notes

"The Quartermaster Corps Detachment gave, on the evening of the 7th, a farewell dance in honor of Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Carl C. Jones who are leaving Fort Benning on or about September 15th. Colonel Jones will take up his new duties at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

Among those present were Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Carl C. Jones Captain and Miss Hahn, Captain and Mrs. Knight, Captain Wierbach, Captain Mechling, Captain Richardson, Captain Freeman B. Daniel, and Lieutenant and Mrs. Huntress.

The enlinsted and civilian personnel of the Q. M. C. of Fort Benning presented to Colonel and Mrs. Jones a beautiful token of remembrance in the form of a shebert set and tray of sterling silver.

The presentation was made by Technical Sergeant Wilhelm Berg, after which Colonel and Mrs. Jones replied with a speech of appreciation.

During the intermission refreshments were served, and Corporal Walters, of the Finance Department, who by the way, is considered to be the best singer in Georgia, sung a few appropriate songs, one of these having been composed by himself for the occasion."

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6.00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**
Sunday.

10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 137; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

Sunday School will be held at the Catholic Chapel next Sunday at 10 A. M., to be taught by Sisters from Columbus.

No Jewish services will be held at the Post Sunday, Oct. 1, on account of Yom Kippur services in the synagogue in the city.

## New Post Adjutant Arrives

**Lt. Col. William A Kent, A. G. D., Report for Duty.**

The new Post Adjutant, Lt. Col. William A.Kent, A. G. D., has arrived at Post Headquarters as the new Post Adjutant, and will relieve Captain Eustish L. Poland who has been Post Adjutant since July 13th, 1921. Captain Poland is a graduate of the Company Commanders Course at the Infantry School, class of 1920-21 and was assigned to duty as adjutant upon graduation. Captain Poland has administered his difficult office with great skill combining tact, firmness and sound common sense, in performing his task. His many friends wish him as great success in his new work.

The new Adjutant will take over his duties on the first of October. He is well equipped for his office and comes to Fort Benning with a wide experience in Army affairs. The new Adjutant has been assigned quarters 19-17-02 and is getting things in shape for a lengthy stay at Fort Benning. Lt. Col. Kent is assured of a hearty welcome to the Fort and he and his family are welcome additions to the social life of the Post.

## Corps Area Commander To Visit Fort Benning

**Major General David C. Shanks to Attend Opening of Infantry School.**

Major General David C. Shanks, Commanding General of the Fourth Corps is to pay Fort Benning his first official visit Monday, October 2, when he will attend the opening of the Infantry School for the year 1922-23. This is General Shanks' first visit to the Infantry School since assuming command of the Corps Area. General Shanks will be one of the speakers at the opening exercises of the School and will inspect the School and Fort while he is here. General Shanks will be the guests of General and Mrs. Gordon while here.

General Shanks has a long and distinguished record as an officer in the army. He holds in addition to many foreign decorations the D. S. M. and the D. S. M. (Navy). General Shanks was commissioned a 2nd Lt. upon graduation from West Point in 1884 and served in all the various ranks up to his present grade of Major General. General Shanks was a division commander overseas and saw much active service.

Another distinguished visitor who will be present and deliver an address in connection with the opening exercises of the Infantry School is Brig. General L. R. Gignilliat, O. R. C. General Gignilliat is the Commandant of Culver Military Academy one of the foremost military schools in the country and one that is rated as a distinguished institute by the War Department.

These distinguished visitors will find a warm welcome awaiting them on their arrival at Fort Benning and all military honors will be paid them The 83rd Field Artillery will fire the appropriate salute upon their arrival.

## Opening Exexcises of The Infantry School

**Formal Opening to Take Place Monday in Grove.**

The formal opening of the 1922-23 session of the Infantry School will take place Monday at 10 o'clock in the grove east of the Commanding General's quarters. There will be a large attendance to hear the speakers of the day, Major General David C. Shanks, Commanding General of the Fourth Corps Area, and Brig. General L. R. Gigilliat, O. R. C. Commandant of Culver Military Academy.

The order covering these exercises is as follows:

The program of the exercises is:

Selection—Sunny South, Lamps, 29th Inf. Band.

Invocation—Chaplain S. R. Wood

Address—Major General David C. Shanks.

Selection — Celebratet Minuet; Paderewski.

Address—Brig. General L. R. Gignalliat, O. R. C.

Selection—National Anthem; Key.

Benediction — Chaplain M. W. Reynolds.

Selection — United States Infantry School; Dickson.

## Sgt. Thomas Green, M. P. C., Retired

**Completes Thirty Years Service on the 26th.**

Sgt. Thomas Green of the Military Police Company was retired on Tuesday upon the completion of thirty years service. Sgt. Green is making his home in the City of Brotherly Dove, Philadelphia, Pa., and he states that the latch string will always be out to his friends from Fort Benning. The order announcing his retirement s as follows:

Headquarters ELP-a1
Fort Benning, Ga.
September 25th, 1922
General Orders No. 73.

**Retirement from Active Service.**

1. Sergeant Thomas Greene, R-351365, Military Police Company, is retired from the active service on September 26th, 1922.

Sergeant Greene wears the service ribbons representing three (3) campaigns as follows:

Spanish-American War, 1893.
Philippine Insurrection, 1899.
World War, 1918.

As an example of steady application to duty, of loyalty and good service, he is rewarded honorable retirement. The congratulations upon his successful career in active service and the good wishes of the entire command accompany him upon his retirement to civil life. (201, A.O.)

By order of the Commanding officer:

J. M. GRAHAM,
Executive Officer.

Official:
EUSTIS L. POLLARD,
Adjutant, al-distribution "A"

## Information Bureau Established at Headquarters

**Long Felt Need is Taken Care of By New Department.**

A long existing need has been recognized and adequately cared for by the establishment of an information desk in Post Headquarters. The desk is situated at the right of the entrance to the Adjutant's office and is capably manned by Master Sgt. J. T. McCloskey, assisted by Sge F. H. Higginbotham. These gentlemen have on hand all sorts of information—military and civil—and are anxious to be of use to the personnel of the post. The Information Desk telephone is No. 59 and this service is not confined to the military personnel of the pose, but is available to all persons, civil or military, whether on the post or in the city of Columbus.

## Major George R. Ward New G-3.

**Relieves Col. John W. Barnes, Who is to Retire.**

Major George R. Byrd, Inf., is announced as the new G-3, relieveing Col. John W. Barnes who is awaiting retirement. Major Byrd is a graduate of West Point in the Class of 06. During the World War he was with the 87th Division at Camp Pike and accompanied that company overseas. He is a graduate of the Infantry School, Field Officers Course, Class of 1921-22 and has been on an extended leave returning about the first of September. He has taken his task in the Post Headquarters and is on the job.

Col. John W. Barnes, the retiring G-3, is a graduate of the First Field Officers Course at the Infantry School and was at once placed on the Executive Staff at this station. Col. Barnes is to be retired shortly for physical disability and the best wishes of his many friends go with him as he takes his leave after his long an energetic service.

## History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 4.**

In the early part of 1903 most of the Companies of the Regiment changed stations on Negros, Cebu and Bohol Islands.

The official records mention the activities of the Regiment against the outlaws as follows:

"Companies G and H, 3 officers and 152 enlisted men left Camp Jossman at 9 P. M., 3-23-03 for detached service in the field in Mindanao per telegraphic instructions, Hdqrs. Dept Visayas, same date, arriving at Surigao, Mindanao 1 P. M., 3-25.

"On the 26th Lt. Galleher and 40 men of Co. G with 20 men of Philippine Constabulary, left by boat for Gigaquit arriving same date, scouting surrounding country next day. On the 30th the detachment proceeded to Mainit and the next day across Lake Mainit to Magtayaco, returning to Main't same day. Lieut. Goodwyn and 25 men left Surigao for Placer, Mindanao 3-28, scouting the neighborhood and returned on 31st.

"CO. H left Surigao 11:30 P. M., 3-25 per U. S. C. T. 'Carmen' for Tubay, Mind. and operated along the Jabonga river covering country from east to west from Tubay to Jabonga."

Co. E left Cebu 4-28 for duty in the field at Surigao, per U. S. C. T. 'Kansas City.'

"Co. G remained at Mainit, Placer, Jabonga, Magatayaco and Gamoton engaged in scouting through the country in small detachments in effort to locate and run down outlaws, in connection with the Philippine Constabulary.

"Co. H operated along the Jabonga River on these sections. Pvt Max Barczykowski was accidently killed near Tubay 3-28.

"Co. E marched from Placer to Timamana 5-1 to Mainit scouting the country on trail of bandits led by Adriano Concepcion.

"Co. G had a detachment at Taganito scouting country, guarding supplies and escorting wagon trains from Placer to Mainit.

Officers assigned to the Regiment during 1903 were:

Lt. Col. John G. Ballance.

Majors A. A. Augur, Walter A. Thurston, Samuel W. Dunning and Edwin P. Pendleton.

First Lieut. Eugene P. Crowne.

Second Lieut. A. O. Goodwyn had joined the Regiment previously.

Chaplain Paul T. Brockman was assigned to the 29th to succeed Chaplain Vattmann who was transferred to the 20th Inf.

The strength of the Regiment Dec. 31, 1903 was 59 officers and 1036 enlisted men, a total of 1086.

## Knockers' Column

This is not an
Apology,
But is
Written in an
Effort to
Help the overworked
Editor
To
Fill up a
More or less
Vacant column, also to
"Get it off my chest."
(Latter reason first.)
And
Once and for all
I want
To get this thing
Settled.
Since the fatal day
I first
Held up my hand
And said,
"Uh huh",
I do, or
Whatever it was,
I have been
"Balled" out,
"Cussed" out,
Knocked out,
Dared out,
Invited out,
Asked out,
Kicked out,
Tried out,
Brought out,
Locked out,
Sent out,
And told to
GET OUT ! @ * !
But,
Unlike the Raven
Which quoth
"Never-more"
I
Think I'll
RE-ENLIST.

Why is it that members of a certain organization at this post continue to wear the serge uniform on pass while men from other organizations are turned back at the bridge and told to get into proper uniform. This does not seem hardly fair to members of other organizations.

Since when has Uncle Sam authorized the wear of light khaki blouses and "dyed (by Benning Laundry Process) khaki breeches? This past week I sent to the laundry two blouses and two pair of breeches, for the purpose of having them dyed to match; the blouses having never been dyed, and the breeches only two weeks ago having received a coat of this new "Benning Laundry O. D. color," certainly were a sight to behold when worn by the writer. So for the purpose of having them dyed to match, I sent them to our laundry, and today had the pleasure of receiving them back, the breeches dyed—but the blouses still retained their almost snow-white color of old. Now, suppose the writer was abliged to wear these clothes to town. Wouldn't I be a fit subject for Barnum & Bailey's? I'd pack in the main sideshow at two-bits a ticket!

## Quartermaster Notes

Lieut. Huntress, Subsistence officer stuck his chest out Tuesday morning and said, "It's a girl." Keep it up Lieutenant, this makes two, say we.

1st Sgt. Wilhelm Berg is again back with us after a twenty days trip through the state of Florida; if his tent hadn't blown up at some beach in Florida we might still be looking sad. Evidently Florida is not dry, as it appears Sgt. Berg's taste. (for travel.)

We regret very much that we cannot put in print one of Bill Seigmund's official growls. You see he can't help it, he's our ex-mess Sergeant.

Private Charlie Faber's String band is evidently losing pep, as the only charming notes heard are those emanating from the tip of a cue stick —however, such music is getting stale, and the player is becoming (you know what I mean)

Speedy Gilliam says "Well, I reckon, this is the second car I bought and I know I've got a good one this time—its a Chevrolet." Corporal Kennedy says "it's a good car, well—we hope it is anyway."

"The Commissary Twins, Pvt Bacon and Pvt. Kane, are still at it," says Faber, our pocket billiard artist

Pvt. Albert E. Willette is out of the hospital after a ten week's vacation—all that we have to say it to "watch your step."

Let it be known through the detachment that Frank Rupp is still acting Corporal.

Orris Edge, for two years an active member of the Q. M. Commissary's sales force, has been transferred to the detachment orderly room. Other members of the force don't mind so very much,. (No wonder, just see who officiates in his place.)

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## TWENTY-NINTH INFANTRY NEWS.

(Items for publication in this column must reach the Chaplain by Wednesday noon each week.)

At a social gathering at the Regimental Library on Sautrday evening last, at which the men about to be discharged were guests of honor, an interesting contest was held. Prizes were offered for the best answers to the following questions:

What is the best thing about the 29th?

What is the greatest need of the 29th?

What is the best type of recruit needed by the 29th?

What is the best thing I can do for my home town?

These prizes were won by Stovall (Co. H), Miller (Co. H), Justice (Co. C), Bowman (Co. G), Corley (Co. G) and Defizeo (Co. H). One of the speakers reminded the guests of honor that they were not being honored because they were leaving the service, but because they had served honorably their three years.

Major Floyd Hatfield, commanding the first Battalion has returned from an extensive leave spent in Europe.

Lieut. Albert C. Wedemeyer has been selected as aide-de-camp on the staff of Brigadier General Paul B. Malone.

**Former Members of Regiment.**

News has reached the Regiment of the death of Master Sergeant Richard S. Krause, a former member of the 29th. Sergeant Krause will be remembered as a first Sergeant and one of the best ball players the Regiment has ever had. During the World War he held a commission as a temporary first lieutenant. In Sept. 1921 he underwent an operation for appendicitis from which he never fully recovered. He died Aug. 22 and was buried in the Williamsville cemetery, N. Y., with military honors.

Col. Monroe McFarland (who as Major commanded the first Battalion at Fort Porter) has just been retired

Among the Colonels to be made Brigadier Generals we notice with pleasure the names of Briant H. Wells and Harold B. Fiske, former members of the 29th. The Regiment extends heartiest congratulations.

The 29th also extends congratulations and best wishes to Major and Mrs. Landreth who became the happy possessors on Sept. 1st at Fort Leavenworth, of a baby daughter Margaret McFall.

Major and Mrs. A. J. Skillman, D. C., old friends of the 29th, were also the recipients of a little girl on Sept. 4th, Lily Elizabeth. Congratulations.

## Field Artillery Notes

Lt. F. G. McGill, 83rd Field Artillery, has been appointed football coach by the commanding officer and has a husky squad of twenty men out daily for practice. Sgt. Samlavich, quarterback on last year's team and member of the Fort Benning baseball team, heads the list of last year's veterans, together with Cooper, another Fort baseball star, 1st Sgt. Marsh, of C Battery, Sgt. Peiffer of "A" and Hunt of "A" are other veteran backfield men, while the line will be bolstered with experienced forwards in the persons of McNeely, guard, Tertany, guard; and Sgt. John Donnelly, tackle.

Newly reported officers assigned to the Battalion include Captain Alfred G. Ford, 1st Lieut. Henry L. Kersh, 1st Lieut. William D. Williams, 1st Lieut. William C. McCarthy, 1st Lt. Seward L. Mains, 1st Lieut. Chas. W. Reed.

Aided by the aggressive work of Lieut. McCarthy, a new player at No. 3, the 83rd polo team, in a strenous struggle on a rough field, defeated the 29th Infantry organization in four periods last Sunday by the extremely narrow margin of 3 to 2.

Capt. Betts, one of the Doughboys' Four Horsemen, on the defense was the mainstay in keeping the score down to that figure.

At the time this is written Major General William J. Snow, Chief of Artillery, is expected in the post. The Chief has made it a practice to visit the Artillery Battalion at least once during the school year since the organization was first stationed here.

A high compliment was paid to the nobility of the battalion when the Post Adjutant sent word down to the outfit by telephone Thursday morning to turn out a battery to fire the salute for General Snow at 9:30 a. m.

The call was received at 9:23 a.m. An orderly trotted down to the gun park and got there at 9:28. Three Minutes later four of the freshly painted and burnished gun sections of Battery "A", Captain William B. Dunwoody commanding, was rolling up to Post Headquarters.

## Sanitation.

Have you noticed that there are fewer flies in the Post this year, than last? This is due to the splendid cooperation of all concerned, especially through organization commanders, in catching flies.

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(3) **Catch the adult flies.** Use traps, fly paper and swatters.

To have even better success next Summer, we must catch adult flies which live through the Winter, and flood the Post with their young in the first warm days of Spring. Don't discontinue fly-traps because of the coming Winter. Keep them working the year round. One fly caught in the cold weather is worth many thousand caught in the Summer time

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APPRECIATION of the growing support being given The News by members of the command is tendered herewith. At first it began to look as if The News was going to be handicapped for news items and "copy," but some rich gems have been donated during the past week—as is evidenced by the definition of the Statue of Liberty given in another column—and seldom a day passes now that something of the kind does not show up. The News knows that there is an abundance of talented minds at Fort Benning and that the possessors of these minds, " in their spare time," can be of material assistance to the editor in making this paper one of the most attractive of any of the Service publications. Such copy is appreciated, even if it sometimes can not be printed for fear of having somebody on the back of our editorial necks, and the entire command is invited to supply The News with items of humorous interest. In a station the size of Fort Benning, with the type of men and women peculiar to the Army composing our personnel, amusing situations occur and funny remarks are made daily which deserve places in print. Stores of such situations and remarks are welcome.

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APOLIGIES are offered to both the 83rd Field Artillery and the 29th Infantry for not having printed their news items for last week. The printer overlooked these items in making up the paper to the extent that certain news items from other organizations should have been curtailed and provision made for all units having a few items. The policy will be in the future to give a certain amount of space to everybody and to try to divide this space in an equitable manner. Delivery of The News is made every Saturday morning by motorcycle courier to every set of quarters on the Post. Should anybody fail to receive their copy the A. & R. Office, Post 'phone 146, should be notified so that a copy may be sent out.

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THE FORT BENNING children's school opens Monday and the youngsters are getting ready for it. Miss Grimes has returned from her vacation, an event greeted with considerable glee by those youngsters who know her. At least temporarily the faculty will be composed of Miss Grimes, Mrs. Harvey, and Miss Slayton. It is probable that it will be necessary to increase the number of teachers later in the year. The plan for financing the school has been slightly changed this year to the extent that parents will be required to sign a contract for tuition, amounting to $5.50 monthly, covering the entire school year. This plan will create a small operating fund and enable the school to meet obligations more promptly than was the case last year.

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# Social Notes

**SORORITY WOMEN, ATTENTION.**

All Army women who are members of any one of the eighteen sororities in National Panhellenic will please notify Mrs. R. C. Stickney, Box 1002, Fort Benning, before October 20th, as we have a local Panhellenic and are very anxious to locate all the new sorority women who have come here this year.

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The officers and their families of the permanent personnel, through the Officers Club were hosts last evening at a reception and dance given in honor of the incoming officers and their families. In the receiving line were: General and Mrs. Malone, Col. and Mrs. Graham, and Lieut. Rockafellow, aide to the Commanding General, during the reception the 29th Infantry band rendered several splendid selections, giving a most enjoyable concert to all present. Each person at the party was required to wear a tag furnished for their convenience whereon they wrote their name. This helped in identifying the hundreds of people present. The invitation list included some two hundred persons from the city of Columbus who motored out for this occasion. After the reception the guests danced in the hop room, the music for this being furnished by the 29th Infantry orchetra. Sandwiches, cakes, ice creams, and punch were served to everyone present, much to their pleasure. The decorations were unusually pretty, having been prepared under the able supervision of Captain G. P. Braun. Large American flags were draped in the vicinity of the receiving line, adding a distinctive military touch to the function. A unique feature appreciated by the guests who live in Columbus was the furnishing of the transportation for them to attend this splendid affair. This is considered one of the biggest social functions of the season at this post.

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On last Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock Miss Ollie Tully of Columbus was married to Lieut. George C. Garvin, 15th Tank Battalion. The ceremony was celebrated with High Nuptial Mass in the Church of the Holy Family in Columbus. Chaplain Thomas J. Lennan assisted in the ceremony which was most impressive. Mrs. Garvin is welcomed as an attractive addition to Army society. Lieut. and Mrs. Garvin have a five weeks leave after which they will return to Fort Benning.

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On Tuesday evening, October 3rd, Capt. and Mrs. T. M. Shepherd and Capt. and Mrs. S. S. McLaughlin will entertain the officers and ladies of the 20th Infantry who are now students at the Infantry School. The party will be given at 1543 Second avenue.

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# 24th Infantry News Notes

**Sergeant Blue's Retirement.**

1st Sergeant Daniel Blue, Co. L 24th Infantry was retired from active duty under Special Orders No. 203 War Department, par 20, dated Aug. 29, 1922. In Battalion orders No. 17 Sergeant Blue was commended for his long and efficient service, over 20 years of which was with the 10th Cavalry. Sergeant Blue was honored with a review of the troops on the afternoon of September 6th, at which time his retirement orders were published.

Sergeant Blue has been engaged by the post exchange to conduct the restaurant in connection with the recreation hall of the battalion area.

Sgt. Blue was the honor guest at a smoker given by Co. L in mess hall, on which occasion he was presented with a gold watch on behalf of the entire company. The company officers were present and the assemblage was addressed by Colonel Nicklin upon the significance of the occasion.

**Stop Crowding.**

*For the* benefit of those who just skimmed over the D. B. No. 197, 9-7-22, C. S. Ft. Benning, Ga., paragraph 6, "ratings of messes" the following is quoted:

"The following ratings of the various messes in the post, results from inspections by the Post Sanitary Inspector, are submitted for the month of August, 1922:

Companys M, L, K, and I, 24th Infantry ,tied for first place.

Note: All small town columns please copy.

# I. S. D. News Items

Our friend Bill Stewart states that he wishes to make a statement in regards to the article appearing last week. He states it was not a plot against the Whites, but that Spud was bumming him for a cigar. Spud is now our inner guardian and he needs cigars and other things to keep the crowd out of the office. His cigars are usually enough.

The anniversary dance of the Detachment will be held October 7th. All married men of the Post and their families are cordially invited to be present. A good time is assured all who attend.

McCarthy wonders if a soldier has to keep moving in the city of Columbus. He has his own reasons for this and would appreciate information from anyone who is better informed. $10.75. Next case.

Seems as though Frankie Smith is some Baseball Magnate. The Benning Stars under his leadership appears to be about the best around Columbus. Anyone wishing games with his team can arrange same by calling Fort Benning, 28, and asking for Frankie.

Mike Halpan states there are 49 states in the Union and says he can prove his statement. The only change we have noted in the last few years is the State of Prohibition. I guess Mike wins after all.

Wisniewski is still seen about seven A. M. each morning with his two-foot stem pipe in his mouth and a broom in his hand industriously working in front of the orderly room. Here's a good chance for some girl to get a housemaid and husband at the same time.

Lessons in playing poker can be obtained most any night after payday from Red Austin.

Bill Stewart, our genial supply Sgt. was promoted to the grade of Master Sgt. for a day, it seems that his better half sewed Master Sgt. chevrons on by mistake instead of Staff Sgt. chevorns and he was just beginning to receive congratulations when he discovered the error; never mind Bill, Uncle Sam won't forget you in the future.

# Fort Benning Theatres Have Excellent Program

**Sunday, October 1st.**

"My Old Kentucky Home," 7 reels, featuring Monte Blue. "Before Breakfast," 1 reel comedy, featuring Harold Lloyd.

**Monday, October 2nd.**

"The Scrapper," 5 reels featuring Herb Rawlinson. "A Rare Bird," 1 reel Mutt & Jeff comedy. Fox News. 1 reel.

**Tuesday, October 3rd.**

"The Mohican's Daughter," 5 reel feature with an all star cast. "Idle Roomer," 2 reel comedy.

**Wednesday, October 4th.**

"The Man Unconquerable," 6 reels featuring Jack Holt. "Torchy's Promotion, 1 reel Torchy comedy.

**Thursday, October 5th.**

"When Devil Drives," 5 reels featuring Leah Baird. "Form," 1 reel Sport Review. "Fox News", 1 reel.

**Friday, October 6th.**

"East Comes West," 5 reels featuring Franklin Farnum. "Blow Em Up," 1 reel featuring Hal Roach. "Pathe Review No. 128," 1 reel.

**Saturday, October 7th.**

"Ashes," 5 reel feature with an All Star Cast. "The Wise Duck," 2 reel Sunshine comedy.

# Artillery Notes.

Twenty-five men are daily turning out for football under the tutelage of 1st Lieut. F. G. McGill. The coach expects to put in the field a well weighted line, particularly between tackles, and behind them a fast, if somewhat light backfield.

There will be few new faces in the line-up of the Artillery when it faces the Freebooters in the first game of the season Sunday. Of those who played last season, Marsh, Tertany, Donnelly, Samlavich, Hunt Peiffer, Erdos, Bruno, Walker, McAuliffe, and others are out and the only one of last year's regulars whose face is missing from the lineup is Sims, a consistent and aggressive player at tackle.

In addition to these a good seven or eight new men are showing enough stuff to make every regular uneasy concerning his berth on the team, and without doubt the first game Sunday will cause a good upsets in the lineup for the season.

# Sanitary Notes

The attention of all officers, enlisted men and their families is invited to the fact that an ample supply of pneumonia and influenza vaccine is now available. Statistics indicate that the taking of this vaccine by the young adult is very beneficial, rendering them less susceptible to respiratory infection.

Any one desiring to receive this vaccine should report at the office of the Chief of Medical Service, Station Hospital (Ward 4-A between the hours of 9 and 11 a. m., and 1 and 4 p. m., week days.

In connection with the above, it is well to take this vaccine BEFORE the season for influenza, and kindred diseases. This will insure time for the vaccine to build up the defence. You can't be vaccinated today and find yourself protected tomorrow. It takes a little time, probably a couple of weeks. So be ready for the wet cold weather.

Notice that the words "respiratory infections" are used in the first paragraph. If you have been a sufferer from frequent colds, tonsilitis, or bronchitis, it is entirely possible for you to derive benefit from this vaccine.

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL
BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

By the time this issue of The News appears the Infantry-Piedmont game will be at hand. The outcome is doubtful because the Infantry School team is a new team and has not yet played together as a unit. Judging from the trimming Mercer handed out to Piedmont last Saturday, however, the Sporting Editor has a hunch that Infantry will win by two touchdowns.

The probability is that all aspirants for the varsity team will get a chance to get into the game today. This does not mean that the players are not in condition; it does mean that Coach Milburn will probably want to get a line on his different players in action.

With Gee and Adams on the line, besides a promising lot of other material, and Mellon and Smith in the back field to strengthen the backs, the Piedmont backs and tackles are going to have their work cut out for them. Piedmont is going to fight from the kick-off to the final whistle, though—don't forget that. Piedmont has one of the gamest aggregation of little players in this section of the country as was proven last year.

Sebukaty, the boxer, is out for a berth in the back field. The idea persists in creeping in that if he should not make this place he would make a corking good tackle.

The Tank outfit is saying nothing for publication. That they are working hard on their team is evidenced by the fact that they have gotten to the head harness and shoulder pad stage. Their coach hints that the team will be much stronger than last year. If it is some of the other teams on the Post are going to have to play football.

It begins to look like the Infantry School Detachment might put a team in the field. This outfit's specialty has been baseball in the past. If they do as well in football even the present post champions, 1st Battalion 29th Infantry, will have to go some.

The 83rd Artillery is going after the football banner with more spirit than they showed last year. A series of circumstances prevented them from making a more creditable showing at that time but if enthusiasm counts for anything things will not be so easy for their opponents this time.

The 29th Infantry is in the throes of re-organization and this may prove a temporary handicap in the matter of practice. The 29th usually finds a way to put anything across that it starts, though, and there is no doubt but when the final whistle blows at the end of this season this organization will be "there" — or somewhere near "there."

The following revised schedule for the Fort Benning Football League has been published:

Oct. 4th—1st Bn., 29th Inf. vs. Freebooters, 29th Inf.

Oct. 11th—2nd Bn., 29th Inf. vs. 83rd Artillery.

Oct. 18th—15th Tank Battal. vs. Freebooters, 29th Inf.

Oct. 25th—1st Bn., 29th Inf., vs. 2nd Bn., 29th Inf.

Nov. 1st—83rd Artillery vs. 15th Tank Bn.

Nov. 8th—Freebooters vs. 1st Bn., 29th Inf.

Nov. 15th—83rd Artillery vs. 1st. Bn., 29th Inf.

Nov. 22nd—2nd Bn., 29th Inf. vs. 15th Tank Bn.

Nov. 29th—Freebooters vs. 83rd Artillery.

Nov. 30th—15th Tanks vs. 1st Bn., 29th Inf.

## POLO.

### LARGE CROWDS WITNESS POLO GAMES.

Last Sunday produced the biggest crowd that has turned out this season to witness the games played on the Fort Benning polo field.

The Artillery led off with the Benning Yellows as opponents. Handicaps of both teams aggregated nine each, thereby starting both teams at "scratch." In the melee that followed both teams ran up two goals. The following is the line-up:

| Artillery | hdp | pos. | Yellows | hdp |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dasher .... | 1 | 1 | Eggers .... | 3 |
| McGill ..... | 1 | 2 | Malone .... | 3 |
| | | | McClure .... | 5 |
| Roxbury .... | 4 | 3 | Burnett .. | 1 |
| McCarty .... | 4 | | | |
| Beiderlinden | 4 | | | |
| Gannon .... | 4 | | | |
| Yeager .... | 4 | Back | Waite | |

The second game was hard fought between the Benning Blues and the 29th Infantry. The final score was, Blues 3; 29th Infantry 5. The Blues seemed to be unable to overcome their handicap of three goals.

| Blues | hdp | pos. | 29th Inf. | hdp |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| J. Elkins .. | 2 | 1 | Douglas .... | 3 |
| French .... | 6 | 2 | Paquet ..... | 2 |
| Legge ..... | 3 | 3 | Elkins ..... | 1 |
| Weems ..... | 4 | Back | Broedlaw | 2 |
| | | | Moore..... | 1 |

Next Sunday the games will be: Artillery vs. 29th Infantry and Blues vs. Yellows.

## 15th Tank Bat. News

Lt. Harry W. Barrick, formerly of the School Division, is now attached to the Battalion.

On Tuesday last the newly organized Battalion Field Music participated in its first formal guard mount.

Last week the Columbus morning newspaper carried an account of the transfer of the last year's quarterback of the football team of the 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry, to this Battalion. It is strange how rumors can be translated into facts by the unthinking. The facts are that no transfer or even an application has been made to this Battalion of the above mentioned player.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## TENNIS

### INTEREST GROWING IN COMING TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

The past week developed a growing interest in the coming tennis tournament. The ladies especially are interested in view of the fact that this year is the first time mixed doubles and women's singles have been attempted. Every afternoon finds several players out who have been out of the game for some time.

The courts are slowly getting into better shape. At least six courts are now in first class condition. Six more are being re-surfaced and by the time of the tournament will be in as good shape as any dirt court.

Trophies, which have been generously donated by a number of Columbus people, will go on display on October 2nd at the Officer's Club. Some of these are very handsome and will be well worth playing for.

## BOXING.

### BOXING BOUTS TO BE CONTINUED

The Post Athletic Officer announces that on October 16th there will be more boxing bouts at Fort Benning The card for that evening is being planned and is an unusually good one. The main go will be between either Tenner and DeRose or between Sammy Butts and Twyman. There will be two eight-round bouts, probably between Sebukay and Dundee of the 6th Cavalry, and between Earle of Columbus and Grantham of Fort Benning. Negotiations are under way for a six-round go between Troop of the 24th Infantry and Raymond Deson of Anniston, Alabama. Both of the latter men are heavyweights. The opening bout will be between Mizwa of the 83rd Artillery and Pasiano of the Tanks.

In the event that the Tenner-DeRose bout can not be arranged the fight between Twyman and Butts will be of especial interest in view of the fact that Butts—who hails from New York, by the way—is a one-armed fighter who makes up with his left hand what he lacks in his right. The idea should not get started that Twyman will have a walk-away, however, because Butts has knocked out over forty men in his fifty odd fights and he has been prominently mentioned as the future bantam weight champion of the United States.

### FORT BENNING BOXING TOUNAMENT.

A boxing tournament has been announced beginning October 20th. This tournament is for the purpose of selecting entrants for the Fourth Corps Area Boxing Tournament to be held in Atlanta the latter part of November. Suitable prizes in the form of silver belt buckles will be awarded in the Fort Benning tournament and the men winning these will represent Fort Benning in the corps tournament. Winning the Fourth Corps Area championship means more to a boxer than just getting a prize. It means that he is the military champion of an area covering several states and this reputation will enable the fighter to get fights with civilians for good purses. Over fifty men have registered for the local tournament and the indications are that it will be a decided success.

James J. Reilly, better known as "Battling Reilly," was born Dec. 7, 1900, at Boston, Mass. Since 1915 he has spent most of his time as a devotee of fighters in the Boston Athletic Association, where he started his career as a rubber, and later as a sparring partner for about a year, in the same association. He started fighting in 1917.

Added to his list of fights which appears below "Battling Reilly' also fought four winning fights while he was stationed at Brest, France. The opponents were French and he cannot recall their names.

Reilly is also featherweight title holder of the Fourth Corps Area, earning his title this year in the Corps Area. His present weight is 125.

| | |
|---|---|
| Fights fought | 26 |
| Won on Decision | 11 |
| Won by knockout | 5 |
| Draws | 5 |
| Lost | 5 |
| Young Brown | Won K. O. |
| Young Brown | Draw |
| Harry Young | Decision |
| Young Dimaro | Won Tech. K. O. |
| Joe Freeley | Won K. O. |
| Joe Freeley | Decision |
| Kid Spanell | Decision |
| Young Sparrow | Decision |
| Skippy Hammond | Lost |
| Young Brennan | Decision |
| Eugene Poyner | Decision |
| Eugene Poyner | Draw |
| Kid Earle | Lost |
| Young Lyons | Decision |
| Kid Large | Won Tech. K. O. |
| De Ceasre | Won K. O. |
| Kid Brown | Decision |
| Kid Brown | Decision |
| Kid Brown | Decision |
| Tim O'Dowd | Draw |
| Battling Twyman | Exhibition Draw |
| Red Keenan | Exhobition Draw |
| Battling Brooks | Decision |
| Chick Athens | Lost K. O. |
| Chick Athens | Lost K. O |
| KidKid Earle | Lost K. O. |

Smoking is not a new accomplishment with the ladies,—far from it. Nor are the popular brand of today so very new. Mention is made in the Bible, under Genisis xiv-64, as follows:

"And Rebekah lifted her eyes, and when she saw Isaac, she lifted off the Camel."

### BEAUTIFUL—PERHAPS (?)

It was a beautiful moonlight night. The gentle breezes were wafting fragrant perfume across the meadow from the nearby orchard. The exquisite beauty of the fields, the orchards, and last but not least, the beauty of the one who stood by my side, she was by far more beautiful than any I had seen during the day, now under the moonlight she was beautiful beyond description, her deep soulful eyes, and her symetrical figure coupled with her loving disposition and her patient silence as she looked up into my eyes were enough to move the heart of the Statue of Liberty*. Suddenly like a bolt from the sky I remembered that unless I hurried with the milking I would not be able to attend the barn dance at the old school-house. You see I was only a farmer lad sent out to milk our Holstein cow.

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## NEWS FROM THE 7TH ENGINEERS

**Organization and Development Prior to Embarkation for Overseas.**

Congress, under the provisions of ,,An Act to authorize the President of the United States to increase temporarily the military establishment of the United States," approved May 18th, 1917, ordered the immediate increase of the Regular Army to the strength which, by the previous "National Defense Act," approved June 3rd, 1916, was to have been obtained by five annual increments. This included the expansion of the engineer Corps of engineers into seven regiments, two mounted battalions and a band.

General Orders No. 62, War Department, dated May 14th, 1917, issued accordingly, provided, "..... Companies E tand F, First Engineers to be organized into the Seventh Regiment of Engineers at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas." Company E, 1st Engineers, was expanded into the 1st Battalion and Regimental Headquarters of the new regiment at Washington Barracks on May 15th 1917, and on May 23rd these units entrained for Fort Leavenworth, and arrived there the 26th. Comapny F, 1st Engineers, left Leon Springs, Texas, May 30th, 1917 and reached Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, June 1st, where it was at once expanded into the Second Battalion.

## Medical Dept. Notes

On the night of Sept. 20th the non-commissioned officers of the hospital met and formed a club, to be known as the "Non-Commissioned Officers Club." The idea being to form and maintain a club for social recreation among the N. C. O's. of the hospital. It was voted to hold meetings every Monday night. The following officers were elected for the coming year

Chairman, Staff Sergt P. H. Risley.
Vice-Chairman, Staff Sergt. H. B. Lester.
Secretary-Treasurer, Sergt. Arthur N. Mager.
Asst. Secty.-Treas., Sergt M. M. Bedenbough.
Entertainment Committee: Sgt. C. M. Mount, Sgt. W. C. Cullifer and Cpl. T. J. Martin.
Refreshment Committee: Staff Sgt. Oscar Brown, Sgt. H. W. Oatman, Sgt. J. I. Cook.
Committee on Bylaws: Staff Sgt. H. B. Lester, Staff Sgt. E. C. Carswell, Sgt. H. C. Shirtzinger.

The "smokes" for the evening were furnished by Capt. A. A. Roby, M. A. C., through Staff Sergt. Risley. Sergt. Risley gave a very interesting talk on the Panama Canal Zone. The talk was very interesting and showed a full knowledge of the "Zone." The meeting adjourned at nine forty-five after a most enjoyable evening.

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## 24th Infantry News

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Corporal Motto Puryear (Smiling Baby) has announced his love for his country and flag by holding up his right flopper and saying "I do." Nope he is not married, he has taken on 1095 days plus one day more which Mr. 1924 contains.

Very glad to state at this writing that Private Owen Hill is a great deal better. He fell off a horse at equitation and the horse came back and two-stepped all over Private Hill. He stepped in Private Hill's stomach and on his head. The horse never lost but one shoe. "Nuff sed."

Our friend 1st Sergeant Blue has retired. The best wishes of the officers and men of this company go with him.

You should see the nice swimming pool of the 3rd Bn. 24th Infantry. It is located west of the battalion area, under nice cool shady trees. The dam, a beautiful sight, was designed by Captain James Sproule. The pool was first started A. D. 1920, and every soldier goes into this pool rather than go off the reservation and slip in creeks and rivers. There seems to be only one small complaint. "THERE IS NO WATER THERE."

The baseball team of the 3rd Battalion, 24th Infantry, completed a very successful season with a record of 32 games won against 6 lost, this record being made against such colored teams as Columbus, Opelika, Birmingham, Atlanta, Grey Sox, Montgomery, Auburn, Morehouse College and other equally strong teams.

The success of the team was due to its ability to hit the ball where hits meant runs, coupled with the fact that the entire team fought till the last man was out.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6.00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**
Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 137; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## Camp Activities Committee Find Homes For Officers

The following letter indicates the Columbus spirit and is printed for the benefit of the Fort Benningites:

Columbus, Ga., Sept. 21, 1922.
General W. H. Gordon, Commandant, Fort Benning, Ga.
My dear General:

Responding to your letter of the 19th.

It is indeed pleasing to know that any slight efforts which have been made by our committees and the citizens of Columbus in aiding your incoming officers to comfortably locate themselves in our city have been successful.

Please consider that we are always at your service and that it is a pleasure to co-operate with the authorities at Fort Benning at all times.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Cordially yours
A. F. KUNZE, Chairman,
Camp Activities Committee.

### GREAT AMUSEMENT PROGRAM FOR BIG FAIR NEXT WEEK

Three bands, a beautiful posing act by living models, a sensational act by the Ferris Wheel Girls, the Earle Sisters on Flying Ladders, Joe Kiljoy, famous comedian, Bobbie Brollier, Scotch tenor, Kathryn Murdock, soprano, and other special acts will make up the feature program.

The leading musical organization will be Roy Smith's famous Scotch Highlanders band with the musicians in costumes typical of the Highlanders.

The L. J. Heth show will furnish the Exposition Way amusements with 20 shows and riding devices.

## Fort Benning Theatres Have Good Programs Coming

### BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF A FEW ATTRACTIONS NEXT WEEK.

On Wednesday evening "Lonely Heart," featuring Kay Laurell, "The girl with the form divine," will be shown. For five years Miss Laurell was a model and a member of the Follies. Now she has gone into pictures and in "Lonely Heart" she demonstrates that she is an artist as well as a beauty.

The story is a tale of an attempt to rob the Cherokee Indians of valuable oil lands. Lonely Heart is a member of the tribe and falls in love with Bart Goodale, son of the man who is engineering the steal. The love affair meets with setbacks but finally turns out well. The play has a liberal supply of action and is worth going to see.

On monday evening Bert Lytell appears in "The Face Between." In this story Lytell is seen at his best. As a New York society man he becomes an exile in the blue ridge mountains to save the reputation of his father. He sacrifices everything, even giving up the girl he had soon expected to marry. During his banishment a mountain girl falls in love with him and, desparing of ever again returning to civilization, he decides to marry her, but is shot by a jealous lover.

It would be unfair to those who are to see this picture to reveal the various complications which then result, and their final solution, but it can be said that this unsual and highly exciting story provides all the ingredients of a perfect picture. In the picture Lytell plays the dual role of both father and son.

On Thursday Pricilla Dean appears in "Wild Honey." Miss Dean is too well known to require any introduction. Needless to say that she is as good in "Wild Honey" as in "Conflict." "The Virgin of Stambouhl," and her numerous other pictures.

The play is based on Cynthia Stockley's famous story of South Africa in which Miss Dean plays the part of Lady Vivienne, the heroine. The story is full of thrills but the biggest one is the great flood scene. These scenes show a pent up river unleashed to sweep down a narrow canyon and through a valley filled with settlers. The turbulence of the water and its destructive power are shown with a realism never before attained on the screen. Miss Dean is shown in the midst of it battling her way to safety and happiness with her usual courage and dash. Those who saw her in "Conflict" realize that she has to furnish numerous thrills if she exceeds those offered in that play when she appears in "Wild Honey" but she is considerable of a "thriller" and those who see "Wild Honey" will not be disappointed if they are looking for thrills

"The Woman Who Came Back," adapted from the novel "Sonia," which went into twenty-one editions, will be shown friday night. The title role is played by Evelyn Brent.

This is a vivid and romantic story of society life before and during the war. It is not a war story, in the strict sense of the word, but it shows how suffering and self-sacrifice can work miracles in regeneration. The hero, David Standish, is a masterful youth and, after roaming the world, decides he wants to graduate from Oxford. Through hard work he realizes his ambition. He falls in love with Sonia, a heartless flirt, who at first accepts him and then turns him down. He tells her that some day she will come back to him and then he leaves her.

Five years later he returns. Sonia is still wilfull and frivolous. She is in Bavaria when the war breaks out, having been induced to take a motor trip with a rounder who purposely becomes lost from the motor party so that they will have to spend the night in a small village. She then realizes into what low companionship her frivolity has led her. She is held as an enemy alien. David rescues her with a daring bluff and then enlists in the army. He returns from the war blinded. By this time the butterfly Sonia has been sobered and at last she convinces David of her regeneration.

Mutt and Jeff appear on Monday night in "The Naturalist." Both of these artists are too well known to be commented on. The other comedies, such as "Oh, Buddy," "Stage Struck" (Hal Roach) and "Excuse Me Sheriff" are good. Fox News shows on Monday night and Pathe Review on Friday, the 13th.

The complete program appears elsewhere.

## Infantry School Opens For Fourth Term

### GENERAL SHANKS AND MAYOR DIMON DELIVER OPENING ADDRESSES.

Monday morning at 10 o'clock the fourth term of the Infantry School opened with an attendance of 394 student officers ranking from captains to Colonels. Three hundred and three are in the company commanders course and ninety-one in the field officers class. These officers have come from all over the United States and its possesions and enter upon the school year with much enthusiasm.

The exercises were held in the beautiful grove just east of the Commanding General's residence and here were gathered more than six hundred officers and their friends. General Malone read a letter from the Chief of Infantry in which he spoke in glowing terms of the Infantry School, and introduced the speakers of the morning, General Shanks and Mayor Dimon.

General Shanks spoke of the importance of the Infantry School and its effect on the records of the officers. He spoke of the beginning of the Leavenworth School and compared and contrasted them with the Infantry School. He also spoke upon the question of morale, its causes and results. His remaks were very well received and greeted with much applause.

General Shanks was followed by Mayor J. Homer Dimon of Columbus, who spoke most pleasingly upon the relations existing between Fort Benning and Columbus. He extended a very warm welcome to the new officers and made them citizens of Columbus, and spoke most feelingly of interest taken by Generals Gordon and Malone in Columbus and its affairs. The 29th Infantry band furnished music for the exercises and deserve favorable mention for their music.

All in all the opening exercises were most successful and the fourth term of the Infantry School has started on its way most auspiciously. It is confidently expected that this year will be the best year ever for the School with excellent athletics, much social life and an intense interest in the military phase of the work.

## Gen. Paul B. Malone Is Now In Command

### GENERAL W. H. GORDON CALLED TO WASHINGTON BY SICKNESS OF WIFE.

Brig. General Paul B. Malone is now Commanding General of Fort Benning in the absence of Brig. General Gordon who has been called to Washington by the serious illness of Mrs. Gordon. General Gordon has been granted a month's leave of absence. The good wishes of the entire command are with General and Mrs. Gordon. It is hoped that Mrs. Gordon will recover quickly and return to Fort Benning after a speedy convalescence.

General Malone presided at the opening of the Infantry School and expressed General Gordon's regrets at being unable to be present on so important an occasion.

## Hand Salutes No Longer Required Under Certain Condition

### A RELIEF FOR THE RECRUIT BUT HARD TO GET ACCUSTOMED TO BY THE OLD-TIMER

Hand salutes between officers and enlisted men are no longer required except on military reservations or when either officer or enlisted man is addressed. They will not even be required at posts and camps during games or mess or on social occasions.

The following changes in Army Regulations relative to salutes have been made:

Pars. 382 and 384, Army Regulations, are changed as follows:

382. (Changed by C. A. R. No. 50) Change Subpar. 1 to read as follows:

1. Salutes will be exchanged between officers and enlisted men upon meeting, passing near, or being addressed within a military post, camp, station, headquarters of armory on the following occasions: When not in a military formation; when not at drill, work, games or mess; when not in public conveyances; or when not at public meetings for purposes of social diversion or amusement.

384. (Changed by C. A. R. No. 50) Change Subpar.. 3 to read as follows:

3. When outside of a military post, camp, station, headquarters or armory, salutes are not required to be exchanged between officers and enlisted men, except when addressing each other or when the ommission would show a lack of courtesy.

No longer will the newly made second lieutenant be forced to stop the buck private and give him a "cussing out" for not saluting and no longer will the buck private, as a matter of principle turn his back and look into a show window when he sees an officer coming. Both of these embarassing situations have been done away with.

But how about the man who has grown gray in the Service and finds his right hand automatically raised when he sees a senior in rank approaching? He is going to have a heluvatime keeping from doing it. To render the salute, however, is not prohibited as the order says "salutes are not required," except when the omission would show a lack of courtesy.

# Knockers' Column

Dere Mr, agunant Gxnerle,
WASHINGTON d. C.
dere sir & Co.

i am sentin this to u and companie cause i see a differn guys name an adjutant Generle after it on ever paper what the tope Segnt. gives to me To put on THc buletiNe Bored nowe dont tHInke i am tring 2 geat fres with U caws i ant—corse i mite use some biG wurds what u with yoUR limited vocaluLary is not FAmiler but U wile hav 2 do the best u can or letE my frien parishang who is nou the CHEFE stafe of the rmie tele u what they mean on the OTHERIE han take a tip an dont asKe anie of them guys on mR. Dickmans borde cause tHey mite GEt wise 2 U.

wat i started 2 say n the 1st PLAce was that this is sore sum awful plase fore a man or animule 2 life wile i am seting hear in my bougwar (thts wone of the wurdse I was telling U About@) not neats BUT cubstancialie constructed of a conglomerashunE of scrap lomber, tar papper an clase B. tentage i cannOTE hellp But admier the butieful decorations on the enterier witch r so butifuley desined frum ancienT COBE-webs & dride terbaccer expectorations left me withOutE requisitshune bye the former ocupante. Thru mi 1 & onlie dore I hav a unobstructed vue of a fragantt expanse of corrAlE which is nowe decorated with wune half filed g. I. kan 1 persistant BUT grately dissaPoiNTed jimsone weade, wun amerous Tom cat & sundrie ten kans, the above conduCIVE 2 spells of protractieD introSPESshun, of coarse GEN. u understan i cude go on an on but U with ure bige hede an tecnicle eddicashun can rede this & easily ce whate WE R up againste, chances r if U wood tel Mr. kongress about this he woulde give us wune of them there appropriations. (i dont delieve i spelled that last word rite but what I mean wa approprashuns| WELL ole timer as that guy said one time when he was doing the duble time" thru GA "war is hell."

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WHY NOT :

—some one tell the P. E. Officer that the war is over and he need not continue to charge war prices in the Post Exchange.

—some inventive genius patent a respirator which can be successfully used against the dust attacks on the Columbus - Fort Benning highway, and that the Howard Taxi & Bus Co. be required to place a siren on each vehicle to be used to warn the occupants of a dust attack.

—continue the practise started during the Civil War, namely: issuing UNION suits to soldiers. Have the immortal words, "United we stand, DIVIDED we fall" been so soon forgotten? The Q. M. would do well to remember, "Eendracht maakt macht," (In union there is strength).

—appoint a board to examine candidates for the degree of B. T. (bull thrower)?

—appoint a committee to take contributions for the buying up of all hammers so the owners thereof will not be able to knock the Post.

—take into consideration what Field Service Regulations say, to wit: "Men and animals both sleep better in the early morning hours," the above would be greatly appreciated by one who is very familiar with "restricted to the limits of the Post for one week due to your failure to be present with the organization at reveille this morning."

E. PLURIBUS UNUM.

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## Finance Detachment Notes

Corporal Short (Our Pay Roll Shark) came to grief last week when he lost his much needed "Fever Glasses."

Watson says he may be a Stenog. but he doesnt chew gum—aren't there any funds available, Cecil?

Private Barker Wonders why so many men return after being AWOL —George doesn't like remarks on the pay rolls.

Corporal Walters (The Finance Singer) says they can call this place Fort Benning if the want to, but he shall continue to call it "Lake Benning" when it rains.

Our noble Cashier Private Ayers, says Cornelia is nothing like this office when the mileage vouchers are coming in by the hundreds.

The Mess Sergeant is wondering why he has had to add two extra rations since Private Friedenthal has returned from the hospital.

A telephone message from the hospital this morning reveals the fact that Private Banda is improving quite rapidly from his operation and expects to be on the job again soon—his return will be hailed with much pleasure by the Finance Detachment.

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# History of 7th Engineers

**Article No. 2.**

With the soldiers from companies E and F of the 1st Engineers as a nucleus, recruits were rapidly assorbed so that by the end of June, the 7th Engineers had an enlisted strength of 1201 men.

During the entire summer, intensive courses in infantry and engineer drill were followed. In conjunction with the 1st Engineer Officers' Training Camp, a complete system of trenches were constructed on Engineer Hill.

The entire morning, each day, was devoted to Engineer work, consisting of the construction of dugouts, barbed wire entanglements and trenches of various types. Bridges of different designs were constructed across Corral Creek, torn down and reconstructed. Speed tests were made, simulating battle conditions, where the work had to be done under fire, and time was of primary importance. On Merrit Lake, from early in the summer until it was frozen over in the winter, intensive pontoon drills were given, and that these lessons were thoroughly learned was later demonstated. Special courses in sketching, instrument work, map reproduction, drafting, demolition, blacksmithing and rigging were given by qualified N. C. O's.,both to the men in the Regiment and the candidates in the E. O. T. C.

Many hours were spent in semaphore drill, knots and lashings, and the making of facines, hurdles and other types of revetments, so that by fall all except the latest recruits were conversant with the duties of engineer soldiers.

The entire afternoons were spent in close and extended order infantry drill; on two days each week the battalions were paraded and one Regimental Parade was held each Friday afternoon. Friday mornings were always devoted to long hikes, always planned as a military problem. More than one man did his first cooking while on these Friday marches, since individual cooking was usually the order of the day. The Engineers always furnished the entire guard on the post, and since it was a large one, practically every man did guard once every two weeks. As a result, by Thanksgiving Day, the regiment had received a very thorough course and were qualified for overseas duty.

However, the entire time was not spent in work. On July 4th a regimental track meet was held and first honors went to Company D.

During the Fall, inter-company football games were held on Saturdays and Sundays, and an exceptionally good brand of football was played. Here Company F came to the front and demonstrated their ability by winning the Regimental Championship. At the close of the Regimental football season, a challenge was sent to the Signal Battalion to play for the Championsip of the Post. The stars on the various company teams were coached for one day, and on the following day decisively beat the Signal Corps before a crowd of five thousand people.

There had been a great deal of rivalry between the Signal Corps and the Engineers, so a challenge was received from the Telegraphers, for a track meet. This was most hotly contested throughout the entire day, but at nightfall the winning of the last event brought the Engineers into the lead again.

Then followed boxing tournaments between the Engineers and the Signal Corps. During the preliminary bouts held in the regiment, Company C demonstrated its pugilistic superiority; four men from this company being eventually chosen to represent the regiment, with one man each from Company A and Company E. The boxing tournament ended a draw and shortly thereafter the Engineers and the Signal Battalion were ordered away.

On September 10th, the Seventh Engineers Train was organized by the transfer of Lieut. Murphy and forty-three enlisted men from the regiment.

Shortly after this transfer, came orders transferring eighty-nine selected non-commissioned officers and privates to the National Army. Then followed another order transferring thirty-one more men to form the 404th Depot Detachment. Consequently, by the end of October the strength of the Regiment was down to 1400 men. The Regiment was authorized on November 22nd to organize and equip in accordance with the latest tables of organization, so that by the end of the month the Regiment had a strength of forty-six officers and 1655 enlisted men.

Following this, came almost three months of waiting. We were ready, but our division, the 5th, to which we were assigned in December, were still below strength, and not ready.

At last, on February 23rd came orders for foreign service, and on February 24th the first section, consisting of animals and freight of the regiment, commanded by First Lieut. C. J. Moore, left Fort Leavenworth. At 5:40 P. M. the following day, the first passenger section departed, bound via the C. B. & Q., to Chicago, Illinois, G. T. through Canada to Niagara Falls, N. Y. C. & H. R. to Utica, and N. Y. C. & W. to Camp Merritt. The two remaining sections departed the following day.

An abundance of food had been provided and every man had a comfortable bed; the pleasures of Hommes 40, Chevaus 8, were still unknown.

The following is a list Regimental Commanders, Battalion Commanders, Regimental Staff Officers, Company Commanders, and senior non-commissioned officers who served with the 7th Engineers from the date of its organization to time of departure for overseas:

**Regimental Commanders.**

Lieut.-Col. Meriwether L. Walker.
Major Wildurr Willing.
Major Daniel D. Pullen.
Colonel Lewis M. Adams.
Colonel Clement A. F. Flagler.

**Lieutenant Colonels.**

Lieut.-Col. Lewis M. A. Adams.
Lieut.-Col. Meriwether L. Walker.
Major Earl G. Paules (Actg.)

**1st Battalion Commanders**

Major Thomas H. Emerson.
Major Lewis M. Adams.
Major Daniel D. Pullen.
Major Otto O. Kuentz.

**2nd Battalion Commanders.**

Major Wildurr Willing.
Major James G. Steece.
Major Earl G. Paules.
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"Of course, there is no thought of profiteering in Columbus, but, nevertheless, one can't quite reconcile the fact that as such is now asked for one or two rooms and bath in Columbus today as the whole house would have rented for before the war—and Camp (Fort) Benning."—Extract from Columbus paper.

We have never had experience in renting rooms or a house in Columbus and therefore can vouch for the above only on hearsay evidence. From statements made to us, however, we are inclined to believe that there are instances where property owners have taken advantage of conditions to demand rents which appear exhorbitant. Instances are known where property owners had two rental prices, one contract being for an entire year at a reduced price, and another contract for eight months at a greatly increased price. It is natural that a property owner should want to protect himself for the period of four months when the house might be vacant, but the fellow who is so situated that he can sign a contract for but eight months should not have to make up the difference. This may or may not be discrimination.

In connection with profiteering—and, mind you, we are not accusing any individual or group of individuals of such—a letter recently received from a highly educated professional man living in another state is brought to mind. This letter stated, substantially, "It seems to me that a merchant could reduce his profit to a reasonable percentage and by handling the same quality of merchandise as his competitors, at a slightly reduced price, make up in his volume of business what he might lose in the reduction of prices." The thought contained in this letter is practical. Army people, as a rule, do not have a great deal of money to spend at this time. The sweeping reduction in pay combined with the steadily increasing cost of the necessities of life make it necessary that Army people practice economy. As a result everybody—except, maybe, "shavetails"—is going to buy at the place where the least money will buy the largest amount of merchandise of a reasonable good quality.

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2000 Chickens at Fair.—Headline. Army ladies had better keep their eyes on the old man about October 9th-14th.

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Speaking of the Chattahoochee Valley Fair, the exhibits are worth going to see. The military is going to play an important part in this occasion; consequently the military population should support it. If the Infantry School belongs to Columbus and Columbus is the home of the Infantry School then the Fair, which is being sponsored by Columbus people, is our Fair. Let's help make it a success.

# Social Notes

**SORORITY WOMEN, ATTENTION.**

All Army women who are members of any one of the eighteen sororities in National Panhellenic will please notify Mrs. R. C. Stickney, Box 1002, Fort Benning, before October 20th, as we have a local Panhellenic and are very anxious to locate all the new sorority women who have come here this year.

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General and Mrs. Paul B. Malone entertained Major General Shanks informally at luncheon last Monday after the opening exercises of the Infantry School.

Enjoying the hospitality of the Malone home were General Shanks, Capt. Smith, Mayor and Mrs. Homer Dimon, Col. Fasset, Mr. and Mrs. Leighton McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes Browne, Major and Mrs. Heidt, Mrs. H. A. Young, Capt. Campanari, Mrs. James H. Palmer, Lieut. Rockafellow, General Malone's aide, and Lieut. Paul B. Macone, Jr.

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Mrs. Coleman Nockolds has returned from Washington where Colonel Nockolds is a patient in Walter Reed hospital.

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Mrs. Gordon is ill at Walter Reed hospital. General Gordon and their daughter, Mrs. Allen, are with Mrs. Gordon. Mrs. Gordon's speedy recovery is hoped for.

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## 24th Infantry News Notes

The first two games with Birmingham gave an excellent exhibition of the fighting qualities of the team. In the first game at the last of the ninth the score was 5 to 2 in favor of Birmingham, but when the ninth ended the score had been tied by the 24th, and the game was won by us in the eleventh by a home run with two on bases. The second game was practically a replica of the first.

Opelika was defeated in two games 9 to 1 and 8 to 0. Just after leaving the Fort Opelika won the Colored championship of Southern Alabama. This gives an idea of the teams the 24th played, and they took all comers, not picking the easy ones. The 24th was desirous of playing other strong teams but were prohibited by certain rulings.

Sergeant "Buddie" Wheeler, made a heart to heart talk to the company the other day, and since that time the mess Sgt. has been feeding, the supply sergeant has been supplying, the sergeants have been ordering, the corporals have been squabbling, the privates have been dodging, the cooks have been cooking, the clerks have been clerking, Shorty Washington has been grumbling and Bud Shaw has been making Reveille on time, in fact the whole company has been doing duty.

The Battalion Bubler is out constantly making smiles and graceful bows to the lady visitors; be careful Brooks, in making your graceful bows that you don't come in contact with something rather hard against your head. There is some kind of guard on every post.

Cook Williams (Stew King) says that there are certain people in the City of Columbus, conspiring to do him bodily harm and that he is afraid that he will have to resort to physical force as a measure of self protection and personal safety. He has the right idea all right, as the force he resorted to the other night was so violent that it took him over a hundred yards in less than four seconds.

Corporal Minick is very sick at this writing; O not-a-bed sick, just love sick.

Private George Lay is still mad with the Mess Sergeant, because he saw George before he could steal the fifth bowl of rice duff.

School Days, School Days, Dear old school days, reading and writing and arithmetic, taught to the tune of one month and two-thirds. The instructor asked Private Sam Sain if the Supply Sergeant issued you three shirts today and one tomorrow, how many shirts would you have at inspection Wednesday. Sir, I would have two in the laundry getting dyed, one going to the laundry and one coming from the laundry.

The C. O. issued an order that all can containing gasoline be painted red. Sergeant Tolbert has started on his "Baby Lincoln."

**Football Season Opens.**

The opening game of the season on the liberal schedule arranged for the battalion team will be played at Tuskegee Institute on Saturday afternoon. A first line team of formidable character has been developed in the lively scrimmage practice and under the continuous and vigorous coaching of Chaplain Reynolds and Captain Roger M. Wilson.

This being the first game of the season there is very little dope as to which team will pile up the biggest score. The marked improvement in the form of this year's team over the performance of last year's team gives some assurance that the school boys will not have a walk away with this first game.

The backfield will contain the same line-up that performed last year, with Jones fullback, Freelon and Hill running the halves, Williams receiving at quarter. Sanders will probably head the list of available centers, banked by Adams and Kilgore who played the guard positions last year. Green and Lay will also come in for some heavy duty on the line of their former positions. The Dawson brothers are among the new comers who will help stablize the main defense. Trammel and Bonner will have a try at end.

It is expected that a delegation of supporters and rooters will accompany the team on the trip.

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Since the football season started Corporal Adams, has composed a new song, entitled, "When my shoes wear out from kicking I'll be on my feet again." Never mind Adams, we'll go to the fruit store and buy you a pear.

Before going on special duty at the I. S. D. Mess Hall, Pvt. Everhart was somewhat of a cartoonist. He would sit for hours at a time with pencil and paper trying to figure out a way to get away with McCabe's car.

Oh, yes, Pvt. McCabe has a car. It's a family car, it has a tank for father, a hood for mother and a rattle for baby.

Our ranking duty sergeant, Botta, is getting discharged on the sixteenth of the month, but he don't know whether to go back to Philadelphia or stay with us. Better stay with us George, times are tough on the outside.

Seems queer how the ladies find out so quick that a man has a car. 1st Lieut. P. F. Craig has a new Buick, and all the ladies in the post seem to know it already. That's all right Lieutenant, that's the reason we're all getting cars.

Pvts. Cox, McDonald, Biggler and Smith, have a company all their own. After inspection of rifles, they hold an inspection by themselves, full pack.

Pvt. 1st class, Leuze, always writes letters to his wife on the typewriter, but we think that by the time he gets one finished he will have grandchildren to read it instead of his wife.

A certain man in the company doesn't want his name in the paper. We're not sure, but we don't think that the sheriff has left Mexico, Missouri, yet. Keep it up boy, some day he may resign.

First Sergeant G. C. Brown, went to the football game last Saturday. He got home rather late, and we know that the game didn't last till ten o'clock, but we're just saying that he got home rather late.

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Damon and Pythias may be famous but their rights to publicity are seriously handicapped. For instance who is it that cannot supply the famous sequels to the following?

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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

One day last week Bill Stewart was seen wearing a Staff Sergeant's chevron on one arm and a Master Sergeant's chevron on the other. A certain Master Sergeant saw him and was considerably worried to know if he had been promoted. Oh no. Bill is only a Staff Sergeant and thinks himself very lucky to be that.

That was not a machine gun barrage on a certain morning. Just Howell starting his buzz-wagon. It is rumored that he has made a trade. Let us all hope so, as we will all be relieved when he does.

Big Bill Stewart, our Mess Sergeant, says he will keep up the same style mess that we have been accustomed to under Kindervater. Keep her up Bill and you'll be our friend for life.

What's the price of eggs?

The entire Detachment desires to extend their sympathies to Master Sergeant Herman and Corporal Higginbotham, the former in the loss of his wife and the later in the loss of his baby girl.

Shaffer's soup strainer is still causing a lot of jealousy among the recruits as he states that all the girls are wild over that kind.

The Detachment is suffering the loss of a good man in Sergeant Alfred Schwartz. He is Supply Sergeant of the Recruit Center but has decided to try civil life, for a while at least. We all wish Sgt. Schwartz the best of luck and should he decide to come back in the future we will be glad to have him as a member of this organization. Luck to Al.

Our blushing young Corporal Wrixon, who has been on Detached Service at Camp McClellan, is back in our midst and can be seen most any nights at the transfer station in Columbus. We wonder if he is waiting for a car, or if there is some attraction there that the writer is unaware of?

The following poem has been contributed by Mattison W. Campbell. We didn't know that we had a poet in this Detachment until this bobbed up. Keep her up Campbell, as your first attempt is pretty good:

**At the Marne.**

When shadows fall in twilight's hour,
A little girl I know
Creeps to her mother's knee and asks
"Where did my Daddy go?"
And mother, holding back a tear,
Picks up the little Miss,
To hold her while the shadows grow,
And softly tell her this:

"Our daddy," mother's voice is low,
So low one scarce can hear,
"Is very, very far away,
He lives with God, my dear.
You see, a long, long time ago,
Our daddy went away—
You had not come to help me bear
The sorrow of that day—

Our daddy went across the sea
With many other men;
And though he promised to return,
He has not come again.
He had not seen how sweet you are,
Nor felt your baby hands,
And though he never held you close
I know he understands.

Our daddy was so good and brave
That God looked down to see,
And He took our daddy to Heaven
To wait for you and me.
So now he lives up there with God,
Where naught can hurt or harm,
And some day, sweet, we'll meet him there,
Our daddy died at the Marne."

Sergeant Darkowski, (the Polish Field Marshall) states for the benefit of the rest of the Post that booze is more scarce along the Canadian border line than the Alabama one.

Sergeant Albert Cream wishes to announce his opposition to Andrew Gump. His platform is now under construction.

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Someone asked the writer if Lyke was a real Sergeant or if we just let him wear the chevrons to keep up his morals. We respectfully refer you to Lyke for any information desired.

McNulty states that if something is not done about the bonus he has one himself that he intends to send to Congress. Mac is always there when money is being thought of and we know that his plan will adapt some way to collect the revenue.

Now that cold weather is about to arrive we all wonder what Gravely will do with his "Ice Cream" trousers?

"Spud Murphy" claims that the District of Columbia is no longer a district but that the Commanding Officer of Fort Meyer, Va., is Governor and that the District is attached to Va. Says he can prove this by "Jazz Magoni" as that was the source of his information.

Stewart (Alex) and Merry can be seen most every day in a heated discussion. It seems they cannot agree on the way she was dressed. She probably has more than one dress, boys, and changes for each of you.

A certain young Romeo (referred to in the last issue) received a letter from his (best) girl the other day and the following code appeared therein. He is very much worried as he is, at present writing, unable to decipher more than one-third of this and will appreciate anyone sending in the solution. Just address your solution as follows: O. G. R-6335227, care I. S. D.

"I wish I was in the A. of the M. I L and the D was L and the K was L and the N was S Y L."

We have, Sergeant Duffy, a very energetic young man, having had a great deal of experience traveling, and many other things too. We notice that he seems to be a bit matrimonial inclined, altho he has been enjoying the quitude of love at a distance for so long that we have begun to wonder! But there is a time when young man's fancy turns slightly to thoughts of love—Come on Duffy. We're for you! The atmosphere seems too cool for an aspirant for marriage.

—The Gang!

Throw 'em down McCloskey was seen in Recreation Hall, 1st Ave., Saturday night, September 24th, 1922, rehearsing for the anniversary dance of the Detachment. Who was she Mac? Where does she live, Skeeter Flats?

The detail on duty with the old saw mill near the salvage dump seems persistent in falling over two of the Posts' most essential lines; viz.: (66) "A" Range line and (115) Ammunition Dump line. On Friday, September 15th seven spans were put out of commission. They were repaired. On Wednesday, 20th, the same seven spans were broken again. They were again repaired. Would like to suggest that there are five trees left standing in close proximity to those seven spans. Saw-mill detail fall them across these lines as we have nothing whatever to do except repair them and are desperately idle.

Yours etc., etc.,
Llewellyn Heard.

Michael Pander can be seen most any day in a deep study. He must be wondering if the 25 year bill will ever pass.

Private Whitney Archambault and and Bruce Wixon have been detailed to the Post Print Shop.

Private John O. Ellis is now on Special Duty with the Post Personnel Adjutant.

Sergeant Pascual Giron has been detailed with the Second Section, Department of Military Arts.

Pvt. Aloysiuts O'Rourke is now with the Post Quartermaster, having been relieved of duty in the office of G-3.

Private John E. Morris is working at the Print Shop now.

The Post Signal Officer has acquired the following men as new "hello girls": Jessie Willingham, John Booth, Clinton Funderburk, Dewey Hale and Joseph Rushlow.

Wonder who will win the bet. Mickey or Kindervater?

Paul Galmiche made the acquaintance of a few people in Columbus last week. It seems, however, that he was not very well impressed with them. Wonder what could have happened to Paul?

Bootleggers attention. Our old friend and acquaintance, Don R. Gaston is back in our midst. Don't all rush him at once. One at a time and his money (or credit) will last longer

MAGONI & SMITH. Future millionaires of Fort Benning and other places. Their first egg was discovered September 15, 1922. Historians take notice.

Someone has suggested asking the two king fishermen of the Detachment, Master Sergeant McCloskey and Sergeant Petrosky just what kind of liver is good bait?

Wonder who told Holder he was a carpenter.

Staff Sgt. John Magoni wishes to announce (benefit of the ladies) that he will be present at all dances in the future.

"Blanco" White was seen in the vicinity of 1st avenue and 17th street in company of Ralph Hunt. Something's in the air worth investigating.

Sergeant Aaron M. Winn, D. E. M. L. (R. S.) attached to this detachment says that recruiting is so poor in Columbus that he has decided to re-enlist himself just to keep up his record.

Duncanson wants to know how to shift gears on a Detroit Eight?

Red Hess is a new motor fiend around the Post. He is seen dashing madly around the place every day. Pedestrians are requested to keep as far away from roads as possible.

Shutout Johnie Hyland has been placed on Special Duty with the Post Quartermaster. Someone stated that he saw John H. pushing a locomotive. I wonder.

Shepard wants to know if two can live as cheaply as one? Ask Joe Meltzer.

The ladies of Columbus miss a certain Master Sergeant for a period of one week. Wonder what he told them the reason was.

## Artillery News Notes.

The Field Artillery lost, through resignation, one of its most able and efficient young officers, First Lieut. John Hastings Winston, during the past week. Lieut. Winston entered the army as an enlisted man during the latter part of 1917, by his efficient work and strict attention to duty he has gradually attained the grade of First Lieutenant.

Lieut. Winston accompanied the 1st Bn. 83rd Field Artillery on its march of over 600 miles (Camp Knox, Ky., to Fort Benning, Ga.) during the latter part of 1920, he was during that period Supply Officer and Disbursing Officer and due to his efforts in these capacities he contributed in a very marked degree to the success and early arrival of the Field Artillery at this Post.

Lieut. Winston, in leaving the army, leaves the 1st Bn. 83rd F. A., with the best wishes of its officers and all of the enlisted personnel of the command.

### RECENT ARRIVALS ON THE POST.

Born Sept. 25th, 1922, a daughter, Shirley, to Lieut. and Mrs. J. W. Huntress, Jr.

Born Sept. 29th, 1922, a son, George Lyman, to Captain and Mrs. G. L. Prindle.

Born Sept. 29th, 1922, a son, Wilber Earl, to Corporal and Mrs. Frank E. Davis.

Born October 1st, 1922, a daughter, Katherine, to Major and Mrs. A. M. McMurray.

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One of the Service papers states that:

While the heads of departments and bureaus are preparing to present the needs of the nation's defense to the Budget Bureau the military and naval sub-committees of the House Appropriations Committee have reached an agreement for a further reduction in the strength of the Army and the Navy. Under this program, at the next session the Regular Army would be reduced to 100,000, and the rest of the Army of the United States in proportion. The reduction in the Navy will be about the same that was reported out of the House Committee on Approprations at the last session.

The accuracy of the above cannot yet be vouched for but there is a strong possibility that such a condition exists. At the present time, however, it is not believed that public opinon is behind such a movement and should the sub-committees mentioned make an effort to enact the legislation outlined it is highly probable that the popular sentiment would be so strongly opposed to the measure that the contemplated action would act as a boomerang the result of which would be an eventual increase rather than a reduction of the branches of the Service concerned.

During the last drive against the Army the newspapers became active and were a great factor in informing the public of the true status of affairs military. Up to the time the drive reached its climax the newspaper ranks gained recruits from these papers which had either been disinterested or were not informed and when the drastic reduction in the armed forces were made a newspaper howl of indignation went up which was heard from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Efforts to make further reductions will meet with such opposition again and, with the newspaper support expected, a bill for this purpose will be ridiculed and mocked out of Congress.

### COLUMBUS FAIR NEXT WEEK APPEALS TO ARMY PEOPLE

The big Chattahoochee Valley Fair, with thousands of exhibits from stock, truck and poultry and the general farm opens in Columbus Monday morning with a $10,000 premium list. Fort Benning will be represented and has a choice location for quite a protentious display. Thirty-five men from Fort Benning will be in charge of the exhibits arranged under the direction of Major R. C. Stickney.

We have on the reservation many members of the Chattahoochee Valley Poultry Association, sponsors of the big poultry show at the fair which should have about 1,500 birds entered. Fair officials returning from the Alabama State Fair, Birmingham, this morning stated that the poultry and livestock would exceed the big state fair in number of exhibits.

The Woman's Building has been doubled in capacity and here the ladies of Benning may see hundreds of articles made by the hands of woman for Milady.

## Motor Repair Section Notes

Who are the canteen check Merchants? Pettis and Bushby.

Mr. Shop Foreman "Is this car ready to turn out? Smith says, "Well! No. Tighten up the connecting rod bearings."

Why every evening in the city. "Wedding bells in the near future." "Cabbage" Sam, and "All wool but the buttons."

A small pair of breeches, cotton, O. D. Who wears them? Ask Chugay.

Give a mechanic a boost. Where is Goulash? I lost my keys.

This is not a continued story although the "Dead line" happens to be

Our permanent K. P. wants a rest. Who is the next absentee?

Who are the men that operate those "lap ful of wrinkles" trying to produce music? Ask the Quartermaster Detachment.

Every effort is being made to get better film service and better pictures for Fort Benning. The theatre management realizes that in the past the service has not been what it should be. This situation has been caused by the fact that bookings for the local theatres are made in Washington and the distribution made in Atlanta or some other nearby city. It is believed that it can be safely promised that better films will be sent to the local theatres at an early date.

Advertising makes The News possible. Remember the advertisers in this paper when making purchases.

### THREE WEDDINGS IN FORDS ONE FEATURE FORD DAY

Three couples, one of the grooms being a Fort Benning Sergeant, will be married in front of the grandstand at the fair next Friday afternoon, Ford Day.

The couples will all receive a number of handsome presents and a thousands will witness the ceremony. The couples will also ride in the big Ford Day Parade.

The nightly attendance at all Fort Benning Theatres is slowly increasing. This is due to the awakening interest on the part of organization commanders who are realizing that this station is now participating in a percentage of the profits—a condition which heretofore did not exist. The aim of the theatre management is to increase the average attendance to 1400. When this has been accomplished a nice sum will be realized for recreational purposes at this station.

## Colored Theatre

**(24th Infantry)**

Presents the following pictures this week:

For the exclusive use of the 24th Infantry and their guests. Cool drinks and smokes for sale just before and after the show.

Admission:

**Children 10 cents. Adults 15c.**

(Canteen checks good).


# A Special Word to Our Army Friends

ABOUT THE

# Big Fair All Next Week

Beginning Monday, the Chattahoochee Valley Fair Association will for one week present the 1922 Chattahoochee Valley Fair, giving the visitors the greatest exhibition ever shown in this section of Livestock, Agricultural Exhibits and Poultry.

FORT BENNING WILL BE WELL REPRESENTED IN EXHIBITS. Thirty-five soldiers will be in charge of the Army Exhibits. We have set aside Saturday for Military Day, in special recognition of Benning's friendship.

Every Day Will Be a Big Day. Farmers' Day, Thursday, Oct. 12, will be featured by the giving away of Livestock, Poultry, Flour, Plows, etc.

Friday, Oct. 13, Ford Day, with Free FORD TOURING CAR AND FORDSON TRACTOR as two of the main prizes going to visitors absolutely free.

*Three Weddings in Fords and the Big Ford Parade are other features.*

## AMUSEMENTS

THREE BANDS—Special Feature Acts—20 Shows and Riding Devices.

Feature Acts include the Ferris Wheel Girls, the Dellamead Troupe in a superb posing act, the Flying Ladder Act, Joe Kiljoy, Bobbie Brollier, Scotch tenor, Kathryn Murdock, soprano.

## Chattahoochee Valley Fair Association

COLUMBUS, GEORGIA

## 15th Tank Battalion News

The Battalion Log Hut Committee is planning a vaudeville show for Friday, October 27th. As a feature they are endeavoring to close the contract with Mysterious Mason, the Mystic Marvel of the Age.

Findholdts, the Favorite Fiddler of "C" company, is holding out for more money.

Becton, of Headquarters Company, is visiting friends in Columbus.

Sergeant Long has returned from a four months vacation spent in Montgomery. He succeeded in enlisting several men for our friends of the 83rd F. A. and 29th Infantry.

As the paper goes to press Capt. Taylor is still trying to dope out his collection sheets. We wish you luck, Captain.

Sgt. Bachelder is again functioning as assistant coach and manager of the football team. This will be heralded with sadness by our opponents and with joy by followers of the team.

Garrison schools for officers have started again. Capt. Higgins has successfully attended motor school—so far his hands are not dirty. Why the unionalls?

Levine from Headquarters Co., while celebrating the Jewish Passover, must have passed up several meals, as he returned very hungry.

The football game scheduled between the Tank Corps and the Riverside Military Academy for Oct. 28th, has been cancelled. Colonel Beaver, their coach, is afraid our team is a little too strong for them.

Mess Sgt. Kelly wishes to state that he has two good bird dogs for sale. No more "hot dogs" for the Tank Battalion, the Mess Officer refused to buy them.

Word has been received that Lieut. and Mrs. Garvin have arrived safely in harrison, Arkansas.

Capt. and Mrs. Adams left to spend a month's leave with Mrs. Adams' parents in Macon. All mothers-in-law must not be the same.

Lt. Peach returned from three months and fourteen days leave seven days early. Ambitious, or just embarrassed, Lieutenant?

Liberty and Richardson, the former having acquired 3 months mazuma, and being unable to withstand prosperity, while traveling to Wynnton in a Lexington Hack, had a cement culvert reach out and strike viciously at them, slightly damaging the vehicle. Neither of the boys or their beautiful? companions were injured.

Lt. Janes announces that he is now able to perform his duties of Adjutant at formal guard mount as laid down in the manual of Interior Guard Duty without any great difficulties.

"Bugs" Sapoli is still putting fifteen smacks with the paymaster even tho he swears off each month. Will he deposit next month? Ask Jimmie.

Sgt. Williams is wearing a long face these days. He is thinking of engaging the Pinkertons to find his long lost but never-to-be forgotten friend, Sgt Hartman. He expects to have aid in his search in the person of Lieut. Brotherson.

We understand that the Dog Trainer, (Edwards) is going on furlough. Here's hoping he takes his hounds with him and once more we will have a little peaceful sleep.

## Wonderful Instruments On Exhibit At Washington, D.C.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Two instruments which it is declared will revolutionize the art of coast defense are being exhibited in the ordnance department here, and later will be installed at Panama to control the fire of the big guns in the canal defense.

The instruments comprise a system of ranging and following a moving enemy ship. They are electrically operated and automatically add, subtract, multiply, divide and make all allowance for many factors controlling the flight of a big shell.

Visitors to the large coast defense stations often wonder how it is possible for the gunners to hit a ship with a five or six foot projectile shot from a gun seventy or eighty feet in length when the enemy is a far off as 30 miles. In the days of the civil war when small cannon shot iron balls weighing 15 or 20 pounds, the range usually was point blank. The enemy ship loomed as large as a target and the gun pointer sighted by gazing along the barrel.

The greater distance, weight and cargoes used in modern mechanical warfare called for more accurate fire. In future artillery duels army officers say salvous will be exchanged at the rate of two or three a minute and between volleys changes must be made in firing directions. As there is so little time for this by hand calculations, some accuracy of fire is lost to speed.

The new instrument will consistently make these corrections. They are called the target computer and the battery computer. They are directed by two high powered telescopes located at six observation stations in the vicinity of the harbor defense. On sighting an enemy ship the observations are transmitted electrically to the two calculating instruments where the exact location of the enemy ship is computed.

These new instruments, the fruit of several years' constant work and experiment register the advance location of the moving enemy, make all allowances for the temperature of powder, type of shell, atmosphere and velocity of the wind and the drift of the shell caused by the big guns.

Under the present system all these factors are added, subtracted and otherwise checked up and accounted for by human range finders.

A great advantage of the new system which is called the Fort Artillery Computer System is that provision made for using airplane observation in the control so that firing can be continued even though the enemy is obscured from the land observation posts by smoke screens and other causes.

### FREE FORD—FREE FORDSON FREE LIVESTOCK, ETC., AT FAIR

The free gifts to the visitors of the Chattahoochee Valley Fair to be in full blast in Columbus next week include valuable prizes. A Ford touring car and a Fordson tractor will be two of the prizes given away on Ford Day, next Friday. One must register at the Burrus Motor and Tractor Company before that time, however, and be on the grounds Friday afternoon when the lucky visitors will be publicly determined.

Livestock, coops of chickens, flour by the barrel, plows, etc., will make up the free prizes to be given away on Farmers Day, next Thursday. All visitors Thursday will be given tick ets and from duplicates of these winners will be selected, with everyone having an equal chance.

## Finance Department Notes

Private Miller, the office bookkeeper, is on the job again after a fifteen days furlough spent among the hills of Georgia.

Major Gralund is feeling quite a bit better this week after a slight attack of La Grippe last week.

Sergeant Bennet had a rude awakening last morning when Miller got ambitious and turned him out of bed at 5:00 o'clock in the morning.

WANTED — A pair of Fever Glasses. Corp. Short.

Corp. Purvis and Private Banda have signed up for a stenographic course with the A & R school of this post and the detachment feels sure that they will both make a success of it.

Sergeant Dobbie has spent several sleepless nights wondering why Corp. "Blanco" (White) does not procure the necessary funds for a pair of rubber heels.

A freakish sound was heard in the barracks last evening and upon further investigation it proved to be Sergeant Bennett practicing his violin lesson.

Sergeants Bennett and Hinderlider were callers at Joe Brown's Tea room last Sautrday night—bet they both got intoxicated.

Among certain changes which have taken place in the administration of the theatres during the past week is the discontinuance of issuing tickets to patrons who desire to leave the theatre temporarily. This action was made necessary because of certain patrons using the tickets thus issued to gain admission at another time to another theatre than the one at which issued. Hereafter tickets sold will be good only on the night of sale.

### HE GOT THE MONEY.

The young man had had no experience whatever in collecting bills, but he was desperately in need of a job and was willing to tackle almost anything. The merchant to whom he had applied for work hadn't much faith in his ability, and more to get rid of him than anything else gave him an old account against a man who had the reputation of owing everybody and paying nothing till he had to. "If you will collect this," he said to the young man, "I will give you a regular job."

To the merchant's great astonishment, the young man returned inside of half an hour with the money.

"How in the world did you do it?" he gasped.

"I told him," said the young man, "that if he didn't pay me I would tell all his other creditors that he had done so."—Judge.

### MUSICAL NOTE

A very deaf old lady, walking along the street, saw an Italian turning a peanut roaster. She stood looking at it awhile, and shook her head and said: "No, I shan't give you any money for such music as that. I can't hear any of the tunes, and besides it smells as if there were something burning inside!"—The Congregationalist.

### AMERICAN LEGION NIGHT AT FAIR NEXT MONDAY

The American Legion, as represented by the Charles S. Harrison post, made up of veterans of the city and here at the fort, will be in charge of Monday's activities at the fair. There are several hundred members of the Columbus post from our own people and the spirit of comradeship by the ex-service men and the men now in service is proving most wholesome.

There will be a great number of army people at the fair Monday as a special courtesy to the Legion.

### HARD LUCK FOR HER.

"I hate to think of longer skirts,"
Declared poor Mary Weggs;
"You see, my face is homely, but
I have such shapely legs."

Indulgent Wife—"John, dear, how did you get that cut on your neck?"

Inebriated Spouse—"Mushta bit maself."

I. W.—"How could you bite yourself in the neck?"

I. S.—"Mushta looked in the mirror."

### AN EVE-OPENER.

"How did you find out enough about the financial situation to write an article concerning it?"

"I tried to borrow some money."


## 29th Infantry Theatre

**"The Clearest Pictures on the Post"**

Offers the following program for this week:

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**Saturday, October 14th.**
"Daring Danger" (B. Morrison), 5 reels. "Excuse Me Sheriff" (Sunshine), 2 reels.

This theatre for the special convenience of the 29th Infantry.

Admission:
**Children 10c. .... Adults 15c.**

# History of the 29th Infantry

Article 5.

**Events of 1904.**

"In compliance with G. O. No. 16 Phil. Div. the Regiment—445 enlisted men—embarked at 5 P. M., April 7 on U. S. A. T. Sherman at Buena Vista Landing and proceeded to Manila arriving thereat on April 9th. Remained in Manila Bay until April 13 when it sailed to Mariveles for disinfection. Returned to Manila on 14th and next day sailed for the United States. Arrived at Nagasaki, Japan on the 20th and sailed for Honolulu on the 22nd. The transport reached Honolulu on May 6th and sailed for San Francisco on the 8th, arriving on the 16th.

The Regiment disembarked and went into camp at The Presidio of San Francisco on the 17th. On the 21st the first Battalion boarded train for Fort Bliss, Texas, arriving there on the 23rd. Co. I boarded train on the 21st for Whipple Barracks, Arizona, arriving there on the 23rd.

"Headquarters, Band, second Battalion and Companies K, L and M left San Francisco on the 23rd enroute to Salt Lake City, Utah, reaching there on the 25th. All but Companies K and M took station at Fort Douglas. The last named companies continued the journey by rail to Price, Utah, and proceeded from thence, by marching, via Nine Mile Canon, Smith's Wells, DuChesne Bridge and arrived at Fort DuChesne, Utah on the 31st.

"On July 23 Co. M left Fort DuChesne for White Rocks, Utah and marched to White Rock Canon on the 26th. Returned to White Rock on the 31st, performed patrol duty on the Uintah and Whiterock Indian Reservation.

"Companies F and L took part in August in the National Guard Encampment near Provo, Utah.

"In August Co. M engaged in a practice march to Ouray and White River."

Officers who joined the Regiment in 1904 were Lt. Col. Charles W. Mason (promoted from Major of 4th Inf.); First Lieutenants A. H. Freshwater, Clyde B. Crusan and Robert E. Frith, and Second Lieutenant Bernard P. Oswalt.

The strength of the 29th on Dec. 31, 1904 was 50 officers and 607 enlisted men, total 657.

## MILITARY POLICE CO. NOTES

Lieut. Porter has been relieved from duty with the M. P. Co. to attend school, and while leaving was heard to be humming "School Days." Good luck, Lieutenant.

Lieut. Ziegler, who is at present in command, is hoping that Captain Teachout will not ask for an extension of his leave.

Cpl. Raydon has just returned from furlough. He had to ask his "Uncle Sam" for transportation. He cannot understand why he cannot collect his ration money. Stick with 'em old boy, the first 29 years is the hardest.

The first "drunk" captured by the Upatoie Creek Bridge Guard will be marched to the parade ground where Corporal Swiney will give a demonstration to the new student officers on how to arrest a drunk (in 98 "reels.")

P. S. WANTED—a wife. Young bachelor Sgt., 48 years of age desires to correspond with some lonesome young blonde widow (not 'Peroxide') with a few $. Object matrimony. Must have gentle voice and a loving disposition. Also good cook of the Caucasian race. Address Sgt Loughran. Tent No. 8, M. P. Co.

## 29th Infantry Notes.

Pvt. John McClure of the Service Company has been relieved as dispatcher at the Motor Park and is now doing duty with the company. This is some advancement. Any of his friends desiring to see him may find him in Service Company kitchen. One week's K. P.

O'Leary, better known as the Harp, is back with us again after a stay in the hospital. His visit to that place was the result of shaking hands with a mule.

Pvt. Fizmartin and his gang are wood butchers as well as motor mechanics.

Corp. Taylor and his staff visited the Driving Park recently to see the football game.

It looked lately as if hard luck had left a certain fellow and his Dodge but it hadn't; it was only waiting for him. We will not mention his name but his initials are B. B. We wish him better luck on his next trip into town.

The transfer of the men of the third Battalion to the first and second Battalions, incident to the third Battalion becoming inactive, was accomplished this week.

The Regimental Library and Reading Room and Chaplain's office, located since Thanksgiving in Tents, was moved on Wednesday to the building formerly used by Co. M as a recreation room.

Friday evening Col. Hobbs and Chaplain Wood met the men to be discharged during October, for a short conference, at the Chapel. Both officers addressed the men briefly.

Sergeant Thomas Greene, M. P. Co. who was retired from Active Service on Sept. 26 after 30 years service, was for over 14 years a member of the 29th.


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Cool drinks and candies sold before and during intermission.

**Admission 10 and 15 cents.**

Comfortable theatre chairs. Reserved section for officers and ladies, with escorts.

PLENTY OF ROOM.


## ADVERTISERS' COLMUN


The following business houses of Columbus patronize The News. All things being equal the military personnel should reciprocate by buying from them. This list is slowly growing and new names will be added from time to time:

Coca-Cola Co., 12th St. and 6th Ave., bottled drinks.

Frank D. Giglio, 1025 1st Ave., sea foods.

Burrus Motor & Tractor Co., 1131 1st Ave., Ford automobiles.

Georgia Automobile Exchange, 1213 1st Ave., Chevrolet automobiles.

Cliff M. Averett, 1227 1st Ave., Buick automobiles.

H. C. Stewart, 1305 1st Ave., Underwood typewriters.

U-Drive-It Co., 1211 1st Ave., automobiles for rent.

W. T. Heard, 1st Ave and 13th St., Dodge Automobiles.

Chero-Cola Co., 10th St. and 9th Ave. bottled drinks.

Everett's, 12th St. and 3rd Ave., cold drinks, smokes.

Walker Electric & Plumbing Co., 112 12th St., everything electrical.

J. B. Everidge, 109 12th St., bakery.

Georgia Grocery Co., 1st Ave. and 12th St. ,groceries.

Waverly Hotel, 13th St.

H. Rothschild, 1228 Broad St., furniture.

Dierks Jewelry Co., 1201 Broad St., jewelry, watch repairs.

J. W. Marchman, 1309 1st Ave., tires.

Davis-Campbell Co., 1st Ave. and 13th St., automobile equipment.

Lee's, 1118 Broad St., fine millinery.

A. C. Chancellor & Co., 1108 Broad St., men's furnishings.

W. W. Perrott, 1201 Broad St., optometrist.

Third National Bank, Broad St., U. S. Depositary.

American Theatre, 1220 Broad St.

Silver Moon Cafe, 946 Broad St.

Howard Taxi & Bus Co., Tenth St., taxis.

H. C. Smith Drug Co., 1002 Broad St., drugs.

G. E. Thomas Tailoring Co., 1005 Broad St., tailors.

C. Schomburg & Son, 1121 Broad St., jewelers.

Columbus Electric & Power Co., 1151 Broad St., electrical equipment.

Dr. John R. Watson, Chancellor Bldg., dentist.

Miller & Taylor Shoe Co., 1218 Broad St., shoes.

Cricketeria, 1205 Broad St., good things to eat.

Blanchard & Booth, 1126 Broad St., dry goods.

Beach-Moseley Co., 1110 Broad St., paints, hardware.

City Drug Store, 1142 Broad St., drugs.

Co-Operative Drug Co., Broad St., drugs.

Wheat Drug Co., 1116 Broad St., drugs, florists.

Hicks & Johnson, 24 12th St., drugs.

McMurria Motor Co., 1309 Broad St., Franklin and Reo autos.

Hawkins Piano Co., 1307 Broad St., musical instruments, Edisons.

Motor Sales Co., 1305 Broad St., automobiles.

Hubbard Hardware Co., 1249 Broad St., hardware, athletic equipment.

Loewenherz Bros., 1231 Broad St., Luggage, furniture.

Humes Music Co., 1141 Broad St., musical instruments, Victrolas.

Lamar Smith, 1131 Broad St., jeweler.

Lafkowitz Bros., 1129 Broad St., tailors.

Kinsel & Petri, 1105 Broad St., jewelers.

T. G. Coleman, 1043 Broad St., clothing.

C. P. Bush Hdw. Co., 1013 Broad St. hardware, tools.

L. H. Davis, 1306 Broad St., athletic goods.

Columbus Hat Co., 9 11th St., hats cleaned.

Shackelford's Drug Store, 5 10th St., drugs, drinks.

Star Pressing Club, 11th 10th St., pressing and cleaning.

F. T. Harmon, 9 10th St., jeweler.

Liberty Cycle Co., 10 10th St., bicycles.

White's Book Store, 14 12th St., stationery, sporting goods.

Martin Bros. Auto Company, 1238 1st Ave., autos for rent.

U. S. Cafe, 1023 Broad St., restaurant.

Quality Shop, 1006 Broad St., furnishings.

Good Eats Cafe, 1008 Broad St., restaurant.

Joe Gillman, 29th Infantry, tailor.

Columbus Taxi Co., 940 Broad St., taxis.

Dudley-Jenkins Grocery Co., 10th and Broad, wholesale grocers.

Quality Press, 1021½ Broad St., printing.

Standard Tailoring Co., 1031 Broad St., tailors.

L. W. Rogers & Co., 10th and Broad St., grocers.

First National Bank, Broad and 11th Sts., banking.

Home Savings Bank, Broad and 11th banking.

Bowden & Brooks, Haberdashers, 1028 Broad St., men's furnishings.

Chas. M. Woolfolk, 9 W. 12th St., insurance.

Philip Haskell, 103 12th St., tailor.

Ralston Hotel, 12th St. and 2nd Ave.

Kyle Bros. Auto Co., 6 stores, Studebakers, accesories, gas and oil.

Johnson Battery Company, 11th St., Willard Batteries.

S. Dana, 1020 Broad St., Civilian and Military Tailor.


## LARGE STADIUM TO BE OPENED BY THE MARINES AT QUANTICO

The largest stadium of the country will be opened at Quantico by the marines about October 1. It was built by the enlisted men of the Marine Corps without expense to the government to perpetuate the memory of all the officers and enlisted men who have died in the Marine Corps since its establishment. Eventually a large stone arch is to be erected at its entrance, on which will appear the names of those who died while serving in the corps.

The stadium is natural in form, so that a comparatively small amount of excavating has been necessary. To begin with, the stadium will have a seating capacity for 30,000 persons, but there is room for more than double this capacity. It is modeled after the Seattle stadium, which, up to now, was the largest in the country. It is 626 feet long and 300 feet wide. There will be two baseball diamonds and a football field in the inclosure. Around it will be an 1,800-foot elliptical track.

The stadium was planned and superintended by the officers and the work was done voluntarily by the enlisted men. It is in every respect a labor of love and the material was gathered from salvaged war buildiings. Despite the fact that a large part of it is salvage materials, the seats will be reinforced with concrete

**DOUBTFUL.**

It always pays to tell a maid
Hers is the first kiss you've assayed.
But in the kiss I'm not so sure
It pays to play the amateur.

POLO TENNIS

# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

Infantry School will win from Wofford today. The primary reason for this is because we have the best team. We have the best team for the reason that Wofford was out of football, as an intercollegiate sport, for a period of nearly fifteen years and, having just started again, that old college hasn't yet developed the players necessary for a winning team

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Our victory will not be as easily won as the Piedmont game. Wofford comes here with two football scalps on her belt for this season. As a consequence the team's morale is good and this is a factor to be considered. The dope is that Infantry School will win by two touchdowns.

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Speaking of football dope this paper does not have to be reminded of the fact that the Sporting Editor predicted Infantry School would win over Piedmont by two touchdowns. There were at least two good reasons for this. The first one was that the Infantry team showed up just about 100 percent better in play than in practice, and the second one was that an improvement over last year was expected of Piedmont. Well, we acknowledge the error—and salute the Infantry School football team.

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Somebody who ought to know said the other day that Auburn was getting a little worried about our team. The Auburn scouts who witnessed the Infantry-Piedmont game must have carried back discouraging reports—as far as the Auburn team is concerned. When these two outfits clash Auburn will find that, in order to win, she can not save her first team for the Georgia-Auburn game.

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One of the things worrying the sporting editor right now is what course of action he will follow at the Infantry School-Wofford game. If he roots for Wofford he is going to get a black eye with the I. S. team and if he roots for the Infantry he is going to feel that he is disloyal to his Alma Mater. He finds it impossible to be neutral at any football game. He will probably root for Wofford and carry in his pocket the left hind leg of a grave yard rabbit's foot for the Infantry School team.

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In a hard fought game of football the 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry, defeated the Freebooters, 29th Infantry by the score of 15 to 0. This game opens the football season in the Fort Benning Football League. Both teams showed that individual members needed to have the rough edges taken off and the players conditioned. Later in the season both of these teams will put up a splendid exhibition— and this does not reflect on Wednesday's game because for the first game of the season it was a good one.

**Standing of Teams.**

| | Played | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1st Bn. 29th Inf | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| 2nd Bn. 29th Inf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Freebooters .. .. | 1 | 0 | 1 | 000 |
| 83rd Artillery | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| 15th Tank Bn. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |

The next game will be between the 2nd Battalion, 29th Infantry, and the 83rd Field Artillery on Wednesday afternoon, October 11th at 3:30 P. M. The game will be played at the new athletic field South of Service Club No. 1.

## BOXING.

The fights which will be held on October 16th are exciting considerable comment. These are the first fights for which admission charges will be made, and because of the fact that a good card is necessary in order to insure that everybody gets their money's worth the fights on this night are going to be as good as any that have been held in this section.

The curtain raiser of the evening is going to be between Pasioni of the 15th Tanks and Mizwa of the 83rd Artillery. Pasioni has probably gotten beyond the preliminary stage but Mizwa is having his first fight and for this reason it is necessary that the affair be staged as a preliminary.

There will be two eight round fights. Battling Dundee, who hails from the 6th Cavalry, s going to meet Sebukaty, middleweight champion of the 4th Corps area. This fight is going to be full of action from start to finish. Dundee is a hard hitting middleweight with a great deal of promise. He will probably make Sebukaty extend himself. Both men are the kind who are not afraid to mix it up from start to finish and both are heavy sluggers.

The other eight round go will be between Earle, of Columbus, and Grantham, of the 15th Tanks. Earle's ability as a scrapper is too well known for any remarks to be made concerning him. Grantham, on the other hand, is an unknown fighter. He is new at the business but he shows lots of promise. He can take a great deal of punishment and has a wallop in both hands. Both men will weigh within one pound of each other when they enter the ring, and the fight fans expect plenty of action from the sound of the gong.

The main go of the evening will be between Sammy Butts, of New York City, and Battling Twyman, of Fort Benning. Butts comes here with a newspaper record of over forty K. O's. in his last fifty fights. Due to the fact that he received an injury when a child which caused his right arm to shrink he has the use of but one arm for hitting but this arm, the left, is highly developed. Twyman is going to meet a man this time who knows almost as much about ring generalship as he does himself and in addition to this he is going up against a real boxer. Both men will fight as flyweights and as this class of fighter is rare, this particular fight will be something of a novelty besides being fast from start to finish.


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# SPORTING NEWS

## TENNIS.

As the day approaches for the opening of the men's singles tournament for the championship of Fort Benning on October 18th, the tennis committee is busy getting in touch with all tennis players to secure their entries for the tournament.

The committee has appeared before all the student officer companies and has secured many entries from these classes. Members of the permanent personnel who desire to enter the tournament can sign an entry blank at the office of the club steward

The entry fee of fifty cents will be used for the purpose of purchasing tennis balls.

The valuable and attractve prizes to be competed for in the Fall tournament, for men's singles, doubles, consolation singles and laides' singles are on display in the Officers' Club.

## POLO.

The polo games last Sunday were witnessed by Generals Shanks and Malone. The type of play was good and it was reported that these officers were entertained by the afternoon's play.

The crowd at the games was larger than usual. The distance between Columbus and Fort Benning seems to have grown materially less judging from the number of cars at the game.

The Blue team met the Yellow team for the first time the former team being handicapped with 4 goals. The Blues proved too strong for the Yellows, however, and the final score was 8 to 5, favor of the Blue.

Linteup:

| BLUES— | Pos. | Goals |
|---|---|---|
| Elkins | 1 | 0 |
| Legge | 2 | 2 |
| French | 3 | 4 |
| Weems | Back | 2 |
| Total | | 8 |
| YELLOWS— | Pos. | Goals |
| Burnet | 1 | 1 |
| White | 2 | 0 |
| Martin | 3 | 0 |
| Eggers | Back | 0 |
| | | 1 |
| By handicap | | 4 |
| Total | | 5 |

The second game was between the 29th Infantry and the 83rd Artillery Both teams started at "scratch," handicaps being equal. The Artillery took the Infantry into camp to the tune of 6 to 4. Had the game been for the full eight periods, however, there might have been a different tale to tell because the Infantry came back strong in the last period with the score 4 to 1 against them and piled up three goals in a hurry while their opponents were tallying one.

Lineup:

| ARTILLERY— | Pos | Goals |
|---|---|---|
| Gannon | 1 | 0 |
| Beiderlinden | 2 | 3 |
| Roxbury | 3 | 0 |
| McCarthy | Back | 3 |
| Total | | 6 |
| INFANTRY— | Pos. | Goals |
| Rock | 1 | 0 |
| McClure | 2 | 3 |
| Malone | 3 | 0 |
| Betts | Back | 1 |
| Total | | 4 |

The games next Sunday will be between the Yellows and the 29th Infantry and between the Blues and the Artillery. An invitation is tendered by these teams to both the military and civilian population to be present.

## Medical Department Notes

The refreshment committee served coffee and sandwiches.

Until the hour of ten the men enjoyed a social good time, and one and all voted this an evening extremly well spent.

The Dental Clinic was asked if they had any news for this week and this was the reply, "We have nothing but work here."

We asked the Surgeon in the operating room what he was doing, he replied, "Cutting up, as usual."

The Medical Department is usually considered mild mannered, harmless sort of a bunch, but the following conversation seemed to contradict this belief:

Major: "Well, Captain, what are you doing this morning?"

Captain: "I am shooting a hundred and fifty men this morning."

Major: "That's nothing, I am going to shoot the majority of the camp soon."

Heard over one of the phones at the hospital: Hello, Hello, Central give me headquarters.

"Well what do you want?" from the other end of the wire.

"Say, give me 1-4-8 ½," cried the voice.

Private H. C. Phillips, Med. Dept., has returned from a ten day furlough spent at his home, Evansville, Ga.

To prove how greatly the smokes were enjoyed at the first meeting of the N. C. O.'s Club "Tobe" (Sgt. Cullifer) smoked for the first time in two years.

It is understood that nightly Cpl. Isabell and Sergt. Thompson are taking lessons in Pinochle from Sergt Bedenbough and Sergt. York. If they re-enlist they may possibly win a game.

A certain Staff Sergeant recently took a three day pass, he spent the time in his room figuring the distance from Fort Benning to a certain Georgia town; in case he lost the train he would know what kind of shoes to wear.

2nd Lieut. E. Jackson, Army Nurse Corps, has returned from a thirty day leave of absence, enjoyably spent in and around New York City.

2nd Lieut. E. Mitchener, Army Nurse Corps, has returned for duty after a thirty day leave spent visiting friends and relatives in Pennsylvania and New York.

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## Signal Corps Notes

With this issue of the Fort Benning News, the Signal Corps Detachment makes its initial bow to the readers of the weekly paper. Although the Detachment is small in numbers, during the week's routine a vast amount of interesting news regarding the organization is found.

The construction of the forest preserve telephone line covering some thirty miles of territory which has been under way for over eight weeks under the supervision of Sergt. Manning, of this Detachment, is now nearing completion. Unless something unforseen takes place by the 15th of the present month all three fire towers will be connected and in communication with the Post switchboard. In this project Sergt. Manning has received several favorable comments on his work. The task of cutting his own right of way and cutting his own telephone poles as he goes along, in addition to the construction of the telephone line is no easy task and the excellent manner in which he has coped with the situation is worthy of favorable comment. The Detachment regrets very much that the Sergeant will be discharged from the service on December 1, and has decided to cast his lot at some other station. The completion of this line will fill a much needed asset, as in case of forest fire it will be a matter of short space of time to rush help to the scene.

The Detachment was recently strengthened by the arrival of Pvts. DeVine and Gee from Camp McClellan. The arrival of these men was heralded with great joy by the personnel of this organization as the vast amount of work to be done the present personnel was unable to cope with the situation.

The Signal Office personnel admits that since the Chief Signal Officer of the Army found it necessary to dispense with female telephone operators owing to lack of funds for the payment of the same, that the telephone service at this station has been far from efficient, as well as being annoying to the Signal Officer, and the subscribers as well. This has been due to the inablity of this office in obtaining efficient enlisted telephone operators. We do not, however, believe that this is due to the lack of intelligence or stubbornness or inability to learn on the part of the men assigned as operators, but in our opinion only verifies the fact that a soldier was not designed to be a "HELLO GIRL."

While dwelling on the inefficiency of the telephone service, and taking the liberty to tell tales out of school, the following illustration, which sounds fishy but the truth of which we will vouch for as well, as the principal in the drama himself is herewith quoted. One day last week Sergt. Leonard, the chief clerk of the Signal Office and the Acting First Sergeant of the Signal Corps Detachment, having business to transact with the Infantry School Detachment, proceeded to call Telephone No. 28. After some ten minutes delay, during which time he had sweat, and used language which would not sound well in print, finally No. 208 answered the call. This was too much for Sergeant Leonard, his anger rose to its highest pitch, and he proceeded to call the operator back to take him to task for the way in which he had handled the call, and the following dialogue ensued.

(Sergt. Leonard) Operator, what number did I call for?

(Operator) 55.

(Sergt. Leonard) What number did you give me?

(Operator) 63.

(Sergt. Leonard, slamming up the receiver) Oh, H———.

The Sergeant, his face red with anger, was then seen boarding the G. M. C. bound for the I. S. D. to transact his business in person.

The numberous complaints being received on the inefficiency of the telephone service, the vast amount of work to be done with a shortage of personnel, the various requests on the part of the various organizations for material, which he was unable to furnish on account of the same not being in stock, and not the least knowledge of when the same would be received, which is enough to cause a man to curse the day he was born has caused the Signal Officer to go up in the air. He has now become so accustomed to being up in the air that he has decided to stay there for good, and has made application for transfer to the Air Service.

Pvt. Foures proceeded a short time ago to get corned up, whereupon he gained the impression that the world was against him, and that the Army in general was not giving him a square deal. He proceeded to make his troubles known to the entire personnel of the post. Pvt. Foures is now working on the roads, in company with an armed orderly, waiting for a court martial to inform him whether or not he is getting a square deal.


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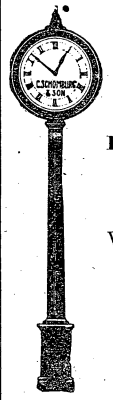

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

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9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
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**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

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Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

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## Picture Program for Fort Benning Theatres This Coming Week

The program of pictures for Fort Benning Theatres from October 15th to October 21st inclusive, is as follows:

**Sunday, Oct. 15th.**

"Peacock Alley," 8 reel feature, (May Murray.)

**Monday, Oct. 16th**

"Taking Chances," 5 reel feature, (Dorothy Talmadge.)

"Vacuum Cleaner," 1 reel comedy, (Mutt & Jeff.) Fox News.

**Tuesday, Oct. 17th.**

"Gold," 5 reel feature, (All star.)

"The Landlord," 2 reel comedy, (Sunshine.)

**Wednesday, Oct. 18th.**

"Over the Border 5 reel feature, (Betty Compson.)

"Straphanger," 2 reel comedy.

**Thursday, Oct. 19th.**

"Jan Of The Biw Snows," 5 reel feature, (All Star.)

"Stamina," Sport Review, 1 reel. Fox News.

**Friday Oct. 20th.**

"Across the Deadline," 5 reel feature, (F. Mayo.)

"Rich Man Poor Man," 1 reel comedy, (Hal Roach.) Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Oct. 21st.**

"Thru the Storm," 6 reel feature, (All Star.)

"Rolling Stones," 2 reel comedy.

## Officer Reserve Corps Favor Big Army

**RESERVISTS IN CONVENTION CALL ON CONGRESS TO ACTIVELY SUPPORT THE NATIONAL DEFENSE ACT.**

Following is the complete text of the resolution passed by the Reserve Officers' Convention in Washington calling on Congress to get behind the National Defense act:

Whereas this convention of Reserve officers, assembled at Washington, D. C., Oct. 3, 1922, is composed of those whose training, study and personal experience in battle have taught them the sinful and unnecessary waste of money and lives, caused by our failure to profit by our past military experiences and that a strong military police is essential for the protection of our country and may be even for its preservation, and

Whereas, the Congress of the United States has for the first time in the history of our country given us a definite military policy in the form of the amended National Defense act, and

Whereas, this act is democratic, fully in accord with all our national prejudices and views, and does not demand excessive expenditures in order to carry out its provisions, and

Whereas, the present great unrest and lack of tranquility in various parts of the world today make a future emergency involving our country far from an impossibility, and

Whereas, there exists in this country a number of individuals and societies with the avowed purpose of bringing about disarmament of this country under the mistaken idea that righteousness disarmed need not fear attack, and

Whereas, the country contains a considerable number of Communists and other avowed enemies to our existing form of government, and

Whereas, the country is constantly being subjected to propaganda issuing from foreign countries designed for the purpose of lulling us into a false sense of security, and

Whereas, the Amended National Defense act gives a definite program to which every loyal citizen can offer his fullest support without fearing militarism, or excessive expenditures;

Therefore, be it Resolved, that this convention of Reserve officers of the United States express in public to the Congress of the United States, and likewise to the people of the United States, that the time has arrived when all citizens in public and private life must definitely stand by this act and insure its execution through proper appropriations, or be considered as one of those who do not stand for adequate national defense of the United States of America.

Be it further Resolved, that appropriations for the support of the Army should include sufficient sums to cover the following needs: An adequate amount to cover the pay and training of at least 33 1-3 per cent. of the enrolled Officers' Reserve Corps each year and all of the Enlisted Reserve Corps enrolled for the coming year; to provide adequate transportation for use at the various headquarters of Reserve divisions to permit and facilitate the organization of such divisions, to provide for the transportation of Reserve officers for all official travel performed by them whether for training, examination for promotion, or any other duty, to which they are officially ordered, at the same rate as is by law established for travel by Regular officers; to provide adequate material for the instruction of Reserve officers at training camps.

Be it further Resolved, that the Congress of the United States be urged to the further support of the said act of June 4, 1920, by providing for the number of Regular officers and enlisted men for the organization, instruction and training of the National Guard and the Organized Reserves as contemplated by this act.

Be it further Resolved, that this association through its national and local officers, and through its individual members constantly bring before Congress as a whole and individual Congressmen and the press of all parts of the United States that the necessity for adequate national defense does exist; that the Amended National Defense act is democratic, is in accordance with the genius of the American people, is non-militaristic, is economical; that supporting it is a non-partican action, and that the public man who fails to support it is failing in his duty as a citizen of the United States to provide the means necessary to insure the enforcement of the principles on which this government is founded and for which it stands in the eyes of the world.

## Social Season Opens At Fort Benning

**MRS. MALONE ENTERTAINS THE ARMY LADIES OF FORT BENNING AND COLUMBUS.**

The social season opened at Fort Benning last Tuesday with a tea for the Army ladies of the Fort and Columbus at which Mrs. Paul B. Malone, wife of General Malone, was the gracious hostess.

The Officer's Hop Room was profusely decorated with Autumn flowers and draped with United States flags. Music for the occasion was furnished by the 29th Infantry Band.

Over four hundred ladies called between the hours of four and six o'clock. Delicious tea, sandwiches, cakes, and bon-bons were served.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Malone was Mrs. W. B. McCaskey, wife of Lieut. Colonel McCaskey. Among those who poured tea were Mrs. Nicklin, wife of Colonel Nicklin, Mrs. Heidt, wife of Colonel Heidt, Miss Fassett, sister of Colonel Fassett, Mrs. Graham, wife of Colonel Graham. A number of ladies assisted in the serving.

**LT. COL. PIERSON IS HERE.**

Lt. Colonel Robert H. Pierson is at Fort Benning on a tour of inspection covering athletic and recreational activities of the Post.

Colonel Pierson is Chief of the Welfare Bureau, Washington, D. C., and a member of the General Staff. Colonel Pierson has stated that he will make certain recommendations upon his return to Washington which, if acted upon favorably, will tend to provide better recreational facilities for Fort Benning.

## Boxing Tournament To Begin On 20th

**TO DECIDE THE FORT CHAMPION IN THE VARIOUS CLASSES**

One of the greatest athletic events of the season is to begin next Friday when the Fort Benning Boxing Tournament begins. The bouts will start every night at 8 o'clock and will be staged every night until all the contenders have had the chance to display their wares to the public.

As there are over thirty entrants it is easy to see that there will be a lot of excitement and fun enough for anyone. This tournament should go a long way toward deciding the for the winners here should be the logical contenders for the crown in the respective classes.

First Lieut. H. W. Brandhorst is to be master of ceremonies and will preside at the bouts. The officials have not as yet been anonunced but as there are a number of very good judges and referees at the Fort there is no need for worry on that point.

The list of contestants is as follows:

Heavyweight—175 and over—Sgt. J. Donnely, 83d F. A.

Middleweight—Sgt. F. A. Sebukaty, I. S. D., Pvt. T. Maddox, 83rd F. A., Pvt. L. Pomeranz, 29th Inf., Pvt. E. Neah, 29th Inf., Pvt. E. Akers, 29th Inf., Pvt. F. L. Dill, I. S. D.

Welterweights—Sgt. H. M. Hatfield, tanks, Corp. J. Mack, Tanks, Pvt. J. Pacieni, Tanks, Pvt. T. C. Erdes, 83rd F. A., Corp. C. Mizwa, 83rd, F. A., Pvt. W. B. Butler, 83rd F. A., Pvt. W. H. McKay, 83rd, F. A., Pvt. E. Moore, 29th Inf., Pvt. P. Lupica, 29th Inf., Pvt. G. Otalvare, 29th Inf.

Lightweights—Pvt. B. E. Grantham, tanks, Pvt. F. LeBlanc, tanks, Pvt. G. Shafer, tanks, Pvt. H. H. Hunt, 83rd F. A., Corp. J. Timmens, 7th Eng., Pvt. J. Janeske, 29th Inf., Pvt. T. J. Reilley, 29th Inf.

Feather Weights—Pvt. A. Justice, 29th Inf., Corp. A. DeRese, 29th Inf., Pvt. J. Alonzo, 29th Inf., Pvt. J. W. Helms, 29th Inf., Pvt. J. F. Head, tanks.

Bantam Weights—Pvt. W. A. Keenan, 29th Inf., Pvt. W. F. Twyman, I. S. D.

## Military Academy Wins Opening Game

**SCHEDULE OF GAMES FOR THIS YEAR.**

To date the U. S. Military Academy has won all games played. While the West Point eleven has not yet had any comparatively hard battles, the indications are, from the first two games, that the team will win a high percentage of games this season.

The following is the schedule:

October 14—Auburn at West Point.

October 21—New Hampshire at West Point.

October 28—Yale at New Haven.

November 4—St. Bonaventure at West Point.

November 11—Notre Dame at West Point.

November 18—Bates at West Point.

November 25—Navy at Philadelphia.

# Social Notes

**SORORITY WOMEN, ATTENTION.**

All Army women who are members of any one of the eighteen sororities in National Panhellenic will please notify Mrs. R. C. Stickney, Box 1002, Fort Benning, before October 20th, as we have a local Panhellenic and are very anxious to locate all the new sorority women who have come here this year.

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**ARMY LADIES IN COLUMBUS; TAKE NOTICE.**

For the benefit of the Army ladies living in Columbus and for the purpose of preventing misunderstanding and, incidentally, depriving the "Knocker's Column" of some good material the following information in connection with the delivery of groceries in Columbus is offered:

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On last Tuesday evening at the home of Major and Mrs. A. E. Sawkins the officers and ladies of the Second Battalion, Twenty-ninth Infantry, complimented Captain and Mrs. William Orr with a miscellaneous shower.

There were thirty-two guests present to welcome Mrs. Orr into Fort Benning society she having, until recently been Miss Corine Palmer. Mrs. Orr is a daughter of Major Palmer, Cavalry, who is now stationed at El Paso, Texas.

The Twenty-ninth Infantry orchestra furnished the music for the occasion while Mrs. Sawkins served a delightful buffet supper.

Among the handsome wedding presents received by Mrs. Orr was a silver service presented by the entire officer and lady personnel of the Twenty-ninth Infantry.

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On next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Mrs. Otto W. Humphries will entertain the ladies of the Twenty-ninth Infantry Bridge Club at her home in Block Sixteen. The number of Capt. and Mrs. Humphries' quarters is 16-39.

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On last Tuesday afternoon the Army ladies living in Columbus met at the home of Mrs. Lofton Cobb, on Wynnton Road, and organzied an Army bridge club.

A great many of the Army ladies living in Columbus were present at the organization.

Such a club in Columbus is necessary both for the reason of the limited space in the Officers' Hop Room at the Fort and because of the distance between Columbus and Fort Benning.

Mrs. Morris, wife of Colonel Morris, was elected President, Mrs. E. M. Burnett was made Secretary, and Mrs. Lofton Cobb was elected Treasurer.

The club will meet weekly at the home of the various Army ladies in Columbus.


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The long expected Headquarters and 1st Battalion of the 24th Infantry under command of Col. John B. Schoeffel arrived Monday night about 8:30. The trip was made from Columbus, N. M., in fifteen Pullmans and took from Thursday evening until Monday.

The Officers of the 3rd Battalion and the Third Battalion Band were at the Fort Benning depot to meet the travelers and a warm welcome was extended the weary wayfarers. They were conducted at once to the camp of the Third Battalion and were there made at home. An excellent meal did much to break the ice for the new arrivals.

Wednesday evening a dance was tendered the new arrivals by the men of the 3rd Battalion and the large recreation hall of the 24th was jammed to the doors by the men and their guests. At least seven hundred were present during the evening.

Already some excellent athletic material has shown up, a prize winning light weight, some excellent track men and some fine football players are on the job in addition to five top notch baseball players. It is expected that seevral of the new men will be given a chance to display their wares in the game Saturday against Morris Brown College at the 24th Field.

The sympathy of the entire garrison is extended to Major and Mrs. D. T. Greene in the loss of their son recently.


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I take it that most of you when at home are business and professional men, carrying soldiering as a side-line, and I wish to say a few words about one phase of the business situation. I occupy an executive position in one of the largest corporations doing business on this continent. I refer to the firm of Uncle Sam Limited. I am assistant to General Manager Pershing, who, like myself, works under the Chairman of our local board, John W. Weeks. The operations of our firm are controlled through the great holding company whose Board of Directors meets under the dome of the Capitol, in which all of you are stockholders, and no small number of you are preferred creditors.

Our firm employs a great many people, disburses much money, does a certain amount of build ng, participates to some extent in local activities all over the country, and places great dependence upon your friendship and support. These various manifestations of activity alone considered would make it appropriate that our needs should be considered by our stockholders, but they are merely subsidary to our principal business, which is that of National Life and Fire Insurance, carrying safety appliances as a side-line. We claim to help guarantee, and to guard and insure the life of our Country. Our firm has been doing this class of business for nearly a hundred and fifty years. In fact, our house-flag has flown over us without change for a longer period than the existence under their present form of incorporation of any of our principal rivals.

Our corporate life has not been one of steady growth. Our business on an average of once every thirty years has witnessed a sudden expansion and a tremendous increase of our out-put. I only need to recall to you that within five years we opened branch offices beyond the seas, and sent over two million special agents to Europe under our present General Manager Pershing. It was an emergency which took many of you across the ocean on the business of the firm. Some of our representatives closed their accounts with a credit balance in the very morning of their lives and will never come home again.

Every such great expansion in our history has been followed by a corresponding reaction, with contraction of business, discrediting of our agents, reduction of operating capital, closing out of surplus stocks at tremendous sacrifices, shutting down the factories, and discharging many trained employees. The expansion of 1917 and 1918 has bene no exception. A reorganization was brought about by our previous experience in which every great emergency has found us unprepared, and after which the apparent necessity for violent economic contraction has lost us the lessons just learned. This reorgan zation promised to line up a great number of more or less trained personnel as a Reserve, enrolling many of you who rendered splendid service during the emergency through which we had just passed, and who were willing to retain your connection with the firm, devoting a portion of your time to its interests. It also established a new reservoir of less trained men who, taking special work at various educational institutions throughout the country, may be considered a second line of personnel, ready to take the place of the older employees as they drop off through age or otherwise. For a few months prospects for the firm were bright. A complete change of management soon took place, Chairman Baker being succeeded by Mr. Weeks, and General Manager March giving way to Pershing. The new management promised retrenchment and a reduction in expenses, realiz ng, however, that there was an irreducible minimum below which the firm could not go and continue business without shrinkage of personnel, the abandoment of much of our market, and the closing down of many of our industries.

The truth is that your Directors are much out of touch with you stockholders, and we believe are not carrying out your wishes. It is a fact that heavy assessments on the share-holders have been necessary to carry out even a diminished program for the firm. The management, however, cannot bring itself to believe that you stockholders wish to perpetuate the vicious circle of false economy bringing unpreparedness with its train of untold cost in blood and gold, compelling further parsmony to bring about a repetition of the same ghastly history in time ye to come. We claim that your Board of Directors does not know your wishes, or if it does, it does not act upon them and substitute its judgment for yours,—its judgment conceived in the comfortable office of the politician seeking to perpetuate himself in office,—your judgment born under the guns of the enemy and matured in the slime of the trenches and the reek of battle. Under their judgment and with the plea of hard times and the necessity for economy, our operating capital has been much reduced and our reserve prospects diminished. Our plans for your development during the summer just gone were delayed and hindered by dilatoriness in passing the necessary appropriations, and a large number of our trained employees have been discharged.

We anticipate some trying days ahead of the firm. Various wildcat schemes of socialism and bolshevism are seeking to encroach upon our territory and to impair the standing of our organization through the country. An effort is being made to disparage our output and deny our claims for further extension of credit by a much advertised substitute called "disarmament," presented as a panacea for every national ailment from callouses to consumption. This is in the interest of firms who are rivals of ours across distant seas and especially in the Oriental trade. It is being handled on the market by the same class of irresponsible speculators who for years have dabbled in similar fakes and cheap imitations. It will be presented to you in very attractive form by some of the smoothest agents in the business, among them those who in the enthusiasm of newly-conferred suffrage, and anxious to do good, will endeavor to flood the market with this fake substitute for our Old Line Insurance, urging it with all the fascinating inconsistency of mingled charms and hysterics which so often characterizes lovely woman, — without whose approval no war has ever been waged. Many a profiteer, grown swollen and gross with ill-gotten gains on the distress of his country, now pleads for perpetual peace to salve a guilty conscience.

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ON another page of this issue there appears a speech made by General Harbord, Deputy Chief of Staff, to the convention of Reserve Officers which recently was held in Washington. The speech is re-printed in full because of the unique manner in which an interesting subject was handled.

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THE personnel at Fort Benning are gratified over the fact that boxing bouts will be continued if the sentiment may be judged by the remarks overheard from time to time.. Coming as they do in the middle of the month when there is not a great deal of the coin of the realm in circulation and being handled as they are in such manner that everybody can buy an admission ticket on credit, they are particularly welcome.

The next bouts which are to be held on the evening of October 16th will be especially good pudging from the advance notices at hand. Arrangements are being made at the new boxing arena—near Service Club No. 1—to handle a large crowd and the indications are that the demand for seats will be greater than the available supply on the post. If the crowds turn out to see these bouts as they did to see the free bouts consiberable money should be made available in a very short time with which to finance the various recreational activities on the post.

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AN attraction coming to the Post Theatre on Saturday night (tonight) is the Sam Lewis Concert Party. This is said to be an unusually high type musical troup. Such attractions are usually given at a loss but are classed as part of the recreational activities of the post.

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WITH the social season of the post beginning with the big reception of Mrs. Malone this week there should be an abundance of social reading matter weekly. Unfortunately, The News has no society ed tor—yet—and this paper has to depend on the good nature of the individuals concerned to furnish such items. It is very desirable that matters of social interest be printed in our columns and hostesses are urged to notify the Post A. & R. Office either when they contemplate giving a party, after they have done so, or both—preferably the latter.

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THE nightly attendance at the three theatres is growing. Last week this attendance averaged 706 and the indications are that this is going to be greatly increased in the very near future. This fact is especially interesting in view of the fact that Fort Benning participates in the profits of the theatres now and that these profits are to be used for recreational purposes. It begins to look as if there are going to be funds available in the future for a number of things which have necessarily been eleminated in the past due to the lack of these funds.

## ARMY TO GIVE SERIES OF DEMONSTRATIONS OF ITS COMBAT ARMS IN WASHINGTON DURING OCTOBER— INFANTRY TO STAGE SHOW FRIDAY.

The Commanding General, District of Washington, has arranged to give public exhibitions, in the city of Washington during the fall and winter, of the work and training of the combat arms. The first exhibition will be given by a six squad platoon of the 3rd Bn., 12th Infantry from Fort Washington, Maryland, at 4:30 p. m., October 6th, 1922, on the park west of the Botanical Gardens at Missouri Avenue and Third Street, N. W.

The Infantry will hold a formal guard mounting, followed by close order drill given to the music of the bugle and drum corps of the 3rd Bn., 12th Infantry. Upon the conclusion of the ceremony the Army Band will give a short concert, and then the Infantry will exhibit the concluding phase of an attack on enemy machine-guns, showing the movement of Scouts, the building up of the firing line, the use of "smoke screens," and the closing in with bayonets. Blank ammunition, smoke grenades and smoke candles will be used, and those who have never had the opportunity of seeing the real thing, will now see how the "fighting infantry" did it "Over There."

This demonstration will be the first of a series to be given during October by the various combat arms of the service stationed in or near Washington and it is hoped that the public will take advantage of this opportunity to witness the work of the Army. Date, time and place of subsequent demonstrations will be announced later.

## A NON-STOP FLIGHT FROM MEXICO TO CANADA

Lieut. Leland S. Andrews, Army Air Service, stationed at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, who was the companion of Lieut. James H. Doolittle on a number of cross-country flights prior to the latter's recent trans-continental flight, is soon to embark on a nonstop flight from the Mexican to the Canadian Border, which he contemplates making on or about October 8th.

He will start from Ellington Field, Houston, Texas, proceed to the nearest point on the Gulf of Mexico, and then wing his way directly to Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Mich., thus touching the Southern and Northern boundaries of the United States. He will use the same plane with which Lieut. Doolittle recently made his flight from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast with only one intermediate stop and within a total elapsed time of 24 hours.

The approximate distance to be covered in Lieut. Andrews' flight is 1100 miles, and this Army pilot feels confident that the trip can be made in one continuous flight, even with a slight head wind. Should the winds prove unfavorable, however, he contemplates making a stop at McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, to refuel his ship, and will attempt to make the non-stop flight on the return trip from Selfridge Field.

Lieutenant Andrews has already flown Lieut. Doolittle's famous ship, and is thoroughly familfar with its special features and its performance when loaded. Should success reward his effort it will make the first time a boundary to boundary non-stop flight across the United States has ever been accomplished. He has chosen the early part of October for his flight in order to take advantage of the moon for an early take-off.


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## 15th Tank Battalion News

The Battalion Football team is working hard in preparation for their first game. They had their first real scrimmage of the season on the 10th against the Infantry Varsity, and made a very creditable showing. They showed real strength, especially on the defense. Red Lindsey is showing up like a star and all teams will soon quit trying to go through there after he hits them a couple times, Lee also is holding down right tackle in a masterful manner, the opponents will soon learn this after a few attempts to get by. Can the "Tanks" kick?—Ask the Infantry School team. Swantic out-kicked them every time.

Sgt. Mason has nearly completed all arrangements for the entertainment to be held in the Log Hut October 26th. Let's make it good, Mason.

The Battalion extends its heartiest congratulations to Major and Mrs. Leonard upon the birth of a baby daughter on October 4th, 1922. Mother and daughter are reported to be doing nicely. We are all waiting patiently for the weeds to be passed around.

Sgt. Hicks "C" company, the designer and builder of the Battal on championship, but unlike Dempsey he is willing to meet all comers at their own terms.

"B" company boasts of such notable characters as Sgts. Sherrard, Hunter and Hansen, who have been rehearsing their latest play, "Turn to the Right." This play will be ready for presentation shortly after pay-day. The setting is somewhere in the modest little village of Girard, Ala.

"B" company has a new supply sergeant. Seeing that all the rest have gone wrong we hope that you will take the right road Sam, and don't contract too many new friends. (Editors note: The rest of the Battalion are on the "qui vive" when they pass by "B" company.)

Lieut. Hoy and the shop crew of "C" company are trying to devise some way to park his coupe in his stall in the Batall on garage without injury to other cars parked there.

Even the "Old timers" fall. Sgt. George C. had visitors from Macon this week.

Cpl. Candea came off winner in a "Headbucking contest" with Pvt. Wade in "C" company the other night. Wade had visions of the Fair for a while though.

"B" company's present mitt-slinger, Kid Pacioni, has been training hard for another fight with some of the youngsters in his outfit. Keep it up, Pacioni, some day you'll challenge Siki.

Lieut. Jaynes has recently acquired a new means of transportation. He says that it will really run.

The Sgt. Major is seling tickets on a raffle for a Studebaker. Evidently there are others besides Mess Sgts. who have their grafts. Hope that you win it yourself, Buck. It isn't the original cost, it's the upkeep.

"Military Bill' visited the Chattahoochee Valley Fair last Monday evening. He was pleased with what there was, but wanted more of it. It had it all over the Orient in a few days at that.

News from Pensacola, Fla., is to the effect that there is lots of work for some of "C" company's men who are there on furlough. Hope that Handsome Dan and the Wild Irishman don't overtax their strength cleaning fish.

Sgt. Boone of Co. "C" has left on furlough. We all wonder if he is going to sail on the matrimonial sea. A supply Sgt. should be able to.

Members of "C" company claim that their 1st sergeant is the biggest fish in the Battalion. One hundred and twenty-five for that outfit. Nationality counts most we should say. He jewed him down $2.50. Turn on the green lights, Abe.

The Battalion is well represented at the Fair in Columbus this week, having one heavy and two light tanks there. They draw the crowds also. To hear the crews of them tell it they can do everything but fly with them.

Lieut. Barrick can't make his speedster sober up unless he disconnects all the wires. It gets all "lit up" like a church with all the juice turned on. We recommend that he use oil instead of alcohol in his lamps.

Members of the Battalion within hearing recommend that Edwards draw some blankets for his hounds so they won't howl when they are cold.

As a sequel to the play which some of the sergeants in "B" company are rehearsing, several other members of the Batallion expect to put on, on the same set, a short sketch entitled "Up one Flight." This play is the only one with the exception of Uncle Tom's Cabin in which Little Eva plays a stellar role.

We are always looking for news and want the help of all members of the Battalion in getting same, but the following rules must be observed.

I. Must be member of the 15th Tank Battalion, know where it is stationed, the number of barracks it has, whether painted or not, or both; the number of windows, floors and ceilings in each building, who is its Commanding Office.

II. They must, might, could, would, should, may or can write a story of some event, true or otherwise, or both, and if both, how many of each, and why?

III. Write in English if possible.

IV. Write on the outside of the paper.

V. Always start on the opposite side.

VI. Use right hand in writing unless you write left-handed.

VII. Keep to right of paper and when turning corners put an arm out.

VII. Thumb prints accepted, though not necessary.

IX. Writing must be in ink, unless it is pencil, and if so use Eberhard's Faber ink and Sanford's pencils, and when buying same mention Fort Benning News.

X. Words must be used in writing the story unless the writer prefers to use language.

XI. The use of expensive words don't count, so don't try and put on the dog.

XII. Write on any kind of paper, one burns just as well as another.

XIII. No scandal or dirty digs allowed, they're not right, but again, who the blazes wants to be right.

XIV. Write ideas, not thoughts, and if so, how? and without laughing.

XV. Write about yourself, or love, or any other kind of nonsense.

**Itinerant.**

Pedestrian: What the deuce! Begging in the street!

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## History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 3.)

COMPANY COMMANDERS ....

Company " A "

Captain Otto O. Kuentz, Captain Marion D. Kolyn. First Lieutenant Bruce Purcell. Captain Paul A Hodgson. Captain Leon L. Morton.

Company " D "

Captain Thomas D. Finley, Captain Harold R. Richards, Captain Walter S. Keller.

Company " E."

Captain John S. Smiley, Captain Willis E. Teale.

Company " F."

Captain Earle G. Paules.

Company " B." ....

Captain Earl E. Gessler, Captain Herbert A. LaRoy.

Company " C."

Captain William M. Hoge, Captain Paul A. Hodgson, Captain Willis E. Teale, Captain Wyman R. Swan.

Headquarters Company.

Captain Ernest L. Osborne, Captain Thomas D. Finley.

Medical Detachment

Lieutenant L. H. Roblee, Captain E. C. Morton.

SENIOR NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Regimental Sergeants-Major.

Jas J. Murphy, WilliamE . Haller.

Master Engineers, Senior Grade

Oscar Lottig, Fred J. Buldoc, Grover Inglis, Patrick Meahger, William Johnston, Michael Posner, Joseph Laracy.

Master Engineers, Junior Grade

Owen Marron, John J. Cronin, Patrick Meagher, John P. Peterson, William Johnson, George Miville, Michael Posner, Joseph Laracy, Michael Kelly, Stanislaus Zromkowski, Charles Boogher, Van S. Roberts, Arthur C. Wiggins, William Rothfuss, Geo. H. Hill, John A. Hillard, Richard J. Hobin, Charles Baird Leo. J. Stein, James Sherrin, William A. Mahla, Robert E. Harrison.

Ordnance Sergeant

Henry H. Emerson.

Regimental Supply Sergeants

Harold Lotts, Harry Smith, James R. Morrison, William Coughlin.

Battalion Sergeants-Major.

George Meville, Oscar Lottig, John A. Hillard, William E. Haller, John J. O-Brien, George A. McCloskey, Howard E. Kord, Earl C. McCoy.

Sergeant Bugler

Joseph Stone, Bert R. Klise.

First Sergeants

Company " A."

Peter M. Pettigo, Gordon M. Christine.

Company " B."

James Sherin, Robert A. Bias.

Company " C."

William Rothfuss, August Miller.

Company " D."

Michael Posner, Harry Potter, Martin C. Reimer, Sterling P. Hiett.

Company " E."

Ord Bush, Horace DePauw, Earl L. Mong.

Company " F."

Michael J. Kelly, George H. Hill, Napolean Sasnowski, Thomas E. Igleheart, Thomas M. Keiller.

Headquarters Company

John J. O'Brien.

Medical Detachment

Hubert Ver Mehren.

Engineer Train

Charles H. Hatfield, Arthur Folse.

Color Sergeants

John J. O'Brien, Earl C. McCoy, Frederick Sonand, Howard E. Kord, Earl C. McCoy. Fred C. Schreiber, Charles W. Shaw.

The Regiment Overseas

The Second Battalion sailed from New York on board the Celtic on March 6th, 1918, and landed at Liverpool, England, on March 18th. A few days were spent at Southhampton before embarking for LeHarve, France, where the battalion landed on March 23rd. Regimental Headquarters and the 1st Battalion left New York on the Orduna, on March 16th, and landed at Liverpool on March 29th. On the same day the 1st Battalion and Regimental Headquarters traveled by rail to the historic town of Winchester. On April 5th they embarked at Southampton, England, and landed at LeHarve the following morning.

Work in S. O. S.

One of the biggest problems confronting the American Army during the early days of the war was the organization of the Service of Supplies, commonly known throughout the A. E. F. as the S. O. S. In order to feed, clothe and properly take care of the vast army which was later to come, wharves, immense warehouses, great railway yards and hospitals were required. Consequently, Engineer troops were in great demand, and for the first three months after arrival of the regiment in France, it was employed in construction work.

During the months of April, May and June the regiment was located as follows:

Regimental Headquarters — Rimaucourt (Harte Marne).

Company "A"—Montigny-le-Roi (Haute Marne.)

Company " B "—Nogenton-Bassigny (Haute Marne.)

Company " C " — Rimaucourt (Haute Marne).

Second Battalion — Grievres (Loir et Cher.)

Company " A " spent the three months in building hospitals, barracks, and stables in the area of Montigny-le-Roi.

Company " B " constructed barracks, hospitals and stayles and repaired roads in the vicinity of Nogent-en-Bassigny. Construction work was also done at the experimental gas fields at Chaumont (Haute Marne.)

Campony " C " with Headquarters Company and the Engineer Train relieved Company " E " of the 6th Engineers in the construction of the five one thousand-bed base hospitals at Rimaucourt (Haute Marne). Three hundred Chinese were also employed there under the supervision of the Engineers. At the time these companies were relieved, two units of forty buildings each had been completed, and put in condition.

(Continued Next Week.)

### THERE IS NO PARTING THERE

It was midnight on the Ocean,
Not a street-car was in sight;
The sun was shining brightly
And it rained all day that night.

'Twas a summer day in winter,
And the snow-flakes fell like glass:
A barefooted boy with shoes on
Stood sitting on the grass.

'Twas evening and the rising sun,
Was setting in the West,
And the little fishes in the trees
Were huddled in their nests.

The rain was pouring down
And the moon was shining bright.
And everything that you could see
Was hidden out of sight.

While the organ peeled potatoes,
Lard was rendered by the choir,
As the Sexton rang the dish-rag
Someone set the church on fire.

Holy smokes! the preacher cried.
In the rain he lost his hair;
Now his head resembles Heaven,
For there is no parting there.

## Artillery News Notes.

Despite the one sided score by which the artillery football team lost to the 29th Freebooters Wednesday, the supporters of the team were well pleased with the stiff fight it put up against adverse conditions.

This was the first game of the season for the artillery and the first time much of its green material had ever taken part in a game. Despite this, the work of the line, especially in the first half, before superior weight wore it down, was especially good. The end defense was weak throughout the game, through bad position, a consequence of playing in too close from overeagerness.

The feature of the game from anybody's standpoint was the fine defensive work of Sergeant Samlavich, cannoneer halfback, whose cleancut tackles were the delight of the spectators. Twice, in the last quarter, he held the heavy infantrymen for downs by his own work alone, making seven consecutive tackles and knocking down two forward passes. He was also all there was to the artillery backfield in its only offensive quarter, the first ,when he carried the ball seven out of ten times, and made two first downs.

Discouraged neither by the defeat nor the loss of their coach, Lt. F. G. McGill, who has been detailed to Virginia Military Institute, the artillerymen are looking forward to the next game, determined to overcome the faults which came to light in the Infantry game. The artillerymen have nothing but praise for their opponents, particularly the swift infantry back, Kelly, and the end, Davis, whose work was of a high order, and were well pleased with the excellent manner in which the game was conducted. The new athletic field, with its grandstand arrangement was a big hit.

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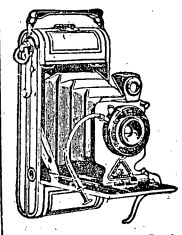
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## Signal Corps Notes

Mr. W. R. Williams of the Fourth Corps Area Signal Office was a visitor at Fort Benning the past week have come here for the purpose of making estimates in regards the enlargement of the post telephone system, which has now reached its capacity. While here Mr. Williams obtained considerable valuable data for the Fourth Corps Area Signal Officer, in regards the present and future building projects, which will without a doubt lead to the increasing of the present telephone system. Mr. Williams expressed the belief that without a doubt the present system would be enlarged.

The Signal Office welcomed with joy the past week the reecipt of a communication from the Fourth Corps Signal Office to the effect that the much needed improvements to the Target Range Communication system had been approved by the Secretary of War. Work has already commenced on the project.

The Signal Office Lieut. Charles R. Forrest has received his transfer to the Air Service, and has been replaced as Post Signal Officer by Capt. Roscius H. Back.

Pvt. Eugene Jones 17 Ordnance (Maintenance) Company who has for the past eight weeks been on the special duty detail constructing the Forest Preserve Telephone line has been transferred to the Signal Corps.

While Mr. Williams was in our post the past week he readily saw the need of competent telephone operators for this station, and promised to bring the matter personally to the attention of the Corps Area Signal Officer with a view of relieving the situation.

A lineman was sent the past week to a certain office in the post to make repairs to the telephone. After having made the necessary repairs and having reported to the officer in charge of the office that the telephone was O. K. the officer, desiring to satisfy himseld to the effect that such was the case, proceeded to call the operator with the request that he hold a conversation with him to which the operator replied "The line's busy."

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## 24th Infantry News Notes

Soaked by rain, Alabama mud and penalties the 3rd Bn., 24th Infantry team played and won the first game of the season from the Tigers of Tuskegee, Institute, with a score of 6 to 0, one gratifying feature was the speed and line work on a field that was as slippery as glass. The new play devised by Chaplain Reynolds and Captain Wilson, known as the "Mess Line Plunge" will get any team's goat. Too much cannot be said of Lay and his 6-yard plunges, but boy, Oh Boy, when he hit the line he tore up things for far, and wherever he struck there was a hole if it wasn't there when he struck, it was there in the ensuing instant. The college lads resisted strenuously during the first quarter getting the ball to our 20 yard line and gallantly held the battalion from scoring in the first half. Tuskegee upon a 4th down in the third quarter punted the ball from the center of the field for a 30-yard gain, Freelon received it and then he performed as he never has performed before. Equipped with mud cleats and the winged shoes of Mercury, he made a touch down for 70 yards that would have made "Man-O-War" seemed like a snail. The soldiers showed well at returning the ball from kicks. All the first string Kilgore, Adams and the Dawson Bros. bearing their share of the attack. Allen at end was named "Lightning" for his fast work. At this writing the incoming organization has not quite settled but the Chaplian is looking over the picking out some very good material, which is believed will make this team unexcelled in the South.

Corporal Carter (Hard-Luck) has learned us a new trick of changing a $10 bill into a five, everybody understands it but Cpl. Bill Williams. Carter will explain it to him next pay day.

Corporal Reeves (Noise-Box) absent from Reveille October 7th, 1922, apprehended at Girard, Ala., with his shoes thrown across his shoulder and walking to Tuskegee, in his BEAR feet, to see the football game. His dogs were swollen.

Cook Revere (Baldy) will start, in the hardware business with those nice steaks he cooks. The Supply sergeant is using them for hinges on the door.

Sgt. Vantress (Bob-Cat) a new comer known as the 24th fashion plate and vamp wants all the colored ladies to know that he is free and not engaged. He will be in Columbus, Ga., Sunday afternoon for inspection if some one will pay his transportation.

Sgt. Harrod (By Eye) has gone back into the football team. He only got a chance to see one game last year on account of a player in More-House College hitting him in the eye at the beginning of the season.

Sgt. Shoot-a-Nickle the band leader was seen up under the recreation hall looking for something; when asked what it was he replied that he was cranking up his Baby Lincoln and it flew off the handle.

Captain and Mrs. McNair and Captain and Mrs. Wilson motored over to Tuskegee, last Saturday to the football game, and report a pleasant visit.

Private Peter Atkerson (Chauffeur) claims that he has been robbed of his marksman's pay. He threw three bricks toward Burchett, Manch and missed every time.

## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

On "Yon Kipper" (or or about, I should say), the following conversation was overheard in the Post Exchange, Grocery Department:

Rosen: Butcher, give me about two pounds of that veal steam, (pointing.)

Butcher: That's not veal steak, that's pork chops.

Rosen: Who the H—— asked you what kind of meat that was.

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Eggs must have taken a jump a certain day this week. Smith & Magoni won first price at the fair. Pretty fair, at that.

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We wonder if Groverly (one of our Detachment Staff) intends to quit his wild wreckless way of living. It was recently reported that he has been attending the "revival" in Columbus.

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Mick Halpan looms to the front again. He says for the information of all who are about to be discharged that he has found a way to beat the U. S. and make Uncle Sam pay travel pay. If he won't send "Mike" home he will re-enlist. Follow his advice boys and recruiting parties will be unnecessary.

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Rip saw—rip saw—rip saw—bang
We are the boys of the I.S.D. gang.
Are we in it?
Can't you see?
We are the boys of the I.S.D.
Ra! Ra! Ra!

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The dance given by the Detachment on last Saturday evening was quite a successful affair. It seems however that some of the boys are a little bit timid or else they were afraid their "best" girl would find out they had been dancing with some one else.

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On the night of October 7th the detachment mess hall was the scene of a very pretty dance for the men of thedetachment, their families and friends. Refreshments were sevred and Sgt. Sebeneichen's orchestra furnished the music for the occasion. Several officers of the General's Staff attended. This was the first dance of the season and as it was so successful another one will be held in the near future.

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## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Our dancing teacher and lady killer, Sgt. Bowen will take up his new duties as dancing teacher in the near future. Pvt. Broderson, West Haven vamp, will be his assistant.

Professor Terence, known as the sleuth is constantly on the trail of a clue, which seems to have no foundation or ending.

Pvt. Wilson went down town to get a drink. Did he get it! We'll say he did; we saw the charges in the Lieutenant's hand this morning.

Pvt. Robinson the Pennsylvania football star, isn't making much headway in the game since he lost his spikes during the baseball season.

Co. "F" moved from the recruit center last Monday. Anyone wishing to see the men from the 1st Gas Regt., will find them at the old quarters of Co. "L" 29th Infantry, where they are permanently stationed.

Cook Roberts, Pvts. Everhart and Frymyer, must have been pretty well soaked last Saturday night. They were in the rain most of the time, at least it was said they were under the weather most of the night.

Since the company moved to Fort Benning, there are a few men who seem to forget they are married and stay in town most of the time. We don't know where they go, but there must be something in town that attracts them. Who mentioned Sgt. Brown's name?

"If I sell the car, I've got thirty days to do," is somewhat of a slogan around the company since we have taken up sighting and a ming and making preparations to go on the range.

Will someone kindly tell us who was in the ditch near the overhead bridge with a Hudson car on last Sunday night? That's allright Brooks, we understand the situation.

Pvt. Hendricks would like to sell *his Ford roadster.* He says it is all *there* except the engine, the tires, the wheels and the body, but outside of that it is a good car.

Our Supply Sergeant Ohrvall, has taken us his new duties as acting mess sergeant, and he certainly knows his business when it comes to putting out a feed for a bunch of hungry men. It will be all right Ohrvall, as long as you don't issue supplies instead of rations.

Pvt. Scharle can see the target through the rear sight or through the front sight, but he does not see why the Lieutenant e pects him to see it through both sights. Anyway Scharle says, he does not like to wear "badge ornaments."

Sgt. Stover visited the Fair the other day and the gate keeper mistook him for a school boy. We hope that Headquarters don't hear about it, because the "school boy" might have to employ a chauffeur.

Will someone kindly impress upon Sgt. McCullom's mind that when he crosses the 9th street bridge in Columbus he is in the state of Alabama. Nuf said.

## Finance Detachment Notes

Warrant Officer W. G. Sesseman, Assistant Property Auditor, is a new member of the Finance personnel of this post, the detachment extends to him a hearty welcome.

Corp. Short and Ayers were among the spectators at the football game last Saturday afternoon and reports a very interesting game.

Bobbie Casper, the brass pounder of the Signal Corps, spent Sunday P. M. with the Finance Detachment and enjoyed a quite game of "Hit me down for double."

Our old time fr end Private Tillerson, has been transferred back to Benning after a couple of months in Augusta Arsenal. He says Benning is like a paradise beside Augusta Arsenal, which goes to prove that Benning is not so bad after all.

Our old timer (Corp. Blonco) is back on the officers pays account again and says—he'll show them how to make things snap.

Bennett and Watson was seen at the Springer Opera house last Saturday evening in company with Hinder der, Q. M. C., and "Pop" Hendricks, I. S. D.

WANTED: A pair of Curlin Irons to curl both of the hairs on hi head.—Miller.

Purvis: I was borned a free man.

Willis: So was I—free of property, currency and everything.

We either advance or retrea . Life is all movement. A seething mass of human yeast, that rises and falls, wriggling, creeping, crawling foaming, fighting and snarling, a times shrieking and crying aloud in our misery; but ever moving, ever continuous the ebb and flow of life goes on; and like the worms we despise we struggle blindly, furiously in a mad frenzy and terror in the mids of it, and call it good or bad according to how far upward we have eaten our way to the top.

## Quartermaster Department News Notes

Butler, the Night Electrician. (He's a good one and learning fast can put in fuses and l ght bulbs carries a hammer and screw driver.) If anything goes wrong with your lights, better call him up. "Service for the Line" is his motto.

Jesse Skinner, is getting pretty snappy, he lugs ice in the morning, juggles groceries in the afternoon. (Be kerful James the "H. S. R." is no joke.)

"Bob" White has been to town three or four times since pay-day. No hasn't been "intoxicated;" good for you "Sweet Words" keep it up.

Things are beginning to look pretty bad for the "Commissary Staff" Seeing as how they have to work six days a week (Till 4:00 P. M.) Their great problem is; trying to figure out what date they will start the "Night Shift." (Too bad they don't get double pay for Sunday.)

"Speedy" Gilliam is one of the "short-timers," only about two months to do. Say gents I know something about him that will make him "re-up, so don't worry boys we'll soon have three years to look at that mug. (His real name is Rober E. Gilliam, but the "Twins" christened him "Web-Foot.")

Corporal Joel Maffet, has just returned from a thirty day furlough in the hills of Georgia. (Say, if any one wants to hear a good "Fish Story," drop around to Build ng No 52503 down stairs after 5:00 P. M.)

The Commissary Twins get along all right at times, except when Kane blames Bacon for being a slacker when it comes to stocking up, and vice-versa.

"Big" Jim was seen going to the village in one of Howard's De Luke Busses, escorted by the "Twins," (Don't lead 'em astray James).

Let it be known throughout the Detachment that our friend Polit thinks no more of a "nickle" than he does of his right eye. He says "Me short timer, no take chance, maybe drink half-pint then take chance." Ask the printer crowd they know him.)

Since the discharge of our leading Musician things are much more quiet at night. (All right fellows, who will be the next to take up music? Better make it a Xlyphone)

William Siegmund was seen at the Shin dig tother night with his gallus strop broked. Poor Bill, He, has our sympathy.

Let it be known that Act. Pvt. Clarence Berry is still achting Supply Sergeant and is the bussiest man in the Detachment. He does nothing and acting Pvt. Tex Warren is his noted helper.

Pvt. J. D. Buttler the screw driver Electrician is on the job, praying that no calls will come in.

Cpl. F. L. Eadler only gets charge of quarters twice a year, six months each time he is still in the property business. Call 5-5.

Sgt. Flory—better known as Mr. Jox is the Official Chauffuer for Sgt. Byrd who has become well known during the absence of first Sgt. Berg. We also wish to let the detachment know that Sgt. Byrd still has his box of Brutton.

Miss Yon, the Saphire of the property Office is the proud owner of a new Ford. She expects to enter the races soon.

Everyone in the camp is cordially invited out to Guyville to visit Pvt. Caudill. He has on display a few of his thoroughbred bull——dogs. Music will be furnished. Luck to you Charlie.

Old Joe Wood was seen bright and early Wednesday morning going around the barracks collecting. Keep it up Joe you'll be rich yet.

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Churchill, the old timer left on a month furlough. We all missed the old timer while he was away on his vacation. He visited the following places: New Orleans, Lake Charles, Plequenminen, La., Kansas City, Mo., and Washington, D. C., and returned for duty as of the 8th.

Father Wanton, is gone on a 90 days furlough visiting the City of Washington, D. C., where he will have a good time we all hope. Bates is detailed in Father Wanton's place and we hope the boys will take good care of the White Trucks and don't let Bates down.

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Ma fren' Bill hees says ver' good fur,
same time good for eat,
So I tell ma wife, "I get fur coat,
same time we get some meat."
I walk, one, two, three, four mile, I
feel one awful smell—
I theenk that skunk hees gone and
dided, and fur coats gone to hal.
Bime-by, I get up ver' close, I raise
my ax up high—
Dat gosh darn skunk he up and
plunk, trow something in ma eye.
Sacre, blue; I think ahm blin, Gee
Cri, Ah cannot see.
Ah run aroun' and aroun, and roun',
till bump in gosh darn tree.
Bime-by I drop de ax, an light out
for de shack,
I think about a milyun skunk, hees
clum upon my back,
Ma wife she meet me at de door, she
sick on me de dog.
She say, "You no sllep here to-night,
go out and sllep with hog,"
I try to get in hog pen, Gee Cri now
what do you t'nk,
Dat gosh-darn hog no stand for dat,
on 'count of awful stink."
So I no hunt de skunk no more, to
get hees fur and meat;
For if hees breath he smell so bad,
Gee Cri, what if he speet.—
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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 6.**
**1905**

Most of the year was spent quietly at the posts of the regiment.

"On June 28 Companies F and L left Fort Douglas at 7 A. M. and Salt Lake City via the Rio Grande Western R. R. for Heber, Utah, arriving at 1 P. M. and marched to Sugar Springs, Strawberry Valley, Utah and went into camp for patrol duty in connection with the opening of the Unintah Indian Reservation." Returned on September 8.

The officer who joined the regiment in 1905 were: Major Robert L. Hirst; Captain Alaga P. Berry, Captain oJhn N. Straat, First Lieut-Elvin H. Wagnor; Second Lieut. Ralph Dwight Bates, Second Lieut. Avery Duane Cummings and Second Lieut. Charles W. Mason, Jr.

The strength of the 29th on December. 31 was 50 officers and 706 enlisted men.

**1906**

The first Battalion changed station from Fort Bliss, Texas to Fort Logan, Colo., January 19-22.

In July the Regiment left its stations at Fort Douglas, Fort Logan, Fort DuChesne and Whipple Barracks and concentrated at Pueblo, Colo., from which point "the entire Regiment commenced its march to the Camp of Instruction near Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., where it arrived on August 7 having marched 235 miles." The month of August was spent at the Camp of Instruction.

Headquarters, Band and the second and third Battalions participated from Sept. 23 to 29 in the Pike's Peak Centennial celebration at Colorao Springs after which they returned to their proper stations. The rest of the Regiment had already returned to stations. In October the first Battalion changed station from Fort Logan to Fort Douglas.

The officers who were assigned to the 29th in 1906 were: Majors Alfred Hasbrouk, Wm. C. Buttler and Wm. H. Johnston; Captain Arthur L. Conger; second lientenants Horace F. Spurgin, Donald A. Robinson and Robert N. Campbell.

On Dec. 31 the strength of the Regiment was 50 officers and 760 enlisted men.

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# 29th Infantry Notes.

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Sept. 28 at El Paso, Texas, Captain Raymond Orr, 29th Inf. to Miss Corinne Palmer.

The following leter will be of interest to every member of the Regiment:

**Headquarters Training Center**
**Fourth Corps Area**
**Office of the Commandant**
Camp McClellan, Alabama,
September 1, 1922.

Subject: Departure of troops.
To: The Commanding Officer,
Fort Benning, Ga.

1. The Second Battalion, 29th Infantry, with attached detachments of the Headquarters Company, 29th Infantry, leaves Camp McClellan today en route to Fort Benning. The Battalion has performed an important part in the instructional activities carried on here this summer by the Regular Army and contribrted its share to the success of the Camps of the R. O. T. C., the Reserve Officers the C. M. T. C., and the National Guard. The demonstrations have been held without the 29th Infantry.

2. The Communications Platoon and the Detachment Howitzer Company have done their part in the splendid work.

3. The Commandant desires in this way to express his appreciation of the services rendered by troops of your command in the training of the citizen soldiers.

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

Last Saturday when the Infantry School met Wofford College everybody expected a repetition of the Infantry-Piedmont game. Practically nothing was known of the Wofford aggregation and the Infantry School team looked good. Everything was "set" for the game when Pluvius took a hand and both teams were quickly wet to the skin.

The sport scribes appeared to have a difference of opinion with regard to the effect this said rain had on the teams. One writer stated that the Infantry team was slowed up to such an extent that it lacked the punch to put over touchdowns when within striking distance of their opponent's goal. Another writer contended that the rain made the ball so slippery as to prevent Wofford's forward passes being effective thereby causing that team to have to depend on line bucks against a much heavier team. Regardless of these opinions the wet ball caused fumble after fumble and the result, because of this, was in doubt until the last whistle sounded.

Wofford played a clean game throughout and showed a sportsmanlike spirit when they lost by the score of 12-0. It is hoped that another game can be arranged for next season.

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Something is going to happen, from the standpoint of football, when the Infantry meets Tennessee today.

Infantry looks good and has delivered the goods in the past two games. The team is improving daily at practice and is rapidly becoming a smooth running machine. There is no comparison between the team that will take the field today and the team of this time last year.

But—Tennessee has something of a football team also. Up to date this team has cleaned up everything it has tackled and is on the warpath for more scalps.

If the sporting editor was in a predicting mood he might say that the winning team would win by not more than one touchdown. Everybody thinks it will be a close game and of one thing everybody is sure—the fans are going to see same real football.

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In the second of the inter-unit football games on the Service Club athletic field the 2nd Battalion, 29th Infantry team decisively defeated the 83rd Artillery outfit by the score of 25 to 0 last Wednesday afternoon. There were about 2,000 in attendance including Colonel George S. Goodale, the commanding officer of the 29th Infantry and Major oJseph W. Rumbough, the commanding officer of the 83rd Artillery.

The game was brilliantly contested and cleanly fought. There were only a few penalties called and these were for holding and offside plays.

Within a few minutes after "Lanky" Davis had kicked off to the 83rd Artillery the ball was fumbled on the 20-yard line. Brown, the speedy right end of the 2nd battalion, careened in at full speed, made a successful lunge at the leather oval and was off down the field. He was never headed and this 80-yard dash stunned the Artillery for a moment but they recovered and despite the combination of forward passes and slashing end runs by Kellstrom of the 2nd battalion, there was no further scoring until the third quarter.

About the middle of the third quarter Kgelstrom completed a series of end runs averaging from 10 to 20 yards for the second touchdown of the game. He repeated this a few minutes later in the fourth quarter. The final touchdown came from a long forward pass Kkelstrom to Davis. In fact the strength of the 2nd Battalion team lay in Davis and Kgelstrom, although this duo of stars were greatly aided by Slatts and Daniels and Ekoff, who sure did tackle 'em.

The line-up and summary follows:

| 83rd Artillery. | Pos. | 2nd Bat., 29th Infantry |
|---|---|---|
| Alberts | Left End | Davis |
| Anderson | Left Tackle | Ekoff |
| Donnelly | Left Guard | Walygurski |
| Tartany | Center | Green |
| Downing | Right Guard | Rowe |
| McNeely | Right Tackle | Parks |
| Walker | Right End | Brown |
| Rutledge | Quarterback | Payne |
| Samlovitch | Lefthalfback | Johnson |
| Cooper | Righthalfback | Hendrickson |
| Hunt | Fullback | Kgelstrom |

Score: 2nd Bn., 29th Infantry, 25; 83rd Artillery, 0. Touchdowns, Brown, Kgelstrom 2, Davis. Kick from placement, Parks. Time of Quarters: 10 minutes. Referee: Lieut. Jefferson Davis Box, United States Military Academy. Umpire, Captain Chalmers Dale. Head Linesman, Lieut. Douglass. Timer, Lieut. Hussing. Attendance, 2,000.

Substitutions: 2nd Bn., 29th Infantry: Matthews for Green; Duke for Roe; Daniel for Hendricksen; Slatts for Johnson; Krueger for Brown; Eller for Krueger; Finney for Wallakuski; Meyden for Duke; Nicholalen for Ekoff; Finney for Parks; Holdstrom for Daniel; Stirling for Slatts; Helms for Davis; McLane for Finney.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## BOXING

The boxing bouts to be held next Monday night are going to be good ones.

The curtain raiser will be between Pacioni of the Tanks and Mizwa of the Artillery. Pacioni has a reputation started, having had a number of ring battles in Columbus. Mizwa is a newcomer in fight circles but he looks good and has lots of promise. Both of these men are in training and both are out to win. This will be a preliminary far above the average. If the fight proves to be as good as is expected both men will probably have a return battle over a longer route at an early date.

The first eight round scrap will be between Grantham, another Tank man, and Earle of Columbus. Grantham has appeared in the local ring but once but he showed that he had the makings of a fighter in him that time. This is his first fight against a man of Earle's ability but his backers feel confident that he will go the limit with Earle and be going strong when the last gong sounds.

There will be another eight round go between Sebukaty, the Fourth Corps middle weight champion, and Dundee, who hails from the 6th Cavalry. Dundee is said to have considerable science and is quick on his feet. Sebukaty is known to be a hard hitting fighter who is going every minute of the time he is in the ring. This is going to be a real fight from start to finish. This fight alone should be worth the price of admission.

The main go of the evening will be between "Pee Wee" Burns, of Atlanta, and "Battling" Tywman of Fort Benning. Both men will enter the ring weighing within six ounces of each other and there will be action from start to finish. Burns is a youngster with a reputation to make and from the manner in which he has started out he will soon have one. He is a fast, hard hitting little fighter and he will make Tywman extend himself before the fight is finished. Twyman needs no introduction. He is a veteran of the ring and knows all the fine points of the game. Both men are confident of winning and the crowd next Monday night can expect a real fight here.

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| | |
|---|---|
| Principle fights since 1914 | 27 |
| Won by K. O. | 12 |
| Won by decision | 6 |
| No decision | 4 |
| Lost | 2 |

The following is a list of the men whom Sebukaty has met:

1—Bully Farrell, K. O., 3rd.
2—Young Detwiller, decision, 8rds
3—Al Bungartz, decision, 6 rds.
4—Tommy Rowman, lost dec, 8rds
5—Dutch Brandt, draw.
6—Billy Bank, K. O., 3rd.
7—Tommy Rowman, draw, 8 rds.
8—Frankie Callahan, no decision, 8 rds.
9—Battling Doucet, K. O., 4 rds.
10—Spud Murphy, K. O., 3 rds.
11—Rocky Burnett, K. O., 3 rds.
12—Burt Jackson, decision, 10 rds.
13—Frank Moran, exhibition, 6 rds. (No decision.)
14—Texas Tate, exhibition, 4 rds. (No decis on.)
15—Paul Dixon, draw, 10 rds.
16—Kid Palmer, no decision, 6 rds.
17—Dusty Roades, K. O., 3rd.
18—Bobby Greene, K. O., 3rd.
19—Young Watkins, K. O., 3rd.
20—Battling Messer, K. O., 1rd.
21—Andy Paxon, decision, 10 rds.
22—Kid Sterling, K. O., 3 rds.
23—Battling Green, decision, 6 rds.
24—Smiling Cruhardt, decision, 8 rds.
25—Young Paccilio, technical K. O., 3 rds., for middleweight champion 4th Corps.
26—Battling Messer, K. O., 3rd.
27—Young Stribling, lost decision, 10 rounds.

## TENNIS.

Four officers from Fort Benning will leave on Oct. 15th for New Orleans to represent the Charles S. Harrison Post, of Columbus, in the American Legion Tennis Tournament, which is to be a part of the athletic program of the convention. These officers are Major T. D. Finley and Captains J. S. Switzer, K. S. Whittemore and R. C. VanVliet, Jr. In these players the army and the Harrison Post are represented by as good tennis players as can be found throughout the army and this team should make a very creditable showing even against the best of the civilian players entered from other posts. Several officers of the student class are rapidly rounding into form and will also be added to the team before its departure Sunday.

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Work is being pushed as rapidly as possible to put all courts in good condition for the Championship Tennis Tournament of Fort Benning to commence Wednesday, October 18th. The drawings for the tournament were made Oct. 14th, and can be found posted in the club lobby.

Six barrels of calcium solvay have been received and applied to the surfaces of the courts. This preparation will make the best playing surfaces obtainable and Fort Benning courts will soon be as good as any in the State.

# 24th's Dusky Warriors Vanquish Tuskegee

### INVADE COLLEGE TOWN AND BRING HOME THE VICTORY AGAINST ODDS.

Saturday the 7th will be a date long remembered by the Tuskegee Collegians for on that date the 24th Infantry secured revenge for all previous defeats at the hands of the college boys. Despite a slow field and a wet ball the team representing the 24th Infantry proceeded to show the Institute players how the great game of Football should be played. The Tuskegee Tigers came on the field confident of speedy victory, but after the first five minutes of play the college boys knew it was only a question of the size of the score.

Thanks to the able assistance of the referee and the umpire the score was only six to nothing, but with taking away one clean touchdown and penalizing the 24th Infatry every time they got the ball in scoring position, could be expected more. Freelan starred with two fine runs of over fifty yards for touchdowns. To pick out stars would be to name the entire team, but special mention should be made of the work of the line and ends. Only one first down was made over the line and only three first downs were made in all by the college boys. The ends were right in there smearing the plays behind the line while the center for the 24th Infantry played bang-up ball.

A slippery ball made forward passes difficult to handle and the punting was not very good but the rain and soggy ball accounted largely for that. The 24th ran back all kicks in fine style and stopped the opponents in their tracks. The most encouraging feature of all was the way in which the Infantrymen followed the ball and recovered their own fumbles and most of the enemy's.

The 24th Infantry is being coached by Captain Roger Wilson and Chaplain M. W. Reynolds and show much promise. Some new material has reported in with the rest of the outfit and this week will see a fast game with Morris Brown College of Atlanta, at the 24th Infantry grounds.

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# SPORTS

## POLO.

### ARMY POLO TOURNAMENT.

There will be a high-goal polo tournament of teams of over 10 goals handicap commencing Monday, October 9th; and a low-goal tournament of teams of 10 goals and under commencing Monday, October 16th. All games are to commence at 3:30 p. m. at Potomac Park field according to the following schedule.

**War Department vs. Ft. Myer (Cav.)**

| | Handicap | | Handicap |
|---|---|---|---|
| Herr | 7 | Patton | 7 |
| Montgomery | 6 | Jones | 5 |
| Collins | 3 | Thayer, A. P. | 4 |
| Blunt | 3 | Wharton | 3 |
| | 19 | | 19 |

**Wednesday, October 11th.**

**War Department vs. Ft. Myer (Art.)**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jadwin | 4 | Rumbough | 3 |
| Cullum | 3 | Barden | 5 |
| Quekemeyer | 7 | Kitts | 2 |
| Higley | 7 | Berg | 2 |
| | 21 | | 12 |

**Saturday, October 14th.**

Winners of Monday vs. Winners of Wednesday.

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The polo games scheduled for last Sunday between the Benning Yellow and 29th Infantry and between the Benning Blues and the 83rd Artillery was postponed on account of rain and a muddy field. These two games will probably be played at the end of the present tournament.

The games Sunday will be between the Blues and the 29th Infantry and between the Yellows and the 83rd Artillery. Cooler weather will have a tendency to speed up the games and fast polo is expected.

No admission charge is made at the polo games and everybody is invited to attend.

### U. S. MARINE CORPS WIN NATIONAL 6TEAM SHOOT

The team from the United States Marine Corps, after a close struggle, won the National Team Match for teams of ten firers, at the annual shooting competition at Camp Perry, Ohio, Sept. 28, making a score of 2,848 pounts out of a possible 3,000. The Army Infantry team won second place, scoring 2,836 points, just 12 points behind the Marines. The U. S. Coast Artillery team was third with an aggregate score of 2,824 points. The U. S. Navy team was fourth with 2,814 points, and the U. S. Cavalry-Engineer team fifth with 2,813.

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Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

Chaplain Alexander W. Thomas arrived with the 24th Infantry and is on duty with the Regiment.

The hour for Jewish services has been changed to 3 p. m. on Sunday.

Chaplain Robb White is now located as rector of St. Thomas' Church, Thomasville, Ga.

## Picture Program for Fort Benning Theatres This Coming Week

**Sunday, Oct. 22nd.**

The Hunch, 5 reel feature (Garrett Hughes).

**Monday, Oct. 23rd.**

Smiling Jim, 5 reel feature (F. Farnum).

Hard Shell Gane, 1 reel comedy (M. & J.)

Fox News.

**Tuesday, Oct. 24th.**

Up in the Air About Mary, 5 reel feature (All Star).

The Wolver, 2 reel comedy (Western).

**Wednesday, Oct. 25th.**

Very Truly Yours, 5 reel feature (Mason).

Safe in the Safe, 2 reel comedy (Sunshine).

**Thursday, Oct. 26th.**

The Fire Eater, 5 reel feature (Gibson).

Fur Coats and Pants, 1 reel comedy.

Fox News.

**Friday, Oct. 27th.**

The Great Alone, 6 reel feature (Salesbury).

Down and Out, 1 reel comedy (Hal Roach).

Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Oct. 28th.**

Forever, 7 reel feature (Reed).

The Marathon, 1 reel comedy (Lloyd).

## Weeks Is Strong For Larger Army Than Provided For

**SECRETARY OF WAR AND GENERAL PERSHING AGAIN LAY ESTIMATE FOR COMING YEAR BEFORE THE PRESIDENT.**

The unshaken opinion of Secretary Weeks and his military advisers that the national military policy cannot be adequately sustained with a regular army of less than 13,000 officers and 150,000 men was again laid before President Harding by the war secretary, who was accompanied by General Pershing.

The conference had to do with estimates submitted by the war department for the coming year, calling for total appropriations of three hundred twenty-nine million, two hundred eighty-seven thousand, five hundred and eighty dollars as compared with current appropriations of three hundred forty million, eight hundred eighty-four thousand, one hundred twenty-two dollars. The army budget, however, still must be approved by the director of the budget.

Mr. Weeks made it plain that he had not changed in his belief that the present army of 12,000 officers and 125,000 men could not fulfill all the missions prescribed by the national defense act. The new estimates do not provide for an increase in the regular force above these figures, but Mr. Weeks has officially expressed the judgment of the war department that only the most urgent reason for national economy would warrant continuing the army at that reduced size.

The principal item in the estimates submitted comes under "support of the regular army," at $212,707,379, as compared with $221,411,512 for the current year. Included in that item, however, is the pay, subsistence, and clothing for all branches of the army, including the national guard, organized reserves, reserve officers training corps and other arms of the service, and the overhead expense of all posts, camps, schools, hospitals and other portions of the military plant used jointly by regulars, guardsmen and reservists.

The estimates provide increases for maintenance of the national guard and various training corps at the expense of the regular establishment in order to keep within the budget figure. For the guard $33,910,022 is proposed against $25,815,000 this year; for the organized reserves $2,628,109 with no exactly comparable figure; for the reserve officers training corps $4,401,000 as compared to $3,100,100 this year; for civilian military training camps $2,972,150 as compared with $1,800,000.

These figures with the smaller items made up a military budget for next year of $259,428,175 as compared to $275,356,681 this year. The non-military items, including river and harbor work, reaches a total of $65,890,375 as compared to $79,736,406 in current appropriations.

The estimate for the organized reserves provide three months training for 150 officers and fifteen days training for 15,000 officers with no provision for enlisted personnel of the reserve.

Civilian military training camps would receive funds sufficient to train 38,000 men next summer.

## National Convention Of American Legion in Full Swing At New Orleans

**CHARLES S. HARRISON POST, OF COLUMBUS, WINS RIFLE MATCH AND LEADS PARADE.**

Parade honors went to the Charles S. Harrison Post of the American Legion at the National Convention now being held in New Orleans. This came about for two reasons. First, the local post, in its recent drive for new members, made the highest percentage in increase of membership of any post in the United States; and, second, the rifle team representing the Charles S. Harrison post won the National Legion Rifle Match.

The rifle score was 767 out of a possible 800 and the team was composed of Captains Eddy and Brown and Sergeants Mulqueeny, Ioger, and Smith, all of Fort Benning.

The parade, which was one of the largest ever held in the city of New Orleans, was headed by General Paul B. Malone, who is Vice Commander of the Charles S. Harrison Post of Columbus.

The big football game between the Infantry School and Tulane University will be one of the big features of the convention.

## Crooks Impersonating Officers

**WARNING ISSUED BY WAR DEPARTMENT.**

Maj. Gen. G. C. Rickards, Chief of the Militia Bureau of the War Department, under date of Oct. 5, issued the following warning against men impersonating officers:

"The Adjutant General, state of Minnesota, has informed the Militia Bureau that recently a man of the following description, representing himself as Maj. Harvey Hayes, U. S. A., reported to the commanding officer, 135th Inf., at Minneapolis, Minn., stating that he had been sent by the Militia Bureau to check all property, especially finances, and to act as an instructor in paper work:

"Height about 5 feet 8 inches; weight approximately 135 pounds; build, slender; narrow face, pitted and freckled; dress, old uniform of issue type, braid on sleeve frayed, puttees without spurs; general appearance discredit to the Army.

"This man also called at the above named organization in company with an officer, representing himself as Colonel Godecke.

"A few days later 'Major Hayes' presented a check on the First National Bank of Minneapolis for $800, giving the name of Col. Earle D. Luce as a reference. He also contracted bills at several mercantile establishments which have not been paid.

"Both of these men intimated that they intended to proceed to other states, when their work in Minnesota had been completed and have thus far avoided apprehension by the police.

"These men are not agents of the Militia Bureau and it is requested that all concerned be notified to keep a sharp lookout for them and promptly advise the local police in case they make their appearance."

## Officers To Be Demoted Be Advised In Advance

**SUCH ANNOUNCEMENT EXPECTED FROM DICKMAN BOARD SOON.**

An announcement is expected some day next week from the Dickman board as to the limit which it will go in its demotion policy. The board, as War Department Circular 197 indicates, has been working in this direction. This announcement will give the extreme limit that will be necessary to go in order to work out the demotion scheme which the board has determined upon in the next few days.

For instance, the announcement would indicate the highest major, captain and first lieutenant who is liable to be demoted. In all probability the board will go higher up on the list in these three grades than will eventually be required in a demotion scheme. The purpose of making this announcement will be to give the officers who do not desire to accept a commission in a lower grade an opportunity to apply for a discharge. Under the Comptroller General's decision an officer cannot apply for a discharge after the order for his demotion has been issued. He then either must accept a commission in a lower grade or he automatically goes out of the Service. There is a legal fiction that an officer is out of the Service between the times that he leaves the upper grade and accepts a commission in the lower grade.

It is not believed that there will be very many applications for discharge from officers who are indicated as liable to be demoted. This conclusion is reached from the fact that a number of officers who have asked for discharge have withdrawn their applications. Furthermore, under the Curry-Anthony act demoted officers will retain their present pay and allowances in the lower grades. While the present prospects for promotion are depressing, it is frequently emphasized at the War Department that the end of Army legislation is not yet. At the same time the Dickman board and the War Department, as indicated by its circular, are anxious to give the demoted officers an opportunity to get out of the Service under the most favorable circumstances if any of them decide not to accept commissions in a lower grade.

# Social Notes

Mrs. Albert E. Sawkins, Editor.
Post Phone 192.

**SORORITY WOMEN, ATTENTION.**

All Army women who are members of any one of the eighteen sororities in National Panhellenic will please notify Mrs. R. C. Stickney, Box 1002, Fort Benning, before October 20th, as we have a local Panhellenic and are very anxious to locate all the new sorority women who have come here this year.

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Miss Gertrude Joseph will be at the Officers' Hop Room at ten o'clock in the morning of October the 21st, to begin her dancing classes for the children. The hours for the younger children will be from ten to eleven; for the older children, from eleven to twelve, every Saturday.

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A Dramatic Society is now in the process of organization at Fort Benning and considerable interest is being taken in the matter.

With the view toward perfecting the organization it is requested that all Army ladies who are interested in the formation of the Dramatic Society meet at the Officers' Hop Room on Thursday, October 26th, at 1:30 p. m.

At this meeting members will be enrolled, officers elected, and plans for the season discussed. Further information in this connection will be gladly furnished by Mrs. Leroy Hugh Martin, Post telephone No. 214, who is now acting secretary of the club.

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On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Otto W. Humphries, wife of Captain Humphries, entertained the ladies of the 29th Infantry Bridge Club at her quarters in Block 16.

Mrs. Murphy won first prize, a pair of orange candle sticks, and Mrs. Steve Elkins cut for consolation, a hand painted ice pick. After the games a delicious hot course consisting of chicken patties, hot rolls, tomato aspic, and coffee was served.

Mrs. George H. Goodale was elected president of the club and Mrs. Howard Scales secretary and treasurer. The members of the club are Mrs. Steve Elkins, Mrs. Albert E. Sawkins, Mrs. Everett Brooks, Mrs. Andrew R. Duvall, Mrs. George H. Goodale, Mrs. J. C. Harris, Mrs. Floyd Hatfield, Mrs. H. C. Hobbs, Mrs. Otto Humphries, Mrs. Richard Lussier, Mrs. Frank N. Mallery, Mrs. Robert L. McClure, Mrs. Edwin McCoy, Mrs. Francis H. A. McKoon, Mrs. C. T. Miller, Mrs. Jack Raaon, Mrs. Howard Scales, Mrs. Leonard Sims, Mrs. B. G. Stevens, Mrs. Richard Stickney, Mrs. William R. Tomey, Mrs. Walter Winn, Mrs. Robert B. Johnston, Mrs. Joe Kevaroc, Mrs. Jack Murphy, Mrs. Raymond Orr, Mrs. Paquet, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. Clifton A. Pritchett, Mrs. Sam Purswell, Mrs. H. S. Harris, Mrs. Derby Crandall, Mrs. Kenneth Olsen, Mrs. B. A. Byrne.

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General Malone is in New Orleans attending the National Convention of the American Legion. General Malone is expected to return next Sunday.

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Mrs. Gordan, who has been seriously ill at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, is reported as being now greatly improved. The entire command hopes for the speedy convalescence of Mrs. Gordon. Gen. Gordon is still with Mrs. Gordon.

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The Ladies Calisthenics Club, of which Mrs. P. H. Cavanaugh is president, meets every Monday and Thursday morning at the Officers' Hop Room. The hour is 9:00 o'clock and the uniform for each occasion is middie blouses, bloomers, and either dancing shoes or tennis shoes. An increasing interest is being manifest in the club which is rapidly growing.

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The hostesses for the Fort Benning Bridge Club, which held its regular meeting last Thursday, were Mrs. W. B. McCaskey, Mrs. Paul B. Malone, Mrs. Anding, and Mrs. Walton H. Walker.

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After the polo games last Sunday tea was served at the Polo Field by Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Rock, Mrs. Betts, and Mrs. Beiderlindon. These ladies were assisted by Miss Graham and Miss Malone. These polo teas will be a feature of the games in the future and it is expected that they will grow in popularity with the players and their guests. Mrs. J. W. Elkins, Jr., and Mrs. E. F. Brooks are among the hostesses for next Sunday.

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Mrs. Paul Fitzsimmons, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her cousin, Colonel W. S. Shepherd, in Columbus.

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The Army Bridge Club of Columbus met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lofton Cobb, on Wynnton Road. A large number of the Columbus Army women were present for play. The hostesses were Mrs. E. M. Burnett, Mrs. K. E. Althaus, and Mrs. Lofton Cobb. This club meets every Thursday afternoon.

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On last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Paul W. Mapes entertained the ladies of the Ninth Infantry Bridge Club at her Dinglewood cottage. Mrs. C. A. Valverde made high score. Among those present were Mrs. G. R. Lippincott, Mrs. C. R. Lugton, Mrs. R. Hilsman, Mrs. C. A. Valverde, Mrs. O. R. Rhodes, Mrs. E. Bates, Mrs. R. M. Caulkins, Mrs. D. W. Smiley.

# Medical Department Notes

The Nurses of the Station Hospital, Fort Benning, Ga., extend a cordial invitation to all officers of the post and their families and friends to attend a reception and dance on Wednesday evening, October twenty-fifth, at eight o'clock, at the Officers Hop Room.

Captain A. A. Roby, M. A. C., has been granted a thirty day leave of absence. Captain and Mrs. Roby will spend the greater part of the time touring Georgia and Florida in their automobile, which has been thoroughly equipped for camping.

Staff Sergeant L. M. Harned and Sergeant A. N. Mager recently went to Beason's Mills, Alabama, to get the former's car. It was impossible to move the automobile without "mule power." Imagine two mules hauling an eight-cylinder car over the hills of Alabama. It caused some amusement among the natives.

Sergeant W. C. Cullifer (in charge) and Privates Bueno and Moore as attendants left October 14 for Washington, D. C., with six patients who are to undergo further treatment at Walter Reed General Hospital.


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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 4.)

Company "E" was employed laying tracks, receiving and unloading freight and classifying material.

Company "F" collected, classified and stored pioneer equipment and supplies, and laid five miles of standard gauge railroad which involved building six pile bridges and the laying out of a railroad yard.

Perhaps the most interesting part of the work done, while in this vicinity, consisted of the wholesale disciplining of the Chinese coolies employed at Gievres. These Chinese had for some time been waylaying the soldiers and it was not until Companies D, E and F turned out en masse and sent not less than a hundred to the hospital that the Engineers were allowed to pass unmolested.

The latter part of April, division headquarters arrived in France and located at Barsur-Aube. The Infantry units arrived shortly thereafter and the division began training for combat service. On June 1st the 5th Division, less the 6th Infantry and the 7th Engineers, moved by train to the Vosges, in the vicinity of Corcieux, where the troops of the Division were given instructions by the 279th French Regiment. This work consisted of practice with live grenades, pyrotechnics and work of a similar nature.

**Anould and St. Die Sectors.**

On June 6th Division Headquarters moved to Gerardmer, and on the night of June 14th-15th, the first elements of the 9th and 10th Infantry Brigades entered the Anould sector in conjunction with elements of the 21st French Division relieving units of the 70th French Division.

Each combat group was held by amalgamated American and French troops, under the command of French Officers, with American Officers of the 5th Division present. The 9th Brigade occupied the northern part of the sector and the 10th Brigade the southern part.

The Anould sector covered a front of twenty-eight kilometers, stretching from the Fave valley on the north to Honeck on the south. In it were several of the highest peaks of the Vosges. It was cut with three passes, the Col de St. Marie, the Col de Bonhomme and the Col de Schlucht. The French first-line trenches crossed the summits of the peaks of Tete de Violu and Tete des Faux. From the observation posts, the plains of Alsace and the Rhine could be seen. The enemy had observation of the Meurthe, in the northern portion of the sector, from the posts on Dansant de Fete and also observation of the valley of the Favé and the valley leading up to the Col. de St. Marie. The old boundary between France and Alsace ran along the ridge, the French lines crossing into Alsace on Violu. The French, for the most part, held the high ground, including the tops of the Tete de Violu and Tete des Faux. In the southern portion of the sector, the lines were east of the ridge and in many parts the high ground, where ran the front line trenches, as at Schartz and Reichacker, were held by the enemy.

On June 30th, the 7th Engineers, less Company B, joined the division at Le Tholy and here commenced final preparation for entrance into the front lines.

During the first seven days the five companies continued intensive training in preparation for their work as sappers. On July 8th Company B joined the regiment and here, for the first time since leaving the States, the entire regiment was assembled. Companies A and B remained in Le Tholy until July 15th. On July 8th the entire 2nd Battalion and Company C left Le Tholy for the front. Company C made a three-day march of thirty-six miles to Laigoute via Xon Rupt and Anould, and, upon arival there, reported for duty to the sub-sector commander, commanding the 21st French Division, and commenced work in the 1st and 2nd line positions on dugout and shelter construction. Companies D, E, and F marched to Longemer, thence to Le Collet and were assigned to positions as follows:

2nd Battalion Headquarters—Camp Nicholas Superior.

Company D—Camp Levy Alvarez.

Company F—Camp Bouquet.

Company D was engaged in camouflaging front line trenches, reconstructing roads and trenches and operating saw mills. Company E was engaged in constructing the blue line and repairing the front line trenches. Company F constructed dugouts and trenches at Moliere and constructed and repaired camouflage screens. On the 13th of June, Company F was ordered to take over and hold, sector of the front line vacated by a battalion of the 6th Infantry on the latter's sudden relief.

It is of interest to note that the Second Battalion and Company C were the first American Engineers to enter German territory.

On July 14th, the 5th Division was relieved from the Anould sector and proceeded by marching and truck to the St. Die sector, which was just to the north of the Anould sector. This portion of the line covered a front of twenty-five kilometers and lay west of the high mountains in Alsace, and while hilly, was not as mountainous as the Anould sector. It was cut by three valleys, the valley of the Plaine, the valley of the Rabodeau and the valley of the Fave. It was a more important sector than the Anould sector, since it was the possible means of approach for the enemy; in fact, in 1914 St. Die had been occupied by them for seventeen days; they had penetrated to a distance of twenty kilometers east of that city. This sector was used by both the French and Germans as a rest sector for their tired troops, from more active parts of the lines, and up to the time of the entrance of the Americans, an interesting program of reciprocity had been adhered to.

There was excellent observation of the enemy lines, except where they were in the woods, especially from the mountains of the Ormont which separated St. Die from the enemy's lines, and gave observation for fifteen kilometers of the sector.

The enemy likewise had good observation, even of the streets of St. Die.

The conical shaped hill of Ormont gave them observation of our lines in the Ban de Sapt and enabled them to see portions of the Meurthe valley. In the valley of the Plaine their observation posts looked down upon the manufacturing town of Celles and from the high points between the valleys of the Rabodeau and the Plaine they could see the trains in Roon l'Etape and had views as far as Luneville.

In this sector the 5th Division again formed part of a French corps, and operated under French orders. An elaborate system of fortification was in process of construction by the French, and this work we took over and continued.

The 9th Infantry Brigade held the valleys of the Plaine and the Rabodeau, with brigade headquarters at Claire Fontaine; the 137th French Infantry were attached and held the northern edge of the sector, which was also the dividing line between the French VII and VIII Armies and adjoined the Baccarat sector.

The 2nd Battalion of the 7th Engineers was assigned to work in the the 1st Battalion in the area held by the 10th Brigade, whereupon the regiment took station as follows:

Regimental Headquarters — St. Die.

Company A — Nayemont-les-Fosses.

Company B—St. Marguerite.

Company C—St. Jean d'Ormont.

Company D—Valle des Ravines.

area held by the 9th Brigade, and

Company E—Moyenmoutier.

Company F—Pierre Percee.

7th Engineer Train—Le Bihay.

While in the St. Die sector the regiment was engaged mainly in shelter work, in the front and second line positions. Practically all excavations were in solid rock and pneumatic and hand drills were used; other work consisted of road construction and repair, road camouflage, wire entanglement construction and repair, and trench construction, which included the building of concrete machine gun pits. In addition engineer parties went out with infantry patrols nightly, and harassed the enemy by blowing up his wire with bungalore torpedoes and destroying his "pill boxes" with cheddite bombs. The regiment remained in the St. Die sector until August 22nd, 1918.

(Continued Next Week.)


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**EDITOR'S NOTE—On account of the unusually large amount of matter sent in for publication this week, news letters or parts of letters omitted will appear in the next issue.**

A NUMBER of Officers were recently gathered together and, as is usual under such conditions, a variety of topics were discussed with the usual variance of opinions. The subject of the Columbus-Fort Benning road came up and after the air had cleared of the fog caused by the sulphurous remarks incident to the broaching of this subject one of the members of the group announced that he would consider it a good investment to pay a couple or so dollars each month for the purpose of having the road dragged daily. Naturally, such a remark brought forth comments of the impracticability of such a thing being done it being more or less the custom of human nature to find a reason for not doing something that needs to be done.

This Officer's suggestion appears practicable, however, when the probability is that the only thing that prevents the quartermaster from doing this very thing right now is lack of funds with which to buy gasolene and oil for the motor transportation under his control.

There are at least one hundred Officers living in Columbus who make the trip to the Fort, and return, at least once daily. Last year some energetic statistician—in his spare time—estimated that the cost of making a round trip from Columbus to Fort Benning was $2.25 or thereabout. Just what this gentleman based his estimate on is not known but it probably included, among other things, wear and tear of the car, wear of tires, gasolene, and oil. This estimate is probably nearly correct. Now, if two hundred Officers—and there are probably more than that number who own cars—contributeed one dollar each month for the purpose of buying gasolene and oil for a tractor to haul a drag over the road daily the saving to those who make daily trips over the road, based on the estimate mentioned, would be approximately $2.21 per day, less the amount of wear and tear usual over good roads and the cost of fuel and oil.

It appears that $200.00 would be sufficient with which to buy gasolene and oil for two small tractors and these machines hitched to a drag could be manned by two men each. The matter seems worthy of consideration by these Officers who make frequent trips to Columbus.

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THE EDITORIAL STAFF of The News has been materially strengthened during the past week by the addition to the staff of Mrs. Albert E. Sawkins, Society Editor. Since the date of its initial number The News has realized that its reports of social activities have been unsatisfactory and for this reason a quiet search has been in progress for some accomodating person who was good natured enough to let The News impose on her to the extent of requesting her to go on a patrol for social news, the only compensation being a mere "Thank you" for a great deal of trouble and time. In order that Mrs. Sawkins may be assisted in her task it is requested that the Officers' wives furnish her with all information concerning social matters which they may have. The News is congratulating itself on its good fortune.

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THE receipt of a copy of the "Fifth Corps News and Diamond Dust" is acknowledged. This paper is a consolidation of the old "Fifth Corps News" and "Diamond Dust," the Fifth Division paper.

The new paper is a real newspaper of eight pages, seven columns. The editor is an old hand at the newspaper game as is evidenced by the general appearance and news matter contained in the paper. The News is very glad to add this paper to our exchange list.

## Motor Transport Notes

We are preparing for our winter dances. Owing to the fact of having changed mess halls we are a little behind, but never the less with the co-operation of our flat brush artist, John G. Brown, we hope to make our Thanksgiving Day Dance one of the best of the season. We ask the members of the organization for co-operation.

Recently our two hall room boys the (Bat) J. P. Morgan and the (Brute) R. R. Lee, paid Sugar Town, Ala., a flying visit in their newly painted Scripps-Booth.

One of our Old Timers and one time a pill roller in the Med. Corps is spending the rest of his 90 days furlough entertaining his friends in Columbus, Ga., giving an interesting line about his trip and the many places he visited while on leave. Come back, Moseley, and start on your three new ones.

Pvt. Dunn, better known as "Spare Parts," is back with us again after having returned from the Oil Fields of Oklahoma. After having spent four months on "French Leave" part of this time was spent on K. P. at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

The fishing season is about over which leaves Sgt. Dave Riggins the holder of the largest catch of the season.

One of our first huntsmen of the season, after awakening everbody in the married area, came back with one little pitiful squarrel. Wake up, Lott, and get instructions from your 1st Sergeant.

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## Medical Department Notes

The first reception and dance of the Non-Commissioned Officers Club was held on the night of October 17, 1922, in the Mess Hall of the Medical Department.

Among those present, in addition to the Non-Commissioned Officers of the hospital were, Lieut. Col. J. W. Van Dusen, Major and Mrs. Cooper, Captain and Mrs. J. R. Sands, Major Moulton and Major Parsons. The affair was further enhanced by the presence of the nurses, and friends from town.

The music was furnished by the 24th Infantry Band.

Refreshments consisted of coffee and sandwiches, ice cream and cake.

The dance terminated at 10:45, and every one on leaving remarked on the pleasant evening spent.

The Medical Department of the post is well represented at the National Convention of the American Legion which is being held at New Orleans, La., this week. Three Medical Officers namely—Captains Callahan, Chesser and Vadala, also three enlisted men—Staff Sergeant Lester, Sergeant Shirtzinger and Private McGuire.

The Misses Louise and Jewell Andrews, of Columbus, Ga., spent the week-end with Sergeant and Mrs. L. D. White.


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# General Paul B. Malone Is At Legion Convention

**FORT BENNING WELL REPRESENTED AT NEW ORLEANS WHERE GENERAL SPEAKS.**

Brig. General Paul B. Malone, Commanding General of Fort Benning in the absence of General Gordon, is in New Orleans at the time this article is written in attendance upon the American Legion Convention being held in the Queen City of the South. While in New Orleans General Malone will deliver one of the important addresses at the convention.

Much interest in the Convention has been aroused in Fort Benning and the city of Columbus and a large delegation from this vicinity are in attendance at the convention. A Tennis Team composed of officers of the Fort are representing the Harrison Post of Columbus in the Tennis Tournament, while on Saturday the Big Blue Team from the Infantry School will stack up against some red hot competition when they bump into Tulane.

While the writer might pose as a Prophet and the son of a Prophet, yet he would hesitate to pick the winner—this much is certain, if the Infantry plays the football it knows and has been taught by Major "Shrimp" Milburn, the Doughboys will bring home the bacon, but errors of omission and commission such as shown on Saturday will bring disaster to the Army.

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# Boxing Resumed At Fort With a Bang

**FIVE EXCELLENT BOUTS START OFF SEASON IN FINE STYLE.**

Monday night saw the resumption of boxing at Fort Benning and everybody who was present saw five most excellent fights. No one could fail to feel that they had had their money's worth for the management added one extra bout that was a ripper from start to finish. There was fierce fighting enough to please the most bloodthirsty and a fine lot of scientific boxing.

This is but the beginning of a season of excellent fights. It is not the purpose of the reporter to deal with the fights in detail. That will be handled by the athletic reporter but Friday evening will see the continuation of boxing when the Fort Championships are determined in a series of elimination bouts. The bouts Monday were but a curtain raiser for these bouts which will occur every few nights until the tournament is over.

All the followers of things fistic will have a week of most satisfactory entertainment for the men of the post are very much in earnest as the winner of the various classes will be the contestants from Fort Benning for the Corps Area Tournament that is to be held in Atlanta.

# New Post Hostess Arrives

**MISS CAROLINE V. ROE NOW IN CHARGE OF SERVICE CLUB No. 1.**

Miss Caroline V. Roe arrived at Fort Benning last Tuesday evening and has now assumed the management of Service Club No. 1.

For several months the Service Club has been without a War Department hostess but has been very ably managed by 1st Sergeant and Mrs. Ray Massengale, of the 83rd Field Artillery. Both Sgt. and Mrs. Massengale have made many friends while managing the Service Club and have not only improved the general appearance of the club but have also increased the attendance at the Wednesday evening dances to the point where the floor is ordinarily crowded.

Miss Roe has had a number of years' experience in work common to Post Hostesses. At one time she was engaged in welfare work in New York City but at the outbreak of the war she accepted a position with the War Department in connection with the welfare work being conducted in the Army at that time. She was stationed at Camp Merritt, New Jersey, and was hostess of the first service club in the Army for enlisted men. Miss Roe comes to Fort Benning from Fort McPherson, where she has been Post Hostess for some time.

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## 29th Infantry Notes.

**Correction.**

Through a typographical error the last sentence of paragraph 1 of General Winn's commendatory letter was made to read, "The demonstrations have been held without the 29th Infantry." In printing two words were omitted. The sentence as written by General Winn should read: "The demonstrations could not have been held without the 29th Infantry."

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The following letter is also of interest to members and friends of the 29th:

Treasurer's Office
CITY OF LAGRANGE, GEORGIA.
Sept. 14, 1922.

Gen. W. H. Gordon, Commandant,
The Infantry School,
Fort Benning, Ga.

My dear General Gordon:

In the absence of the Mayor, Mr. Dunson, I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 11th inst., addressed to him.

I think I can confidently speak for Mr. Dunson, as well as myself and all other citizens who came in contact with the officers and men of the battalion of the 29th Infantry during their short stay in LaGrange, in saying that it was a distinct pleasure to all of us to have had the battalion with us and to have had an opportunity of extending to them such welcome as our limited opportunities made possible.

The behavior of the men of the battalion while in LaGrange was entirely in line with the best traditions of the Army and Major Williams and his officers were as agreeable lot of gentlemen as we care to know.

We trust that it will not be a great while until we again have an opportunity of entertaining detachments of your command, at which time it is hoped that you will, in person, accompany them.

I will take pleasure in conveying to the gentlemen enumerated in your favor of above date, the sentiments of appreciation you express.

Cordially yours,
D. A. LEMAN,
Treasurer.

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## Artillery News Notes.

Nineteen men from the Coast Defenses of Pensacola, Fla., are to be transferred to the 83rd Field Artillery shortly. They will be given a hearty welcome by the battalion, which faces a heavy schedule shorthanded.

Lieut. Earl M. Peckinpaugh left yesterday with the Infantry School football team, for New Orleans, where Tulane University will be met tomorrow.

The battalion football team is practising daily for its next game, a week from Saturday, by which time, it is hoped, Sergeant Tertany, sterling linesman, now in the hospital, recovering from an injured knee, will be able to take part.

The polo team scored a clean cut and decisive victory over the Yellows last Sunday by a score of 13 to 4. The Yellows' score was made entirely by handicap, and they were at no time within scoring distance of the artillery goal.

Lieut. W. A. Beiderlinden, No. 2 for the artillery, broke two post records during the game when he scored eleven of his team's goals, counting five of them in one period, the second.

The polo team meets the 29th Infantry riders in the first game Sunday.

## Col. Campbell King Reports For Refresher

**MEMBER OF GENERAL STAFF HERE FOR SPECIAL COURSE IN SCHOOL.**

Col. Campbell King, Inf., General Staff, reported at Post Headquarters this week in compliance with War Department Orders and is to take the special course beginning November 1st. Col. King has been assigned quarters in Block 21 and is getting settled in preparation for a strenuous two months in the school.

Col. King is a graduate of the Cavalry and Infantry School, the General Staff School and the General Staff College and is now adding to this a special course in the Infantry School. The importance of the Infantry School is being recognized more and more as the graduates of the school go out into the regular work of the line.

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When the first sergeant told me that I was 'signed to the C. M. T. C. he kinda paid me a compliment. He said the Company Commander said I was to go down there an 'ncourage them student soldiers because if they seen that a guy like me was allowed to live in the regular army they wouldn't give up so quick trying to be soldiers. A lotta of them hard-boiled stiff sergeants and nordinary sargeants what always get the goldbrick jobs was buzzing around the headquarters and a lot of looies trying to kid somebody into thinking they didn't have to knock to get into the orderly room at there own companies. I stepped up to a desk and slooted a guy there, and he was kind of a fresh guy too. What the hel are you high-ballin' me for he says. If you must do it, there's a whole flock of generals and majors and things in the next room; gwan in there and work your arms like a pump handle. If I didn't see your collar ornaments I wouldn't have known your disgracing a perfectly good regiment; I'd thought you was a stoodent. I seen that same guy in a ford sedan once and I thought sure he was nooficer. I'd like to know how a guys goin' to tell em any more with stiff sergeants and master sergeants and even low down corporals riding around if they was somebuddy. Well i said to the guy that so fresh that Id come to report for duty to number 10 company. He says go ahead and let the Lord have pitty on you.

Anyways I found it. After i drew a lot of stuff more 'n I had up at the barracks the Sply-sergeant, only he was a corporal, he got sore at me and said you triple-platted dumbbell whyinhell didn't you say you wasnt a stoodent. Everybuddy down these seemed to think I was a C. M. T. C. and when they found out I wasnt they got sore at me. Taint my fault that I didnt look like some of them snotty guys that are always haing there snoots fixed up and there leggons just so and there hats on strait. When a guys naturally homely he's got to do them things; but there's others that dont have to do that to look right. I don't want to throw no bokays at myself but i never had to doll up to tract the attention of them girls up by the round house on pay day, they just seem to do a gnemun when they sees one without looking at his leggins an his suit like a Saturday inspection.

Anyhow the top kick down there, only he was a private first class, he said to me how long have you been in the army? I says two years and he says it takes a long time sometimes, but anyways, take that squad out on the area and tell them something about slootin.

So i got them C. M. T. C.s back of the latrine where it werent so hot and where we could sit down without having to jump up every two minutes for some guy that you couldnt tell whether he was nooficer or not, and I told them about slootin, i says the best way to tell is by what kind of car there in. Sloot everything but a ford touring car for only mostly top kicks have them. Motor sickles don't never have any officers in them except sometimes in the side car and then they going so damn fast that you can allus take a chance; and besides they usually have there minds on the hereafter in one of them things and don't pay no attention to salutes or things like that. Nuther good way to tell, I says is by there leggins only you got to look on both sides of the leggins because a lot of them artillery guys has got officers liggens on one side and they fool you and they always keep that side towards you. Then I told them to look out for cooks because some of them officers dress just like cooks all in white. Then I told them about the mistake I made in slootin a guy near our barracks the other night. I yelled tenson and a gave a snappy one and then found out it was only the top kick in his underwear coming from the bath house. There's a whole lot of things that an nold soldier like me can put them young stoodents hep to. Then I told them about hats. How the infutry officers were blue hat cords and how the artillery wears yellow and all them things that i learned when I was a recruit. Then I told them about bars and eagles and things like that. I says look out for the gold bar on a nofficers shoulder because that's the sign that he is a general; not just a mojor general but a brigadier general, like General Pershing. Some fresh guy said something about major generals being higher up than a brigadier and i shut him up mighty quick by asting him which was the highest brigadier or a battalion what a major has. He was a stoodent from Oklyhoma; them Oklyhoma guys is always fresh. I come from Arkansas myself and I can't stand them Oklahoma duds. You never can teach them nothing. Then I told them about be careful to sloot in churches and places like that that the D. E. M. L. or what ever that book is says so. Then I remembered bout some officers are kinda queer about it; and I told them bout another experience I had. We was having spection when we had a new Company Commander and he was asting me bout mu close and things and every time he ast me something I slooted as he sais to the top for Gods sake tie that mans hands.

We was getting along fine that wise guy that was supposed to be top kick come along up behind me and listened what i was saying and he said that'll be all for today; you men forget everything you've bin told and as for you he says you go into the kitchen and tell the mess sergeant that I want you to teach K. P. by actual demonstration. Some of these guys are always jelous minded.

THE TRAIL (2rd Division).

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**A BIT SKEPTICAL.**

Country Doctor (after using stethoscope on patient): "Well, I've located the seat of your trouble, William."

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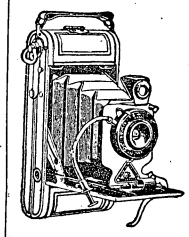
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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 7.**

**1907.**

March 18th, Co. E changed station from Whipple Barracks, Arizona, to Fort Douglas, Utah.

"The Regiment concentrated at Salt Lake City and on August 1st left by rail for San Francisco, California, arriving there on the 3rd, and on same day embarked on the U. S. A. T. Logan en route to the Philippines. Left San Francisco Aug. 5. Arrived at Honolulu Aug. 13. Sailed on the 14th. Arrived at Guam at 6 a. m., Aug. 27th and sailed at 4 p. m. Dropped anchor in Manila Bay at 11:15 p. m., September 1st."

"On Sept. 2nd the Regiment proceeded to Fort William McKinley, Rizal, and took station, arriving about 4 p. m., by River Boat."

Oct. 5th Companies A and B took temporary station at Cuartel de Espana, Manila.

"The entire Regiment was inspected by the Division Commander, Major General Leonard Wood, at Passay Beach, on Oct. 10. The garrison participated in a Brigade review before the Secretary of War, W. H. Taft, at the Post on Oct. 18."

Tours of four days field duty were held by Companies during the month of November.

Companies A and B returned from detached service at Cuartel de Espana in December.

During 1907 the following officers, many of whom are still on the active list, were assigned to and joined the Twenty-Ninth:

Majors Robert F. Ames and Henry D. Styer;

Captains Halsey E. Yates, Benjamin C. Morse and Ernest M. Reeve;

First Lieutenants William C. Stoll, Charles Keller, Allen L. Briggs and J. C. Waterman;

Second Lieutenants Jacob E. Fickel, George C. Keleher, Jere Baxter, Wiley E. Dawson, Harry H. Arnold and Ben F. Castle.

The strength of the Regiment on Dec. 31, 1907, was 45 officers and 808 enlisted men, total 853.

**NOTE—To former members of the 29th:**

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## Finance Detachment Notes

Sergeant Robert Kenney, of New Orleans, was a pleasant visitor to this office last Friday evening. It is hoped that Sergeant Kenney soon becomes a member of this detachment.

Private Tillerson says he was on the verge of starvation during his brief stay at Augusta Arsenal, which is evidenced by his enormous appetite now.

The Finance Department came very near to throwing a spell of heart failure the other day when it was thought that they would have to give up their happy home in building No. 52521, but the quick and efficient work of Major Gralund, who is ever mindful of his men, succeeded in preventing such a disastrous move.

Private Stokes (the human sphinx) surprised the whole detachment the other morning. He smiled and said good morning.

Sergeant Dobbie, the Hottentot Chief (Clerk) is gradually becoming accustomed to office routine after two months furlough — several friendly remarks having heard passed between him and Corporal Short.

Corporal White (the Tea Hound of the detachment) is very much at ease now that he has found a place where he can secure a hat and a pair of shoes large enough for his head and feet respectively. He stepped in a garbage can the other day and unconsciously walked off with it, thinking he had found a shoe.

Corporal Purvis, our new abstract clerk, says the boys are always playing jokes on him—they are continually moving the keys on the typewriter in order to make it hard for him to find them.

Zabe Ayers, our big cashier, is now official chauffeur for Private Banda. If Zabe continues he should soon be able to drive a Ford.

The newly oiled floor of the Finance Barracks has served two good purposes, namely: Keeping down the dust and forcing bimonthly baths on Master Private Cliett—our speedy mail orderly.

Verna Peoria Clarise Vera Marguarite Miller claims that old age does not cause her grouches—maybe it's the Dam-p weather, eh! Verna.

After doing his stuff before the crowned heads of Europe and the bone heads of America, Sergeant Bennett says it is all wrong in doing his stuff before an Underwood.

Another conversation with Hipocket Ayer's carrying the main points as usual, seemed to show evidence that $1.00 was lost through an error of some Corporal.

It is believed that with a few more years' practice and with the purchase of a few more I. C. S. books, Banda will soon be able to speak the English language.

Private Stokes took a hilarious pleasure trip the other day—took a lunch and went out to the cemetery for the day.

On Tuesday, October 17th, 1922, about 1:00 p. m., Private Friedenthal of the Finance Detachment complained of having a severe pain in the abdomen. Upon further investigation it was found that Friedenthal's dinner consisted of the following:

11 Frankfurters
1 lb. spuds
3 plates cabbage
1 plate English peas
1 loaf bread
1 plate corn
1-2 gallon coffee
1 lb. sugar
1 quart sweet milk
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# 24th's Dusky Warriors Triumph Again

**Morris Brown College, of Atlanta Goes Down in Defeat Before the 24th Infantry**

Saturday afternoon saw the 24th Infantry add another scalp to its string of trophies. The victorious record of the base ball team is being duplicated by the foot ball team. The luckless outfit that stacked up against the 24th this week was the team representing Morris Brown College, of Atlanta, and tho the collegians brought down a big squad who had vivid recollections of a victory of the previous season, their hopes and expectations were all dissipated in the first few moments of play.

The play soon moved over into the college front yard and after six minutes of play the ball was shoved over the college line for a touchdown on a long end run by Freelan. The rejoicing was soon stilled as the officials had seen one of the 24th's backs in the act of tripping and as a result a heavy penalty carried the ball well back and the touchdown was lost.

In this march down the field the fighting spirit of both teams was in evidence and Sgt. Herrod, plunging back, was carried from the grid with a cracked skull and a Morris Brown end was out with a couple of missing teeth. The tackling was fierce and the college especially shone when it came to hitting them about the shoe tops and bringing them down with a crash. No less than a dozen players had to be replaced due to the fierceness of the play.

The 24th Infantry was not to be denied, and after surrendering the ball on downs Green intercepted a forward pass and raced down the field for a touchdown. A place kick went bad and the score was six to nothing. Play was resumed and the half ended after the ball had been exchanged several times with the ball in the Infantry's possession on the college 15 yard line.

The second half opened with the College kicking off to the 24th and a march down the field began that saw Oliver carrying the ball two plays out of three, an off tackle play on the six yard line saw Hill go over untouched for a touchdown. The Morris Brown team elected to receive and the ball was soon in the hands of the Infantry. Here a long forward pass, Hill to Freelan, scored a touchdown before the College realized what had happened. Another pass scored the extra point and the score was 19 to 0.

At this point the 24th rushed in a lot of subs to give the men of the squad a chance to show their stuff and the Morris Brown team sent in a new man to the backfield who seemed to give the entire team fighting spirit. An apparently new team for the college rushed the ball down the field play after play with steady gains and at last bucked the ball over the line for their only score of the game. The attempt to score was blocked and the 24th Infantry received the ball on the kick off and started down the field. Time was called just as the 24th was in position to launch another offensive.

From every angle the game was a good one and one that was replete with good plays and exciting moments. The entire team deserves much credit for the way in which they delivered the goods and it looks as tho the 24th is off on a big season. To single out any one man and mark him as star is almost unfair to the other members of the team, but Oliver, a new man in the back field, was there in every play and could always be relied upon for distance.

Practice this week has been strenuous in preparation for the game with Alabama State Normal College on Saturday and a number of new faces will be in the line-up during some part of the game Saturday as a dozen of the best men from the balance of the regiment have reported for practice.

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## Q. M. C. News Briefs

Oh, Boy! Here is the Q. M. C. line for the News, hope we don't step on anybody's toes, but there are still plenty of shoes in Clothing Warehouse No. 3. If you don't believe us ask Sgt. Pitchford. He has a pair of 15 EE's that are to be issued to Speedy Gilliam as soon as he wears his 14 1-2 EE's out. Note: His feet get a size larger every year.

Private Leslie O. Taylor (Leslie O'Goof) came back from furlough the other day and he says the trip cost him a cool five hundred dollars ($500). Wonder what bank he held up?

Old man Andy Gump says, "Upon my being elected to Congress the first bill I will introduce is for steam heat to be put in all cemeteries and a gratuitous issue of rolling pins to women."

Gentlemen, there is a new arrival in the Detachment Automobile row in the shape of a Ford of the vintage of 1910 or earlier from all appearances. The proud possessor of this ancient chariot is our ex-mechanic, R. L. Edge. He is a good driver and can change gears as fast as the weather man can change his mind. His car is in excellent condition with the exception of a top, transmission gear bands and brake bands, but he is going to buy these in the 5 and 10 cent store, and then watch out, boys, your sweethearts will forsake you as soon as they see this latest model Ford on the streets.

Vukovic was recently given a try out at the Commissary in the delivery department, and was heard to say, "You check him in and I check him out."

Pvt. Miles N. Harris, one of the ex-Chinamen of the Detachment, recently decided to take one of the feminine species for "Better or for WORSE?" We are sorry to lose him in his favorite pastime of raising the ante a nickel but still wish him the best of luck in his fight and hope that all of his troubles will be little ones? ?

Friends of Private Upton wish him a speedy recovery from the effects of a broken arm through trying to twist the mule's tail. Excuse us, we meant the ancient Chevrolet that Speedy Gilliam is the proud possessor of. Serves you right, Red, you should have never gone away from Fort Benning unless you had Speedy along, as his ugly face is soothing syrup for all balky things, including Chevrolets.

Bracye and Johnson can be seen any night in a U-Drive-It and especially on Saturday nights. We would like to know when they are going to stop chasing the chickens? in a Ford.

Any nice young girl wishing the life long companionship of one of the most handsome young men in the Quartermaster Detachment who has for bad habits none except that he drinks, chews, cusses when he feels like it and likes to stay out nights, also has plenty of money every pay day after he gives the Detachment $27.50 of his $28.00 salary, please communicate with Private Marion Davis, Q. M. C. Detachment, Fort Benning, Georgia.

Nicknames are getting to be very popular in the Detachment. Here are a few of the most common: Web Foot, Scar Face, Leslie O'Goof, Little Edge, Big Edge, Saw Mill, Buzzard, Papa Davis, and Bob White.

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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

Some of our "Gentlemen who sell chips" seem to think they are fooling us when the " raise the pot" and "cut four bits" at the same time. If you don't believe this ask Red Austin, **he knows.**

We notice that Privates Robertson and McCrae have purchased themselves a pair of gloves. They must be using their hands a lot these days.

Private John F. Stine is visiting friends in Columbus. His return will probably be announced through these columns.

Wonder if "Spud" Murphy needs an assistant—if he does please let us suggest that Private Harry O. Pritikin be relieved from duty at Headquarters and detailed as assistant—his "orful" mug combined with that squirrel grin—helped out with the added attraction of "Spud's" cigars (or rather weeds) ought to keep anything from entering the Detachment door. Perhaps that will also help some of the boys to save their money as they won't draw so many canteen checks. Look out, A. & R. Fund, as that will cut down the sale of show tickets also.

Red Lawson, the famous truck driver, was taken to court in Americus last Saturday for wearing a false face in public.

Private Portman has just returned from Atlanta, where it is understood that some one in that city did not like the reckless movement of his feet. What did it cost you, Portman?

Private Hartley, the local home wrecker, will visit Columbus Sunday night with the intention of wrecking more homes. Whose is it this time?

Our esteemed Mr. Lloyd and another slum burner bought a Tin Lizzie. Guess the roads between Camp and Columbus will be kept warm now.

Private Harry Smith states that he is going to be married soon. We hope that it will last longer than his car.

If you don't know nothing and want to know som'pting and where it is—who owns it—what it's about—where he, she or it works—what there is to it—when you can get or see it—what it is like—is it any good—did it come from the bend in the river—and just anything you want to know, just call 59 and ask for Mack—if he "ain't" there, Rough Neck Higginbotham might be able to give you the desired "info."

## Weekly Dances At Service Club No. 1

**LARGE CROWD OF COLUMBUS GIRLS ATTEND.**

On last Wednesday evening one of the most attractive dances that has been given was held at Service Club No. 1.

Three machine gun busses brought a crowd of the young ladies of Columbus out and this crowd was further supplemented by the wives and daughters of the enlisted men at the Post.

Due to the fact that the 29th Infantry orchestra was in New Orleans for the American Legion Convention, music was furnished by a Columbus orchestra. This music was especially good.

Refreshments were served during the intermissions and the evening was very pleasantly spent by those who attended.

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Speaking of making new commands at the Infantry School, we have a new one on the school at that. A certain man in the company is the originator. Column left, forward, march, is only one of his many commands.

When it comes to handing out tips to the men who help pull a car out of a ditch, you have to hand it to Brooks. Ten dollars is only a small tip according to that individual, who hands out the ten bucks and says that is all the change he has and will be around later and make it right.

Are we going to make Sharpshooter? Ask Pvt. Scharle. He says, "If it wasn't for the rifle, there would be no trigger squeeze, if there was no trigger squeeze, there would be no bull's eyes, and if there were no bull's eyes, I wouldn't get three dollars more a month. But what is three dollars when you have to work so hard to get it?"

When out riding in a Ford, Pvt. Miller doesn't know whether he is riding in a chicken house or a Ford. At least he calls it a COOP.

Pvt. Williamson says, the harder you pull the trigger, the farther the bullet will go. In that case, Norman, you should send the bullet about fifteen miles.

When asked what business he was in on the outside, Cpl. Nelson said that he was a traveling salesman. Atta boy, Nelson, you're still taking orders.

How dry I am, how dry I am. Oh, where is the 9th street bridge, I want to get to Alabama. Will someone kindly show Cpl. Adams the way to Alabama, so he will keep quiet when he is in Columbus.

Pvt. Peters wants a furlough in November, to go to Philadelphia. Good luck, Peters, only we hope we can have the pleasure of meeting her when you get back.

If you want to see Mary's little lamb, come to the 1st Gas Regt. Pvt. Cockelreas will give you a good idea of what the lamb looked like. Everywhere the fellows go the lamb is sure to follow.

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

The galloping drum corps wishes to announce to their friends at large that they will draw their bicycles in the near future, so as to be able to keep pace with their own music. All others will draw mules.

We respeckfulle reqwest dat de parte claineing ownrship 2 dat fulo bluded supe hound dat haz bin c n hanging arond "B" Co.'s orederly rume wud use dat supe bone dat wuz boughten a fu das ago and use saim 2 gud adwantage & knot bother Bananas any mo, az he sez he iz gettin 2 b a short-timer & seein az he bys hiz own shuz dus knot care 2 ware them out on unoffishul busneze.

Cpl. Armstrong of Co. "A" has returned from furlough and he certainly looks famished.

Grantham, of Headquarters company, in the fights which were held on the night of October 16th, polished off Kid Earle, of Columbus. Earle must be given credit for being a plucky fighter, as he came back strongly after being floored for so many times. Earle's only chance to win was by a knockout, and it simply couldn't be done. Grantham is a coming fighter, the last bout being his second ring appearance in Benning. He claims that he will have all their scalps on his belt before he retires. Luck to you, boy.

Arrangements for the vaudeville show have been completed. The program will follow later. Those in charge give their assurance that it will be a real show.

Lieut. Jaynes is looking for the person who kicked the football through the windshield of his gasoline baby buggy.

The football team has been having secret practise during the past week. As to the success of this we will wait and see how they stack up against the Freebooters today, the 18th.

1st Lt. Jesse T. Harris, late of the 29th Infantry, has reported for duty with the Battalion and has been assigned to Co. "B."

Sgt. Squirrel, who claims to be a good swimming instructor, well versed in the art of putting on a life preserver, has started a correspondence school course. Claims that he can teach you to swim in three easy lessons by mail. No water necessary. You can learn in your squad room. Five minutes a day for a week will make you like a duck. Be a hero. Save a drowning girl. Don't go near water until you are an expert. Send five dollars for free booklet. Clip the coupon below. Don't delay. He will also teach you to dance, sing, talk in public, blow a bugle, beat a drum, drive a tank, ride horseback, be a pearl-diver, and write articles for the Fort Benning News at the same time and for the same price in your own squad room. This coupon means five dollars to you. Send five dollars, money order, cash or canteen checks, and get his ten-dollar free booklet.

Mason can be added to the list of those who spend their nights on Howard's busses and in parlors. One of those fellows who have a long life in a short space when the bug hits them. He claims his girl says she is getting a smart fellow. No one can be smart and be a husband at the same time. At any rate, three cheers for the poor fellow; he looks and sees not, eats and feeds not, listens and hears not, goes to bed and sleeps not. Two can live as cheaply as one provided the man is twice as cheap as the girl, and she wastes nothing but her life.

Kotter, of Co. "C," has been spending the last week around the mess hall door. He claims that he is getting in practise, as he is discharged on the 19th. It is claimed that he met with serious reverses at the chow house of the M. T. C. No. 100. A pancake griddle hurtled through the air at him, and as he dodged, a masculine face appeared and shouted at him, "Yo' niggahs stay away from my mess hall do', this am no free lunch countah." It's getting cold in Superior now, Dutchy.

Sgt. Maxham has been trying to cultivate a mustache. Evidently it was not a success, as it has been removed. From all appearances his better eighty per cent. must have made him get rid of it.

Did you ever hear Head, of "B" company, hand out the inside dope about the ward for the insane at the Post Hospital. Well, he knows the place from cellar to attic. He claims that all his information is based on actual personal experience. Of course, far be it from us to cast any reflections.

Boone, of "C" company, is the boy. He thought he was going to get away with it. Only for the fact that one of my detectives possesses almost super-human qualities when looking for real news we would have been unable to tell you about him. He is going to be married Saturday in Columbus. We offer our sincere congratulations to Boone and his bride-to-be, whose name we were unable to obtain. What's the use when she is going to change it anyway?

Good progress is being made with our play. Several members of the cast of "Up One Flight" held a rehearsal Saturday night on the original setting, in order to get the atmosphere. The latter was present, from all indications. This play is coming along nicely, although there were several interruptions by blundering members of the Knights of the M. P. (Don't misconstrue this for the English meaning.) No members of the cast were lost through these interruptions, so all is well. It is hoped that other secret and fraternal orders will not lose any of the people of the land through the mistakes of the misguided and ignorant Knights of the M. P.

Rumors are flying thick and fast about a certain young man; hair pins and everything are being found in his car. I will not say a word until I get the official notice as trouble might result. Is it true, Rudolph Valentino, or are you just joshing us?

Since publishing the rules last week articles are pouring in left and right. Everybody is trying. Co. "B" leads the rest. Keep it up. The contest gets harder each week. Write your story now. New Rules.

16. When writing in pencil, use only lead pencils.

17. Pencils must be sharpened. Articles written with broken pencils will not be accepted.

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## BOXING.

That the continuation of monthly boxing bouts at Fort Benning is welcomed by the personnel was evidenced last Monday night when a crowd of 1700 turned out for the bouts given that evening.

The first bout, a four round affair between two light heavyweights from the 24th Infantry, got the crowd on its toes and made them anxious for more. They were gratified when Pacioni from the tanks took on Barnett from Atlanta for six rounds. Pacioni had not trained for this fight and did not give the best exhibition of which he was capable because of lack of condition, but even at that he made Barnett extend himself and immediately after the bout challenged him for an eight round bout in November. It is probable that this will be staged next month as Barnett accepted the bout later.

Sebukaty, on account of having been injured in the Infantry-Tennessee football game, was not in shape to meet Dundee, as scheduled, but challenegd the latter to a bout for ten rounds next month. Dundee accepted and fight fans have a treat in store for them when these two meet. Pomrantz substituted for Sebukaty and, notwithstanding the fact that he was outweighed and outclassed, he put up as game a fight as has been witnessed in a long time. Dundee won but he had to fight to do it.

The next fight kept the crowd on its toes, figuratively speaking, all the time . Grantham, the "dark horse" from the Tanks proved that he is no longer a dark horse in his eight round go with Earle from Columbus. In one of the rounds Grantham floored Earle a number of times and it looked then as if the game little Columbus fighter was going to have to take the full count. On the count of "nine" each time he was knocked down, however, Earle came back for more and later in the fight succeeded in giving rGantham a black eye. Grantham had Earle outclassed and won easly.

In the man go of the evening Twyman showed his admirers that he is still the unbeaten man in his class. He and burns of Atlanta mixed it for ten rounds and, as somebody expressed it, both men hit each other with everything but the arena posts. This bout was full of action from start to finish. Burns turned the moral support of the crowd to Twyman when he refused to shake hands with Twyman after the latter had accidentally delivered a questionable blow. Incidentally this action on the part of Burns seemed to peeve Twyman somewhat because he had Burns holding on after the incident. Twyman won.

Taken as a whole the evening was a success and but a forerunner of similar future evenings.

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The Fort Benning Boxing Tournament starts as The News goes to press and for this reason the results of the first night's bouts cannot be published until next week.

The following bouts are scheduled for Friday night:

Pvt. Lee Pomerantz, Hq. Co., 29th Inf., vs. Pvt. Thomas Maddox, 83rd Artillery.

Pvt. Ernest Akers, Hq. Co., 29th Inf., vs. Pvt. Forrest Dill, I. S. D.

Sgt. H. M. Hatfield, 15th Tanks, vs. Pvt. Thomas C. Erdos, 83rd Artillery.

Cpl. Joseph Mack, 15th Tanks, vs. Pvt. Eugene Moore, Co. C, 29th Inf.

Pvt. William McKay, 83rd Artillery, vs. Pvt. Peter Lupice, Co. F, 29th Inf.

Pvt. George Schafer, 15th Tanks, vs. Cpl. Jessie Timmons, 7th Engineers.

Pvt. Frank LeBlanc, 15th Tanks, vs. Pvt. H. G. Hunt, 83rd Artillery.

Pvt. Joe Alonzo, Co. C, 29th Inf., vs. Pvt. J. W. Helms, Co. F, 29th Inf.

On monday night, the 23rd, the following boxers will fight:

Sgt. Frank Sebukaty, I. S. D., vs. Pvt. Herman Neah, Hq. Co., 29th Inf.

Pvt. Jack Pacioni, 15th Tanks, vs. Pvt. Gabriel Otalvaro, Co. F, 29th Inf.

Cpl. C. Mizwa, vs. Pvt. William H. Branner.

Pvt. B. E. Grantham, 15th Tanks, vs. Pvt. James T. Reilley, Co. D, 29th Inf.

Pvt. Arnold Justice, Co. F, 29th Inf., vs. Pvt. John Head, 15th Tanks.

Pvt. William Keenan, Co. D, 29th Inf., vs. Pvt. William F. Twyman, I. S. D.

Some familiar names and a number of unfamiliar names appear among the above. There will be times in various bouts when the present champion will be hard pressed to retain his title for another year and—alas—there may be a time when the present champion will lose to some newcomer who proves himself the better man.

There will be eight bouts for the first evening and six for the second. All fights are preliminary bouts for the purpose of elimination and will be for but four rounds of two minutes each.

There will be no admission charges as no purses are given and the incidental expenses of the bouts will be borne by the Athletic and Recreation Office. The bouts begin at 7:15 p. m. and will be held at the new arena near Service Club No. 1.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## FOOTBALL

The "Terrible Tanks" opened their football season yesterday afternoon at the Service Club Athletic Field, Fort Benning, by trouncing the special units aggregation of the 29th Infantry, known as the "Freebooters," by the impressive score of 76 to 0. It was not even a good practice game for the "Tanks" as their opposition knew little of the fundamentals of the game and lack aggressiveness.

The "Tanks" started scoring within two minutes after the opening whistle. Swantic kicked off. A few scrimmages and then Sharpe intercepted a "Freebooters" forward pass. Wooten then got the ball and ran 30 yards around left end for a touchdown. Paleas failed at the try for point. A few minutes later after Swantic had kicked off the "Freebooters" again had a forward pass intercepted by Wooten who ran for a touchdown. Paleas kicked goal. Swantic again kicked off for the "Tanks" and the "Freebooters" fumbled on "Tank" 40 yard line. A "Tank" man fell on the ball. On the first play Paleas ran around right end 60 yards for a touchdown. He failed at goal.

With the score 26 to 0 the supporters of the "Freebooters" called on them to halt the slaughter. It was of no avail as Swantic kicked off and the "Tanks" recovering the ball on their own 30 yard line Sullivan on a triple pass ran 70 yards for a touchdown. It was the feature play of the game. Paleas kicked goal.

A few minutes later the "Tanks" coming within the shadows of their own goal posts, Paleas dropped back to the 20 yard line and made a beautiful drop kick. The score was now 36 to 0.

The first half ended after Sharpe had dashed 65 yards around the left end of the "Freebooters" for a touchdown. Paleas failed at goal.

In the second half the second string men of the "Tanks" who had been in the game since the beginning of the second quarter, continued playing. Swantic was the only regular in the line-up. Swantic was kept in there for his kicking ability. The second half opened with the "Free-booters" showing stiffer resistance. However, Swantic penetrated their defense for another touchdown and Paleas kicked goal. Another touchdown came a few minutes later when Sharpe intercepted a forward pass and ran 50 yards for a marker. Paleas failed at goal. As soon as the "Tanks" got the ball again Sharpe threw a long forward pass to Paleas, who ran 40 yards for a touchdown. Paleas kicked goal.

For the next score the "Tanks" employed two spectacular forward passes and 20 yard end run by Sharpe. Paleas failed at goal. Sharpe scored another touchdown a few minutes later on a long end run and Paleas failed at goal.

Then came the prize play of the season. Swantic kicked off and a "Freebooters" man called for a fair catch on his own 15 yard line. The "Tanks" soon got the ball and Mabry intercepting a forward pass ran 30 yards for a touchdown. Paleas kicked goal. The final score was 76 to 0.

The "Freebooters" made three or four successful forward passes but never threatened to score. They held the "Tanks" once for downs.

A large crowd was present and Major John Leonard, the Commanding Officer of the 15th Tank Battalion, had his entire unit out to cheer his team. The "Tanks" had some assembly yells and attracted attention by the spirit in which they supported their players.

As the First Battalion, 29th Infantry football team, the Post Champions of last year, only defeated the "Freebooters" by the score of 15 to 0 about three weeks ago, it behooves the "champs" to be wary.

The next game scheduled is next Wednesday when the 1st Battalion 29th Infantry and the 2nd Battalion 29th Infantry get together. The feathers will fly in this battle as there is just as much spirited rivalry between the battalions in the 29th as between the "Tanks" and the 1st Battalion.

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Infantry School is going to have to fight hard to defeat Tulane this afternoon. In 1920 no southern team crossed Tulane's goal line and in 1921 Auburn was the only southern team to defeat the Crescent City aggregation.

Even though Tulane has a strong, fast team it will not be any walkaway for her because the Infantry has something of a team also and when the final whistle has sounded the Doughboy team will have given the Tulane team the impression that there has been a football game played.

## POLO.

Last Sunday afternoon witnessed the downfall of the cocky Blue team. This team conceded a two-goal handicap to the strong 29th Infantry team and as a result the final score was 7 to 2 in favor of the latter team. Poor team work throughout on the part of the Blues with the good organization and stick work of the 29th Infantry team combined to bring about the final score. French of the Blue team was badly off his stroke while McKinney, ordinarily a star performer, failed to deliver a tally on account of lack of practice. Neither Weems nor Legge played with their usual form and the substitution of Elkins for French at No. 2, with French relieving Legge at No. 3 did not appear to help matters. The 29th Infantry team "rode circles" around the Blues and outplayed the latter in every phase of the game.

In the second game the Artillery gave the Yellow team a handicap of four goals and ran up the result of 12 to 4, favor of the Artillery team. The Yellow team is more or less still in the process of organization and, while it is weak yet on both teamwork and hitting, when the big tournament starts this team will give a good account of itself.

In the game Sunday Beiderlinden was the star of the occasion. Time after time he took the ball down the field on a dead run and shot it between the goals. McCarthy ably seconded Beiderlinden and the Artillery team as a whole played polo as it should be played.

Next Sunday the games will be as follows:

29th Infantry vs. 83rd Artillery.

Blues vs. Yellows.

## TENNIS.

Owing to the heavy rains of the early part of the week the Singles Tennis Championship tournament of Fort Benning scheduled to have begun Wednesday afternoon on the reservation courts was postponed until Saturday afternoon. In the meanwhile the Tennis Committee of Fort Benning is feverishly working to get the courts in shape to play the tourney.

Four of the outstanding tennis stars of the reservation are at New Orleans participating in the American Legion championships. They are Captains R. C. Van Vliet, Major Tom D. Finley, Captain John S. Switzer, and Captain Kenneth S. Whittemore. This quartet is expected to return in time to play next Wednesday.

While many of the tennis sharks at Fort Benning are predicting that the singles championship will be won by one of the above named officers there are many others who believe that a dark horse in the shape of "Al" Perwein of the 29th Infantry will be in the finals. Perwein has always been a runner-up in the tourneys at Fort Benning and this fall he is in great form and is expected to win out.

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## Sanitary Dept. News Notes

(a) The drinking of water from any source other than the Post water mains is prohibited by Post Orders. There are several sound reasons for these orders. The popular idea that spring water is pure because it is clear as crystal and cool, is absolutely wrong. Water may be clear and still be loaded with impurities. All of the well known springs about the Post have been examined and found impure and positively dangerous to use. Many of these have been posted. The artesian well at the Experimental range is an exception to this rule.

In spite of this persons are seen drinking from the following springs, which are known to be impure:

(a) Spring across from Fussell Dairy, at Lumber Yard No. 2.

(b) Various springs in Swimming Pool Ravine.

(c) Spring north of the M. T. C. (End of 9th Street.)

(d) Spring north of the 29th Infantry corral.

That few bad results have followed this dangerous practice is because the amount of impurities actually swallowed has not been enough to overcome the resistance of the body. This resistance is made much greater by the typhoid vaccine. Naturally those not so protected by the vaccine (women and children) are taking even greater chances than the soldiers in drinking from the unauthorized sources.

The Post water supply is carefully and painstakingly prepared so as to be perfectly safe for drinking purposes. It would be of interest to visit the filter plant and pumping station. The gross impurities are first allowed to settle, then the water is filtered through sand and gravel, lastly, chlorine is added so as to render assurance doubly sure. Every week the water is tested in the laboratory, the sample being taken from a tap.

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## Signal Corps News Items

Capt. Jay D. B. Lattin, Signal Corps, having reported to this station from Camp Vail, New Jersey, he has been assigned as Post Signal Officer.

At last the telephone communication system on the Forrest Preserve is completed, camp has been broken and the men returned to their duties within the post. All three towers are now connected with the Post switchboard.

The Signal Corps had been expecting a carload shipment of material for the target range communication system. Last week this office was notified that a carload of material consigned to the Post Signal Officer was enroute to Fort Benning, and instructions were requested as to where the car should be spotted. The necessary instructions as to spotting the car were communicated. The wires were kept hot for some time in obtaining a detail of men, necessary trucks, etc., to unload the material. Everything was in readiness to commence construction immediately upon the arrival of material. But, sad to relate, when the car arrived it was found to contain macaroni. It is admitted that for the past few school terms the target range communication system has been improvised with field wire, out post wire, G. I. wire and various other articles too numerous, but, as it could not be decided upon as to what use the macaroni would be put to on the target range, the Signal Officer decided not to try to use the material. Well, to make a long story short, the target range communication system is still waiting material.

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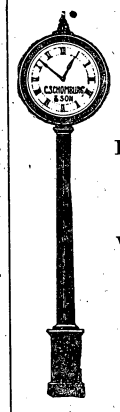

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

Chaplain Alexander W. Thomas arrived with the 24th Infantry and is on duty with the Regiment.

The hour for Jewish services has been changed to 3 p. m. on Sunday.

Chaplain Robb White is now located as rector of St. Thomas' Church, Thomasville, Ga.

## NURSES ACT AS HOSTESSES TO CAMP

### VERY PRETTY DANCE AT OFFICER'S HOP ROOM WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Wednesday evening the Officers' Hop Room was the scene of a most delightful party when the members of the Army Nurse Corps stationed at Fort Benning entertained the Officers of the post and their friends.

The hall was most tastily decorated in Hallowe'en colors combined with autumn leaves and the orchestra of the 24th Infantry was placed behind a rising moon with rays of orange and black making a most pleasing effect. Many who have been long at Benning were unanimous in saying that the hall looked the best ever. A whispered word was that Captain G. J. Braun had aided the nurses in the matter of decoration.

Promptly at 8:30 the guests were conducted to the receiving line and were welcomed by General and Mrs. Paul B. Malone, Lt. Col. Van Dusen, Miss Maude Bowman, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Hansel, Major and Mrs. Cooper, and Lt. Weidemeyer. The dancing at once was in full swing and many joined in the festivities of the occasion.

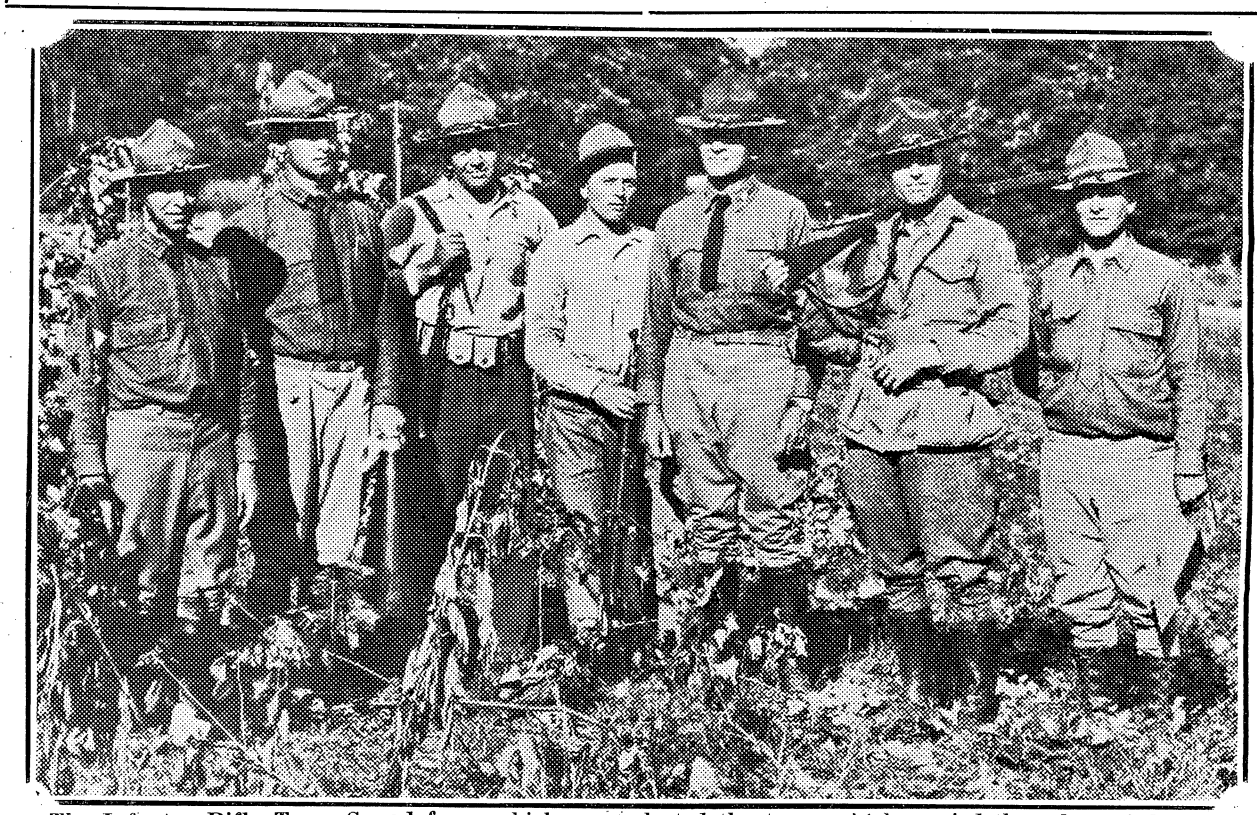
Chow call was sounded at 10:15 p. m. and the old army mess line was at once in full swing. Delightful refreshments of coffee and sandwiches were served with Miss Kingsley and Miss Michener pouring. Fruit punch was served throughout the evening. After a brief intermission dancing was resumed until Home Sweet Home sounded at 11:45 when all departed after expressing their thanks to the young ladies for a very pleasant evening.

The committee who had the dance in charge are to the congratulated on the great success of the evening for every one went away voicing their praise of dance, music, refreshments, punch, and last, but by no means least, the hostesses of the evening.

Question—"Where is the Frigid Zone?"

Buck's answer—"Just inside the orderlie room door when you brace the Captain for three-day pass around pay day.

## THE INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM SQUAD



**The Infantry Rifle Team Squad from which was selected the team which carried the colors of the Blue and White in the National Matches at Camp Perry this year. Our representatives won more individual and team matches than did those of other Services and were defeated for first place in the National Team Match by a margin of but ten points.**

Officers on duty with the Infantry Team at the tryouts at Fort Niagara this summer availed themselves of every opportunity to be of assistance to the units of the N. Y. National Guard which were in training there. The two-and problem, on which the Infantry Match of the National Matches is based, was staged for instruction of the officers and men of the guard. Above is a picture of those who handled the problem both from the firing point and in the pits and who made the run for the record of a perfect score.

## BETTER PICUTRES PROMISED FOR FORT BENNING

### REPRESENTATIVE FROM WAR DEPARTMENT VISITS POST.

One of the chief causes for complaint on the part of patrons at the nightly motion picture shows at Fort Benning, to-wit, the poor subjects and the poorer condition of the films, is going to be remedied at once, judging from the statements made by a representative of the War Department who visited Fort Benning during the past week.

The primary purpose of this visit was to investigate the repeated complaints on the part of the theater management in connection with the poor quality of pictures being furnished by the various film exchanges and, after having gone into the matter thoroughly, Mr. James J. Bayard stated to a representative of the News that not only would the subjects furnished be decidedly improved but the films sent to Fort Benning would be in first class physical condition.

To give an idea of what we may expect for the month of November, the following list was furnished the theater management:

Nov. 5—Turn to the Right; Torchy's Frame-Up.
Nov. 6—Fightin' Mad; Mutt and Jeff; Fox News.
Nov. 7—Bits of Life; Supply and Demand.
Nov. 8—Spanish Jade; The Leather Pushers (Round 1).
Nov. 9—Man to Man; Fox News.
Nov. 10—Burn 'Em Up Barnes; Pathe Review; Rolin Comedy.
Nov. 11—Gilded Cage; Say Uncle!
Nov. 12—Orphans of the Storm; Duck Hunter.
Nov. 13—The Black Bag; Mutt and Jeff; Fox News.
Nov. 14—The Lotus Eater; The Vagrant.
Nov. 15—The Man From Home; The Leather Pushers (Round 2).
Nov. 16—Jackie; Custard Nine.
Nov. 17—Me and My Gal; Pathe Review; Rolin Comedy.
Nov. 18—The Young Diana; Nothing Like It.
Nov. 19—Cardigan; The Cop.
Nov. 20—Sherlock Brown; Mutt and Jeff; Fox News.
Nov. 21—Polly of the Follies; Our Gang.
Nov. 22—South of Suva; The Leather Pushers (Round 3).
Nov. 23—Out of the Dust; Fox News.
Nov. 24—Her Night of Nights; Pathe Review; Rolin Comedy.
Nov. 25—Sisters; Love and Doughnuts.
Nov. 26—The Dictator; "I Do."
Nov. 27—Trimmed; Mutt and Jeff; Fox News.
Nov. 28—Peck's Bad Boy; Honor of Ramiriz.
Nov. 29—Good Provider; The Leather Pushers (Round 4).
Nov. 30—Trooper O'Neill; Fox News; Wild and Willy.

Further information on each of these pictures will be published in detail in the columns of the News each week. Some of the subjects are practically unknown, but with such pictures as "Turn To the Right," "Orphans of the Storm," "The Man From Home," "Polly of the Follies," and "Peck's Bad Boy," the program for November is certain to be a success.

# Social Notes

**Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.**
Post Phone 192.

The Army Bridge Club of Fort Benning, called for convenience the Fort Benning Bridge Club, met about two weeks ago to elect officers and enroll members.

Mrs. Malone, wife of General Paul B. Malone, presided and expressed in words the deep regret of all present that Mrs. Gordon, wife of General Walter B. Gordon, was unable to be present due to the prolonged illness of Mrs. Gordon. Due to this illness it was felt that Mrs. Gordon would not feel able to be the active head of the club, and for this reason Mrs. Gordon was named honorary President.

The officers of the club were elected as follows, after Mrs. Malone had expressed a desire not to be the active President:

President, Mrs. McCaskey, wife of Col. W. B. McCaskey, G-1.

Vice-President, Mrs. Anding, wife of Col. Sheldon W. Anding, of the Field Officer's Class.

Sec'y-Treasurer, Mrs. Walker, wife of Major Fred L. Walker, instructor in the Infantry School.

On last Thursday afternoon the club had a very pleasant meeting, about one hundred ladies playing. The hostesses for the day were Mrs. Garrison, Mrs. Anding, Mrs. McCaskey, and Mrs. Walker.

The next meeting will be a week from next Thursday. Playing begins at 2:00 and stops at 4:00. Tea will be served from 4:00 to 4:30.

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A Children's Hallowe'en Party will be held at the Officer's Hop Room, Fort Benning, on Tuesday afternoon, October 31st, from 3:00 until 5:00 o'clock.

The cost of admission will be ten cents and the proceeds will be devoted to the purpose of buying equipment for the Fort Benning Grammar School.

This affair is going to be delightful for the children and the grown up as well. There will be a great deal to see and do and plenty of good things to eat. There is going to be fine home-made candies and a real fish pond with snatch bags and everything.

Tickets have been placed on sale at the Post Commissary, Post Exchange, Service Club No. 1, Officer's Club, Biglerville Mess, and in Columbus at the office of the Howard Taxi & Bus Co., Joe Brown's, The Cozy Tea Room, and Wheat's.

The Howard Bus line has made a special rate of 25 cents for the round trip to ticket holders living in the city. Special busses will leave the Howard transfer station at 2:15 and 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

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The Army Bridge Club of Columbus met last Thursday afternoon at Joe Brown's Tea Room for play. About fifty ladies were present. The hostesses were Mrs. J. D. Pomerene, Mrs. Lloyd Cook, and Mrs. J. A. Andrews.

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On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. John C. Raaon and Mrs. Edward H. Connor entertained about fifty ladies at the Officer's Hop Room, Fort Benning.

The decorations were suggestive of Hallowe'en and consisted of chrysanthemums, dahlias and zinnias, which were displayed with artistic effect. Place cards were yellow, carrying out the Hallowe'en idea.

After the games a delicious course of salad, sandwiches, nuts, and teas was served.

The first prize, a Madiera handkerchief, was won by Mrs. John S. Moore, the second prize, an attractive guest towel, was won by Mrs. Troy Middleton, and the consolation, a set of candles, was cut by Mrs. James M. Graham.

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On last Tuesday afternoon the Ninth Infantry Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. L. H. Rhoads at her home on Britt Drive in Columbus.

An attractive luncheon preceeded the game. High score was made by Mrs. Paul W. Mapes.

Among those present were Mrs. Lippincott, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Valverde, Mrs. Finley, Mrs. Lugton, Mrs. Caulkins, and Mrs. Foley.

The next hostess will be Mrs. Jesse R. Lippincott.

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## LADIES EQUITATION CLASS STARTS IN NOVEMBER.

The ladies equitation class for the wives and daughters of officers at Fort Benning and in Columbus will start Monday, November 6th. There will be two classes, one of which will be held on Tuesdays and Fridays of each week and one which will be held on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays.

The classes will meet from 9:15 to 10:15 in the mornings at the Infantry School corral near the west end of the Post. Ladies desiring to join classes should notify promptly the Chief of Second Section, Department of General Subjects, Infantry School, giving the name, rank, and duties of their respective fathers, husbands—or sweethearts. No entry may be made where the age is less than sixteen. In making application for enrollment it should be stated what classes the lady desires to join.

## MUCH NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN BLOCK 23.

**New Porches Completed and With Painting, Etc., Make Improved Appearance.**

The much needed improvements in Block 23 are nearing completion and with the application of the final coat of paint the block presents a much improved appearance. The alterations are greatly needed and add much to the livability of these quarters. All who live there appreciate this new arrangement greatly. While at times it has been inconvenient in every way to have painters and carpenters under foot and has been trying to ones patience, yet now that the work is almost finished the added room is so greatly appreciated that no one objects to the discomforts suffered.

The new quarters are beginning to look like they might be completed before many more weeks and the Camp Quartermaster states that everything is all but ready for the start on the large group of quarters that was provided for in the last appropriation. The big holdup in connection with this building project is the wait for the return of the approved plans from Washington.


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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 5.)

**Company "A."**

On the evening of July 19th, Company "A" marched through Nayemont-les-Fosse, turned sharply to the left and pitched tents in a pine grove, where the company remained for several weeks. After a rest of several days the work of digging dugouts, repairing roads and camouflage began. On the evening of the 29th of July a detachment under Lieuts. Winnia and Moynihan penetrated the enemy lines and cleared old trenches of barbwire. Although no enemy patrols were encountered, the men felt a certain thrill of delight, as they knew they were on forbidden ground.

The chief work of the company now consisted in the construction of bomb proofs and strong points. This work was done in conjunction with the 6th Infantry in the front line trenches. Here the men became accustomed to the sound of gas horns and occasional artillery duels.

Considerable excitement was caused one night when an enemy patrol was discovered in "No Man's Land" and a miniature Marne was staged on Herman-pere mountain. That same night a detail sent with dynamite to destroy an enemy "pill box" met a Boche patrol, and after a short engagement in which hand grenades and machine gun bullets were poignant factors, the enemy was forced to retire.

On the morning of August 17th, during the capture of Frapelle, Company "A" received its first baptism in real war. Frapelle was the village in the enemy's lines on the northern edge of the Fave valley, the enemy lines here forming a salient in ours. The 33rd French Corps, pursuant to instructions from the 7th French Army, ordered the capture of Frapelle and of Hill 451 with a mission of holding the position and closing the valley of the Fave to the enemy. The attack was made by the 3rd Battalion of the 6th Infantry with its attached machine gun company, one-pounder and Stokes Mortar sections, three platoons of Company "A" 7th Engineers, and the 13th Machine Gun Battalion. The attack was supported by the artillery of the 5th Division and the French Artillery in the sector, with a preparatory and destructive fire lasting ten minutes, and followed by a rolling barage. The artillery cut three passages thru the enemy wire and at four o'clock in the morning the men went over the top, thru fierce enemy counter barrage. This attack was a severe test for unseasoned troops, but the Engineers, many of them carrying twenty pounds of cheddite, played the game like veterans and at seven-thirty reached the objective. The front was advanced one kilometer on a front of two kilometers and a dangerous salient eliminated.

Although Company "A" suffered almost 20 percent casualties during this attack, they continued their work of destroying the enemy shelters and mopping up dugouts. The total casualties of the company were three killed and twenty wounded, two of whom died later.

Although this operation was a very small one, compared with what the regiment later went through, for intensity and concentration of fire, it was never equalled in either the St. Mihiel or Meuse-Argonne offensive.

Private 1st Class Chas. T. Sampson was the first man of the 7th Engineers killed in action. He was killed by shrapnel just as he climbed out of the trench.

Chas. E. Germain was killed while returning with his platoon from the captured town of Frapelle.

Guiseppe Abernalle was severely wounded during the early part of the engagement by a shell, and died before first aid treatment could be applied.

Carl J. Boyer, formerly librarian at Leavenworth, was twice wounded by rifle bullets and died on the following day.

Herbert I. Wilson was struck in the spine by a piece of shrapnel and died two days later.

Those severely wounded were Corporal Edward Paulin, Private 1st Class Cecil C. Chapman, Alvin C. Eaton, Edward M. Abercrombie, Privates John J. Ney and Clayton J. Lane.

Master Engineer Chas. J. Laird, Sergeant Jos. A. Daley and Corporal Lionel Raboin were slightly wounded.

The Frapelle engagement marked the only change to this front in three years. That it disturbed the German High Command was evidenced by the German official communique of August 18th, as follows:

"Army Group of Duke Albrecht. —In the Vosges our advanced posts along the Fave, as far as Frapelle, withdrew according to order under a hostile local attack."

In his official report covering the operation, Brigadier-General Walter Gordon, commanding the 10th Brigade commended the 7th Engineers very highly for the part they played in the engagement.

**Company "B."**

During the period that the 7th Engineers were in the St. Die sector, Company "B" was stationed at St. Marguerite. Details were sent out on various work, some constructing shelters in the front line, others on dugout work, in the second position. Three saw mills were operated continuously by details under charge of Sergeant Vivian A. Whitehead, Corporal Carl L. Gibson and Private 1st Class Grandin E. Drake. The power dam at Le Bihay had been washed out the previous fall and a new dam was constructed on the site of the old one. The entire company was at one time at Le Bihay constructing Ribard wire and while on this established a record on wire construction which was never equaled in the A, E. F.

On the night of August 17th, four men from Company "B" took part with the three platoons of Company "A" in the attack on Frapelle, and during the five days following, the entire company assisted in organizing and wiring in the captured ground.

**Company "C"**

Company "C" was located on a wooded reverse slope near St. Jean d'Ormont. Here there were good shacks with bunks, and as there was plenty of water available this was an ideal camping ground. The work was mainly on the second resistance line, and consisted of constructing dugouts and machine gun emplacements, and putting up barbed wire entanglements. Work was done on about twenty dugouts. Compressed air for pneumatic tools was available in many cases, making good progress possible. In early August three small details were sent out on patrols with the 11th Infantry and on the nights of August 9th and 10th three parties went out to blow German wire in front of the company sector. About 8:00 p. m. on the 17th the Germans bombarded the camping area for fifteen minutes, and here Company "C" received its first casualties: Corporal Brandon and Saddler Riley were wounded and evacuated to a hospital.

**Company "D"**

Company "D" at Vallee des Ravines was engaged in work on the second line positions, which consisted of dugout construction, saw mill operation, details operating with divisional infantry patrols, and making reconnaissances and sketches of all trenches, machine gun emplacements, dugouts and bomb proofs. The company constructed six large dugouts in this sector, of logs, rock and earth, with an overhead covering of twenty-seven feet. Two dugouts large enough to accommodate an entire company of infantry were started and completed; each dugout was blasted from solid rock and had three separate entrances.

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THE THEATRES at Fort Benning for some time past have not been giving the service they should have given to patrons. There have been two reasons for this. The first is that the theater management has no control over the type of pictures being sent to this station, and the second is the poor facilities with which the management is equipped with which to exhibit good shows.

Both of these handicaps are expected to be removed in the not far distant future. Better pictures have already been promised and the list of shows coming for November, given in another column, is promising. The matter of erecting a new theater is a matter which concerns the entire post. None of the building now being used for motion pictures are suitable for such exhibitions. The Post Theater is probably the least suitable of the three. This building is an old remodeled cow barn and its construction is such that it cannot be made attractive. The new theater must be completed with funds other than regular appropriations, and with this in mind it behooves the entire garrison to turn out in numbers to the present theaters and thereby, by the increased attendance, help to make available funds with which to carry on the work of the new theater. Fort Benning is now participating in a share of the profits from the theaters and the amounts received monthly depend entirely upon just what attendance the theaters have nightly. The quotation, "The Lord helps those who help themselves," may be said to apply in this instance and the officers of the garrison, especially, are urged by the theater management to get behind the movement for a nightly average attendance of 1400 and put the idea across. The monthly income to be derived from this attendance is approximately $1,000.00, and this amount of money each month would soon make the new theater a reality rather than a project.

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THE DRAMATIC CLUB, the Calisthenics Club, the Equitation Class, and the Bridge Club should give the ladies of the post sufficient facilities for exercise, both mental and physical. Possibly one of the clubs looked upon with greatest suspicion by the married element—or, we should say, the male married element—of the post is the Calisthenics Club. By saying this it is not intended to cast aspersions on this club. But, from the chance remarks let fall from time to time by certain members, certain methods of defense and offense are taught behind closed doors, the ultimate design of which is problematical. In these progressive days when women's rights are so much in evidence there is no telling what will happen next. All married men are urged to take up polo, football, boxing, tennis, or some other violent form of exercise.

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THE CHILDREN'S Hallowe'en Party, which takes place the latter part of this month, should receive the support of every married couple in Fort Benning and Columbus. The proceeds from this little party are to be devoted to the needs—and there are many—of the Fort Benning Children's School. This school is at present entirely self-supporting to the extent that it is financed by the tuition paid by parents. This tuition is barely enough to provide for the salaries of competent teachers and such incidentals as books, tablets, and other school materials have to be provided from other sources. The Hallowe'en party is an effort to raise funds for this purpose. The bachelor officers, especially, are urged to buy tickets and attend the party. The maximum amount that can be spent will not be over two dollars, and beside having a good time with the kids, there will be enough fun, at ten cents a throw, to warrant the expenditure.

## Quartermaster Departmen News Notes

Anyone seeing a man with a small badge on their proud breast need not be scared as it is only the Fort Benning Fire Department. We have to put badges on them so that people will not mistake them when they are attempting to put out a fire.

Sgt. Wellman (our ex-Detachment Clerk) is still driving his Overland around although he has broken two springs and had the pleasure of exploring the inner parts of his wonder bus to see if he couldn't make two out of one. We are real glad he enjoys his car but at the rate he has been going we are scared he will need a new one every year or so. He has great aspirations since he became Purchasing Clerk as he now talks about getting a Willys-Knight in 1924. Good luck, old man, evidently you intend to stay your full 30 years.

Bill Siegmund is still talking about retiring from the Army, we think it is about time we were relieved from a few of his growls, but don't be scared as it has been proven that he is perfectly harmless.

The Detachment was very sorry to lose their past Detachment Commander, Capt. Freeman B. Daniel, who has resigned from the Army to pursue his practice of law in civilian life. Watch out, criminals.

Cpl. Maffett and Speedy Gilliam still have their hourly argument about who is the prettiest man in the Detachment. We all wish to remain neutral as we would hate to hurt anybody's feelings.

Cpl. Eadler is being given a week's rest from charge of quarters while Sgt. Wellman sees that all of the boys are properly tucked in bed every night, and we hope that Cpl. Eadler won't have to worry over these little things for at least another week. Somebody says that he just loves to do his charge of quarters. He is welcome to them as far as we are concerned.

From the looks of things Pvt. Minger must be planning to follow in our friend Harris's footsteps. He is getting to be a regular lounge lizard, or whatever term that class of animals is called at present.

We see that the commissary is expanding a good deal since they got our ex-baker, Pvt. Mattox, on the fruit stand. All they lack now is the peanut roaster.

The twins beg to be excused from the limelight this week as they are playing a championship pool game every night.

Pvt. Fred Willett, our mule skinner, can still be heard with his line of talk around the pool room any time from 4:30 p. m. to 9:30 p. m. Admission free to any of his entertainments.

We are still waiting for invitations to the wedding of Miss Reade. Guess it will be about 1924 before we get them.

By ORRIS E. EDGE.

## TWENTY-NINTH INFANTRY NEWS.

BORN.—To Lieutenant and Mrs. A. E. Fogelberg, Oct. 19, a son, Arvid Edward, Jr.

Lieutenant F. H. A. McKeon and family returned on Sunday from leave spent very pleasantly with relatives in Brooklyn.

Our Band accompanied the delegates from this vicinity to the American Legion Convention in New Orleans. The men are most enthusiastic over their reception at the convention and by the people of the city and as is usual with such a fine upstanding bunch of men, when they left for home there was much weeping and wailing. The regimental post office force is said to be working overtime because of the large increase of daily written and perfumed letters arriving from New Orleans.


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**October 29th.**

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**October 30th.**

Without Fear, 5 reel feature (Pearl White). The Far North, 1 reel comedy (Mutt & Jeff). Fox News.

**October 31st.**

Cheated Hearts, 5 reel feature (Rawlinson). Touchdown, 2 reel comedy.

**November 1st.**

Is Matrimony a Failure, 6 reel feature (All Star). My Lady of the Pines, 2 reel (Western).

**November 2nd.**

The Unknown, 5 reel feature (D. Talmadge). Winter (Sport Editorial). Fox News.

**November 3rd.**

When Husbands Deceive, 6 reel feature (Baird). Pardon Me, 1 reel comedy (Hal Roach). Pathe Review.

**November 4th.**

Daughter of Devil Dan, 5 reel feature (All Star).

## Motor Repair Section Notes

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Who has two weeks restriction? Ask Vannerson.

Sunday work on Fire Apparatus agrees with "Dad."

## Military Police Co. News Notes

(a) Our old friend, Sergeant Loughran, is in the hospital with the fever. We hope for a quick recovery.

(b) Things look blue around the M. P. Company. There are rumors that we move, but no orders have arrived.

(c) Mechanic Polk is training with Peck, so LOOK OUT. His weight is 145 lbs. and lots of wind.

(d) Captain Henkle went to the convention at New Orleans, and from the noise in the papers he must have had a good time.

(e) Our new Stockade is growing. We have two Posts up and a new Black Box. Things are going fast around here, even the prisoners step out now and then, and some are hard to catch.

(f) Sergeant Brown, our Prison Sergeant, is working night and day but he can have every Wednesday and Saturday afternoons off if he wants to work that night.

Three men were walking the streets of Columbus Sunday afternoon for about two hours; no one had interfered when Gravely came up and some one passed and tried to feed them peanuts. Who's the Monkey?


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## Artillery News Notes.

The battalion football team is looking forward, after two weeks of rest, to its next game, that against the 29th Infantry Freebooters, Wednesday afternoon. The full-back position has been strengthened by the return to the game of Sergeant Marsh, a dependable back of last year, who did not play in the first game. Several new faces will appear in the line, also. Coaches Peckinpaugh and Hendley believe their outfit, although very light in comparison with the competition it will meet, is yet sufficiently fast to make trouble for its opponents.

If steady work at long hours, coupled with the excellent line coaching of Lieut. Peckinpaugh, will further improve the artillery line, whose scrappiness and fast charging impressed spectators at the first game, that with the heavy machine of the 29th Infantry 2nd Battalion, the Freebooters will not have much luck with it. The artillery defensive weakness in the first game rested only with the ends, whose errors in play have been considerably corrected. The opportunities for long runs against the cannoneers this season will come only when those two victorious tacklers, Marsh and Samlavich ,are caught sitting down.

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Those departing from Fort Benning will take the regular 12:30 Saturday train and transfer for the special train which leaves Columbus at 1:15 from the Union Station. Running time to Auburn will be one hour. The special train will make return trip from Auburn after the game, definite time will be announced later. The return train will make the trip to Fort Benning.

A dance will be held in the Auburn gymnasium Saturday evening.

The game starts at 2:30 p. m. Local season tickets are not good as this game is under the entire control of Auburn.

## Motor Transport Notes

Private Crawley (Our Human Talking Machine), is again with us after an absence of one month visiting friends in Tent City. While there he was stopping at Hotel De-Teachout.

A certain Sergeant was seen stepping around here last Sunday in a pair of WalkOver shoes like a cat when its feet is tied up in a paper bag. Anyone wishing a pair see Sgt. Wallace.

Our Ex-Speed Cop Pvt. William S. Saulter, one of the best tenor songsters in the Fourth Corps Area, was discharged on October 26, and will play the Eastern Circuit. His address for future reference will be as follows: His first stop will be at the Miss-Meal Theatre, Chicago; next stop will be at the Reveille Theatre, New York; last stop will be at the Recruiting Office Theatre in Washington, D. C., in "Dear Old Stars and Stripes, How I Miss You."

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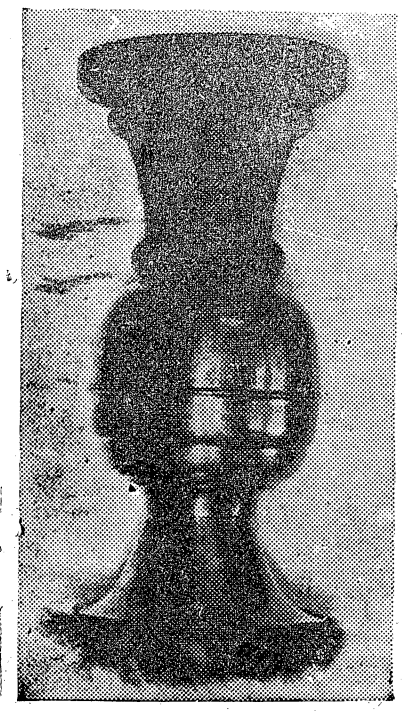

The fur lined cuspidor was devised by the Infantry Rifle Team so that some recognition might be given to those who, thru some deviation from accepted usage of former performance, came thru with some markedly unusual performance during the Infantry team tryouts. It was so much a feature of the work at Niagara that it was carried along to Camp Perry and was awarded at the National Matches, where prior to the decision as to its recipient, it basked in glory along with the Wimbledon, Herrick and other historic trophies. It has now been incorporated as an annual feature of the Infantry's work.

It might be thought at first glance that shots of the caliber of those who attended these Matches would not be apt to commit faults of either omission or commission, but statistics do not sustain this belief. On the contrary we find these selected experts registering hits on the wrong target, taking windage the wrong way, making errors in elevation correction and all the other faults which all of us common mortals also commit.

It is even of record that men have come up to shoot on a range and found that, while they had their rifle, they had failed to bring their belt with them. There is one instance of record where a well known shot reported out at the range and then discovered that he had all of his equipment with him except his rifle. One of the common errors was to carefully set elevation on one rifle and then when the time for firing came, go up on the firing point with a rifle on which there had been no correction made.

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The company commanders' class consists of 253 members, and the fact that all qualified is considered remarkable by authorities. Out of the 253, there were 147 to qualify as expert riflemen, 97 as sharpshooters, and 33 as marksmen.

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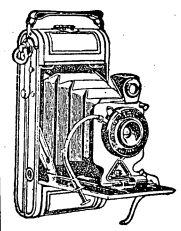

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## Signal Corps News Items

The reporter of this column, having for the past week been busily engaged in transferring Signal property to the new Signal Officer, has been unable to scout news for this week's column, and as the time is drawing near for the News to go to press, and not wishing to see this issue of the paper appear with this space showing only a blank white space, at the eleventh hour decided that something must be found for the readers of this column, and this something must be something worth while. We finally hit upon the point, that as we had been connected with the Infantry School since its organization at Fort Sill, Okla., in 1914, and have seen its great growth year by year, and as much has been said pro and con about the rapid advancement and great accomplishments of this institution, perhaps the rapid growth and achievements of its ally, the Signal Corps, might be of interest to the readers of the News.

Little did we dream when the Infantry School pitched its temporary camp in Wynnton in the fall of 1918 and the Signal Corps was allotted one little corner of the farm house which was set aside as Camp Headquarters, that this activity would in the short space of time spread out as it has. When the permanent Post, now the site of Fort Benning, was opened again the Signal Corps was assigned one corner of the upper floor of the Post Headquarters building. This space was for some time found sufficient to meet the needs. But alas, as this great Infantry School, known world-wide, began to branch out into larger fields of activity, the Signal Corps naturally branched with it.

It was soon found necessary to assign an entire building to the Signal Corps activity to house the telephone exchange, Signal Office, warehouse, etc. In the early part of last year the new Kellogg Common Battery Switchboard with facilities for accommodating 400 telephone lines, adequate trunking service to Columbus and Private Exchange of the Twenty-Ninth Infantry was completed. It was thought by all, both local officials as well as the officials of the Chief Signal Officer's office, that this installation would meet the needs of Fort Benning for some time to come. But, strange to relate, in a little over a year the new telephone installation has reached its capacity, several requests for telephone service are being held in suspense due to the now overloaded condition of the system. A move is now on foot awaiting the approval of the Secretary of War to increase the capacity of the system to meet the present, as well as the growing demands. It might be of interest to note that at the present time aside from the trunking service to Columbus, and the Private Branch Exchange of the Twenty-Ninth Infantry, four hundred and fifty-seven telephones are now connected to the Post system.

In passing, while dwelling on the growth of the communication side of the Signal Corps from a forty drop board to an overloaded six position Kellogg board, a few words on the personnel side might be in order. When the Signal Office first opened activities in Columbus the personnel consisted of one commissioned officer, one non-commissioned officer and two privates, while the present personnel consists of one commissioned officer, ten non-commissioned officers and twenty-five privates.

During the life of the Signal Corps at Camp and Fort Benning, this office has been under the charge of the following officers: Lieut. Kuntz, Capt. Monk, Lieut. Bayley, Capt. Clarkson, Major Milliken, Capt. Carson, Lieut. Bruns, Lieut. Forrest, Capt. Back, and the present Signal Officer, Capt. Lattin. Of these officers, Lieut. Kuntz and Lieut. Bayley have left the service; Capt. Monk met his death while directing Signal Corps activities, and Capt. Carson has been retired through disability.

During the past week four men have been assigned and reported to the Signal Corps, one Pigeoneer, two telephone operators, and one linesman.

## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

**WARNING**—Look out, girls of Columbus, for it is being whispered that our stay-at-home and smake efficient wielder of the stencil cutting machine, Sergeant A. Lamadrid is coming to town immediately after pay-day. BEWARE.

WANTED—One hair curling iron. ORG.

It seems that the Detachment has quite a few poets lately. Here's a piece contributed by Michael Halpan, S. D. F.:

**Flag Pole Transportation.**

I was working in an office, with the
manager's job in sight,
When Uncle Sam requested that I go
out and fight.
I didn't kick about it, or tell him I
had flat feet,
But jumped right in, and in two days
was standing retreat.

And after the fight was over, and
things had settled down,
He asked me to stay awhile and help
guard around the town.
So I re-enlisted to help Uncle Sam
straighten out,
And now that he's through with me,
I get the old foot route.

I was supposed to get a bonus, but
they soon put the "Kibosh"
on that,
Then they cut my pay and left me
almost flat.
Now, to top it off and to make it real
sweet,
They give me my discharge and say,
use your feet.

One thousand miles to walk in the
winter's blizzards and sleets—
It may be good exercise, but it's darn
hard on your feet.
After doing my stuff for six long
years to make this country free
They give me Flag Pole Transportation and leave the rest to me.

It's a long, long trail to that little
town in old P-a.,
But I'll get there if it takes a year
and a day;
And when my foot rests on that old
doorstep so dear to me,
I'll advise 'em to stay away, and just
let me be.

It looks like Bill Stewart is going to get out of the Supply Room at last, as Sgt. Richardson, who recently transferred to the Detachment from the 29th, can be seen daily busily at work in Bill's old hangout.

"Cooties" must be getting bad in the I. S. D., as Albert has cut off his mustache. Maybe that is one of his campaign agreements and a plank of his platform, as he has never announced one as yet.

A certain fellow in this Detachment who doesn't want his name in the paper wants to get married. Any girl of Columbus or Fort Benning who wishes to be married, apply or write Service Club No. 1, Fort Benning, Ga., for details. Who said Shadwell?

Master Sgt. Grinstead has a new addition to his family, a girl, which makes him two boys andtwo girls, a pretty good poker hand (2 pair).

Two more men have reported for duty. Private Ralston, who has been in the personnel office, and Private Murray, formerly on duty with the Q. M.

Private Burrell Holder has purchased his discharge and is now working in a Columbus garage.

The Detachment gained five men last week: Jack Ross, Claud Crowley, Elmer Belton, Frederick Sanders and Douglas Reid. We are glad to see them start their service in a good outfit.

Our Skipper, Capt. Buracker, has been transferred to the 24th Infantry, but will remain in command of the detachment.

One of our Master Sergeants states that if he has ever caused any one to worry trying to get them to inquire in regards to his tribe of little ones that he is very sorry, but that there was a little bird on a twig of a limb on a tree in the ground and the green grass grew all around and etc.; anyway, if they will but read Gen. 9:1, it will be explained.

Corporal Catron, who has been on recruiting duty in Columbus, Georgia, has been sent to Macon, to take charge of the sub-station there. Send us in some good recruits, Corporal.

We have to hand it to Shepard for nerve. Anyone that can stand up before several thousand people and swear his life away, and in a Ford at that, is capable of raising you several "iron men" on a deuce in the hole. Best of luck to "Shep."

### RE-ORGANIZATION OF 24th INFANTRY COMPLETED. COL. B. P. NICLIN ASSUMES COMMAND, COL. J. B. SCHOFFEL TO SCHOOL.

The expected re-organization of the 24th Infantry has taken place and the men are now hard at it fitting themselves into their new tasks. Col. J. B. Schoffel has taken up his work in the advanced course of the Infantry School and Col. B. P. Nicklin has been designated by War Department order as Commanding Officer of the 24th Infantry.

Captain C. H. McNair is Acting Regimental Adjutant, Capt. W. G. Muller is Regimental Investigating and Survey Officer, and Captain James Sproule is Acting Regimental Supply Officer. The eight companies have been skeletonized and incorporated in Companies I, K, L, and M, and the service Company with the Headquarters Company of regular strength.

The Detachment Band and the Regimental Band have been consolidated into one large band and they are beginning to get together in fine style. This band will be one of the best in the Army when it has been shaken down and the men get used to one another. Already it is a big improvement over anything that has been on the station.

The regiment has a fine Symphony Orchestra that is to give some most excellent concerts this winter. The orchestra played for the Officers' Hop Friday and the Nurses' Dance Wednesday. The band also plays for the Regimental Dance every Wednesday night.

### AFTER THE BATTLE.

The doughboy swung back from the
fight,
The hard fought battle won;
And in his eyes a shining light
Out-gleamed the noonday sun;
Did he then boast about the fray
And tell each "why" and "how"?
The only thing I heard him say
Was, "Where the hell's the chow?"

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**MEMBERS OF CO. "G," 29th INFANTRY, SPEND PLEASANT EVENING.**

Starting off with a chicken dinner with plenty of sweets, the men of Company "G," 29th Infantry, had a very enjoyable time on Thursday evening, Oct. 19th, 1922.

From the sound of the dinner bell until after eight o'clock there was something doing all the time. Corporal Finney, who was in charge of the smoker, secured some splendid talent in getting Pvt. Dewey Puckett and Pvt. Andrew Pisarick. Puckett kept the men in a roar with his comedy songs and with his guitar playing. Later he obliged with a soft shoe dance accompanied by Corporal Morris. Pisarick's accordian playing was just right to round out the enjoyment during the meal. Captain Sims gave a short talk on getting together and pulling together for the company, Battalion and Regiment.

After dinner the real fun began when two dusky warriors of the 24th Infantry fought a three-round bout to a draw, which was a comedy from start to finish.

After this, Pvt. Arraya, of Co. "G" and Pvt. Olturio, of Co. "F" fought a four-round bout to a draw, but Pvt. Araya won in points. Both men showed real form and it was close from start to finish.

Those present included Major and Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Capt. Sims, Lieuts. Farley, Cooey and Fogelberg, and all agreed it was the season's best.

# Army People Located Ih Columbus

In order that the Army people living in Columbus may find each other and also to enable the Army personnel at Fort Benning to locate their friends in the city, the News will print each week a partial list of the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of the Army aggregation in Columbus. This list will be continued weekly until a complete directory has been published.

Major Robert Alcott, 7 15th St. Phone 985.

Capt. Dana H. Allen, care Mr. Owen E. Edge, Macon Road. Phone 865-M.

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Capt. Lester N. Allyn, 1311 3rd Ave. Phone not listed.

Capt. Kenneth G. Althaus, Wildwood Drive, Wynnton. Phone 3019.

Lieut. Alfred G. Anderson, 1512 4th Ave. Phone 845.

Lieut. Col. Sheldon W. Anding, Forrest Ave., Wynnton. Phone 895.

Capt. Albert E. Andrews, 1922 Talbotton Ave. Phone 3583.

Capt. John A. Andrews, 1311 1-2 3rd Ave. Phone not listed.

Capt. Henry D. Bagnall, 1909 8th Ave. Phone not listed.

Capt. Paul T. Baker, 1532 4th Ave. Phone not listed.

Capt. Russell Baker, 21 15th St. Phone 3571.

Capt. Frank E. Barber, 1210 33rd Ave. Phone 2509.

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Capt. Donald H. Bartow, 2840 Peabody Ave. Phone 1259.

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Capt. Thomas C. Beck, Wynnton Road. Phone 1666.

Capt. Robert P. Bell, 112 14th St. Phone 1522.

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Capt. Maurice C. Bigelow, Britt Drive, Wynnton. Phone not listed.

Capt. David A. Bissett, 1900 Lake Drive. Phone 3507.

Capt. Francis G. Bonham, 107 8th St. Phone not listed.

Major Frank E. Bonney, 1620 17th Ave. Phone 3925.

Capt. Tom S. Brand, 1515 3rd Ave. Phone 694.

Capt. Ross B. Bretz, Dimon Court Apt. Phone 2488. (Attending Surgeon, Columbus. Office phone 255.)

Lieut. William W. Brier, Chatham Drive, Wynnton. Phone not listed.

Lieut. Francis G. Brink, 2934 Peabody Ave. Phone not listed.

Capt. Mark G. Brislawn, 2750 1-2 11th Ave. Phone 3950.

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Capt. Lloyd Brown, 1106 4th Ave. Phone 2117.

Capt. Thomas C. Brown, 1433 3rd Ave. Phone 697.

Lieut. Col. Fred W. Bugbee, 2907 Peabody Ave. Phone 2933.

Lieut. Edwin M. Burnett, Macon Road, Dinglewood. Phone 1378.

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Capt. Everett Busch, Wildwood Drive, Wynnton. Phone 3019.

Capt. James F. Butler, 1337 15th St. Phone 3559.

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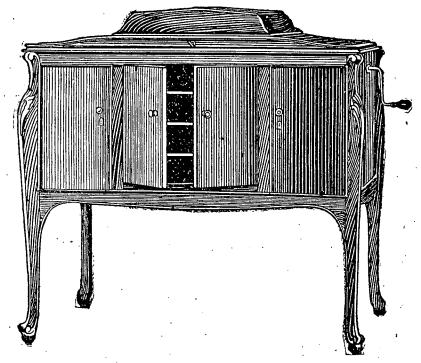

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## 24th Infantry News Notes

**24th AGAIN VICTORIOUS IN FOOTBALL. ALABAMA STATE NORMAL THE VICTIMS OF THE DOUGHBOYS.**

On last Friday the football team of the 24th Infantry invaded Alabama and won another victory. The husky team representing the 24th gave the College boys a most instructive lesson in the great American game of football and left the Montgomeryites well satisfied that the best team won. The game was played on a very rough field and it is to be wondered at that no one was hurt when the nature of the game is considered. The fight was fierce from start to finish and was a good contest all the way, with the 24th Infantry having all the best of it after the first half.

The game opened with the Infantry winning the toss and defending the upper goal. The playing field slopes very sharply down hill. During the first half the ball moved back and forth, up and down the field with not much advantage to either side. The 24th was in danger only once while they threatened the Normal's goal several times but always just fell short of putting the cval over the last line.

During the half time period Captain R. M. Wilson gave the team a very strenuous talk and the effect was evidenced at once for upon opening the second half the Big Blue Team went after the College boys in fierce style, and at once the coaching of the team was evidenced by the way in which they proceeded to carry the ball down the field for a score. Oliver carried the ball over for a score and the extra point was lost when the line failed to hold and a place kick was blocked.

On the kick-off another score was made when Freelan received the ball and with excellent interference by F. Williams ran thru the entire team for a touchdown. The run was a beauty, and the way in which Williams bowled over the would-be tacklers was a sight worth seeing. The opening of the third quarter saw another score when after several interesting plays Bonnar scored on a beautiful forward pass from Hill for 25 yards and ran 15 for a touchdown. This time, as after the second touchdown, the added point was scored on a forward pass from a place kick formation Hill to Williams. The score was now 20 to 0.

The Doughboys were not yet satisfied and they hit the fast fading Normal line for gain after gain. A penalty put them far back but up they came again only to suffer from over-anxiousness and be sent back a second time to try again. This time they were not to be denied, for on bucks and end runs they forced the ball over the line for the last counter, Freelan carrying the ball on an end run around left end for a touchdown. This time the point was lost when a drop kick went bad, but the score was now 26 to 0.

The ball was kicked off again and the Dusky Benningites were rushing the ball down the field when one of the officials saw a Doughboy using his hands strenuously and put him out of the game and moved the team back half way to their goal. The handicap was too great and the 24th Infantry was unable to put the ball over again. Before time was up, though, they were making good time down the field.

The entire team played well with Freelan, Oliver, F. Williams, and Brown showing best for the 24th Infantry. Green and Williams alternated as Pilots, with Oliver acting as Team Captain. The 24th under Captain Wilson and Chaplain Reynolds are showing great football, and on the 28th they tangle with Talladega University at Talladega, Ala. This team is the champion colored team of the South.

## Finance Department Notes

James C. Watson (alias Corp. Watson, Chief of the Bills Branch) spent the week-end with friends and relatives in Atlanta and Fairburn, Georgia, and reports a very nice time.

(Carranza) Banda is out of the hospital now, after a stay of three months, and has the hard task of writing checks. He says he has already written checks for more money than they have in Ecuador.

A peculiar noise was heard at the table the other day and an investigation revealed Corp. White drinking soup. He wants to know where he can get some ear guards—he gets soup in them.

Wanted—A car load of rubber erasers and scratch pads for Private Willis; he is figuring pay-rolls now.

Ayers has a new slogan now—"If you are going over there let me out over here."

"Hayseed" Barker is back on the job again after twenty days spent among the hills of North Carolina and reports a wonderful time threshing peas and digging 'taters.

Corp. Willing Purvis made several trips to the hospital this week—if Watson was the cause of it—then we don't know.

Sergeant Bennett and his Fort McPherson pal, Kilpatrick, of the Signal Corps, who arrived last week from McClellan, was seen at the Post Theater last Sunday evening—wonder who had the funds.

The Detachment is sorry to say that Miller was admitted to the hospital this morning—we hope he is not in the Psychic ward.

Bennett seems to be very much at home at the Service Club, having known the new hostess for some time. Well we're not troubled with him at the barracks when he's at the Club.

There's one Finance Clerk that was a little peeved about being referred to as a Hottentot Chief (Clerk). It's our mistake, John, we intended to say "Pennsylvania Dutchman," however, we don't mean square head.

The Mess Sgt. of the Q. M. can add a few more rations now that Barker has returned from furlough. Barker is deemed the "Hot Cake King."

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

By JOHN DOUGHBOY.

Vanquished but not humiliated, the First Battalion 29th Infantry football team, the champions of Fort Benning last season, went down to defeat yesterday afternoon by the narrow margin of 7 to 6. The Second Battalion of the 29th Infantry were the proud victors—a blocked kick in a try for point in the third quarter giving them the game.

The game was a stirring contest in which neither team appeared to have any great advantage as to speed or weight. Both aggregations gave every indication of superior coaching and long gruelling workouts. They were fit for the fray and their conditioning allowed them to survive as hard tackling and blocking as has been seen on southern football fields in many a day.

Naturally there are alibis offered by the vanquished. It was contended that despite his brilliant individual playing, Quarterback Romploski of the First Battalion did not obey the instructions of Coach "Jeff" Box. It appeared that Romploski was determined to rush the Second Battalion line off its feet—and he never opened up on forward passes—the real strength of the First Battalion team. Romploski also used poor judgment on punts and his fumbles were costly.

The game was featured by a parade of the First Battalion headed by the 29th Infantry Band, the bearers of the Championship Banner won last year, a big fat white goat, and a large placard announcing it was "The Second Battalion Goat." There were about 600 soldiers in the march around the field.

After the men were seated the organized cheering of the First Battalion started under Cheer-Leader Madaris. It was a distinct novelty and the first time in the history of *Fort Benning* that such spirit has been displayed at a football game. Criticism has been showered in the past that the crowds attending the "Varsity" games did not cheer the team, but this criticism cannot be applied to the First Battalion as they made as much noise as will be heard at the Georgia-Auburn game.

Between the halves the First Battalion, although the score was 7 to 0 against them, held a snake dance in the middle of the field. Following the game the battalion, although defeated, started marching off singing and cheering. Very favorable comments were heard on the good spirit shown.

The game itself started off with the Second Battalion getting the breaks. Davis kicked off to Wally who fumbled on the 10 yard line. A few short bucks and Slatt pushed the oval over. Parks kicked goal and the score stood 7 to 0 against the bewildered First Battalion. Davis again kicked off and this time Romploski fumbled but Rood recovered. The "First Bat" found the "Second Bat" line too hard and were forced to kick. The battle raged in midfield until the quarter ended. In the second quarter the "Second Bat" got real threatening and rushed the ball to the 10 yard line when the half ended.

In the second half "Spud" Murphy, the star of last year's First Battalion team, was placed in the game. Despite a lame shoulder this game youngster imparted such spirit in the team that within five minutes after the third period started Wally was pushed over the "Second Bat" goal for a touchdown. In the try for point a "Second Bat" man broke through and blocked Romploski's kick. It was a costly block as it gave the Second Battalion the victory.

For the Second Battalion the outstanding players were Payne, Slatt and Daniel. Their star end, Davis, who plays on the Varsity team, did not show to advantage. When Romploski cut him down in the third quarter the buglers played Taps, but Davis recovered and managed to last out.

Wally, the fullback, and Trambell, the center, were the bulwarks of strength on the First Battalion. Rood also played well, but he missed an opportunity to land in the soldier football Hall of Fame when, instead of scooping a fumbled ball for a run through field to a touchdown, he merely threw himself on the oval. This error caused him to be yanked from the game.

The line-up follows:

| 2nd Bat. | | 1st Bat. |
|---|---|---|
| | Center | |
| Beaver | | Trambell |
| | Right Guard | |
| Finney | | Jablonka |
| | Left Guard | |
| Walagurski | | Schwald |
| | Right Tackle | |
| Ekoff | | Shearer |
| | Left Tackle | |
| Parks | | McFadden |
| | Right End | |
| Brown | | Detweiler |
| | Left End | |
| Davis | | Rood |
| | Quarter | |
| Payne | | Romploski |
| | Right-Back | |
| Slatt | | Peters |
| | Left-Back | |
| Daniels | | Duslack |
| | Full-Back | |
| Parrish | | Wally |

Score: 2nd Battalion 7, 1st Battalion 0. Touchdowns: Slatt, Wally. Kicked goal, Parks. Time of quarters, 15 minutes. Referee, Captain Chester Rothwell. Umpire, Lieut. Percy Zeigler. Head Linesman, Lieut. R. W. Douglass. Timers, Captain Beverly Shipp and Lieut. Jesse T. Harris. Substitutions, 1st Battalion: Robillard for Jablonka; Jablonka for Robillard; Major for Jablonka; Parker for Shealer; Murphy for Rood; Michaels for Murphy. Second Battalion: Duke for Walagurski; Kreuger for Brown; Tomasoski for Duke; Johnson for Slatt. Time of game, 1 hour and 20 minutes.

## TENNIS

Four Infantry officers from Fort Benning entered the tennis tournament at New Orleans for the championship of the American Legion in singles and doubles. Between them they carried away all of the titles and most of the cups.

Capt. R. C. Van Vliet, Jr., won the singles championship of the American Legion and with Major Tom D. Finley won the doubles championship.

Twenty-eight players, representing twelve different states, were entered in the singles and about twenty-five teams were entered in the doubles tournament. Unfortunately some of the players from the various states failed to appear and were defaulted. However, a great many players were on hand to compete for the titles and cups.

Major Finley won his way into the singles semi-final round by good playing and with the loss of only one set. There he met his doubles partner, Capt. Van Vliet, and was defeated 7-5, 6-1 in a well played match. In the finals Capt. Vliet met Mr. Edgar Morris, champion of the New Orleans Legion Post, and defeated him 6-1, 6-2, 6-4, thereby annexing the title.

The trophies won by these officers were large loving cups.

The remaining members of the team were not so fortunate. Capt. J. S. Switzer was beaten by Mr. C. Lyons, of Iowa, in a close match, while Capt. K. S. Whittemore was also defeated by Mr. W. B. Monroe in a close match. Due to a misunderstanding about the time of playing their doubles match, these officers were not present when the tennis committee decided that their match should be played and were therefore defaulted.

## POLO.

On last Sunday afternoon the 83rd Artillery underwent a reversal of form with the result that the 29th Infantry "took them into camp" to the tune of 7 to 5.

The Artillery gave the 29th Infantry a handicap of 4 goals to start with and actually scored 5 points while the 29th Infantry was marking up three. The Artillery suffered one of those inexplainable lapses which happens to the best teams at times.

In the second game the Blue team "came back" after being disastrously defeated the preceding Sunday, and administered a 12 to 5 walloping to the Yellow team. The Blue team gave an exhibition of polo as it should be played, while the Yellow team lacked team work.

The Blue team gave the Yellow team a handicap of four goals and actually tallied 12 markers while the Yellow team was scoring 1.

The games next Sunday will be between the following teams:

Yellows vs 29th Infantry.

Blues vs Artillery.


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# SPORTING NEWS

## BOXING

The Fort Benning Boxing tourney is getting well along toward the finals and large crowds are turning out nightly to see the bouts. On October 20th the following results were made:

No. 1—Pomerantz vs. Maddox. Pomerantz, on account of injuries sustained in his recent fight with Dundee, was not in shape to fight, and it was necessary to postpone this bout.

No. 2—Akers vs. Dill. Akers won decision.

No. 3—Hatfield vs. Erdos. Hatfield failed to appear and Noah was substituted for him. Erdos won technical knockout in third round, Noah throwing in his towel.

No. 4—Mack vs. Moore. Draw.

No. 5—McKay vs. Lupica. McKay refused to fight. Lupica won decision by default.

No. 6—Schafer vs. Timmons. Fight postponed.

No. 7—LeBlanc vs. Hunt. Draw.

No. 8—Alonzo vs. Helms. Draw.

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**Boxing Results of October 23rd:**

No. 1—Sebukaty vs. Noah. Sebukaty being in the hospital with an injury sustained in the Infantry-Tennessee football game, could not appear.

No. 2—Pacioni vs. Otalvaro. Otalvaro won decision.

No. 3—Mizwa vs. Branner. Mizwa could not appear, having undergone operation. Longmire substituted for him. Branner won decision.

No. 4—Grantham vs. Reilley. Reilley failed to appear, losing by default.

No. 5—Justice vs. Head. Head withdrawn from tournament account of absence from post. Bowling substituted for Head. Justice won by K. O. second round.

No. 6—Keenan vs. Twyman. Twyman sick in hospital. Fight postponed.

On Thursday evening the preliminary bouts in the Fort Benning boxing tournament were continued.

The following shows the results:

1. Pomerantz vs. Maddox. Maddox failed to appear and lost by default to Pomerants. Gilbert substituted for Maddox and was knocked out in the third round.

2. Akers vs. Michel. Akers failed to appear and lost by default to Michel.

3. Mack vs. Lupico. Both men eliminated from tournament.

4. Moore vs. Branner. Moore failed to appear. Branner won by default.

5. Grantham vs. Hunt. Hunt failed to appear. Grantham won by default.

6. Schafer vs. Janoske. Schafer failed to appear. Janoske won by default.

7. Grantham substituted for Schafer and Janoske substituted for Hunt. Grantham won decision.

8. Timmons vs. DeRose. DeRose failed to appear, forfeiting to Timmons.

9. Alonzo vs. Justice. Alonzo won decision.

10. Keenan vs. Twyman. Twyman failed to appear, losing by default to Keenan. Helms substituted for Twyman in four round exhibition bout. No decision.

The following bouts are scheduled for Monday night, October 30th:

1. Pomerantz (29th Inf.) vs. Michel (29th Inf.)

2. Erdos (83rd Art.) vs. Pacioni (29th Inf.)

3. Butler (83rd Art.) vs. Branner (I. S. D.)

4. Otalvaro (29th Inf.) vs. Grantham (15th Tanks).

5. LeBlanc (15th Tanks) vs. Janoske (29th Inf.)

6. Timmons (7th Engrs.) vs. Alonzo (29th Inf.)

7. Keenan (29th Inf.) vs. Helms (29th Inf.)

## FOOTBALL

That the Infantry School team went down in defeat before the strong Tulane eleven last Saturday does not indicate that this team is going backward. The Tulane aggregation is at its strongest this year and can give any of the Southern teams a good tussle. To predict that Tulane will win the Southern championship would not be a fallacy on the part of sports writers, and for this reason there is no disgrace in being defeated by a team of this calibre.

Saturday afternoon the Infantry School locks horns with Auburn. Last year it will be remembered by those who saw the Auburn-Infantry game that Infantry played Auburn to a standstill until about the last five minutes of play. The score was 13 to 6, and Auburn had been saving a number of her first string players for her big annual game with Georgia. These men were put into play and managed to score the winning points against their tired adversaries. This time, however, things will be different. The Infantry team this year is better and there will be enough substitutes to offset any move Auburn will make. In the first place, Auburn is going to be forced to use her first string men from the start unless she is willing to suffer defeat. If, however, Auburn decides to use her second string men and then run her first team in during the last few minutes of play there will be sufficient substitutes with the Infantry Squad to offset this and the first Auburn string will not find the going so easy.

This is going to be a great game of football and will be well worth the forty mile drive through the country to see.

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Our galloping company clerk has walked to the range from the company every morning since we started firing. Keep up the good work, Adams, soon you'll be a globe trotter.

Do we have a jeweler in the company? If you want a ring made, come to Cpl. Cochran, he certainly knows his business when it comes to making silver rings.

Pvt. Cockelreas, the noted gunman from Mexico, Missouri, says that he'll have to make sharpshooter, because the sheriff is still in office and they won't let him use a six gun any more.

We certainly have one good wall scaler in the company, anyhow. Pvt. Smith, the Alabama athlete, showed some fine sprinting and wall scaling the other night, while in Columbus. A small sized cow started his way, and that was too much for Smith, who took for the fence and over it in nothing flat.

The company mechanic, Necker, says that he will make sharpshooter this year. At least we think he should make it, because he is always changing something on his rifle. The last thing we saw, he was taking the rifling out of the bore so the lead would scatter like a shot gun.

We have a new way of cleaning rifles now. Pvt. Scharle fills her full of oil and stands her on her head over night. Lucky for you, Scharle, that you are not cleaning Livens' projectors.

Pvt. Salvator says the gun didn't kick, it just jumped back at him, and when it jumped he tried to get out of the way, and missed the bull's eye.

"Well, if I don't make marksman this year, there is another year coming, but here's hoping I'm out of the Army by the time we shoot again," From all appearances, Pvt. McCabe isn't fond of firing on the range.

Pvt. Apostola says he don't need to mark the target for some of the men, because they hit in the butts, and the targets are on the framework and not in the butts, so let them shoot again.

A certain man in the company says his face is his fortune. The other night he went to a party and they played a game called "making faces." The man that made the ugliest face got two bits. He said he got two dollars and a half, and he wasn't even playing. But he says the girl he had with him couldn't play. There wasn't enough money in the party. Better luck next time, Frymyer.

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## Medical Department Notes

The wedding of Miss Ada Bush and Major Alvin J. Bayley, M. C., was solemnized at the First Baptist church, Columbus, Georgia, at noon, October 20, 1922, Chaplain Joseph A. Gray, U. S. A., Fort Benning, Georgia, officiating. A wedding breakfast was served at the Ralston hotel immediately following the ceremony. Among those present were Captain and Mrs. E. S. Dollarhide, U. S. A., Chaplain and Mrs. Joseph A. Gray, U. S. A., Captains C. P. Price and A. J. Vadala, M. C., U. S. A., Miss Maude Bowman and Miss Eleanor Grehea. Major and Mrs. Bayley departed for Miami, Fla., where they will spend their honeymoon. They will be at home at Fort Benning, Ga., after January 1, 1923.

The regular weekly meeting of the Non-Commissioned Officers Club was held Monday evening. Some very interesting matters were brought before the members. One of special mention being the dance to be held once every month.

Mr. R. L. Hatcher and family, of Newton, Alabama, spent last weekend with their son, Private 1st Class Albert M. Hatcher, Medical Department.

Seaman 1st Class John L. Bedenbaugh, U. S. S. Scout Cruiser, Birmingham (now stationed in the Panama Canal Zone), spent last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday with his brother, Sergeant Milton M. Bedenbaugh, Medical Department.

Delamar Cook, of Rochelle, Georgia, brother of Sergeant Cook, was a pleasant visitor at the Post last week.

Parents, relatives and friends of the men are always appreciated visitors. Why not ask yours to visit you?

Our representatives at the National Convention, American Legion, report a grand time, but from the looks of the faces they wear you wouldn't suppose New Orleans is all it is given credit for being.

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"In February the Battalions of the Regiment participated in five day tours of field duty through Cavite and Laguna provinces, distances averaging about sixty miles each. The entire Regiment had problem exercises in night attack on the 19th and 20th. On the 27th the Regiment marched to Pasay Beach for instruction in swimming, intrenching and individual cooking.

"March 5th to 10th the entire Regiment participated in a practice march through Rizal to Bulucan province and return. Distance covered about 60 miles.

"The 29th participated in the Brigade review at Fort William McKinley on April 20th in honor of Admiral Yoshimatsu of Japan.

"Co. F left Fort McKinley for duty in Mariquina Valley in September for the purpose of guarding the Manila water supply. Returned in November, being relieved by Co. H.

"On Dec. 2 the Regiment received 156 recruits from the United States.

"The officers who were assigned to the 29th during 1908 were:

"Colonel Hobart K. Bailey, Lt. Col. Reuben B. Turner, Captain Courtland Nixon, 1st Lt. Alfred Brandt, 1st Lt. Townsend Whelen, Chaplain Stephen R. Wood, 2nd Lt. Ernest L. Pell, 2nd Lt. Fred P. Jacobs, 2nd Lt. Edgar S. Miller, 2nd Lt. Albert J. Hanlon, 2nd Lt. John R. Emory, Jr., 2nd Lt. Jacob H. Rudolph.

"The strength of the Regiment on Dec. 31 was 50 officers and 880 enlisted men; total 930."

**NOTE—To former members of the 29th:**

This copy of the "News" with others containing this series of articles on the History of the Regiment is being sent you, believing same will be of interest and value to you. Those who wish further copies will please notify the Chaplain.

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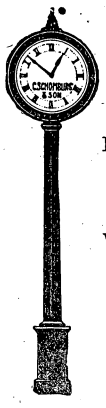

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

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Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

The Sunday evening services at the Protestant Chapel will commence at 7 o'clock hereafter. Chaplain Gray will have charge of the services.

Chaplain Wood has the morning services at the Protestant Chapel.

Next Sunday morning the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the Protestant Chapel.

## We, Who Are Domoted, Salute You

**243 MAJORS, 716 CAPTAINS MAKE LAST STAND.**

Majors with promotion numbers larger than 2609 and Captains with numbers larger than 6465 are carefully considering whether or not is better to be a Captain or First Lieutenant than a civilian.

This consideration has been brought about by the receipt at this station of telegrams advising that officers coming under the above classifications will be discharged and a commission in the next lower grade offered them.

According to one of the Service papers the date fixed for the demotion of Majors is November 4, for Captains, November 19, and for First Lieutenants the early part of December. This haste on the part of the War Department is due to the fact that nominations in the grade of Second Lieutenant have to go to the Senate for confirmation before they are given their new commissions and it is not desirable that delay take place.

## RE-ORGANIZATION OF TENTH INFANTRY BRIGADE ANNOUNCED

**NOW CONSISTS OF TENTH AND ELEVENTH INFANTRY REGIMENTS AND SMALLER UNITS.**

Fifty Corps Area Headquarters announces the reorganization of the Tenth Infantry Brigade. This brigade now consists of the Tenth Infantry, Eleventh Infantry, 1st Battalion, Third Field Artillery, 88th Squadron, Photo Section No. 7, and Tank Platoon No. 5.

This re-organization is of especial interest to members of the Sixth Infantry and Eleventh Infantry regiments of which the old Tenth Brigade was composed. It is also of interest to the entire garrison because of the fact that General Gordan took the old Tenth Infantry Brigade overseas and remained in command until he assumed command of the Sixth Division at which time he was relieved of the command of the Tenth Brigade by General Malone. General Malone commanded the brigade both at the battle of St. Mihiel and throughout the Argone operation where the brigade made a name for itself in American history.

**ODE TO A GOLD LEAF.**

Twinkle, twinkle little Leaf
Your stay up here is going to be brief
Two silver Bars in your place will shine.
So, good-bye little gold leaf of mine.

How I loath to part with thee,
You have my heartfelt sympathy;
But still your presence you will denote
On some Ex. Lt. Col.'s coat.
So, twinkle twinkle little Leaf,
Your stay up here is going to be brief
Two Silver Bars in your place will shine,
Good-bye, good-bye, little Gold Leaf of mine.

—M. J. H.

## AT BENNING THEATRES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Following is the program for War Department Theatres, Fort Benning, Ga., for the week ending November 11th:

**Sunday, Nov. 5th.**
"Fascination," 7 reel feature (May Murray). "Torchy's Frame-Up," two reel comedy.

**Monday, Nov. 6th.**
"Fighting Mad," 6 reel feature. (Bill Desmond.) Mutt & Jeff, 1 reel comedy. Fox News.

**Tuesday, Nov. 7th.**
"Bits of Life," 6 reel feature, (Neilan Production). "Supply and Demand," 2 reel comedy, (Jones.)

**Wednesday, Nov. 8th.**
"Spanish Jade," 6 reel feature, (David Powell). "The Leather Pushers," 2 reel comedy (Denny).

**Thursday, Nov. 9th.**
"Man To Man," 7 reel feature, (Harry Carey). Fox News.

**Friday, Nov. 10th.**
"Burn 'Em Up Barnes," 6 reel feature, (Johnny Hines). Rolin Comedy, 1 reel. Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Nov. 11th.**
"Gilded Cage," 8 reel feature, (May Murray). "Say Uncle," one reel comedy, (All Star).

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"Commanding General,
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"Benning graduates and former instructors, with sweethearts assembled, send greetings to our Commandant brother officers of the Infantry. Benning spirit rampant. Inconveniences and hardships forgotten or made the source of amusement. Infantry esprit much in evidence. May the greatest of schools continue its kood work.

"FIFTY BENNING PIONEERS."

To which telegram the following answer was sent:
"Col. George L. Byroade,
"Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

"Greetings and good wishes from Fifty Benning Pioneers greatly appreciated and published to command. Esprit, hardships, and conscientious work of pioneers is what made Infantry School successful. May every future success be theirs.

"GORDON."

## 24th Infantry Celebrates Fifty-Third Anniversary

**GENERAL GORDON WELCOMES ORGANIZATION TO FORT BENNING.**

The 24th Infantry celebrated its 53rd anniversary on November 1st. The regiment was assembled in the Recreation Hall at 10:00 a. m. where the regimental colors and trophies of many victories were on display. General Gordon addressed the assembly welcoming the organization to Fort Benning. Colonel Nicklin made an address tracing his connection with the regiment and pledging his personal interest in every member of the organization. Capt. Muller gave a brief sketch of the 24th Infantry, as follows:

"Founded under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 3rd, 1869, by the consolidation of the 38th and the 41st regiments of infantry, it has upheld the finest traditions of the service during the entire period of its existence.

The organization of the regiment took place at Ft. McKevitt, Texas, about 180 miles from San Antonio, at the head of the San Saba River. When the regiment began its existance it was stationed at Forts Davis, Stockton, Concho and McKevitt—all in Texas, along the southern edge of the Great Staked Plains—covering a line of 320. The regiment remained in this section until the spring of 1872, when it was transferred to the Rio Grande Posts Brown, Ringold Barracks, Duncan and Clark. The duties of the troops were light compared with field service against the Indians along the Great Staked Plains, and while in thought, we had troubles and privations, we now look back upon those times as the halcyon days.

From this time until the opening of the Spanish-American war, the 24th Infantry was among the old "stand bys" of the Western frontier enjoying the garrison life of the old days, broken only by an occasional skirmish with the Indians.

The opening of the Spanish-American war found the regiment stationed at Ft. Douglas, Utah. On April 20th, 1898, it departed from that station for the concentration camp at Chickamauga Park. Georgia. It was among the first continguent of troops sent to Cuba, arriving at Siboney June 9, 1898. Disembarked at Siboney on June 25th, 1898, and took up the march toward Santiago as part of General Kent's Division. Under Lieut. Colonel E. H. Liscum the regiment acquitted itself with glory in the capture of San Juan Hill, June 28th. It later participated in the fighting before the City of Santiago.

After the surrender of the City of

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# Social Notes

Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.
Post Phone 192.

There will be a Panhallenic tea at the Ralston Hotel Tuesday, November 7th, from three until four o'clock. It is hoped that all Army women who are members of the eighteen N. P. C. sororities will be able to attend. Any ladies unable to be present are requested to notify Mrs. Stickney, Post Phone No. 377.

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Mrs. H. H. Cloud entertained the ladies of the 20th Infantry at tea on Friday afternoon, October 27th, in honor of her mother, Mrs. George K. Rhodes, of Louisville, Ky., who is now visiting Mrs. Cloud.

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On the evening of October 31st at their quarters at Fort Benning, Capt. and Mrs. Curtis P. Miller, 29th Infantry, entertained the officers and ladies of the Second Battalion, 29th Infantry, with a Hallowe'en Party. The guests arriving at 6:30 P. M. were greeted by Capt. and Mrs. Miller amid a profusion of decorations in keeping with the day. Pumpkins, Jack-o'-lanterns, witches caps, horns, etc., helped carry out the Hallowe'en spirit.

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Dinner was served at quartette tables under the subdued light of a Jack-o'-lantern over each table. After dinner, dancing, bobbing for apples and other games were enjoyed. The invited guests were Col. and Mrs. Goodale, Colonel and Mrs. Hobbs, Major and Mrs. Sawkins, Capt. and Mrs. Scales, Capt. and Mrs. Brooks, Capt. and Mrs. Orr, Capt. and Mrs. Sims, Lieut. and Mrs. Elkins, Lieut. and Mrs. McCoy, Lieut. and Mrs. Stevens, Lieut. and Mrs. Duvall, Lieut. and Mrs. Lawrence, Lieut. and Mrs. Paquet, Lieut. and Mrs. Fogelberg, Lieut. and Mrs. Privette, Lieut. and Mrs. Raaen, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Brammett, Liuet. Farley, Lieut. Camp, Lieut. Cooey, Lieut. Geiley, Lieut. Krause, and Lieut. Mehegan.

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Lieut. and Mrs. Walter A. Stetler have just returned from a two month's trip to Chicago. Their many friends welcome them home.

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Ladies of the Post interested in the organization of a Current Events Club are requested to meet at the Officers' Hop Room on Monday afternoon, November 6th, at 3 o'clock.

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# BIG DANCE AT SERVICE CLUB

## HALLOWE'EN DANCE GREAT SUCCESS.

The Hallowe'en dance at Service Club No. 1 last Wednesday evening was a decided success. The hall was attractively decorated by the Dance Committee under the personal supervision of Sgt. Arnold of the Tanks and Sgt. Mount of the Medical Corps.

The colors of the occasion were black and gold. A large black cat occupied the Throne of the Mighty for the evening flanked by the accompanying pumpkin. A large crowd of ladies from Columbus attended the affair.

Miss Roe, the new Post Hostess, is teaching the visitors at the Service Club several new games. She intends to hold a cribbage and checker tourney in the near future and everybody having ambitions along this line are invited to begin practice at the club at once.

## TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY CELEBRATES 53'D ANNIVERSARY

(Continued from Page One.)

Santiago and the close of the campaign in Western Cuba, the regiment columtarily remained on duty at the Yellow Fever Camp at Siboney. This sacrifice cost the regiment the lives of one officer and thirty enlisted men, yet the spirit of the regiment remained undaunted. On August 22nd, 1898, the regiment departed from Siboney with nine officers and 198 enlisted, leaving three officers and 37 enlisted men asleep amid the palms of the Antilles, yet the march to the train which conveyed them to the port of ambarkation was made with the band playing and the battle scarred colors flying high.

After its return from Cuba, the regiment was stationed at Fort Douglas, Utah, and D. A. Russell, Wyoming, and later at various posts on the Pacific slope.

During June and July 1899 the regiment was transferred to the Philippine Islands, where it participated in various engagements in the Provinces of, Rizal Nueve Ecija, Pangasian and Cayayan. The regiment returned to the United Ctates during July, 1902, having lost in the Philippines 11 enlisted men, killed in action, one officer and 35 wounded in action and 109 enlisted men died of disease.

After three and one half years garrison service in the States the regiment was transferred to the Philippine Islands, taking station at Camp Downes, Ormac, Leyte, Camp Bumplus Taclogan. Layte and Warrick Barracks, Cebu. During 1906 and 1907, the regiment participated in various engagements against fantical Pulajanes on the Island of Leyte; Company "E" of the regiment acquitting itself with glory at Tabon-Tabon, Leyte, June 24, 1906.

The regiment returned to the United States, during the Spring of 1908, taking station in northern New York. Embarked from San Francisco for the Philippines on December 5th, 1911. This last tour of foreign service ended in 1915, when the regiment returned to the United States, taking station at the presidio of San Francisco, Cal. On February 28th, 1916, it was transferred to Ft. D. A. Russell, Wyo., where it remained until March 22, 1916, when the welcome order was received transferring it to the Mexican Border. On March 28th, we entered Mexico as part of General Pershing's Expedition. We remained in Mexico until February 5th, 1917, when we took station at Columbus, New Mexico.

But few of the officers and men who fought at San Juan and in the jungles of the Philippine Islands are with us today, yet their deeds of valour are an incentive to us in whose trust the glorious colors of the regiment are placed. These men made the history, of which our regiment is so justly proud and the sacred obligation of maintaining the high standards of loyalty and patriotism rests upon those who constitute the personnel of the regiment today.

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# 24th Infantry News Notes

### HEADQUARTERS COMPANY.

Corporal James W. Berry, our laundry man, is very prompt in going to see about the laundry being delivered. Someone asked why. Why, the laundry queens of course.

Someone asked Hooker why he was so blue. To which he promptly replied, "Not because I am not in Hq. Co. with you, but I am afraid Anna May will think me not true." Say, Hooker, who is she? Let us all in on it, old boy.

Our star on the football team, Pvt. Sp. 4th Class Raymond Young, returned from Alabama very sore and stiff after a tough battle with the Talladega team.

Private Turpin from duty with the Company to duty at Officers' mess, who is very popular on Wednesday nights at the dances. Look out, Turpin, don't get tied up.

Pvt. Mitchell, our wood butcher, is posing with his hammer and square, as usual.

Pvt. Gaskin has caused a discontentment among the N. C. O. S. in charge of quarters by reporting them to the O. D. at night.

### COMPANY "A."

Sergt. and Mrs. Ernest Allen and their two sons arrived at this station from Columbus, N. Mex., making the trip in their Buick Six touring car, passing through Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, and Alabama. They say they had a nice time on the trip; only accident occurred was a broken clutch. Wasn't he lucky?

Corpl. Twitty broke the ice at Fort Benning. He has a pair of new russetts, on an "A" last. All who have worn an "A" last on "EE" Fort Benning strutted proudly up the Trigger, old boy, watch your step; remember your promise to the girls in Columbus, N. M., and El Paso, Texas, for they have spies at work.

Chick Adams is tired of vamping so he decided he would learn to blow a wooden "Flute."

Private Charles W. Churchill thought he could fool the "boys" by leaving camp at night. But I know one man he didn't fool! Ask him who it is and see what he will tell you.

### COMPANY "B."

Our Supply Sergeant, better known as Tequila Jim, is quite lonesome these days. Can you tell me why?

Yes! His pal Watkins, alias "Bay Rum Bill," is spending a few weeks in Americus.

Bugler Hall was singing a new song the other day titled, "I've got the Block No. 23 Blues." Watch your step, Sammy, old boy; you will be singing the 6, 8, 10 and 12 next.

Well, Prince Albert, how do you like your old home town?

Some one please tell me how our 1st Sergeant lost his bet. We see you "Si."

### COMPANY "C."

Company "C" is here, but while most of the enlisted personnel was left at Camp Furlong, New Mexico, the strong ambitious company spirit is here at Fort Benning. It is these soldiers who have made the company famous in sport, military duties and social affairs of the 24th Infantry and made a reputation that placed it highest among the other companies of the regiment.

1st Sergeant Larkins detailed Sgt. Powell for guard with the following instructions: "Draw a club for a rifle and instruct yourself how to come to inspection arms. I will issue you a club and stick manuel next week."

A reward of $100 is offered for the person who sees Cpl. Dewitt dancing. He has just arrived from New York City with the new Coney Island waltz.

Cpl. Mays was a distinguished visitor in the city the other day in his civilian clothes. The grand duke of Fort Benning strutted prodly up the boulevard to a residence he had known from his childhood days and a little feminine form came to the door and stated, "Why, I don't know you. The gentleman I met was a soldier and a second-class private at that, for he wore two stripes on his arm." However, they finally made an acquaintance.

### COMPANY "D."

"D" Company is in receipt of information from a reliable source that Camp Furlong, complete, less buildings, is to be moved to Fort Bliss by wagon train.

We picture the many miles of burning desert sands of that long border trail and take a small measure of comfort for ourselves in the thought that we will not be among those present when once more all that property, already shiney and round cornered from much handling, is unloaded at the bottom of every sand hill of that well known hundred mile stretch.

### COMPANY "H."

The members of Co. "H," 24th Infantry, join the writer in thanks and appreciation of all the enlisted men of Co. "L" 24th Infantry, for the kind treatment that has been rendered them while rationing with that organization before being reorganized.

It is the spirit of the 24th Infantry and especially Co. "H," 24th Infantry, to meet and form the acquaintance of each and every one who are under U. S. Flag in the 24th Infantry as soldier brothers. The thanks and appreciation, in this writing is more highly extended to the 1st Sergeant and the Mess Sgt. of Company "L," 24th Infantry. These men have worked untiringly in making every preparation for our comfort.

### COMPTNY "I."

Corporal Reeves, (Noise box), is still singing, "She don't write no letters or send no word." He is the only man that will stand by a fire and hope he freeze to death.

Sergeant Loyd (Horse) thinks he is the only "Short Timer" in captivity for he brags about it from morning to night. Look out Loyd, the Bear has his army at war strength.

Sergeant Campbell, (Wise Man): "Woman may cause much of the trouble in life, but it's woman who makes life worth the trouble."

Everybody seems to be enjoying our beautiful tennis courts, and on Wednesday afternoons there are some well matched games played by the enlisted men and their wives.

The 24th Infantry Band is a credit to the regiment as well as to the race as a musical organization. The regiment is very proud of her band. The concerts are always enjoyed by all audiences. Warrant Officer Joel P. Elazer, is a wonderful conductor, arranger and composer. He has the support of the Band and regiment in the effort to win distinction and honor.

Sergeant Taylor, (The Snake), has invented a new dance called the Chattahoochee Glide. So please be at the dancing school every Monday night. Sergeant McCauley is the instructor.

Sergeant Pinkston, (Ruff Stuff), was discharged the other day and gave a big blow out. He bought 3 five-cent cigars for the office crew. That's the boy, Pink! The world is round, but it is crooked just the same.

Pvt. Jones, (Nurse), "M" Company, can do more laundry than the Acme Laundry. His specialty is baby clothing.

### COMPANY "K."

Mess Sgt. "Tall Timber" (Lay) is sleeping much better since Sgt. "Big Stuff" (Warfield) has been rationing in Co. "I."

Cpl. "He Vamp" (Jones) is all scarred. Wonder was it football, rolling pin, or forward pass?

Sup. Sgt. "Cute-boy" (Williams) went out vamping in Montgomery last Friday, and has been talking in his sleep every since. Look out, Bill, the trays turn some times.

### COMPANY "M."

Company "M" is mourning the regretful loss of their 1st Sgt. Arthur Steger, known as Kaiser, and who is being transwerred to Co. "I." The Company's best wishes goes with you Sir Arthur to your new company.

But as we know "Oh!;*|?-:*," you have got their names on the L-A-M-B B-O-O-K now.

Cook White is making a little noise. Keep quiet, White, and get off your knees. If it is prayer you need Chaplin Thomas is right across the way.

Our Supply Sgt. has not been giving the City of Columbus, Georgia, the pleasure of seeing him lately. Wake up, Joe; they still like to see you.

Our Company Barber is buying great gobs of a new hair tonic lately. Don't know what you are growing, Mac, but watch your step.

Company "M" has the record of having the most dogs and cats in camp. Also men holding the record of owning more of them than anyone in camp, and of different species, too.

Lookout Hendly and Young; business in dogology and catalogy is not so well out in the life now.

Well there is one thing our Company is blessed for. We don't have much trouble in getting what we want. All we have to do is to say we want it, and our Supply Sgt. will sing for the articles requested "and we get them." You should sign up with some grand opera, Joe. You have a most refined voice—I know.

Everybody talking about Steger, Steger. Who is Steger?

He is a man.

Well, how is Steger?

He's alright.

Who said so?

Company "M."

Who is Company "M"?

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Private Richardson has been looking pretty sick since Sunday, Oct. 22. Brace up, "Five Spot," the Cpl. is not going to take her. It's only a joke.


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THOSE UNITS and Organizations who fail to see a certain amount of copy each week should not get the idea that their news is not desired. The only reason for failure to print certain items is because of the limited space available in The News and on the occasions when all of an organization's news can not be printed every effort is made to so edit the "copy" furnished as to present the choicest bits.

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News has just been received over the "grapevine telegraph" that within the past week there have been something like 1600 applications for discharge at Washington from officers to be demoted. Just what action will be taken, if the information is correct, by the War Department is problematical but it seems that some of the younger officers, especially, may be making a mistake.

A discharge, with one year's pay, appears, on the face of it, to be desirable for a young officer. The desirability depends to a degree on the business experience the young officer has had in civilian life. A young man without business experience at this particular phase of business conditions will find himself handicapped. He will also find that he will be forced to accept a salary much smaller than his present pay, in the majority of cases, and there arises the danger of getting in the "little man" class because of this.

Another factor to be considered in this connection is the fact that there appears to be small probability of a further reduction in the Army and a possibility of a slight increase within the next two years. If such an increase takes place promotions will be effective for those who remained in the Service and even though the opportunity should be offered to those who left the Service to return it is probable that the man who "stuck it out" will get priority on the promotion list.

# National Guard And Reserve Officers To Take Course

**THESE OFFICERS REPORTED HERE NOVEMBER FIRST.**

On November 1st 87 National Guard officers and 19 Reserve officers reported at the Infantry School for a three month's course.

In addition to these officers it is reported that there is a probability of General William Conner and Colonel Campbell King reporting to take the Refresher Course.

The names of the National Guard and Reserve officers are printed below:

**National Guard Officers.**

Adams, Whitman W., 1st Lt., Mississippi.
Allen, Homer M., Captain, Missouri.
Althouse, John L., 1st Lt., Iowa.
Anderson, Carle E., Captain, North Dakota.
Anderson, John S., Captain, Pennsylvania.
Ansberry, Jay T., Captain, Ohio.
Bailet, Alfred F., Captain, Massachusetts.
Barkley, Claude L., 1st Lt., Michigan.
Bateman, Henry E., Captain, Maryland.
Bishop, Jesse E., 1st Lt., Arkansas.
Bloodworth, G. C., Jr., Captain, Georgia.
Brower, Jay G., 1st Lt., Ohio.
Brown, Francis G., 1st Lt., Pennsylvania.
Brown, Lester E., Captain, Maine.
Bunker, Charles W., Captain, Florida
Butler, Hugh N., 2nd Lt., Georgia.
Christensen, Walter B., Captain, Ohio
Coltz, Gordon K., Captain, Michigan.
Copeland, William V., Captain, North Carolina.
Crawford, George D., 1st Lt., Iowa.
Creaff, J. H. B., Captain, Arizona.
Cruickshank, James A., 1st Lt., Vermont.
Daly, Lynn F., 2nd Lt., Illinois.
Dillaway, George L. Jr., 1st Lt., Massachusetts.
Dolan, John C., 1st Lt., Massachusetts.
Easley, John W. Jr., 1st Lt., Virginia.
Garrett, Roy D., 1st Lt., North Dakota.
Gilchrist, Edward J., 1st Lt., New York.
Goad, Edgar F., Captain, California.
Goldfeder, Morris, 1st Lt., Oklahoma.
Hall, Ramon L., 1st Lt., New York.
Herzberg, Albert C., Captain, Alabama.
Hinkleman, Robert F., 1st Lt., New York.
Hobbs, C. N., Captain, Florida.
Howard, Gaston S., Captain, Texas.
Howell, Charles E., 1st Lt., Missouri.
Jones, Ernest S., 1st Lt., Virginia.
Jones, Lawrence E., Captain, Nebraska.
Kile, Cletus E., 1st Lt., Pennsylvania
Kleifgan, William, Captain, Indiana.
McCuen, John, Captain, Oklahoma.
McGowan, Donald W., 1st Lt., New Jersey.
Mainord, Hugh I., Captain, Tennessee
Malton, Kendall A., Captain, Kansas
Maxwell, William J., 1st Lt., Connecticut.
Miller, George W., Captain, Maryland
Miner, Roy B., Captain, Vermont.
Mitchell, Merle S., 1st Lt., Michigan.
Morrison, Don H., 1st Lt., Iowa.
Moyer, Samuel P., Captain, Kansas.
Newton, Basil E., Captain, Arkansas.
Norton, Robert H., 1st Lt., New York.
Oats, Charles S., Jr., 1st Lt., Minnesota.
O'Meara, John T., Captain, Massachusetts.
Pentland, John, 1st Lt., Connecticut.
Perring, Nat S., Captain, Texas.
Peters, Harold N., 2nd Lt., Washington.
Pond, Frederick L., Captain, Pennsylvania.
Powell, George W., 1st Lt., New Jersey.
Quinn, Thomas J., Captain, Massachusetts.
Raine, C. O., Jr., Captain, Missouri.
Reeder, Ovid L., 1st Lt., Indiana.
Rice, Clark C., 1st Lt., Ohio.
Roden, Francis M., Captain, Wisconsin.
Rose, Charles A., 2nd Lt., Texas.
Ross, Gordon C., Captain, Hawaiian.
Rushton, Charles H., 1st Lt., New York.
Schlesmer, Joseph S., Captain, Missouri.
Sciscoe, William H., Captain, Indiana.
Scolman, James T., Captain, Wisconsin.
Seyfreid, Rudolph J., Captain, Colorado.
Singletary, John H., 1st Lt., Alabama.
Stang, H. J., Captain, Michigan.
Steen, Marvin D., Captain, Texas.
Thornton, Horace E., Captain, Illinois.
Thorpe, John W., 1st Lt., Minnesota.
Turner, F. W., Captain, West Virginia.
Van Horn, Edward W., Captain, Oregon.
Varela, Manuel, Captain, Porto Rico.
Verhage, Robert H., 1st Lt., Ohio.
Vermilyea, Harvey C., Captain, Wisconsin.
Wagner, Edward R., 1st Lt., Illinois.
Waite, Raymond I., Jr., 1st Lt., New York.
Walton, Kendall A., Captain, Kansas.
Warden, Clyde E., Captain, West Virginia.
Webb, Frank L., Captain, California.
York, Miami O., 1st Lt., Nebraska.

**Officers Reserve Corps.**

Anderson, Carl J., 1st Lt., Infantry.
Campbell, Frank H., 1st Lt., Infantry
Carey, John H., Captain, Infantry.
Cooper, James R., Captain, Infantry.
Gordon, Samuel L., Captain, Infantry
Homan, John A., 2nd Lt., Infantry.
Hopf, Ernest A., 1st Lt., Infantry.
Jahns, Lewis E., 1st Lt., Infantry.
Kyle, George R., 1st Lt., Infantry.
Langenbach, John W., 1st Lt., Infantry.
Lee, Newell B., Captain, Infantry.
McCord, Walter A., Captain, Infantry
Matter, Brian, Captain, Infantry.
Pearson, Donald M., 2nd Lt., Infantry
Robinson, James S., 2nd Lt., Infantry
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## History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 6.)

Hand drilling was used exclusively on this work. One major gallery with four entrances and capacity for an entire company was also started, but the company was relieved before it could be completed. On the 20th of August the company was subjected to a gas attack which lasted for a period of 20 minutes, but no casualties resulted. Five different patrols from "D" Company went with the infantry, their mission being to haress the enemy by blowing up barbed wire entanglements with Bengalora torpedoes. These expeditions were successful, although at times the men were under intense machine gun fire.

**Company "E"**

Company "E" was stationed at Moyenmoutier, and its work in this sector consisted of the construction of dugouts in the second line position, installing and operating compressors, and various details operated with the infantry. One platoon was stationed at the railhead at Raon l'Etape constructing barracks and operating the ration dump. A detail was engaged in the construction of gun emplacements for the 21st Field Artillery. Two dugouts with capacity for 250 men were constructed in solid rock at Rahodeau, using preumatic drills. A similar dugout was constructed at Malfosse and at La Presle. Others were started but the company was relieved before they were completed. At various times, details of Company "E" blew up enemy barbed wire for infantry patrols. On August 6th, Corporals Knight and Kidd, who were attached to the scout platoon of the 2nd Battalion of the 61st Infantry, advanced ahead of the platoon under heavy fire and placed and exploded two Bengalore torpedoes, and were commended by the regimental commander of the 61st Infantry for their good deportment under fire.

**Company "F"**

Company "F" took station opposite Pierre Percee, in the extreme north of the sector. During the period of August 1st to 22nd, it was engaged in the construction of dugouts and shelters in the 2nd position, repairing roads, camouflage work, and making emplacements for field artillery of the division. The company com leted work started by the French on trenches, dugouts, machine gun emplacements for the 19th Field Artillery. Hand drilling was done, as no pneumatic drills were available. On two ocasions patrols went out with the infantry to blow up enemy wire. The first attempt failed as the Germans had cut the wires by counter fire, but the second attempt was successful, and a passage about eleven feet in width was blown through the enemy wire. Later two raiding parties from the company accompanied units of a French regiment in this sector, and harassed the Boche with success. Two saw mills were operated in this vicinity.

The Engineer Train Headquarters, during this period, was located at Le Bihay. French engineer dumps located at Le Bihay, Roan l'Etape and Nayemontles Fosses were operated by them.

The last units of the 5th Division in the St. Die sector were relieved on August 23rd, 1918, on which day the command of the sector passed to the Commanding General of the 87th Division (French). The 92nd American Division (colored) had arrived and entered the line under French tutelage in the usual way.

The Fifth Division was ordered to the Arches area, and on the 23rd of August the regiment assembled at Le Bihay and started a three-day march to St. Nabord, near Remiremont, by way of LaHoussier and Deycimont. On the last night, several German bombing planes were heard, and soon afterwards seven or eight bombs were heard to explode in the vicinity of Epinal. The regiment spent two days in rest and two in intensive training.

August 29th should be remembered for two reasons; firstly, the regiment moved from St. Nabord to Virecourt, and secondly, the move was made in French motor trucks. All was in readiness for embussing at 1:30 P. M.; rolling kitchens were loaded into five trucks which had been sent up for that purpose; nothing was lacking except trucks for the men. At 5:00 P. M. hte trucks began to arrive and at 6:00 P. M. the start was made for Virecourt, eighteen men with complete equipment in each truck. Halts were made frequent and of long duration, such long duration, in fact that four hours were consumed in traveling the first twenty kilometer. At midnight, or shortly thereafter, for no apparent reason, all those trucks which had not already fallen out of the march, due to engine trouble, were halted, and the drivers prepared their beds for the night, with the announcement that the march would be taken up at 5:30 the next morning. Every hour was colder than the preceding one, but morning came at last and the march resumed. Very good time was made, considering conditions, from 5:30 until the destination was reached at 12:00 noon. During the eighteen hours that the men rode in motor busses, eighty-five kilometers were covered.

On the 30th of August, the regiment was established in Villiacourt. In order that some of the characteristics which the valley had in common with so many others be not forgotten, a street scene in Villacourt has been aded to the history.

But, if there were some drawbacks to the town, there were also advantages, for to own boasted of two commodities for sale—stale beer and plums. Five days of intensive infantry drill were spent here, preceding the march to the St. Miheil offensive.

**The St. Mihiel Offensive**

On the evening of September 6th the regiment left Villacourt by marching, with orders to proceed to Mois de Brule and remained there until the following night, but after the commencement of the march, the destination was changed to Dombasle, more than twice the original distance. At 3:00 A. M. the regiment arrived tired and hungry, with a march of twenty-two kilometers over roads congested with troops, to its credit. The rolling kitchens were ready and within an hour after arriving in Dombasle every man had had a warm breakfast and was in billets.

The following eevning the regiment made an easy march to Tomblaine, about sixteen kilometers distant.

On the night of September 8th the regiment was scheduled to march to Millery and bivouac in the woods north of the town, but again orders were changed after the march began and the regiment marched to the French camp north of Custines in the Bois de Faulx, instead. Here, theoretically, many barracks were available but when the troops arrived at 3:30 A. M., barracks for but two companies had been found. Again the rolling kitchens played a prominent part. They were set up and soon another hot breakfast was ready, which made the world look a trifle brighter, despite the fact that, as usual, rain was falling and the mud was knee deep. It was daylight by the time breakfast was over, and the men started out through the woods to find places to sleep, out of the rain.

At five o'clock on the evening of September 9th preparations were being made to commence the march at 7:00 P. M., the last leg of the approach to the St. Mihiel. The memories of that march will always linger in the minds of those who were there that night. After crossing the river at Custines and getting on to the main road to Pont-a-Mousson, on the west side of the Moselle river, troop columns were encountered, and for the remainder of that dark night, the march was made under difficulties.

(To be continued next week.)

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OH! BOY WHAT A TIME. The Engineers had some time Monday night when they showed what they had in the line of entertainments.

We have just been lucky enough to get space for a Recreation room and believe me, if you can't find recreation there, there is no use looking anywhere else.

We will have to hand it to 1st Sergeant Henry L. Gensch for the way him and Staff Sergeant James H. McNally put the thing over. Staff Sergeant MacNally was the big ATTRACTION of the evening. He presented his favorite MASTERPIECE, "THE DOUGHBOY." Well I don't know what we would do for a little entertainment once in awhile if it wasn't for our old friend Sergeant McNally, and say there is one thing that I forgot ot mention, Sergeant McNally has a new HOME BREW recipe, and said, "That he was going to take a ten day hunting furlough and try thte KICK on the banks of the Chattahoochee."

Our true and beloved friend Cook Smith was right on the job, what time he was there, but he didn't last long. Cook Smith is now attending the Bakers and Cooks school, says that he likes the school, because they have to taste everything they cook, and if it kills them, they will not put it out to the boarders.

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22. Don't write falsehoods or we will let your story lie.

23. Don't send your picture, a valentine contest will be held later on.

24. When in doubt spelling a word use figures.

25. When in doubt about figures compare them with your wife.

26. When folding your story try not to bend the paper or crease it.

Red Lindsey, our star center, is going into the cake eater class. He was seen one day last week about 11:30 P. M. escorting a sweet young lady home. They make a good looking couple. Red will have to keep his eyes in front of him, he stumbles every time he comes to a bump. Can't you talk to her without looking into her eyes?

Ye past scribe was seen by ye present scribe recently with seeminly not a care in the world. Pretty soft, we'll say, pretty soft. By the way, we wish to remind you that this scribe job aint no cinch. We have to rack our brain to fill this space, so slip me some bits of news whenever you can, so I will not have to do all thy lying.

The football team sure did look good against Greenville, 75 to 0. Well it was a good scrimmage for the team. A good time was had by all.

Arnold is back for duty, and is out with the football team, but is a long ways from being in condition. Being on special duty for the past several months at Capt. Teachout's summer resort he was unable to keep in good condition.

The leak in Lieut. Jaynes windshield has been repaired.

Beds are made to sleep in. 'Sfact, although Wade doesn't seem to know it, and goes to sleep in automobiles. Howard's busses seem to be his favorite brand of Pullman.

Burton, of Company "C," while traveling about in the suburbs of Greenville last Friday thought that he would attempt a little aerial flight with his "Hoopie," which resulted disastrously for the car, although the occupants were unhurt. What did you think you were, a butterfly? Drink "squirrel whiskey instead of Old Crow, you can stand the jumps, but don't try the flying again.

Say, Gardner, why don't you put some tires on that Dodge? You aren't running fast freights now.

Carey and Hardman, of Co. "C" have left on 60 day furlough to St. Louis. Please stay off the corner of Eighth and Market, as we'd like to see you get back safely.

Boltan puts marks on the calendar every day now. "Short timers" sound off. He says he'll hoist "Old Glory" to the top of the pole, and he's going to re-up—in the same old way.

"Catfish" Bledsoe claims the hotcake eating championship of the 4th Corps Area. Have we any challengers? **He says that if they are good** that he can eat **90 per hour, but if** they are like Headquarters and "A" company cooks but out he refuses to endanger his life in any such menial way. At present he is fighting the battle of "Starvation hill."

Bryan, of Co. "C," had visitors a few days ago. A party composed of Mayor L. B. West, of Cuthbert, Ga.; Mr. W. C. Sawyer, Cuthbert; Misses Catherine Thomas, Columbus; Vera Gregory, Montezuma; Alma Blunt, Wrightsville; and others spent a pleasant afternoon with him at the polo game and inspecting the Tanks.

Well gang, let's go. "Turn to the Right" and "Up One Flight," our two plays, are being presently nightly for the next week on the original stage.

It is rumored that **our star center** has also became a "Stage-door Johnny," as it is known that he and "Little Eva" **of the !! Up One Flight"** cast have become fast friends.

Will someone kindly tell the editor what town or district it is that Bob Hunter claims to be Mayor of.

"Abie" and "Polygarchy," of Co. "C," are said to be planning another trip up 11th street. Wonder if they will make the corner without any assistance next time. If it hadn't have been for her husband on the sidewalk **she'd have never run you into anything** at all, Bruce.

It is understood that Bryan has become a pillar of one of the Jordan City churches. Wonder if he attends for the same reason that Edmunds used to go to church **in Owenton, and** also in **Rose Hill.**

## Artillery News Notes.

The battalion football team, for three periods threw a scare into the 15th Tank Corps eleven Wednesday afternoon, but that aggregation, Sharpe's hurling arm, Palleas' receiving hands, and this season's change of rules formed a quartette of factors that overwhelmed the cannoneers in the last quarter.

It was anybody's game until the fatal fourth. In the first quarter the Tanks took the ball at one end and marched it to the other in successive first downs. They got another on a freak bounce of the ball when punted to the cannoneer safety man.

And then the artillerymen got the ball. Samlavich and Marsh, aided by a fast charging line, pierced the Tank line for steady gains. When the Tanks took the ball with their backs to their goal, Donnelly, the artillery tackle, blocked a punt and fell on it for a touchdown. This same Donnelly scooped up the ball all afternoon whenever carlessly left about by a Tanker, played both sides of the defensive line with a hand apiece, pulled several Gaelic style punts when the regular kicker was out, and casually spoiled line plays by the simple expedient of picking up the nearest player with one hand and throwing him under the play while he covered a yawn with the other. Throughout the third quarter the score remained the same, two touchdowns to one, but when the artillery men attempted to send in several first string men, including Marsh, in the fourth quarter, they ran up against the recent change in rules which demands that a player removed in one half may not be reentered in the same half.

Handicapped by the loss of several of their best players, who had to do their fuming on the sidelines.

Handicapped by this, the artillerymen were in no position to put up their best defense against the beautiful forward passing game of the Tanks, who opened up in the last quarter with one of the best assortment of overhead plays ever completed on the Service Club field. The fast ends and backs of the Tanks corps played dazzling football, and the Tanks Corps interference has reached a stage of high class, but it is believed their line was outcharged by their lighter opponents. The Tank Corps open game in the last period put the cannoneers on the short end of a 39 to 6 score.

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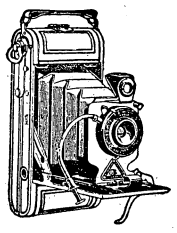
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## Signal Corps Notes

Our efficient Wire Chief Cpl. Raymond A. Harris, (or rather Mr. Harris) was discharged this week per expiration of term of enlistment. Mr. Harris has an excellent position awaiting him with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. While we wish him the best of success in his new fields of endeavor, we willl, however, miss him from our ranks, as well as the nightly radio concerts which we have listened to over his private radio set.

Private DeVine our Chief Operator in the Telephone Exchange says, "What to H..... is the use of being a boss if you can't fire your men?" Nuff said, we will not give you away to the public.

Since the coming of Capts. Lattin and Back to the local Signal Office, the efficiency of the office has increased greatly, and as we have known for some time that the services of Capt. Lattin was wanted as Signal Corps Laison Officer of the Infantry School and those of Capt. Back with the Engineering Section of the Infantry School, we have hoped that some means would be found of allowing both of these officers to remain with us, as during their short stay with us we have often wondered how we ever did without them. Therefore we welcomed with the joy the orders received the past week appointing Capt. Lattin Signal Officer and Capt. Back as Asistant Signal Officer.

The past week the Signal Officer, Assistant Signal Officer, and the Line Chief Staff Sergt. Manning, armed with maps pencils and other necessary paraphernalia, have scouted the reservation ferreting out the many faulty installations, and other things which have for several months been an annoyance to this office as well as to the activities to which they particularly apply. With the scouting which these officials are carrying on daily it will, only be a matter of short duration before the Signal Corps activities will be running smoothly.

We were asked the other day if we had female operators on the switchboard again, to which we replied such was not the case, it was only one of our regular enlisted operators endeavoring to impersonate the feminine sex, probably with the view of a possibility of getting on to a country board somewhere back in the sticks.

Pvt. Heard has applied for a three months furlough. He states that by that time without a doubt the telephone line wrecking crew up at the Upatoie Creek will have completed their work. If not he will apply for an extension. We have agreed to furnish him a weekly report of the number of hours we spend each Saturday afternoon during his absence at the Creek.

Cpl. Jenkins has asked us to kindly inquire of the News if they will not find space in this week's issue to publish his poem dedicated to the Howard Bus Line. We are heartily in accord with his contribution, the only missing link which we discovered was the fact that he failed to mention the number of patches which we have on our trousers which give them the appearance of a checker board. Oh! just the springs protruding through the seats that's all.

(Edtor's Note: The bus line classic had not arrived at the time of going to press.)

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That which we acquire with the most difficulty, we retain the longest. Those who have earned a fortune are usually more careful of it than those who have inherited one.

## "OLD TIMER" TAKES A RAP AT PINK BREECHES AND NEW CAP—ALSO TAKES UP GOLF

My Dear Murphy: I can not understand why in your very curt answer to me in last letter you should cast doubt on me word and incidentally make fun of me high falutin language, as you term it. You have known me long enough to know that I am a truthful soldier, in fact that I would tell the truth until it hurts, and as far as the high falutin English of which you complain, surely you remember that many is the page of manuscript I had to copy for our old captain—one finger at a time—so that my English is much better than your own, even if tinged with a slight brogue. Indeed, every blessed thing I have told you is the truth and conditions are just as I represented them. You wouldn't know our present army from the Connaugh Rangers or the Inniskilling Dragoons, so flossy and chic are they with the new doodads and all.

But to get back to golf, the other day our captain came in and showed me his leave order. It was for two months and nine and one-half days. Says he, "Flanagan, I am going to leave you for a short time. Slavinsky, me striker and factotum, will have charge of me dog, and you can take care of me golf clubs. They're over in the corner; use them. It might help your ingrowing grouch and creeping indigestion," Saying thus, he left. There are four of the funny looking little shinney stricks and six hard rubber balls. So one day when the company was on fatigue and none of our opcers was around I sneaked out on the links—links, mind you—with the help of Sandy Mackintosh, our artificer, a sunny Scot of parts, I took my first lesson. First we traced across the parade, dodging polo ponies and ducking home run drives made by golfettes to the siren call of fore, whatever that means.

I now feel that I am a golfer meself, and believe me nearly everybody is doing it. Why, they are so enthusiastic that they play at daylight and even during drill hours, and if it weren't for the fact that the pink pants plague is the exclusive idiocyncracy of the commissioned personnel, I'd sport a pair meself. Murphy, old top, but for my little remaining Gaelic sense of humor, the changing fashions in uniforms would be the death of me entirely. Last week I told you about pink pants, but for fear that you wouldn't believe me at all, I did not mention the choistest morsel of the lot, the Czecho-Slovak skypiece. 'Tis a jewel—a work of art. Language fails me in describing its poetic lack of lines; its rakish appearance, the modis hand distingue character which it imparts to the lucky wearer, particularly if he is the proud possessor of an accompanying Charlie Chaplin Omelia murder!

Did I tell you that the remainder of our regiment got here? Well, they did, and a fine upstanding body of men they are, none better. I like the spirit of many of them. The day after they arrived we had fourteen applicants for each coffee cooling job on the post, and our own coffee coolers, with equal spirit, volunteered to hold the jobs down indefinitely. That is indeed the true spirit of self-sacrifice and soldierly devotion to duty.

I was that way when I was a recruit myself—only a minute though. When I first joined at David's Island, old Sgt. Biddy O'Connor was provost, and the first day we were out for fatigue Biddy lined us up and called for mechanics, typists, clerks, et cetera, to step to front; with several other come-ons, I stepped. Biddy detailed me to turn the wringer for his wife. So since then I waited for details to seek me.

We now have a full complement of soldiers representing all combat arms, tanks, ex-tanks, infantry and artillery. The latter are distinguished by their uniforms. The most striking part of which is a large leather vest worn on the outside. I don't see why they didn't adopt the Filipino style entirely and wear their shirts outside also. But the greatest pleasure of all is yet to be realized, that is to see the tanks proudly prancing around parade with guidons flying. Oh, indeed 'twill be a wild night at sea. Auf vedershehen.

Your old Bunkie, Old Timer.

—5th Corps News and Diamond Dust.

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## THEM WAS THE GUYS!

Who won the war? Hellsbells, buddies, have you forgot the dudes that quizzed you with this stuff: "Cross all the t's and dot all the i's in the following words: Orange, Banana, Lemon; How many legs has a Parasite; If the answer to the preceding question is an odd number, or if Edison discovered America, put your chest measurement in the space which is in the triangle and the square but not the circle; Subtract 119 from 107—from 76, 66, etc.; If the total of the remainders of the preceding problems is over 53, put the name of your favorite bootlegger on a card and hand it to the top-kick. If you like army life place your tongue between your upper and lower fourth molars and have your buddy butt-stroke your chin with his 30.30."

Say, have your birds forgot the psychs? It would have been a hell of a war if the psychs hadn't horned in. I was a doughboy myself, but if any tin-hat trench-hound tries to take for himself any of the credit that is due to the psychs I'll knock him for seven consecutive rows of G. I. cans, and that goes.

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# American Legion Opposes Small Army

**EXTRACT FROM RESOLUTION SHOWS THAT LEGION FAVORS PROVISIONS OF NATIONAL DEFENSE ACT.**

The trend of public opinion is signified by the fact that the National Convention of the American Legion has gone on record as being in favor of a Regular Army of the size designated by the National Defense Act of June 4, 1920.

Extracts from a resolution passed by the National Convention are quoted below:

"Be it resolved, That the National Convention of the American Legion endorses the National Defense Act of June 4, 1920, as a sound foundation for the miiltary policy of the American government, and urges adequate appropriations to maintain the Regular Army, National Guard, Organized Reserves, Reserve Officers Training Corps and Citizens Military Training Corps under its provisions in a state of organized efficiency that will guarantee the peace, security and intengrity of the country.

"Resolved, That this convention regards as a national peril of the gravest chaarcter the reduction of the Regular Army below the total enlisted strength provided in the National Defense Act of June 4, 1920. This convention further recommends the immediate repeal of the Army Elimination Class of the Army Appropriation Bill of June 30, 1922, so that the minimum commissioned personnel shall not be less than 13,000 officers."

**SECRETARY OF WAR TO REQUEST CONGRESS TO AMEND NATIONAL DEFENSE ACT AND OBVIATE REDUCTION OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.**

The National Defense Act of 1920 provided officers and non-commissioned officers, not on the basis of the authorized enlisted strength of the Regular Army, but on the basis of the obligations and requirements brought about by the new missions imposed upon this class of personnel by the experiences of the World War. The number of non-commissioned officers in each grade was not fixed by a specific number as in the case of officers, but by a percentage based on the total enlisted strength of the then authorized Regular Army of 280,000.

At the strength of 280,000 the percentages fixed in the law met the requirements for non-commissioned officers, not only for the tactical organizations, but also for duties in connection with the administrative overhead of the service and for those particularly imposed by the National Defense Act in connection with the organization and training of the National Guard, the Organized Reserves and the Reserve Officers' Training Corps.

In limiting the enlisted strength of the Army first to 175,000 men, then to 150,000 and again to 125,000, consideration was not given to the non-commissioned officer and the important work which he is expected to do in the scheme for national defense. With an enlisted strength authorized at only 125,000 the original percentages fixed in law for the various grades of non-commissioned officers are found totally inadequate. Hundreds of such non-commissioned officers are scheduled for duty with organizations of the National Guard, the Organized Reserves and at Reserve Officer Training Corps units. United the original terms of the National Defense Act these men would have been available and could have gone to their duty with sufficient rank and pay to enable them to live in civilian communities in a way creditable to themselves and the work in which engaged, but now these men will find themselves forced into a lower grade with much lower pay. For all its activities the War Department should have about 7800 non-commissioned officers in the three senior grades but based on a strength of 125,000 and the terms of existing law only 5500 can be kept in the grades.

After a careful study of this situation it has been found that about 1600 of the senior non-commissioned officers of the Army are to be demoted unless some increase in authorized numbers is made. Of course, this demotion will carry with it such a loss of pay and prestige as to make it impossible for many of them to continue on the work now planned for them. This situation is so serious not only on account of the work on which they are to be employed but is such an injustice to the men themselves who as a class have long years of service to their credit and are nearly all veterans, that the Secretary of War has asked Congress to amend the National Defense Act and to authorize numbers in the higher grades so that the requirements for non-commissioned officers can be more nearly met.

## AT BENNING THEATRES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Following is the program for War Department Theatres, Fort Benning, Ga., for the week ending November 11th:

**Sunday, Nov. 5th.**
"Fascination," 7 reel feature (May Murray). "Torchy's Frame-Up," two reel comedy.

**Monday, Nov. 6th.**
"Fighting Mad," 6 reel feature, (Bill Desmond.) Mutt & Jeff, 1 reel comedy. Fox News.

**Tuesday, Nov. 7th.**
"Bits of Life," 6 reel feature, (Neilan Production). "Supply and Demand," 2 reel comedy, (Jones.)

**Wednesday, Nov. 8th.**
"Spanish Jade," 6 reel feature, (David Powell). "The Leather Pushers," 2 reel comedy (Denny).

**Thursday, Nov. 9th.**
"Man To Man," 7 reel feature, (Harry Carey). Fox News.

**Friday, Nov. 10th.**
"Burn 'Em Up Barnes," 6 reel feature, (Johnny Hines). Rolin Comedy, 1 reel. Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Nov. 11th.**
"Gilded Cage," 8 reel feature, (May Murray). "Say Uncle," one reel comedy, (All Star).


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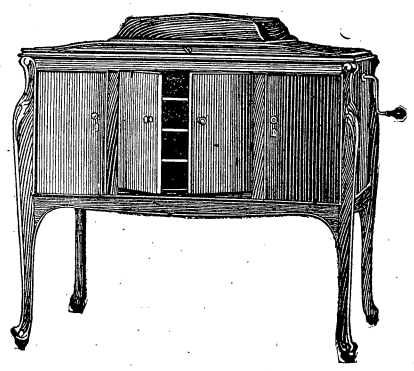

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## CORRESPONDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF WAR ON BUDGET ESTIMATES OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

The following is the reply from the President to the letter from the Secretary of War which follows it:

The White House, Washington,
October 21, 1922.

My dear Mr. Secretary:

I have had under advisement your letter of September 21st, wherein you point out that budget requirements of the next fiscal year have occasioned the formulation of the War Department estimate on a basis which can not be justified except by the absolute necessity for immediate economy.

Although there has been some increase in the limiting sum since the date of your letter, I understand that there still must be a very appreciable curtailment in the military program for next year. Disappointing as such a course must be, I do not believe that we are justified in exceeding the governmental resources for the coming year. Nevertheless there are limits in reduction beyond which we can not go, even in the praiseworthy cause of economy, without destroying the excellent foundation now laid for our national defense and forfeiting the accrued benefits of World War experience.

It is intended to adhere to the purposes and provisions of the National Defense Act of 1920. Recommendations of our war-tried military advisers as to the essential requirements for the effective and satisfactory operation of that Act can not be ignored. I believe that the Army is now as small as should be contemplated, unless there should be a decided change in military conditions throughout the world.

Very truly yours,
WARREN G. HARDING.

War Department, Washington,
September 21, 1922.

The President,
The White House:

Dear Mr. President:

I have this day transmitted to the Director of the Bureau of the Budget the Budget requirements of the War Department for the fiscal year 1924, and feel that I would be neglecting my duty if I did not present to you certain salient facts in connection therewith.

The estimate is submitted for the 125,000 enlisted men and 12,000 officers now authorized by law, and does not express the military requirements in order to carry out the spirit and object of the National Defense Act. In my opinion, and the opinion of military leaders of the Regular Army, National Guard and Organized Reserves, the minimum number required to carry out the provisions of that Act are 150,000 enlisted men and 13,000 officers.

Within the limiting figure allowed to the War Department by Bureau of the Budget, namely, $312,932,309, it is not possible to meet the absolute requirements of the existing military organizations which are authorized by law. However, advantage has been taken of the authority of the Bureau of the Budget to submit as supplemental estimates those needs of the War Department which were considered absolutely essential and which could not be included within the limiting figure of $312,932,309. The total of the regular estimate and the supplemental estimate has, however, been kept below the current appropriations.

Th resulting figures have been submitted solely on the basis of allowing the material plant of the Army to run down temporarliy, in the interests of immediate economy, with a full knowledge that this means a greater expense in future years to recover from accelerated deterioration. Such a policy could only be supported in the conviction of the absolute necessity for immediate economy. The Budget is submitted with this idea in mind, and should be considered now and in the years to come in the light of these remarks.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN W. WEEKS,
Secretary of War.


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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL
BASEBALL

## POLO.

Last Sunday afternoon the largest crowd that has yet gathered to witness the Sunday afternoon polo game were entertained by the six teams engaged.

The first game was between the 29th Infantry and the Yellows. The 29th Infantry conceded a four-goal handicap to their opponents and the final result was 16 to 5. Major Waite of the Yellow team scored the goal for his team and played a hard game throughout. The work of Douglas and Botts for the 29th Infantry was outstanding, the former scoring six goals and the latter five. This team worked well together and showed a decided well together in both stick work and team work over previous performances.

The second game was between Co. "D," 29th Infantry and Howitzer Company, 29th Infantry. This game was played on mules. The players were somewhat handicapped because of their mounts not taking kindly to the game. One big black, especially, seemed to have a decided preference for the picket line at the end of the field where the Blue team horses were located and the player had considerable difficulty keeping his animal in the game. Both teams started at scratch with the result of 2 to 0 in favor of Company "D."

The third game was the hardest fought game of the seson so far. The Blue team and the 83rd Artillery met for four periods and the final outcome of the game was in doubt until the last gong sounded. The Artillery got the lead within the first minute of play. Gannon, with an exceptionally difficult stroke, scored for the Artillery. The Blue team came back strong and tallied up one. By hard riding the Blue team gained the advantage over their opponents in the next three periods and near the last of the fourth chukker the score was 4 to 3, favor of the Blues. With but less than a minute to play Gannon stole the ball out of a crimmage and was down the field on a hard run, getting the jump on his Blue opponent. Two Blue players pushed him hard but his horse was the fastest of the three and just before the gong sounded Gannon shot the ball between the goals. This happy finish was appreciated by the crowd and especially by the Blue team, the latter taking opportunity to compliment Gannon on his play.

The line-ups were as follows:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| YELLOWS | Vs. | 29TH INF. |
| Martin | 1 | Douglas |
| Waite | 2 | McClur |
| Eggers | 3 | Brooks |
| Wheeler | Back | Betts |
| COMPANY "D" | Vs. | HOWITZER CO. |
| Lange | 1 | Bowman |
| Detweiler | 2 | Thomas |
| Carroll | 3 | Hayes |
| Cunningham | Back | Hendrick |
| Thomas | Back | Goode |
| BLUES | Vs. | ARTILLERY |
| McKinney | 1 | Gannon |
| French | 2 | Beiderlinden |
| Legge, Elkins | 3 | Roxbury |
| Weems | Back | McCarthy |
| Legge | Back | Yeager |

Next Sunday the games will be between the Artillery and the Yellows and the 29th Infantry and the Blues.

The first game begins at 2:15 in the afternoon and, in the event of rain on Saturday or Sunday whether there will be play or not will be indicated by the flag in front of the Station Hospital, the blue flag denotes play.

## BOXING.

In the boxing bouts held at the Open Air Arena last Thursday night the results were as shown below:

Sebukaty (I. S. D.) vs. Michel (29th Inf.)—Sebukaty was unable to box. Michael did not appear. Bout postponed.

Erdos (83rd Art.) vs. Branner (I. S. D.)—Erdos won decision.

Otalvaro (29th Inf.), vs. Janoske (29th Inf.)—Otalvaro won decision.

Alonzo (29th Inf.) vs. De Rose (29th Inf.)—DeRose won decision.

The following named men will compose the Fort Benning Boxing team which will represent the Post in the Fourth Corps Area Boxing and Wrestling Tournament to be held in Atlanta on November 22nd, 23rd, and 24th:

**Middleweight Class.**

1. Sebukaty, I. S. D.
2. Michel (or Pomerantz), 29th Infantry.

**Welterweight Class.**

1. Erdos, 83rd Artillery.
2. Branner, I. S. D.

**Lightweight Class.**

1. Grantham, 15th Tank Bn.
2. Otalvaro, 29th Infantry.

**Featherweight Class.**

1. DeRose, 29th Infantry.
2. Alonzo, 29 Infantry.

**Bantamweight Class.**

1. Keenan (or Helms), 29th Inf.
2. Helms (or Keenan), 29th Inf.

**Heavyweight Class.**

1. Donnely, 83rd Artillery.
2. Vacant.

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## History of the 29th Infantry

The old soldier rises to remark that he has ridden through Cuban jungle trails in a bull cart; has sat astride the placid Philippine carabo; careened through the streets of Nagasaki in a rambling rickshaw; been jolted over the Chinese equivalent of a road in a "Pekin buggy;" jogged through mesquite and cactus on a Mexican burro; mushed the Yukon trail behind a sled and team of huskies; risked his life with a drunken Parisian Taxi driver; bounced over the cobblestones of Vladivostock in a dilapidated drashky and rolled down Wilhemstrasse in a carriage of former royalty, but for the ride of a lifetome and the choicest conglomeration of smells he recommends a pay-day bus ride from Columbus to Camp when the wind is blowing "right" from the guano factory.

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The mystery of the "Slum Burners" " Association: Who stole the meat from the slum Wednesday evening?

* * *

Overheard at Chaplain Gray's lecture Wednesday: Compass: "I can't see anything in this lecture that would interest my girl." But, it would probably hasten the wedding bells, say we.

* * *

It has been rumored around that some one's girl married and left him flat. Who said Rawls?

* * *

What happened to the bonus, Devaere? You should be more careful in her presence.

* * *

Sgt. D. R. G. wants to know where Gravely got the pretty complexions on the lapels of his coat? A certain Sergeant overheard a girl say to Gravely, "Come in Sweetie, Mother didn't mean to throw the lamp." We wonder?

* * *

The "Information Bureau" was in town Saturday and Sunday. We guess that's where the "Info" comes from.

* * *

Another Good Man gone wrong. Jean has taken unto himself a bride. We guess the badge of the Fire Department attracted her eye. She probably thought he was a motorcycle cop instead of a soldier.

* * *

If the feminine population can wear such (few and thin) clothes in the winter, why can't the males wear straw hats? This information desired by McCarthy.


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# SPORTING NEWS

## BOXING

On last Monday evening the following bouts of the Fort Benning Boxing Tournament were held at the open air arena near the Service Club.

Pomerants, (29th Inf.) vs. Michel (29th Inf.)—This bout indicated by hard fighting throughout. Resulted in a draw.

Erdos (83rd Art.) vs. Pacioni (15th Tanks)—Pacioni could not fight due to injuries received in a previous fight. Griffith, a new man from the 29th Infantry, substituted for Pacioni. Erdos won decision. Griffith challenged Erdos for a return bout at a later date.

Butler (83rd Art.) vs. Branner (I. S. D.)—Butler repeatedly knocked down by Branner. Branner won by technical K. O. in third round.

Otalavo (29th Inf.) vs. Grantham (15th Tanks)—A fast fight from start to finish. Both men going strong at end of bout. Grantham won by shade.

LeBlanc (15th Tanks) vs. Janosko (29th Inf.)—LeBlanc refused to fight account of lack of training.

Timmons (7th Engrs.) vs. Alonzo —Alonzo's fight from the start. Alonzo won technical knockout in second round.

Keenan (29th Inf.) vs. Helms (29th Inf.)—A fast bout from start to finish. At the end of four rounds the judges voted a draw. The referee called for an extra round. At the end of the round the bout was declared a draw.

## FOOTBALL

On last Wednesday afternoon the 15th Tanks added another victory to their credit and annexed a hard fought game from the 83rd Artillery. The first half was hotly contested and ended 13 to 6 in favor of the "Treat 'Em Rough" outfit. In the second half the Tanks came back with a rush and after the dust had settled at the end of the game the tally read 39 to 6, favor of the Tanks.

The forward passing and line plunging of Sharpe, the tackling and receiving of forward passes by Arnold and Mabry, and the general good work of Swantic, Poling, and Wooten, combined with the heady work of Sullivan contributed to the Tank's victory.

The line-ups were as follows:

| TANKS | | ARTILLERY |
|---|---|---|
| Pallies | R.E. | Anderson |
| Poling | R.T. | Steelman |
| Mattingly | R.G. | Harrison |
| Lindsey | C. | Erdos |
| Nelson | L.G. | Zuskowitch |
| Lee | L.T. | Donnelly |
| Mabry | L.E. | Hunt |
| Swantic | F.B. | Marsh |
| Wooten | R.H. | Cakelutch |
| Sharp | L.H. | Sammovlitch |
| Sullivan | Q.B. | Rutledge |

The standing of the teams in the Fort Benning League is as follows:

| | Pld. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2nd Bn., 29th Inf. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| 15th Tank Battalion | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| 1st Bn., 29th Inf. | 2 | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| 83rd Artillery | 2 | 0 | 2 | .000 |
| Freebooters | 2 | 0 | 2 | .000 |

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## Co. A. Co. Officers Mess

Company "A" was more than prominent in one of the most unique of all dinners, that given last week by the members of the Bolo Squad of the Company Officers' Class to Capt. Lawrence Glasgow who guided and cajoled the eight members of the unit to a 100 per cent qualification on the rifle range. Two experts and six marksmen were the results of his efforts.

The dinner was held at the Ralston Hotel. Captain Layman was a guest of honor. Capt. Allen presented Capt. Glasgow with a regulation army bolo carefully polished with a silver plate on the handle, inscribed thus:

To CAPTAIN L. B. GLASGOW
By the Bolo Squad
Company Officers' Class 1923.

Place cards were in the form of paper bolos, the decorations thereon featuring a target and a wildly waving red flag, Captain Addington of "Our Own" being the artistic genius for the occasion.

The back of each place card bore one of the rifle range alibis voted by the Bolo Squad as being among the most popular presented during the range work.

Among them were:
"Someone stole my bolt."
"I had to take my wife to a bridge party last night."
"I was overcoached."
"I was metal fouling."
"My clip broke."
"My sights were crooked."

"Dad" Fowle has opened a whirlwind campaign for election as Commander of the American Legion at the next annual convention. If elected he states that one of his chief policies will be to secure the passage of a bill by Congress prohibiting all high-jumping, shot-putting, broad-jumping, and sprints by officers of the army attending service schools whose last names begin with "F," and end in "E," and who were appointed from North Carolina. Company "A's" political sharks consider the candidate's chances for election to be about equivalent to those of Mr. Andrew Gump.

Company "A" wishes to call attention to the fact that Calculator, mathematical genius of Fort Benning and harbinger of Infantry School good-fortune has adopted this organization for his own. This high priest of the "God of Tenths" saw fit to cavort to the range during target season along side of Company "A's" section of the Contour Limited and spends most of his rest periods in our locker room.

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Pvt. Williamson, the well known sharpshooter, has a special guard in his tent from retreat to reveille every night, to see that he doesn't sleep too sound.

The company automobile school is in full swing. The school is open every Saturday afternoon from 1 to 6 p. m. We have quite a number of students. Sgt. Stover is the official instructor.

A thousand drunks for a dime. A certain man in the company has a new way of getting drunk. He gets a dime's worth of camphor balls, and says he uses them to blacken the sights of his rifle, but we know better when he keeps smelling the fumes from the balls.

While dancing at the Service Club the other night, one of the men from the company was seen to fall in the middle of a dance. He says the shoes he wore were new and a little slippery. We know all about the shoes, but we think he had something that went to his head instead of to his feet. The shoes were not quite so slippery the night of the company dance, and they behaved themselves wonderfully.

Do we have any gold diggers in the company? Ask Sgt. Tyree. The other day he was seen tearing up the floors of nine different tents in order to get fifty cents.

Our knight of the range is with us again after a sixty day furlough. We mean the range in the kitchen. We're glad to have him with us again, too, because the beans and the stew will fly when he goes in the kitchen. Just give us the kind like mother used to make.

When it comes to hiking, you have to hand it to this man who hiked from Atlanta to Baltimore to join the army. He should have no kick coming when it comes to hiking five or ten miles for exercise. We won't mention any names, but his initials are W. V. McCullom.

Pvt. Bruce Swisher has returned from a French leave, which ended quite suddenly and in a way that he was not expecting it to end. Better stick around, Bruce, you'll draw more money if you do.

## Medical Department Notes

The weekly of the Non-commissioned Officers Club was held on Monday night on October 23, 1922. The attendance was good and the most enjoyable evening was spent in social recreation.

It is with pleasure that we announce the re-enlistments of Staff Sergeant Edward C. Carswell and Sergeant George E. Lang, Medical Department, for duty at this station. Uncle Sam still needs good typists and personnel clerks.

Word has been received from Captain A. A. Roby, M. A. C., that Mrs. Roby and he are enjoying the delightful weather conditions of Florida.

Mrs. H. S. Hansell, wife of Colonel Hansell, M. C., called a meeting at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday, October 31, 1922, of the ladies of the Medical Department, for the purpose of forming a club to handle the social activities of the Medical Department at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Our obliging correspondence clerk Sergeant Thompson, likes the boxing matches very much, but does not like blood, and leaves early when there is any possibility of bloodshed in the ring.

On Thursday evening, October 26, 1922, a smoker was held in the Mess Hall of the Hospital for the men of the Medical Department. Practically every member of the Medical Department enlisted personnel was present. Music was furnished by the 24th Infantry orchestra. Dancing lessons were offered by 1st Sergeant Rogers, and some exceptionally good and new dances were discovered. Cigars and cigarettes were the smokes for the evening, and sandwiches, coffee and "near beer" (fairly good) was served about 9:00 p. m. Everyone reports an enjoyable evening and that "stag dancing" made a great hit with the men.

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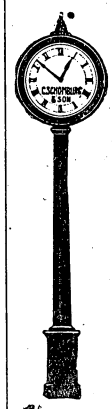

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

Armistice Day will be observed by the Chaplains of the Post at the Chapels as follows:

Saturday 9 a. m., Requiem Mass at the Catholic Chapel, by Chaplain Lennan.

Sunday 10:30 a. m., Armistice Sunday Service, Protestant Chapel, by Chaplain Wood.

Sunday 11 a. m., Armistice Sunday Service, 24th Infantry, by Chaplain Reynolds.

On Friday evening (Nov. 10) Armistice Memorial services will be held by Rabbi Rosenthal in the Synagogue, Columbus.

Sunday morning at 9:30 the Protestant Sunday School will hold its annual Rally Day exercises. A special invitation is extended to all parents and friends of the school to be present.

Chaplain Wood's Tuesday night Bible class (6 p. m.) will have for its subject "The Parables of Jesus."

The Sunday evening services at the Protestant Chapel will commence at 7 o'clock hereafter. Chaplain Gray will have charge of the services.

Chaplain Wood has the morning services at the Protestant Chapel.

## OFFICERS LIVING IN COLUMBUS

Lt. Col. Henry C. Davis, Wynnton, city phone 2579.
Capt. Thomas D. Davis, Jr., Clark Apt., Wynnton, city phone 3592.
Lt. Col. William J. Davis, 1509 3rd Ave., city phone 37.
Lt. Col. Julian E. Delaplane, 1500 20th St., city phone 3272.
1st Lt. Morris B. DePass, 1533 15th St., city phone 3258.
Capt. Henry V. Dexter, 1408 20th St.
Capt. John T. Dibrell, 1804 Wildwood Drive. Telephone No. 2044.
Lt. Col. William G. Doane, 1226 3rd Ave., city phone 1399.
Capt. Patrick J. Dodd, 115 30th St.
Capt. Erskine S. Dollarhide, Clark Apt., Wynnton, city phone 3843.
Capt. Thomas W. Doyle, 2900 Peabody Ave., city phone 2640.
Capt. Carl E. Driggers, 1511 9th St., city phone 2900.
Major Walter S. Drysdale, Chatham Drive, Wynnton, city phone 843.
Capt. Walter A. Dumas, 1526 3rd Ave., city phone 400.

## Notables Visit Benning

**Guests of Commanding General.**

Fort Benning was fortunate in having as guests this week Senator Harris, Senator-elect George, Congressman Wright, and Governor-elect Walker.

These gentlemen are interested in the needs of the Infantry School and, incidentally, in the Army as a whole. Such representatives as the military service requires will be ably handled at Washington by Senators Harris and George and Representative Wright.

Fort Benning congratulates itself on the personal interest shown the result of which was this visit. While at the Fort the visitors were entertained by General Gordon.

## General and Mrs. Farnsworth Entertain

**OFFICERS ON DUTY WITH CHIEF OF INFANTRY ATTEND BIRTHDAY PARTY.**

Recently Major General and Mrs. Charles S. Farnsworth were hosts to the officers on duty in the office of the chief of infantry and their wives. The occasion will be long remembered as one of the most delightful affairs of the season in the infantry social circles. It was the general's birthday, and a real old-time Army birthday supper was served. This is a continuation of a custom long observed by General and Mrs. Farnsworth of entertaining the officers and ladies of the general's immediate command on his birthday.

## Championship Game For The School Tots Wednesday Matinee

**Tanks Will Meet Second Battalion. Winner To Make Trip To Atlanta. Promises To Be Hot Contest.**

Due to the efforts of Lieut. Col. Horace P. Hobbs, Executive Officer of the 29th Infantry, who is senior officer on the Board of Governors of the Children's School at Fort Benning, admission will be charged next Wednesday afternoon in the championship football game between the "Terrible Tanks" and the Second Battalion of the 29th Infantry.

The game will begin promptly at 2:30 o'clock on the gridiron adjacent to the Service Club and one of the largest crowds of the season is expected.

The team that wins this game will be declared champions of the Post by Captain John W. Elkins, A & R Officer of the Post, and will be tendered a trip to Atlanta to participate in the championship games of the Fourth Corps area, which begin on November 20. Whether the "Tanks" or the "Second Bat" make the trip to the Capitol City depends on the "punch" they put in their game Wednesday afternoon. Verily, it will be a battle of giants and the war cry of the 29th Infantry, "Tackle 'em where you find 'em—and leave 'em where you tackle 'em," will be carried out to the letter.

Owing to the great interest in this championship football battle Colonel Hobbs advocated the charging of a fee to the spectators to aid the Children's School. The enlisted men of the Post are now charged $5.50 a month for each child that attends the school. To reduce this tuition fee, Colonel Hobbs urged paid attendance on some of the first class athletic events of the Post, and his view prevailed. It is now announced that whatever funds accrue from the game between the "Tanks" and the "Second Bat" next Wednesday afternoon will be devoted to reducing the tuition fee on only the children of the enlisted personnel.

For the month of October, according to a report submitted by Colonel Hobbs, a deficit was incurred in operating the children's school, and this shortage was covered from funds on hand. But the fact that a deficit occurred emphasized the obvious fact that the tuition fee was too much for some of the parents to pay. So Colonel Hobbs sought other means of obtaining funds to alleviate the situation and he now urges on all officers and enlisted men of the Post to attend the game next Wednesday afternoon and support the children's school.

The report of the finances of the children's school for the month of October follows:

**Tuition Fund.**

Rec'd from October tuition....$354.20
Rec'd from Nov.-Dec. tui'n.. 170.50
Total .....$524.70
Paid to teachers (salaries)..$391.25
Balance on hand Nov. 4....$133.45

There are outstanding tuition dues unpaid for the month of October $64.65, causing a deficit of $37.05 necessary for the payment of the teachers for October. This deficit has been temporarily covered by tuition paid several months in advance by some of the parents.

**Equipment Fund.**

Rec'd from Hallowe'en pty....$222.54
Expended ..... 65.16
Bal. on hand Nov. 4.....$157.38

The expenditures were those incident to the Hallowe'en party ($49.94) and for school books ($15.22). Total $65.16.

## Good Pictures Coming To Fort Benning

**SOME OF THE SHOWS FOR NOVEMBER ANNOUNCED.**

That Fort Benning is going to have better pictures than ever before is a foregone conclusion. The theatre management gives below an outline of the pictures to be expected soon. The exact dates of showing will be published weekly in the theatre programs.

"Me and My Gal," starring Betty Balfour, is an unusual English story well up to American standards of acting and photography. In this story Miss Balfour is "Squibs" Hopkins, a London flower girl. "Squibs", saucy and pretty, works to keep her family decent. Her father is a corner book-maker and her sister is a shiftless creature whose admirer is a crook. These people resent "Squibs'" sweetheart, a policeman, and tell her that he comes only to pump her of information. In desperation the policeman takes "Squibs" to his people who are at first delighted. This attitude changes, however, when the mother discovers that "Squibs" is not serving in a lordly house as the mother did in her youth. The flower girl is repulsed because her work is not "respectable" but from this comic situation comes dramatic events and, finally, a happy understanding.

"The Black Bag," featuring Herbert Rawlinson as Billy Kirkwood, the hero of the story, has plenty of action throughout. Billy Kirkwood left his furnishing store and went to New York on his vacation. While in a cafe a young woman sought his protection from a man who was annoying her. Billy next met the girl at a nearby beach resort and the annoying stranger was also present. Then the young business man became involved in the strangest adventure of his career.

A diamond necklace had been stolen and the stranger, a crook, told

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# Social Notes

**Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.**
Post Phone 192.

Mrs. McCaskey, wife of Colonel W. B. McCaskey, has extended invitations to fifty or more guests to a bridge party on Thursday afternoon, November 16th, at two o'clock, at the Officer's Mess.

Play will begin as soon as possible after two o'clock and tea will be served at four o'clock.

This bridge is in honor of Mrs. W. O. Smith, wife of Colonel Smith, and Mrs. Maxon S. Lough, wife of Major Lough.

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Miss Lee Parks, the attractive sister of Captain Victor Parks, Instructor in the Department of Military Art, is visiting Capt. and Mrs. Parks. Miss Parks is from Norfolk, Virginia, and will spend about two weeks at Fort Benning.

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Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Jacquelin Hero, daughter of Colonel Andrew Hero, U. S. A., and Mrs. Hero, and a granddaughter of the late Brigadier General John M. K. Davis, and Lieutenant Howard Waite Brimmer, U. S. A. They were married Monday afternoon at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, Washington. The ceremony was performed by Suffragan Bishop Shipman.

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Governor-elect Walker, Senator Harris, Senator-elect George and their party were the guests of Brig. Gen. W. H. Gordon at lunch Friday noon, Nov. 10th, at the Commanding General's Quarters, Fort Benning, Ga.

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One of the largest and most attractive parties of the season was that of Mrs. Horace B. Hobbs and Mrs. M. W. Sullivan, at the Officers' Club Mess, Fort Benning, Wednesday afternoon, November 8.

Pink chrysanthemums and white tapers in silver candlesticks were used as decorations, and blended in beautifully with the general autumn effect.

The hostesses graciously received, Mrs. Hobbs in a gown of henna canton crepe and Mrs. Sullivan in a gown of the new rust shade.

After bridge a delicious chicken salad course, hot rolls and tea were served.

The party was a splendid opportunity for renewing old acquaintances and old friendships, many of these army ladies not having met one another for some years.

Prizes were won by the following ladies: First prize, six beautiful Madeira napkins, by Mrs. Otho Humphries; second prize, pair of silk hose, by Mrs. Green; third prize, set of bridge markers, by Mrs. Kovarik.

There were sixty-five ladies present.

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On Tuesday evening at their quarters at Fort Benning, Lieut. and Mrs. Brotherson entertained Major and Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Chaplain and Mrs. Gray, Lieut. and Mrs. Garvin, Lieut. and Mrs. Hoy, Lieut. and Mrs. Searcy, Lieut. and Mrs. Brotherson.

After an enjoyable evening of bridge, a delicious salad course was served.

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For the interesting Second Battalion 29th Infantry-Tank Battalion football game next Wednesday, November 15th, a small admission charge is going to be made, the proceeds of which will go to help pay tuition for children of enlisted men at the Post School. Soldiers with several children find it almost impossible to meet the expenses incident to keeping their children at school. This school is a private school and receives no aid from the government or other outside sources, but is supported solely by the tuition fees and such contributions as may be made by interested persons.

The men of several organizations are making contributions in excess of the admission fee.

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The Fort Benning Dramatic Society met in the Officers' Hop Room, Fort Benning, on Tuesday, November 7th, when plans for the activities of the season were perfected. After the business of the occasion was completed, Mrs. Custer and Mrs. Peyton contributed an attractive program.

The Dramatic Society meets on alternate Tuesdays, the next occasion being November 21st, at 2:00 p. m., in the Officers' Hop Room, when Mrs. Matthews will direct the program. On December 4th, Mrs. Stewart will be in charge of the entertainment.

Army ladies of Fort Benning and Columbus are cordially invited to become members of this club, the privilege of membership extending up to and including December 4th, when the list will be definitely closed. Immediately after Christmas preparation and rehearsal for a play to be given for the benefit of the Army Relief Society will begin, and the men who take part will become honorary members of the society, the feminine members of the cast to be selected from the ladies of the Dramatic Society.

Mrs. Peyton is president, and Mrs. Shaw vice-president of this club. Mrs. Lucy Watson, secretary and treasurer, will receive the names of those who wish to become members, Telephone 214, Fort Benning.

# Garrison Schools Opened This Week

**REGIMENTAL AND DETACHMENT OFFICERS HARD AT THEIR BOOKS.**

School Days, School Days,
Dear Old Golden Rule Days,
Readin an Ritin and Rithmatic
Taught to the tune of——

Such is life in Fort Benning these days. In other words Garrison School has started and all officers are hard at their books again. Uncle Sam is determined that the officers of the army shall know their stuff and as a result they are all at it again. Some take it with good grace while others growl a bit.

The subjects covered go from Military Courtesy to Hippology and even take in the Rules of Land Warfare which passed out of existence on the second day of the World War. The greatest excitement is expected to be caused by the class in Sabre Drill. If some of the officers who for the first time are going thro the manual escape unharmed the Hospital will be greatly surprised.

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# Gen. Pershing's Horses Win at Washington Show

**GENERAL HARBORD AND SECRETARY HOLBROOK ALSO WIN PRIZES.**

In the District of Washington Army Horse Show, recently held in Washington, General Pershing's entries took three prizes. President Harding's saddle horse, Harbel, ridden by Lieut. C. C. Jadwin, was defeated by General Harbord's Gaylark.

In the charger competition two major generals and one brigadier general rode their own mounts. Major General Holbrook, chief of cavalry, mounted on Dragon, won the cup in this event.

This show, which was quite successful, is but one of a series of exhibitions being conducted by the District of Washington, under the direction of Brig. General Banholtz, for the purpose of more fully acquainting the people with army activities.

## Finance Detachment Notes

Cord Wood Barker is wondering why Squash Seed Watson presists in calling him "Country."

Sergeant Fermen, Q. M. C., enjoyed a quiet game of pinocle with some of the Finance boys last Sunday evening.

The Detachment was aroused from peaceful slumber Tuesday night by Private Willis; upon investigation Willis told one of the reporters that the imagination that snakes were in his bed was the cause of it all. The mystery is yet to be solved but the Detachment thinks he found Shorts bottle.

We are no longer bothered with Corp. Short in the barracks at night as he can be seen regularly at the Service Club as a very conspicious person since assuming chairmanship of the weekly dance committee. Our old stand-by, Private Cliett, says he is sure the Corp. has enlisted in the force of the Jelly Chested Cowboys" who blossom out at night with seven dollars worth of perfume on them and fifteen cents worth of canteen checks in their pockets.

Wanted — A night-cap. Private Stokes.

The Detachment is trying to console "Hayseed" Barger over the loss of his title, "The Hot Cake King," he having turned the medals over to his successor, Private Stokes. Since we are speaking of Private Stokes Since we are speaking of Private Stokes we might add that at the rate he is going at present the supply of Mary Garden perfumes at the Post Exchange will be to be replenished at an early date.

Who got the twenty-one licks last Tuesday? Ask Bennett.

Stokes want to know where he can get a tent—says the boys wont let him sleep after 7 o'clock on Sunday mornings.

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## Quartermaster Detachment News Notes

Well, boys, here we are again after a week's vacation which was spent by His Royal Scribenta, The Q. M. Detachment Reporter, at the usual daily grind.

During the past week the Detachment has suffered great loss of personnel, among these we find Staff Sgt. Bruce Reynolds, very well and favorably known by all who have had dealings with him. Sgt. Reynolds came to Fort Benning in 1920 and was Commissary Sergeant for several months, then he took charge of the Fourth Corps Area Officers Sales Store, where he proved his ability as an efficient Business Man. We wish him much success in civil life.

Our world famed "Table-Tourist," Private Benson, who is also widely known for his qualifications as a "Speed Demon" on his bicycle, wishes to inform you that he does not wish to be interrupted during his training, which is two-fold: first, to meet Kramer for the U. S. championship title; second, to meet the Turk Thanksgiving on any and all tables of the Detachment Mess Hall. It is the belief of the members of the Detachment that he is fully capable of winning the latter title.

Wonder what makes "Smokey" Stephenson look so blue? What? His "Sweet Patootie" jilted him for another Joker. We feel for you, Old Boy, but don't take it so hard; statistics state that there is one born every minute; too bad he has no place to go these long dreary nights.

After a week's vacation from the limelights the "Twins" are back with us with all the "Pep and Ginger" of the season. They report a very successful game of "Fifty Billiards." So much for the success, but we don't care to state the failures, for if we did the Ft. Benning "Whiz Banks" of the Chattahoochee would have to swell the tide.

Since "Leslie O'Goof" has been promoted from "Tractor Driver" to "Motorcycle Aviator" we note great changes in his interest of life. He was seen going into the Mess Hall only 15 minutes late this morning (great change, we say). we also note that he doesn't seem to have any use for the Tractor as he was seen trying to "smash" it with his motorcycle.

Private Oosthuyzen (no, we didn't sneeze, that's his name) still takes his morning stroll down by the Chattahoochee. He says it's for his health. (Maybe for health, but for further information see Pvt. Albert Willette.)

**Ode To Our Friend, James Roberts.**
**(By Your Humble Scribe.)**

Our little friend, James Roberts,
Took a French leave one day.
Went up into the hills of Georgia
To see the little birdies play.

While there he was enchanted,
Forgot old Benning and its cares.
Till one morning he was awakened
By the bray of the "Old Gray Mare."

Next day says he to his comrades,
"I'm sure I should return,
Though I am feeling safe and at ease,
Wonder if they will throw away the keys."

So back to old Benning he came
The very next day,
And was very much surprised to find
On "French leaves" you draw no pay.

And they gave him another vacation
Which was signed by G. C. M.,
But now he is back with the boys
After four months in the "Dim."

Says he, "To stay away,
I'm sure it's best to be on time,
For they take away your pay,
And maybe your 'Good Time.'"
No harm meant, old boy, just had to fill out the space.

Say, how do you like the change, you know, from chauffeur for the prop. of the Hotel DeTeachout to Official P. K. for Friend "Bill?"

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AS HAS BEEN previously stated in these columns, The News is for the benefit of the military personnel of Fort Benning and Columbus and to draw more closely together in a social and business way the two peoples.

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THE FACT that this station was this week visited by a governor, two senators, and a congressman is significant of the fact that the Infantry School is attracting merited attention. It may or may not have further significance but there is no doubt that the impressions gained by these visitors will influence them to a certain extent should attempts again be made to put through legislation unfavorable to the Army as a whole. It is hoped that these gentlemen received the most favorable impressions and that they will return to Washington having in mind the needs of not only the Infantry School but of the entire Army.

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THERE IS a dearth of news from Army people living in Columbus. This is due to the fact, primarily, that The News has not yet succeeded in getting a Columbus correspondent. Each week something of a social nature happens in the city which should appear in our columns. The fact that the families living in Columbus are on detached service, so to speak, as far as the Post is concerned, does not signify that they are out of the Army. The News is anxious to receive accounts of happenings of interest and the Army ladies in Columbus are requested to either send their news notes to the A & R Office, Fort Benning, by letter or telephone the items. The telephone number is 146, but this should be resorted to only as a last resort to avoid errors in names, etc.


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## GOOD PICTURES COMING TO FORT BENNING

(Continued from Front Page.)

Kirkwood he had seen the girl take it from a jeweler's shop. Kirkwood knocked the man down but the seed of suspicion had been planted in his mind. In trying to help the girl, with whom he had fallen in love in spite of the cloud upon her honesty, Kirkwood clashed with a gang of thieves who were playing for high stakes. He pursued their fleeing yacht in a high-powered motor boat, recovered the necklace, brought back the thieves by force, and then was arrested at the dock as the worst criminal of all.

This picture is sure to furnish an evening's entertainment.

"The Lotus Eater," featuring John Barrymore, Colleen Moore, Anna Q. Nilsson, is the story of a young man who, because of the eccentricities of a father's will, never saw a woman until he was twenty-five years old. When he did see one he immediately became enmeshed by her wiles. There is a third woman in the story and among other things is a remarkable scene of an attempted trans-Atlantic flight in a blimp. Barrymore, Miss Moore, and Miss Nilsson are at their best in "The Lotus Eaters."

In "The Young Diana," starring Marion Davies, Miss Davies is seen as a young English girl whose love romance with a titled naval officer seemingly is forever shattered. Life loses interest to her and she develops into a spinster whose future is dreary and hopeless. But she goes to Switzerland, where she encounters a mysterious alchemist who induces her to subject herself to a deadly experiment with the result that she emerges from the ordeal a wonderful beauty and soon becomes the rage of Europe. Then in a mysterious way she encounters her former sweetheart, and what happens later is told thrillingly in a series of remarkable scenes. Naturally, she finds love and happiness at last.

Another good play coming soon is "Jackie," in which Shirley Mason plays the stellar role. Jackie is a little waif who has found her way from her natives Russia to London, where she dreams of a splendid career as a dancer.

The role gives the lovely little star excellent versatility, as Jackie runs the gamut of human emotions, from pathetic sweetness and patience, through anguish, terror, despair and finally triumph in love.

"Jackie" is a highly entertaining picture, and will be long remembered for its charm.

The star is strongly supported by William Scott as the young American, Harry Carter as the gross and brutal theatrical manager, and George Stone as Jackie's little crippled friend.

Shirley Mason not only strengthens her claim to fame as a notable actress of the screen in this picture, but reveals herself as a dancer of unusual ability.

"The Man From Home," in which Anna Q. Nilsson plays with James Kirkwood shows Miss Nilsson as Genevieve Simpson, the society belle of Kokomo, Indiana, who leaves her native town for a three year's tour of Europe, with her brother. They are orphans, but before his death their father had appointed Daniel Forbes Pike, guardian and executor of their considerable fortune. Though almost broken-hearted at the parting, Daniel's grief is softened by learning that his love for Genevieve is reciprocated. But once abroad the three years make many changes and in Italy the girl, blinded by the dazzling splendor and the impetus, passionate wooing of a dissolute prince, finds herself enmeshed in a net of tangled emotions.

Incidents of passion and jealousy merge swiftly into a turmoil of incidents which has the murder of the Prince as the climatic scene. News of the situation in which Genevieve finds herself, reaches Daniel in America. Scenting trouble in a letter he has received from Genevieve's brother Horace, he arrives on the scene and is unconsciously drawn into the tangle. His keen American preception quickly sizes up the situation, but he shrewdly holds all his cards until the psychological moment and then slashingly exposes the Prince who proves to be profligate and assassin.

Genevieve, thoroughly disillusioned, realizes that she has never really ceased loving "the man from home," and is well content to feel Daniel's arms around her once more and to go back to Indiana.

"Orphans of the Storm" is a remarkable love story in which Lillian and Dorothy Gish co-star. The play is a D. W. Griffith play and is adapted to the screen from the novel, "The Two Orphans."

Possibly the most thrilling scene is the ride by Danton, leader of the French Revolutionary uprising. The ride to the rescue is punctuated by a battle between horsemen and a group of the Robespierre faction. This is a thrilling affair at the gate of Paris. The horses belong to the U. S. Government cavalry, and the riders are either active or ex-army men. The cavalry have been so photographed that they seem to be rushing on the theatre-spectators who are looking at them. The effect is said to surpass even the famed Klu Klux Klan ride in "The Bird of a Nation."

The abduction scene of Henriette, the duel at Bel-Air, the adventures of the blind Louise, the orphan sister, the meeting of the sisters at the Tribunal, and under the guillotine, and finally the depiction of the little heroine's impending fate, are among the other high points of a great story that weld together the old "Two Orphans" play and the French Revolution drama. Those well known favorites Miss Lillian and Miss Dorothy Gish play the title roles.


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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 7.)

[illegible] Dieulouard the road turned abruptly to the left and up a steep hill, thence through Griscourt and Grezencourt to Martincourt.

Between Dieulouard and Griscourt the regiment was continually held up by truck columns. Finally orders from Lieutenant Colonel Paules were sent to the rear of the animal column, which was marching in rear of the regiment, that under no circumstances were any auto trucks to be allowed to pass, and at every cross road guards were dropped off to allow no trucks to cut in on [illegible]e columns. At one cross-road where the regiment was halted because of a block in the road ahead, a French sergeant conveying three trucks was stopped despite his protests, with tears in his eyes, that the trucks contained ammunition needed for a barrage scheduled for 7:30 a. m.

At 9:00 a. m. the regiment arrived in a wood about three kilometers from Martincourt after a 14-hour march of thirty kilometers, the last four kilometers up an extremely steep hill with mud ten inches deep. As usual, it was raining, and there was no shelter to be had except pup tents. These were soon pitched and everyone was getting a much needed rest.

That same evening details from the regiment were sent out in preparation for the drive which was to begin on the 12th.

The enemy's positions on that part of the St. Mihiel salient confronting the sector assigned the 5th Division included in depth, four successive heights, three of which were defended by well organized systems of trenches, and each of which comenemy's reserves were stationed, and from which counter-attacks could normally be planned.

The most southerly of these heights was protected by an outpost position and the first combat position. The outpost position was a line of outpost trenches poorly maintained, and not strongly held. The wire in front was wide and in fair condition. Liaison to the rear was maintained by a number of connecting trenches, of which the principal ones were the Oster-laufgraben (running along the Thiaucourt road) and the Boyau des Sacs (300 meters farther west). Both of these trenches fed the Quellenlager which was at the eastern horn of the Bois des Four. The first combat position consisted of a trench running from the Thiaucourt road at Hill 343-4 and across Hill 345-5 northeast toward the Bois de la Rappe, on the southwest edge of which the position was discontinued except for occasional bands of wire. At the southeastern edge ofthe Bois de la Rappe the system reappeared. Liaison to the rear was assured by a communication trench leading to the Quellenlager, and by the Ravine de la Fosse.

The second height, Hill 341-4 south and southeast of Vieville-en-Hoye was protected by the second combat position, solidly constructed with two lines of trenches at an average distance apart of two hundred to three hundred meters. The Bois des Saulx contained concrete dugouts under six meters of earth. Liaison to the rear was assured by numerous paths along the narrow valleys and by two narrow gauge railways: Vieville-en-Haye—Bois des Grandes Portions and Vieville-en-Haye—Bois de la Rappe (Quellenlager).

The third height, hill 361-4 (northeast of Vieville) was scarcely organized, and was in advance of the third position. The third position consisted only of lines of wire along the west edge of the Bois de Bonvaux, one kilometer north of Jaulny, and the southern outskirts of the Bois de Grande Bontaine, one kilometer north of Tautecourt Ferme.

The four heights, the hills south of Villcey (Grange-en-Hay, 333 and 3617), were protected by the withdrawal position which was part of the Hindenburg sector of the Fifth Division by Rembercourt. There was a double line of trenches which contained numerous concrete dugouts. A double line of wire in zigzag protected each trench, and concrete dugouts appeared back of the trenches to a depth of fifteen hundred meters.

There had been no change on this front for four years. It was regarded by both the French and Germans as practically impregnable. The allied high command was somewhat reluctant about letting the Americans alone undertake the reduction of this salient, and preferred the brigading of the Americans with the French. Marshal Foch intended to use the Americans in the Meuse-Argonne, and it is understood, told General Pershing that if the attack would possibly embarrass the American command for the Meuse-Argonne, the St. Mihiel attack plans should be discontinued.

The attack was to take place on September 12th, and on September 11th the companies of the regiment received their assignments.

Company "A"—Assisting tanks and cutting wires.

Company "B"—With Infantry, cutting wire.

Company "C"—With Artillery for bridging trenches.

2nd Battalion—Opening up lines for communication.

At one o'clock on the morning of the 12th the barrage began and lasted four hours. In intensity this barrage established a new record and the impressions upon us who were experiencing a major operation for the first time will never fade. At 5 a. m., preceded by a rolling barrage, the infantry advanced, and on that day as well as during the period September 13th-16th inclusive, when the division (less engineers and artillery) were relieved, every objective was carried.

(Continued next week.)

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The intellect of the wise is like glass; it admits the light of heaven and reflects it.

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There were twenty-five officers and ladies present and several choral selections were gone over. A number of excellent singers combined to make the chorus a success.

Among the instrumental selections offered were several violin and piano numbers rendered by Capt. and Mrs. Lagorio. An instrumental quartette was organized, composed of the piano, guitar, mandolin and Zuva violin, an instrument with but one string, but with a range of three octaves. The latter instrument was played by Lieut. Huff, of the National Guard Officer's Class.

It is the aim of the music club to eventually organize a glee club with a large chorus of mixed voices. Male voices, especially the tenors and basses, are needed to perfect the organization. Invitations are extended by the Music Club to all officers to join the club.

Meetings will be held weekly at the Officers' Hop Room, Fort Benning, every Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock. At these meetings new selections will be practiced. All officers and ladies are invited to be present whether they participate in the musical selections or not.

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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 9.**

**1909.**

The Regimental Machine Gun Platoon under Lieut. Mason left Fort McKinley for Manila at noon Jan. 31. Returned to Post on Feb. 16.

Companies K and M each did a month's duty at Cuartel de Espana, Manila.

The annual target practice of the Regiment commenced on Jan. 25.

On Feb. 2 sixty-five recruits joined from the United States.

In June the 29th participated in Brigade reviews at Fort McKinley for Generals Duvall and Carter.

"The entire Regiment left Fort McKinley at 9 a. m., July 31, in compliance with G. O. No. 24. Proceeded on cascoes to Estado Mayor, Manila and thence by marching to the U. S. A. T. dock. Headquarters, band and third battalion embarked on the U. S. A. T. Wright and the first and second battalions on the U. S. A. T. Liscum, leaving Manila at 12 M., arriving at Quarantine station, Mariveles, Bataan, at 3:30 and 5 p. m., respectively."

Remained at Marivelee for two weeks.

The Regiment left the Quarantine station at noon of August 15 en route to the United States on the U. S. A. T. Thomas. Arrived at Nagasaki, Japan, at 1 p. m., on August 19 and sailed about midnight Aug. 20.

Arrived at Honolulu at 1 p. m., Sept. 2, sailing at midnight same date. Arrived in San Francisco Bay late Sept. 9. As this was Admission Day in California and a holiday the transport could not dock as no dock-workers were on duty. Remained anchored in the Bay therefore until morning, docking at Folsom street dock early on the 10th. Left San Francisco at 5 p. m. of the 11th. Left Point Richmond at about 8 p. m. by rail over the Santa Fe and Erie Railroads in three sections for stations as follows:

Headquarters, Band and Third Battalion for Fort Jay, N. Y.

First Battalion for Fort Porter, Buffalo, N. Y.

Second Battalion for Fort Niagara, N. Y.

The Battalions for Fort Jay and Porter arrived on Sept. 17 and the Battalion for Fort Niagara on the 16th.

Officers who joined in 1909 were: Captain Frank B. Hawkins, First Lieutenants Joseph M. Cummins, George A. Lynch, Truman Carrithers and Arthur E. Ahrends, and Second Lieutenant William F. Harrell.

In December Chaplain Wood changed station from Fort Jay to Fort Niagara. Strength of Regiment Dec. 31 was 991.

# 29th Infantry Notes.

**Company "A."**

Corporal Alexander says Georgia is a place where, if you don't stir, you won't get fat. Corporal, you had better be stirring, you are getting awful thin. I think you are grieving, but what is the use of grieving and fretting your life away? Tomorrow the sun will be shining although it is cloudy today.

Oh, Boys! Sgt. Burley "Trigger" said he was not going to town until he got ready to catch a train. From the look of Saturday afternoon week-end vacation, he probably has changed his mind. I don't think he will ever get to Atlanta, as he was planning to do.

Pvt. Orange went to town on his week-end vacation Saturday afternoon with a high spirit about 12. I met him and his spirit was mighty low. His "Girl Friend" had given him the slip, and he was ready to come to Fort Benning, and stay forever. Poor Tom!

Pvt. 1st Class Dolphus Hill is leaving in a few days for his home in New Castle, Ala., where he will spend some weeks with his relatives.

Pvts. Davis, Carr and Houston went to Americus and struck oil. I wonder how deep is the well? Sorry I can't go.

**Company "L."**

Sergeant Session, better known as "old Bob," has been smiling ever since the arrival of the newcomers. He seems to be convinced that his dogs are not the worst specimens in the regiment.

Private Kade, better known as "Brother Spry," spent some of the day he drew his first pay after entering the service, getting him some civilian clothes to vamp the girls in twenty-three block. Look out, Brother Spry, the night hawk has his eye on you.

Corporal Jackson, better known as the "stew king," does not look as happy as usual. Since the arrival of the newcomers he is afraid he will lose his best girl. Cheer up, Corporal, as long as you trot the little ponies you are bound to score.

# AT BENNING THEATRES FOR THE COMING WEEK

**Sunday, Nov. 12th.**

Orphans of the Storm, 11 reel feature (Super Special).

Duck Hunter, 2 reel comedy (Sennett).

**Monday, Nov. 13th.**

The Black Bag, 5 reel feature (Herb Rawlinson).

Fox News.

**Tuesday, Nov. 14th.**

The Lotus Eater, 6 reel feature (L. Barrymore).

The Vagrant, comedy.

**Wednesday, Nov. 15th.**

The Man From Home, 7 reel feature (J. Kirkwood).

Leatherpushers, No. 2, 2 rounds.

**Thursday, Nov. 16th.**

Jackie, 5 reel feature (Shirley Mason).

Custard Nine, 2 reel comedy (Dickerson).

Fox News.

**Friday, Nov. 17th.**

Me and My Gal, 5 reel feature (All Star).

Rolin Comedy, 2 reels.

Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Nov. 18th.**

The Young Diana, 7 reel feature (Marion Davis).

Nothing Like It, 2 reel comedy.

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# Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

First Sergeant Guy H. Smith has been transferred from the 30th Infantry to the Detachment.

Private Weinberg has returned from his coffee-cooling trip to the National Capital.

Morris and Culverhouse have been assigned to duty with the Department of Military Art.

Private Forest Dill has relieved Zelinsky at the M. T. C.

Rushlow has quit the telephone office to work in the Detachment.

Wonder what Mojarrieta was doing in Auburn?

Devaere says he is willing to pay $25.00 for a good mattress.

Is Siebeneichen a musician? Ask anyone who was present at the recent Elks' Initiation.

"Chick" Collins has received a deserved promotion.

Ralston and Ross are now pounding the Underwoods in the Detachment office under the watchful eye of the "Grand Goblin."

Talmadge, who was recently discharged, was a visitor this week. He said the beans still smell mighty good but he'll try railroading awhile.

Sergeant McCloskey, of the "Information Bureau," departed on Thursday for Portland, Maine, conducting a prisoner. We guess he'll find it retty cold up there after spending a few years in the "Sunny South."

Some folks, in their looks take so much pride,
They don't think much of what's inside.
Well, as for me, I know my face
Can never be made a thing of grace,
And so I rather think I'll see
How I can fix the inside o' me,
So folks will say, "He looks like sin,
But isn't he beautiful within!"

—Private Felton Ezell.

Mutt tells Jeff that his ignorance is refreshing, and along the same lines we would rise to remark that Gen. 9:1 means the first verse of the 9th chapter of the book of Genesis in the Hebrew Bible.

Captain Benacker has been wearing a broad smile lately. His mother arrived from Kansas City and is now living at the Post. Wish we were all lucky enough to have our mothers with us.

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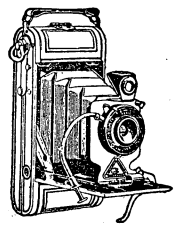
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# 15th Tank Battalion News

Sharp seems to have the inside track with a certain young brunette in town. We won't divulge her name, old man, as we wish to give you all the chance in the world.

Sgt. Sullivan wants to know who ever heard of being financially embarrassed. Sully says there was a time when he was without any finances, but he didn't feel embarrassed about it.

Amongst our midst there is one who has attained many titles in public life, namely, Cpl. Pallis. The latest of these titles acclaimed to him is the "Sheik" of Jordan City.

Through an oversight on the part of ye scribe no mention has been made of the fact that a baby girl came to the home of Sgt. Hatfield a few weeks ago. The mother and baby are doing nicely. Congratulations, old man.

A meeting of the Log Hut committee was held Tuesday, November 7th, 1922. It continued until near the zero hour and finances pro and con were discussed. In fact, about everything that means money was talked about with the exception of the tariff and excess profits tax, but the watch dogs of the treasury were on the job and no serious inroads were made thereon.

Hunt, of "A" Co., leader of the Battalion band, was on the job at the football game last Wednesday. He was the most consistent and witty rooter in our section.

The log hut committee is working hard and no details however small will be overlooked for the big stag entertainment which will be held about the middle of December. A capacity crowd will be expected. Nothing will be left undone. A varied selection of the best vaudeville stars attainable, with the numbers so selected and arranged that even the most exacting members are sure to be pleased.

Staff Sgt. Otis A. Mason, of Headquarters Company, was united in wedlock Sunday, November 5th, at 5:00 p. m., in Columbus, Ga., by Chaplain Gray to a beautiful Northern girl, Miss Kathyrene S. Kangas, of Hancock, Michigan. The officers and enlisted men of the battalion extend their heartiest congratulations to the happy and popular couple. The bride and groom received a beautiful silver set of cutlery, presented to them by the officers and enlisted men of Headquarters Co. I will not go into any detail about the wedding, as there is a race of gifted people who make their livelihood by writing descriptions of weddings. I envy them. They can crowd so many pebbly facts into such a small compass. They have the names of everybody who attended from the officiating clergy down to the shyest of poor relations. With the cold accuracy of an encyclopedia and with expert technical discrimination they mention the various fabrics of which the costume of the bride was composed. They catalogue the wedding presents, with the correct name of the donor, and even can remember what hymns were sung. For the full account of the wedding see the North Highlands Star.

**Things We Would Like To Know.**

What does it feel like to be a sergeant? Ask Gagnon, he knows.

How our Sgt. Major gets a ringside seat for two bits?

Should the Company Commander's dog robber do a guard? Ask Thompson.

Who was the girl JIMMI-E-E-E wanted last Saturday night? South Carolina bound, eh?

In appreciation of good conduct and meritorious service a recent member of Headquarters staff has been awarded the great honor of being made a Sixth Class Specialist. What next, the gold bar, Howell?

The star mechanic of Headquarters Company has decided that Army Life was the best and has re-enlisted. Ambitious or just lazy, Norman?

Levine is going on another Jewish blowout Friday night and he says he is coming back with a full stomach this time. Watch Rudolph.

Staff Sgt. Maxham is back for duty after a severe attack of dengue fever. We sure are glad to see you back, old boy.

Thanks to the ladies of Columbus and Sgt. Mason, the last battalion entertainment was a great success. Mason in his role of the Handcuff King, assisted by Levine and several others, was really good. Can you get out of the fetters of married life as easily, Mason?

Speedy Adams has been keeping the road warm to Montgomery these days. What's the big idea, or is it a girl?

If you want a best man see Sgt. Henderson of Headquarters Co.

Baltzell, of Co. "C," has returned from the hospital, having recovered from injuries received in the Tanks-Artillery football game. Everyone is glad to see you back again, Bozo.

Harrell, of Co. "C," says he is going to re-up. Guess he will also. Is it on account of the flagpole transportation?

Cpl. Dewey Pollyanna Wade, of "C" Co., may be seen strutting his stripes about the Ralston almost any Sunday. We know what the attraction is, and don't blame you, but watch out for Sam Lewis and Military Bill, they'll get you yet. By the way, did you learn any new hymns last Sunday? Couldn't you talk her out of a box of Havanas for the editor. He'll promise to lay off then.

And by way of proof as to the way Sgt. Major Buck does things, we wish to tell how a little dinner party he had the other night came off. First of all, Mrs. Buck invited a few of the non-coms over who gathered around a table daintily spread with delicious edibles. This invitation augmented by the equally inviting spread speedily induced the boys to accept and sixteen parked their feet under the table. Each in turn did justice to the tasty cakes and ham sandwiches and indulged their stomachs in at least two cups of delicious coffee and then sat back and contentedly puffed on a rare Havana handed to them by everthoughtful Buck. As was said, everyone did well, but one did better than well. O'Neal, when he saw the feed before his eyes gasped out a "Hello." Then his heart leaped into his mouth and a lump welled in his throat but they both gave way to a ham sandwich that he was shaking hands with. The sandwich gave way to another and another and so on until we lost count at nineteen, afraid to watch him any more for fear he would think we thought he was eating too much. Well, anyway, between the thirty-second sandwich and the eighth cup of coffee Hicks shoved the cake plate under his nose. The cake aroma destroyed his appetite for ham, but the poor fellow had to take a piece of cake to show Mrs. Buck that he thought well of her cooking. To be brief, the cake was the nineteenth piece, cake cut in true motherly style, into six large pieces. After he finished the six there was another cake and ice cream, but, oh, what's the use? It's just like him. If we put him on our sick committee he might go around and visit our sick members and help eat their oranges and drink their medicine. But it was some spread.

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## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

While firing on the range last week, Pvt. Cockelreas had the misfortune to let his elevation fall. We don't know how far it fell, but from the way he shot it must have been some fall.

When East is West, by Pvt. Peters. The other day he was heard to remark that Atlantic City was the most beautiful city in the States. He says you can sit on the boardwalk in the evening and sigh and watch the setting sun sitting out over the ocean.

Boy Howdy, we'll say we have some sharpshooters in the company. Pvt. Scharle, the Irish comedian, took first prize as a sniper. All the elevation he needed was whatever he could hit the target with.

The company dance held last Thursday was a great success. Everyone enjoyed themselves immensely, and wished that we could hold a dance every week. The 24th Infantry orchestra furnished the music, which was regarded by everyone present as real music. Pvt. Scharle showed ability as a dancer, and did quite well. He says the girl he danced with was too tall for him and it was hard for him to keep in step with her.

Terrible Terry, the sleuth, is on the trail of a skunk, which he says has been hanging around the company for the last two weeks. When he catches it he intends to tame it. You may have a hard time, Terry, because he belongs to a STRONG union.

Cpl. Adams at last has the one thing he has been pining for. While in town the other night he chanced to see an accordion, which he bought and brought out to the company. We hope you'll learn to play it soon, Adams, so we can get some sleep at night.

When he gets out of the Army, Pvt. Dennis is going to start a cattle farm. He's going to let the mules run loose with the cows so there will be a kick in the milk.

We've lost a real speed demon in the company now. The other night while driving to town at a speed of forty miles an hour, the steering gear broke and Cpl. Piotrowski headed for the field. He says he's through speeding from now on.

Pvt. Francis doesn't belong in the Army, he has wooden legs. The other day he was doing some carpenter work, and instead of hitting the board he hit his shins, thinking they were wood. (Nobody said anything about his head.)

## Medical Department Notes.

The members of the Non-Commissioned Officers Club are looking forward to their second dance, November 14, 1922. A good attendance and an enjoyable evening are anticipated.

Captain Reeve Turner, M. C., has just returned from a sixty (60) day leave. If looks speak for condition, the Captain must have had a wonderful time.

It is noted with interest that our Transportation Sergeant has given the ambulances a new coat of paint. They sure needed it, and it improved their looks wonderfully.

Our popular barber, "Harry," has been indisposed for a few days. Perhaps he got stuck in the mud on the 9th street bridge, and got his feet (?) wet.

Ability wins us the esteem of the true men; luck, that of the people.

## Motor Transport Notes

Roy R. Lee—"I am sorry that I could not be with the party last evening."

Morgan—"What was the trouble, Old Top?"

Roy R. Lee—"Doctor says that it was a slight attack of the Alomonia Blues."

Miss Billie Bryant and leading lady with the Kennett Company was the guest of 1st Sergeant and Mrs. Richard Simmons.

Will the lady that Corporal Mitchell gave the Red Hair doll to kindly call and get the slippers for same?

There is no substitute for Home, but there are times when a fellow must live in a hotel. Private Jackson is stopping at the Hotel De Techue.

### A LESSON IN ARITHMETIC.

He's teaching her arithmetic
Because that is his mission,
He kissed her once, he kissed her twice,
And said, "Now that's addition."

And as he added smack by smack
In silent satisfaction
She sweetly gave her kisses back,
And said, "Now that's subtraction."

Then he kissed her and she kissed him
Without explanation;
They both together smiled and said,
"Now, that's multiplication."

But Day appeared upon the scene,
And made a quick decision;
He kicked the lad three blocks away,
And said, "Now that's division."

"Miss Smith, Mr. Jones," said Helen
As she brought them face to face.
"Unfamiliar," thought Jones, "the face is,
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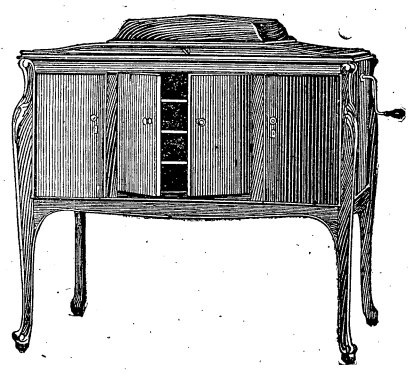

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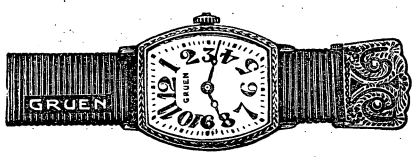


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# HUNTING SEASON IN FULL SWING

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The hunting season at Fort Benning is on in full swing and every afternoon the Fort Nimrods are to be seen hiking over the hills and dales with gun and game bag. Up to the present time no great bags of game have been recorded but the hunting is reported fair. The order covering hunting and fishing on the reservation is printed for the information of all concerned.

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Fort Benning, Ga., Aug. 8, 1922.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 54:

Section.

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| Hunting and Fishing | I |
| Closed Season | II |
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| Bag Limit | IV |
| Fishing | V |

**I.—Hunting and Fishing.** 1. Only the Federal Laws for the protection of Fish and Game, and such regulations as may be issued by these Headquarters, shall govern hunting and fishing on the reservation.

2. No person, military or civilian, is permitted to hunt or fish on the reservation without a permit issued by the Post Adjutant.

3. In addition to the Permit prescribed by the preceding paragraph, civilians are required to have a State Hunting License of the current year.

4. All persons authorized to hunt are required to carry their permits and State License on their person and to exhibit same, together with their bag killed, to any Game Warden, Range Guard, or other authorized person, upon request.

5. Hunting with rifles of any calibre is prohibited.

6. All hunting within the area of the post proper (police areas as defined in Circular No. 124, Post, dated October 12, 1921 (Police Areas of the Camp), is prohibited.

7. No person unauthorized to hunt is permitted to carry a shot gun on the reservation except civilians while passing along the public roads and members of the Gun Club and their guests going to and from the Gun Club.

8. No children under sixteen years of age will be permitted to hunt or carry shot guns on the reservation, unless accompanied by a person authorized to hunt.

9. All members of this command before going hunting are required to consult the firing data published on the Bulletin Board and will keep out of the Danger Zone during the Danger period.

10. On account of danger involved, civilians may hunt **only** in that part of the reservation north of the Upatoi Creek, unless accompanied by a member of this command who is authorized to hunt and who has complied with the foregoing paragraph.

**II.—Closed Season.** 1. The shooting or hunting of wild turkeys on this reservation is prohibited. It is prohibited to kill summer or wood ducks, robins, meadow larks and all song birds.

2. It is prohibited to trap or kill beaver.

**III.—Open Season.** 1. The following game may be killed or captured only between the dates indicated:

Opossum, October 1 to April 30.
Rabbits, November 15 to March 1.
Quail, November 15 to March 1.
Plover, November 15 to Jan'ry 31.
Doves, October 16 to March 1.
Snipes, November 1 to January 31.
Woodcock, November 1 to Dec. 31.
Wild duck, November 1 to Jan. 31 (except summer or wood duck.)
Marsh hens, Sept. 1 to Dec. 31.
Squirrel, October 16 to Jan'ry 31.
Wild geese, Nov. 1 to Dec. 31.

**IV.—Bag Limit.** 1. The following game may be killed only in the amounts indicated:

| | In one (1) day by each person. |
|---|---|
| Quail | 15 |
| Wild duck | 15 |
| (except summer or wood duck) | |
| Plover | 15 |
| Dove | 20 |
| Marsh hen | 15 |
| Snipes | 20 |
| Squirrel | 20 |
| Wood cock | 6 |
| Rabbits | No limit. |
| Wild geese | 8 |

**V.—Fishing. 1.** Fish may be taken with hook and line only. The killing of fish with poison, India Berries, rifle or guns, grenades or other explosives, is prohibited.

2. The use of nets, seines, traps or other devices for the taking of fish is prohibited, except that minnows of the roach and chub families may be taken in traps or nets for use as bait.

3. General Orders No. 86, Post, October 31, 1921 (Camp Benning Hunting and Fishing Regulations), and all subsequent orders on this subject either verbal or written are hereby revoked.

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## POLO.

The polo games last Sunday resulted in a 4 to 2 victory for the Yellows over the 83rd Artillery and an 8 to 6 win for the Blues over the 29th Infantry.

The feature of the first contest was the much improved teamplay of the Yellows. They attempted no difficult combination, nor was their stickwork greatly improved over previous occasions but they had evidently been soundly coached on riding their men, and McCarthy, first string back for the Reds who played with his B team said that the riding-off was the most determined and successful he had yet encountered.

Major Wheeler, for the Yellows, was the most dangerous Red opponent. He scored two of his team's three earned goals, and played a heady defensive game. Lt. Burnett's malletwork drove in the other goal. Two new Red players, Lieuts. Sanderson and Hendley, made their debut yesterday, the latter scoring a goal for his team. The other Red marker was made by Major Yeager.

The games started from scratch, each team having a total handicap of seven goals. The substitution of Gannon for Sanderson in the last period gave a goal to the Yellow, which was not only made up, but was added to by the Yellows.

Makenney and French were too much for the 29th B team in the second game, the former scoring four goals to the latter's three and Weems contributing the extra marker. To the credit of the infantry team let it be said that their riding off was good and their hitting excellent, and time and again they got away to a good start on a rush toward the Blue goal. The weakness of their worward play was apparent, however, for at no time during the game did they have a man riding free in front of the ball, and the redoubtable Weems, Blue back, met their rushes with a forward stroke nine times out of ten unhindered by an opponent. The desperate riding of the 29th smashed the attack of the Blues somewhat oftener than those veterans had expected. For the 29th the work of Paquet at No. 3 stood out above the average mainly because of the considerable improvement in his play during the short time he has been out. Brodelow, the 29th captain, saved goals on numerous occasions, but nearly always by a dangerous expedient of taking the ball across the post.

Line-up and summary:

| Yellow | Position | "B" Team |
|---|---|---|
| Martin | 1 | Sanderson |
| Waite | 2 | Yeager |
| Burnett | 3 | Hendley |
| Eggers | 4 | McCarthey |
| Wheeler | | Gannon |

Summary: Goals scored: Burnett 1, Wheeler 2, Yeager 1, Hendley 1. Referee, McClure. Umpire, Betts. Scorer, Douglass. Timekeeper, Madaris. Time of periods, 7 1-2 minutes. Periods played, four.

| "B" 29th Inf. | Position | Blues |
|---|---|---|
| Elkins | 1 | Makenney |
| Pilkington | 2 | Legge |
| Paquet | 3 | French |
| Broedlow | 4 | Weems |

Summary: Earned goals, Blues 8; 29th Inf., none; goals scored, Makenney 4; French 3; Weeks 1. Referee, Gannon. Umpire, McClure. Scorer, Douglass. Timekeeper, Madaris. Time of periods, 7 1-2 minutes. Periods played, 5.

Next Sunday the Artillery will meet the 29th Infantry and the Blues will clash with the Yellows.

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## Increased Interest Being Shown in Polo Mounts

### RECENT INSPECTION OF MOUNTS RESULTS IN AWARDS TO MEN.

In order that interest in the care of polo mounts and horse equipment might be stimulated at this station there was recently held an inspection of the polo horses on the Post.

The results of this inspection were highly gratifying. The names of the men and organization winning the highest scores are shown below:

Organization having highest average scorce—Infantry School Stables.

Orderly with two horses, 1st place —Pvt. Herbert Berry, 24th Infantry.

Orderly with two horses, 2nd place —Pvt. Wykoff, 83rd F. A.

Orderly with two horses, 3rd place —Pvt. Woodey, 83rd F. A.

Mount receiving highest score—No. 134, I. S. D., first prize.

Mount receiving second highest score—No. 109, 83rd F. A.

Mount receiving third highest score—No. 120-P, 29th Infantry.

Orderlies from the 24th Infantry are on duty at the Infantry School Stables. It will be noted, also, that the individual orderly with two horses who won first prize is from the 24th Infantry.

## FOOTBALL

On next Wednesday afternoon the Tanks will meet the 2nd Battalion, 29th Infantry to decide which team will represent Fort Benning in the Fourth Corps Football tournament which will be held at Fort McPherson beginning November 22nd.

Both of these teams have won every game played to date and the Wednesday's battle will be hard fought.

It has been reported that the line coach for Center College, Kentucky, has been at work on the 2nd Battalion team. This outfit claims that they have some football tricks up their sleeve that will put the Tanks to guessing. On the other hand, the Tanks point with pride to their last games with civilian teams—one of which they won to the tune of 75 to 0—and claim that no amount of coaching will help their opponents on the 15th.

The entire Post is expected to turn out for the game. There will be a band present and parking space will be arranged for cars. The morale of both teams is high and the prediction has been made that both teams will be forced to make many substitutions before the game is over.

## TENNIS.

The ladies' tennis singles championship has narrowed down to four contestants. These four players who are now in the semi-finals are Miss Marion Hannah, Mrs. G. L. Potter, Mrs. J. W. Rumbough and Miss Gertrude Malone. The finals of this event will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., on Court No. 3.

The men's singles has reached the finals and the winner will be determined on Sunday at 2 p. m., when Major T. D. Finley meets Capt. Van Vliet. This match will be the best three out of five sets and some good tennis should result.

The men's doubles has reached the final round also and will be completed in the near future.

Tennis fans are requested to turn out Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. and witness the finals in ladies' singles and men's singles, to be played on Court No. 2.

Major Finley has gone thru the men's singles tournament playing in rare form. His path to the finals included a victory over Capt. Swetzer at 6-0, 6-2, and he followed this by defeating Lt. Perwein, champion of the 29th Infantry, 6-1, 6-1.

Mrs. Rumbough and Miss Hannah should meet in the ladies' finals, according to the opinions of the tennis critics. To pick the winner would be impossible, and their match Sunday should be a thriller.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## BOXING

Now that the Fort Benning Boxing Tournament has been completed the boxers composing the boxing team are hard at it daily, training for the Fourth Corps Tournament which begins in Atlanta on the 20th of this month.

The probability of Fort Benning making even a better showing in the coming tournament than was made last year seems bright. All members of the team this year are on a training table and in addition to this they are being required to go through with the most vigorous daily work in order to get into condition.

It will be recalled that last year Fort Benning won five out of the six boxing classes. The men who won these events were:

McDonald, light heavyweight.
Sebukaty, middleweight.
DeRose, lightweight.
Reilly, feather weight.
Keenan, bantam weight.

This year the Post has no light heavyweight but this lack is made up by the addition of a heavyweight who bids fair to walk off with the honors in Atlanta. This heavyweight is Sgt. Donelly from the 83rd Artillery. He is practically unknown in Benning boxing circles but he will be heard from before this Corps tournament has been completed.

Sebukaty will defend his title as Fourth Corps Area middleweight champion unless the recent injuries received in the Infantry-Tennessee football game prevent his participation. He is now doing light training and the prospects for his being in the tournament are bright.

The welterweight title this year will be contended for by Erdos of the 83rd Artillery. Those who have seen Erdos in action against the local fighters in Columbus are content to have him represent the Post. Erdos has improved one hundred percent since the time he met Feldman nearly a year ago and his longer experience in the ring will make him as good if not a better representative for Fort Benning than Feldman—and that is saying a lot.

Grantham from the 15th Tank Battalion is a comparatively new man in the boxing game but the way he has handled his man in his last fights goes to show conclusively that he is qualified to uphold the Fort Benning claims for the Corps lightweight championship. Grantham keeps in first class condition at all times and has no bad habits. This will go a long way toward helping him win.

DeRose is fighting in the feather weight class this year. Last year he won the lightweight championship of both the Post and the Corps Area. This year he is going after the featherweight championship and unless he breaks an arm or suffers some other injury he will win the championship in this class.
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Keenan, last year's bantam weight Post and Corps champion, will go to Atlanta this month as will, also, Helms. Last year Helms did not meet Keenan for the Post championship. This year both men fought to a draw. The referee called for an extra round and the best that could be made out of this was a draw. It seems that the only way to decide the Post championship is to match these men for ten rounds with five ounce gloves—and then neither of the men would be in any shape to fight in the Corps tournament. It is probable that a coin will be tossed to decide who will box in the bantam weight class as No. 1 and No. 2.

As two men are allowed to be entered in the Corps tournament in each class there will be an understudy for each man going up to Atlanta when an extra man is available. The following named men will go in the classes shown:

Michel, middleweight.
Branner, welterweight.
Otalvaro, lightweight.
Alonzo, featherweight.

All of these men have had considerable ring experience and in the event that the principal in any class can not participate these men will represent Fort Benning. As much care is being taken with their training as with the principals' and should the occasion arise for any of them to fight they will all be in condition.

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## FOOTBALL

### 2nd BATTALION, 29th INFANTRY, WINS OVER FREEBOOTERS, 71 TO 0.

**Daniels Stars in Second Battalion-Freebooters Game**

There is no question about Daniels being the star player of the Second Battalion team, when they battled the Freebooters on the Service Club Football Field last Wednesday to a score of 71-0. To enumerate any other stars would be to name the entire team. Teamwork, absolutely necessary in all football games, certainly showed itself to advantage in the Second Bats thruout the entire game. The Freebooters apparently lacked in both driving power and charging power. Their line seemed to give way at each play. Quite the reverse was true of the Second Battalion line, resulting in two intercepted forward passes by Finney, after both of which he got away for a touchdown. Also a fumble, picked up by Brown, resulted in six more tallies.

The game started off with Payne, Davis, Daniels and Parrish in the backfield, who plunged thru the line and skirted the ends almost at will, thanks to a good line and good interference. Later Johnson, Hendrickson, Holstrom and Sellinger performed nearly as well in the same positions. The one place in which the Second Battalion is weak is forward passes, having completed but one during the entire game.

**Waligurski Injured.**

All of the Second Battalion fans will regret to learn that Waligurski was forced to leave the game with a broken shoulder. This is almost as severe a loss as this team could have at this time, with the Tank game only a week off. Holding down left guard, he was a tower of strength that will be hard to replace. Equally as great a loss is Finney, their first string right guard, whose injury, while not as severe as Waligurski's, may prevent him from playing in the big game.

This makes a total of five first string players out of the game, the others being Kjelstrom and Slatts, two of the fastest backs on the team, and Eckoff, their right tackle. Added to this, Meyden, the plucky little tackle, is on the sick list with a broken foot from a recent scrimmage, which will keep him out also.

**Next Game With Tanks.**

Odds on the next game are about even as the Tanks defeated the Freebooters to a score of 76 to 0. The shade of difference, if any, would no doubt be in favor of the Tanks, as they have a slightly higher number of points to their credit.

**100 Percent Attendance Expected Next Wednesday.**

It is expected that a 100 percent attendance of the entire camp will witness the game next Wednesday, as the winning team will journey to Fort McPherson to play there for the Fourth Corps Area championship.

**2nd Bat. Lineup Freebooters**

Center
Beaver ..... Thomas
Right Guard
Finney ..... Craydon
Left Guard
Waligurski ..... Bittner
Right Tackle
Graham ..... Latham
Left Tackle
Parks ..... Buch
Right End
Brown ..... Dumas
Left End
Heller ..... Dixon
Quarterback
Payne ..... Nelson
Right Half Back
Daniels ..... Vinson
Left Half Back
Parrish ..... Harrison
Fullback
Davis ..... McFarrin

Substitutions: Johonson for Payne, Tomasasky for Waligurski, Duke for Graham, Walewerz for Tomasasky, Nickolalen for Finney, Kruger for Heller, Hendrickson for Parrish, Mathews for Beaver, Pasley for Nickolalen, Green for Walewerz, Holstrom for Davis, Finney for Pasley, Rowe for Finney, Walewerz for Green, Tomasasky for Walewerz, Escott for Tomasasky, Heller for Kruger, McLane for Heller, Sellinger for Daniels.

Touchdowns: Payne 2, Finney 2, Davis 2, Johnson 1, Parrish 2, Brown 1, Daniels 1. Try for point after touchdown, Parks 2, Heller 1, Hendrickson 1, Holstrom 1.

Referee: Lieut. Hess.
Umpire: Lieut. Krause.
Time of quarters, 15 minutes.

**STANDING OF THE TEAMS.**

| | P | W | L | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2nd Bn., 29th Inf. | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1000 |
| 15th Tank Bn. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| 1st Bn., 29th Inf. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 500 |
| Freebooters, 29th Inf. | 3 | 0 | 3 | 000 |
| 83rd Artillery | 2 | 0 | 2 | 000 |

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## Signal Corps News Items

It has been noted that the American Legion found from the experience of its personnel while serving in France, great sport over the common occurrence of forty men and forty horses. In Fort Benning the personnel is evidently finding much sport over the Howard Bus line. This famous rapid transit (nix) between Columbus and Fort Benning, aside from giving the most unsatisfactory service that could be looked for, has made many a man curse the day he was born, and has caused us to forget all the religion which the chaplains have put into us, has also produced a poet among the Signal Corps personnel. His contribution follows:

'Twas on a nice October eve,
And I thought I'd go to town,
So I got myself a tewlve-hour pass
And thought I'd catch a bus right down.

But the bus it runs on schedule,
And was due to leave at six.
Or at least, that's what the driver told me,
When I put up an awful kick.

But now that we have started,
And the bus is under way,
We will skip down to the bridge,
Where the Censors hollers, Hey!

"Alright, let's see that passport,
You fellow over there,
For I am in no hurry,
And if you are I don't care."

But at last we left the Censors,
For the mingle with the dust,
And the driver shouted, "Boys,
I'll make Columbus now or bust."

But he could not fulfill his promise,
As his lights were going wrong,
So he pulled up on the roadside,
And sang that old familiar song.

"I'll have to leave you here now,
'Til I get another bus,
And please don't start your kicking,
And it will do no good to cuss."

So he flagged a little flivver,
For to haul him into town,
And left us there belated,
To watch the world go round.

It must have been an hour or two,
Or at least it seemed to me,
When the old bus pulled in sight,
Hitting on about three.

But now that we've changed busses,
And are hitting it for town,
And will soon be getting off at Wide St.
With it's lights and things all round.

But now that we're in Columbus,
And the bus has been dismissed,
And if war is what Sherman said it was,
Then please tell me what is this?

—T. R. J., Signal Corps.


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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

The Sunday morning service at the Protestant Chapel will be a "Parents' Day Service." All parents are specially urged to attend with their sons and daughters.

The Sunday evening services at the Protestant Chapel will commence at 7 o'clock hereafter. Chaplain Gray will have charge of the services.

Chaplain Wood has the morning services at the Protestant Chapel.

The Annual Thanksgiving Day service at the Protestant Chapel this year will be held at 9 o'clock on Thanksgiving morning.

Chaplain Wood's Tuesday night Bible class (6 p. m.) will have for its subject "The Parable of the Sower."

## OFFICERS REQUESTS FOR DOCUMENTS

**IN THE FUTURE ALL REQUESTS TO GO THRU CHANNELS.**

The following letter from the Chief of Infantry, Washington, D. C., dated November 6, 1922, is quoted for the information and compliance of all concerned:

"1. It has come to the attention of this office that student officers and other officers at Fort Benning apply direct to the Historical Section War College and other branches and bureaus of the War Department for information and documents to be used in their studies and researches.

2. Due to the limited amount of clerical personnel available it is not always possible for these branches and bureaus to comply with these requests.

3. In future, it is desired that any requests for documents or information be sent through channels to this office which will render such assistance as is possible in securing the desired data." (312.3-A. O.)

By command of Brigadier General GORDON:

WM. A. KENT,
Adjutant.

## *GENERAL MALONE TO BE RELIEVED AS ASSISTANT COMMANDANT*

**GOES TO FORT SILL AND THEN TO COMMAND ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 2nd DIVISION.**

Information has been received that General Malone, Assistant Commandant, will be relieved within the next few weeks and, after a month's course at the Artillery School, Fort Sill, Oklahoma, he will be assigned to command the artillery brigade of the Second Division.

The following is a brief summary of General Malone's personal and military history:

Graduated United States Military Academy, 1894.

Staff Officer Wickoff's Brigade, Kent's Division, Santiago Campaign.

Line and Staff Officer in the campaign in Philippine Islands, 1899-1901.

Instructor, Department of Chemistry, United States Military Academy, 1901-1905.

Provost Marshal and Judge Advocate, Army Cuban Pacification, 1906-1908.

Honor Graduate, ARMY SCHOOL OF THE LINE, 1909.

Graduate Army Staff College, 1910.

General Staff, Washington, D. C., 1911-1912.

Assistant Chief of Staff (G-5 Training) General Pershing's Hq. France, to Feb. 11, 1918.

Commanding 23rd Infantry 3rd Brigade 2nd Division in Sommedieu Sector near Verdun to May 15, 1918; the Aisne Defensive; the Chateau Thierry operations which stopped the advance on Paris, June 1-July 9, 1918. In the Aisne-Marne Offensive (between Soissons and Rheims) July 18, 1918. Citation by the French 10th Corps and by the Army of the North and the Northeast and by the 2nd Division. Later awarded Distinguished Service Cross.

In Pone-a-Mousson Sector to August 25, 1918.

Commanding 10th Brigade, 5th Division in the St. Mihiel Offensive.

September 12-16, 1918, enroute to and in the Meuse-Argonne Offensive to November 1, 1918; capture of Bois des Rappes, October 20, 1918.

Brigadier General U. S. Army (Temporary) October 1, 1918. In operations which forced the Meuse, Nov. 3-4, 1918, and in the offensive which conquered La Haute Meuse and carried the American line 21 kilometers to the east of the Meuse river on the day of the Armistice.

Referring to the operations of the 5th Division in the forcing of the Meuse and the canal, General Pershing said in a letter to Major General H. E. Ely:

"The feat of arms, however, which marks especially the Division's ability as a fighting unit, was the crossing of the Meuse River and the establishment of bridgehead on the eastern bank. This operation was one of the most brilliant military feats in the history of the American Army in France."

GENERAL PAUL B. MALONE.

With the 10th Brigade, 5th Division, in the Army of Occupation to March 2, 1919.

Commanding 3rd Brigade, 2nd Division in Germany to Juiy 1, 1919.

Assistant Commandant, The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga., since July, 1919.

Total military service, 32 years.

Initial General Staff Eligible List, 1921.

Brigadier General, Regular Army, April 27, 1922.

Civilian Activities: Director Rotary Club, Columbus, Ga. Vice Commander, Charles S. Harrison Post, American Legion.

Decorations: Croix de Guerre with two palms and one star; Officer of the Legion of Honor (French); Distinguished Service Medal; Distinguished Service Cross.

Citations: Cited in the orders of the 2nd Division and 5th Division U. S. Army Corps, (French) and Army of the North and Northeast (French) and by Headquarters American Expeditionary Forces (General Pershing).

Author: Winning His Way to West Point; A Plebe at West Point; A West Point Yearling; A West Point Cadet; A West Point Lieutenant.

**Skeleton Outline.**

Brigadier General U. S. Army; Assistant Commandant, The Infantry School; President Southeastern Division, American Automobile Association; Veteran of Spanish-American War, Philippines Insurrection and World War. Awarded Distinguished Service Cross and Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Honor and Croix de Guerre for service in France. Cited five times for distinguished service in battle in France and recommended for Brevet for service in the battle of San Juan, 1905.

Graduate West Point, 1894;

Graduate General Staff School;

Director Rotary Club, Columbus, Ga.;

Author and Public Speaker;

Honor Graduate School of the Line;

Initial General Staff Eligible List;

Vice Commander American Legion Post.

## ARMISTICE DAY CEREMONIAL AT B'NAI ISRAEL TEMPLE

**GENERAL GORDON, COMMANDING OFFICER OF FORT, MAKES STIRRING ADDRESS.**

On Armistice Day evening members of the American Legion in Columbus met at B'Nai Israel Temple and joined with the people of the synagogue in an impressive ceremony. Among the speakers of the occasion was General Walter H. Gordon, whose address follows:

"We are gathered here this evening in this house of God to commemorate, by appropriate exercises, our victory and that of our noble allies over the forces of autocracy and tyranny, and to pay fitting tribute to the memory of our heroic dead, to our noble brothers who have shown us God.

"Our great nation revers forever their undying memory.

"Our debt of gratitude to these men is beyond measure. We can only stand with bowed heads and say to all the world that the memory of their deeds, their lives and their deaths shall live with us always, and shall not die.

"History tells us that for more than 300 years after the annihilation of the Spartan Band at Thermopylae by the hordes of Persia, every Greek child was required to recite from memory the names of the 300 martyrs who died in defense of their native land. In like manner we must keep green the memory of American heroism—that heroism at which the world so recently marveled.

" 'Shall we forget those who went away
To follow the red flag beyond the main,
Who turned aside and let us have the day?
Shall we forget those who went away and will not come again?'

"I have heard war likened to a poisonous weed that bears beautiful flowers. It would seem so; for, in the hearts of our brave men, living in the blood-soaked soil of the battlefield, 'midst desolation, suffering and death, there blossomed in highest degree, the virtues of matchless courage, generosity, self-denial and brotherly love.

"There are occasions in a man's life, my friends, when words utterly fail to express his feelings. I find that such is always my embarrassment when I attempt to show others the affection and esteem in which I hold the men who fought for us in France.

"The superb sacrifice and unconquering spirit of these men finally brought victory, but at a fearful price in blood and treasure.

**Urges Preparedness.**

"I must, therefore, ask you, my friends, to give serious heed to the words of our secretary of war, to our great military chief, and to those of the American Legion, in their recommendations that a sufficient military establishment be maintained to make effective our national defense law which is built upon the idea of a citizen army, led by officers and noncommissioned officers, graduates of

(Continued on Page Four.)

# Social Notes

**Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.**
Post Phone 192.

On last Tuesday evening Miss Virginia Chappell and Capt. Burress were entertained at a dinner dance at the Post.

The guests first assembled at the home of Capt. Legge, where Mrs. Legge, his mother, served hors d'oeuvre. Next they were invited to the Officers' Club Mess and there seated at one long table they were served a beautiful dinner. The decorations were very lovely in pink roses, silver bowls of fruit, and unshaded waxen tapers in silver holders.

The hosts for the evening were Capt. and Mrs. Hayne, Capt. and Mrs. Switzer, Capt. Legge, Major Walker and Capt. George Weems. Others present were Capt. and Mrs. Eddy, Miss Dolly Hart, of Atlanta; Capt. Burracker, Mr. Jack Burress, Miss Virginia Chappell, Capt. W. A. Burress, Miss Sue Palmer, Miss Sara Sibley and Miss Mary Byrd Tate, of Marietta.

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**CAPT. BURRESS HONORED AT STAG SUPPER.**

On Sunday evening at the Muscogee Club, a party of friends entertained at a stag supper, honoring Capt. W. A. Burress, whose marriage to Miss Virginia Chappell took place last Wednesday evening.

The table decorations were in chrysanthemums, and a delicious course dinner was served. Covers were laid for fourteen:

Capt. Burress, Capt. Switzer, Capt. Eddy, Major Walker, Capt. Burracker, Capt. Legge, Capt. Hayne, Capt. Weems, Capt. Chambliss, Capt. Wilson, Mr. Haynes, Capt. Foley, Capt. Stann, Lieut. McKinney.

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**THANKSGIVING DANCE.**

There will be a fancy dress dance on Wednesday, November 29th, at the Officers' Club Hop Room at nine o'clock.

Guests are asked to appear in costume. Those not in costume are requested to perform the arduous duties of wallflowers until 10-30 o'clock.

The club management will attempt to procure the services of an expert costumer for this occasion. Further information on this will be furnished at an early date.

The regular weekly hop on Friday, December 1st, has been eliminated.

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**BRIDGE PARTY, NOV. 18, SATURDAY NIGHT, 8:00 O'CLOCK. 40 TABLES.**

The ladies of the Post are sponsoring a bridge party, to be given at the new Polo Club House, Shannon Field. Both officers and their ladies are cordially invited to attend. Reservations can be made by calling Mrs. John W. Elkins, Post Phone 72.

Prizes will be awarded and refreshments served.

The charge of 50 cents per player is being charged for the purpose of furnishing the Club House, which, when completed, will afford an assembly place for social activities not now adequately provided for.

THE COMMITTEE.

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On last Wednesday evening Miss Virginia Chappell, of Columbus, was married to Captain W. A. Burress at the home of the bride in Columbus. Mrs. Burress was a popular and attractive member of the young set in Columbus and Capt. Burress was formerly stationed at Fort Benning. Capt. Burress is now an instructor at Virginia Military Institute, where he and Mrs. Burress will live after the honeymoon.

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On Tuesday and again on Wednesday in the afternoon, Mrs. Kenneth Whittemore was hostess at bridge, entertaining a number of her friends.

The decorations were pink and yellow chrysanthemums in the various rooms of her Fort Benning home.

There were table prizes each day. On Tuesday they were attractive Chinese baskets filled with homemade candy, and were won by Mrs. J. M. Graham, Mrs. L. B. Clapham, Mrs. Wayne Patterson, and Miss Jane Bohlinger, of Little Rock, Ark.

On Wednesday the prizes were pretty embroidered guest towels, and were won by Mrs. Horace Hobbs, Mrs. L. B. Rock, Mrs. R. A. McClure, Mrs. Whitesides, and Mrs. C. P. Hall.

There were twenty-four guests on Tuesday, and thirty on Wednesday, including a number who came in for tea.

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Mrs. R. L. Stickney was hostess to the members of the 29th Infantry Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon at her Fort Benning home, entertaining at a delightful party.

Autumn decorations in leaves and flowers were placed with charming effect. After the game congealed fruit salad and hot tea were served.

Mrs. Edward McCay won high score prize, a dozen glasses of preserves. Mrs. Scales cut the consolation, a set of blue bayberry candles.

Those present were:

Mrs. Hatfield, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Scales, Mrs. McClure, Mrs. Rock, Mrs. J. F. Moore, Mrs. Kovarick, Mrs. Lussier, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Olsen, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Mallory, Mrs. McKeon, Mrs. Humphries, Mrs. Pritchett, rs. Purswell, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Winn, Mrs. Duvall.

Mrs. Hobbs, wife of Col. Hobbs, will be hostess for the next meeting, which is to week after next.

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Mrs. Caulkins, wife of Captain Caulkins, was hostess to the Ninth Infantry Bridge Club at a delightful meeting on Tuesday.

The party took place at Mrs. Caulkins' home on Lake Drive. Autumn flowers adorned the living room and a tempting luncheon was served before the game.

Mrs. Lippincott made high score. Those present were:

Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Finley, Mrs. Lugton, Mrs. Foley, Mrs. Lippincott, Mrs. Valverde, Mrs. Maples, Mrs. Rhoads.

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On last Monday afternoon the Artillery Ladies' Bridge Club, recently organized, met at the home of Mrs. Rumbough, wife of Major Joseph W. Rumbough. There were three tables of bridge, and sandwiches, tea and cake were served. The next meeting of the club will be Tuesday, November 28th, and it will meet thereafter every two weeks on Tuesday afternoons.


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# 29th Infantry Notes.

## Company "A."

Not long ago one of our most prominent members of the company, who is climbing the ladder of fame slowly but surely, (he has just been made Sergeant), was in charge of a detail going to the post school.

In this detail was an Irishman who had been, as usual drinking a little too freely, and when the detail was reported to the officer in charge, he ordered him into arrest.

A few days afterward he was taken to the Summary Court for trial and the hero was sent along as a witness against him. Our hero was born under Turkish rule, of Greek parents, and is by religion a Jew. His English is at best a little broken. The Summary Court called them in for trial, and without waiting to be asked to testify, our hero commenced to wave his arms around his head and become very much excited. His words sounded like a machine gun or an angry mess sergeant. The Summary Court thought that our hero was the man to be tried, as the Irishman stood there at attention taking it all in quietly, so he sent them both back to the company and returned the charges stating that the man should be excused inasmuch as he could not speak the English language and was of a very excitable temperment.

With the basketball season only a short distance away "A" Company is starting practice, with hopes of taking the regimental honor. With the support of our popular company commander chances are bright.

## Company "B."

After honest and faithful service for three long or short years, as the case may be, the late Corp. Humphrey has at last attained the rank of mess sergeant and, believe me, he knows his stuff for the boys are getting fat and lazy. This is not to be a discouragement and we want you to keep up the good work, Humphrey.

When it comes to being the best company in the regiment we have them all outclassed and if you don't believe it look over the inspection sheets once. You will see where we stand. Our motto is "B" there when you start and "B" there when you arrive and, believe me, we are.

We are at last going to have a real honest-to-goodness typewriter pusher in the company as Corp. Roballard is going to the school and all he does is write letters to girls and tell them what a wonder he is—a "regular lady-killer."

## Company "D."

Our industrious assistant company clerk, Teddy R.(oosevelt), has been having such a good time since payday that he has somewhat neglected his equipment. Yesterday he went into conference with the company commander and later in the day he was seen by the company "gum-shoe" on his way to the bath house with an armfull of web equipment, a scrubbing brush and a bar of soap. What happened, Ted?

What the non-coms can't understand is how it happens that our junior corporal is now wearing three stripes. Keep it up, Mac, you're going good.

Pvt. Yelmoni had an argument with a certain bird in this company and later told him that he was so dumb that he thought Rex Beach was a summer resort.

Incidentally this organization has organized an N. C. O.'s club, sponsored by the first sergeant, which is *proving to be a huge* success, as a matter of face we now have about fifty berries in the treasury, and Cpl. Goldfeder being on the entertainment committee is trying to figure out how to blow the fifty bucks.

Company "D":

"You can't beat the monkeys," by "Booker T." Willard.

"He went to work and told me," by "Fritz C. C." Roeglin.

"Just like New York," by "Monkey" Ehrenfield.

"You're not in the 3rd Battalion now," by "Chief" Pilkington.

"Dis is de Jasper," by "Tomey" Gasper.

"Take your time tramp," by "Bob" Harkey.

"My God, O, my God; o how long will this last?" by the 1st Sgt.

Stable Sergeant Clark wants to know why every one holds their nose when he comes around.

Our "Chief" has his war paint and feathers on this morning and is "scalping the pale faces" to the tune of confinement to the company street for 24 hours. Don't leave any dirt in the corners, boys.

The ladies seem to be getting popular in Company "D". One of our boys has been cherishing a certain band ring in his foot-locker for several weeks. When are you going to use it, Stotts?

We have used up thirteen scratch pads, not to mention numerous pencils trying to figure out why "Opelika" had to attend court, got a three-day pass and asked for a married man's pass when he came back. Sweet Papa.

Speaking of innocence, "Chick" Robertson, our "Georgia special," says he knows Cleopatra is a movie actress, but he can't remember the name of the picture she played in.

## HOWITZER COMPANY.

The company turned out for inspection for General Malone Monday, November 6th and was very highly commended by the general.

The "Freebooters" played a very good game of football with the 2nd Battalion and, believe me, it was sure some game of football.

## 1ST BN. HEADQUARTERS.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Know ye that reposing special faith and trust ni the discrepencies and super-ability of Private 1st Cl. Woodruff of this organization, we feel it our painful duty to recommend him to those officers' who may require the services of an excellent stable grenadier. Private Woodruff is familiar with all the intricacies of the typewriter and of army paper work generally. We therefore feel sure that he should make an excellent blacksmith or bronco buster.

Corporal Ramsey has recently returned from furlough enjoyably spent in Anderson, S. C.

Private Funk is getting very efficient asc an orderly. The other day at about 9 a. m. he received a telephone message for a certain lieutenant, and delivered it very promptly at 6 p. m. two days later. The message was an invitation for a dinner party to take place at 6 p. m. on the evening that the message was received. Needless to say the lieutenant compromisd on a dish of army beans. We won't tell what happened to Mr. Funk, but he says that it won't happen again.

Cpl. Trimble, our company clerk, has grown the sweetest and cutest little mustache that we have ever seen. It is so sweetly original that we believe Cpl. Trimble could materially increase his finances by placing himself on exhibition somewheres and charging a small admission for a look.

Our company barber, Pvt. Kenter, was actually seen in the company barber shop the other day (how did that happen, Kenter?)

Somebody tell Folkerson that Indianapolis is not the largest city in the United States, he won't believe us.

## COMPANY "F."

For the first time in many moons that well known voice of "Hungry's" (Corp. Warner) is still; since the B. & C. School has taken over the Company Mess, he does not have time to make much noise. "Too busy filling up."

We have just discovered in this Company a Poet who will make Tennyson, Shakespeare, and a few other of our greatest Poets look sick. He's known thruout the Company as "Steve," and he has some real interesting poems that he will give from time to time.

The "Top" this morning was talking as if he wanted a 148 1-2; he was saying that it was the kind of a morning we could wear Bathing Suits, and at that very moment Pvt. Thompson came to the Orderly Room looking for his overcoat. Sounds funny, you know, but it really was a swell morning.

## REGIMENTAL HDQRS. CO.

Sgt. James P. Johnston volunteered his services for a recruiting trip at LaGrange, Ga. It is because the wets were victorious at the polls in the recent elections in that section of the country, or did the intelligence section inform you that G. O. No. 100 is being published?

The Captain has asked 1st Sgt. David Nadeau to interview some men who have been trying to obtain permission to get themselves better halves, and explain to them the disadvantages of such an undertaking. Dave, your records do not show such prior service. Was it foreign or domestic?

Sgt. Shanahan has been relieved as Co. Mess Sgt. and has been temporarily placed in charge of the message center, Communication Platoon. Tom says it is all for the best, since he can now have direct communications with the one he has only seen visions of, during all meals of the day.

Pvt. 1st Class Allen, when asked to take over the duties left vacant by Sgt. Shanahan, stated he can take care of the emergency, since he has done it before during a similar emergency that arose on the banks of the Rhine, 'way back in 1918.

## SERVICE COMPANY.

The trip the band made to Americus, Ga., to participate in the ceremonies held under the auspices of the American Legion at that place, celebrating the Armistice of the Great War, was even a more enjoyable time for so short duration that it made the meeting at New Orleans look like a Sunday School picnic. And the band was very fortunate in the acquisition of two excellent musicians, both of whom are a very scarce article throughout U. S. army bands, namely: Mr. Kiger, who plays an excellent French horn, and Mr. Tomsa, whose steadiness on the bass drum cannot be surpassed.

Owing to the short stay at Americus very little time was had by the band members to do any heart-breaking, and if the band man who was continually leaning on the show case at the cigar stand in the Hotel Windsor and spoofing the pretty attendant there could be back there, orange blossoms might be in vogue in the near future.


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THE MULE always tries to graze on the grass just on the other side of the fence. No doubt the mule thinks this grass is greener and more tender than the grass in his own pasture. The human animal always thinks he can improve on the other fellow's job. No doubt this is due to the fact that most humans think their job is the most difficult and the other fellow has the "easy snap." And herein a likeness between the mule and the man exists.

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WITH THE END in view of being progressive it is the policy of The News to support anything new that is good—or seems good. The News supported the Gym Class—or Calisthenics Club, we believe—the Dramatic Club, the Equitation Class, the bridge clubs, it is for the Current Events Club, and, last but not least, The News is boosting the Music Club. This club is now busily engaged practicing choral selections for the personal edification of its members and it is reported that eventually the club will attempt something more ambitions. The Music Club has already organized an instrumental quartette and the offierings are easy to listen to. At some meetings the members sing the latest popular airs accompanied by the quartette and such occasions are always pleasant affairs. At present this club is on a search for male voices both for the purpose of supporting the female voices in the chorus and for the organization of a quartette. Each meeting on Thursday evenings—which is held at the Officer's Hop Room—adds one or two new voices, and officers are invited by the ladies of the club to attend these meetings.

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LOYALTY to the Chief, whether he be of the grade of Captain or of the grade of Major General, is obligatory. The man higher up may not do just what you would do in every instance. There may be occasions—and frequently are—when you believe the man higher up is wrong. There may exist circumstances and conditions which convince you that you are a better man than the man higher up. The time may come when the man higher up treats you unfairly. But did you ever happen to think that the man higher up is "holding the bag," so to speak, for your actions and that because of this he has the right to demand that things be done his way? Right or wrong, and regardless of what your personal feelings in the matter may be, give your loyalty to the Chief.


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## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Following is the program for War Department Theatres, Fort Benning, Ga., for the week ending November 25th:

Opening hours for the three theatres are as follows:

Colored Theatre ..... 6:00 P. M.
29th Infantry Theatre 6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre ..... 7:15 P. M.

**Sunday, Nov. 19th.**

"Cardigan," 7 reel feature (Buster Collier).
"The Cop," 2 reel comedy (Buster Keaton).

**Monday, Nov. 20th.**

"Sherlock Brown," 5 reel feature (B. Lytell).
"Farmer and the Mice," 1 reel comedy.
"Fox News."

**Tuesday, Nov. 21st.**

"Polly of the Follies," 6 reel feature (C. Talmadge).
"Our Gang," 2 reel comedy.

**Wednesday, Nov. 22nd.**

"South of Suva," 5 reel feature (Special Cast).
"Leatherpushers," 2 reels (Round No. 3).

**Thursday, Nov. 23rd.**

"Out of the Dust," 7 reel feature (All Star).
"Fox News."

**Friday, Nov. 24th.**

"Her Night of Nights," 5 reel feature (Prevost).
"Rolin Comedy."
"Pathe Review."

**Saturday, Nov. 25th.**

"Sisters," 7 reel feature (Cosmopolitan).
"Love & Doughnuts," 2 reel comedy (Turpin).

### EDITORIAL NOTE:

Due to a typographical error the news items for the issue of November 10th, which were submitted by the 24th Infantry, were headed "29th Infantry News Notes." Such things will occur occasionally in the best regulated newspapers.

## ARMISTICE DAY CEREMONIAL AT B'NAI ISRAEL TEMPLE

(Continued from Front Page.)

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## MORE CAPTAINS WILL BE DEMOTED THAN EXPECTED

### REPORTED THAT PROBABLY 40 MORE WILL LOSE BARS.

The War Department has sent out warning that probably forty more captains than was provided for in the telegrams sent to corps headquarters would be demoted.

This may carry demotion on the list of captains up to Oliver W. Broberg, 6401 on the promotion list of the Army Register of 1922, on page 1394. The total number of captains to be demoted under this new plan will be, it is estimated, about 777. This may carry down as many as 833 first lieutenants.

It is emphasized at the War Department that this is only a tentative announcement. The refusal of captains who receive notice of the demotion to accept commissions in the grade of lieutenant will change this estimate. The change is due to the cancellation of more than forty confidential orders to captains for separation from the Service. Many of these changes have been brought about by the withdrawal by captains of their applications for discharge from the Service with one year's pay.

The Dickman board has been inclined to accept the withdrawals by captains, recognizing the fact that many of the applications for discharge were made when the officers did not fully understand the effect of the demotion process. They were made when Congress appeared to assume a very unfriendly attitude towards the Army and the younger officers feared that there would be further reductions in the strength of the Army. Now, with the reaction in Congress, the situation in the Army appears to be more encouraging and younger officers are inclined to stay in the Service on this account.

**No More Majors To Be Demoted.**

The board has closed all of the cases involving the majors on the promotion list. Demotion of majors is now a closed incident and no more majors will be asked to accept commissions in the grade of captain. Some of the majors may not have received notice, but the notices are all now in the mail. An effort will be made by the Dickman board to dispose of the cases in the grade of captain and lieutenant by Dec. 1. Of course, there may be a few cases pending before the board after that date, but extraordinary efforts will be made to dispose of all of them before the first of the month.

Inquiries have been received from the War Department requesting definite information as to the final date upon which an officer must have his application in on file for discharge with a year's pay. Advices from The Adjutant General indicate that a date terminating this preference to officers has not been set. It is stated on good authority, however, that should officers now in the Service desire to take advantage of this method of separating themselves from the Service they should send their applications in immediately, as the task of elimination is rapidly nearing completion.


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## FIRST SERGEANT PINKSTON IS RETIRED

### Tendered A Regimental Review and Banquet.

1st Sgt. James C. Pinkston, Co. I, 24th Infantry, was retired Wednesday after more than 23 years service. Wednesday afternoon a regimental review was held, with Sgt. Pinkston receiving the review. The entire regiment was assembled to pay a tribute to this faithful soldier. Wednesday evening I Company gave their Top Kick a farewell party and smoker. At this time Sgt. Pinkston was presented with a fine gold watch, a 32nd Degree Masonic charm, a leather hand bag and a Masonic crown.

Col. B. P. Nicklin made the presentation address, which was suitably replied to by Sgt. Pinkston. Other speakers were Capt. McNair, Chaplain Reynolds, Capt. Sproule, Lt. Stetler and others, who all spoke most acceptably. The order retiring Sgt. Pinkston is as follows:

HEADQUARTERS 24th INFANTRY,
Fort Benning, Georgia.
November 13th, 1922.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 12:

1. A Regimental Review will be tendered FIRST SERGEANT JAMES C. PINKSTON, Company "I," 24th Infantry, who, under paragraph 29, Special Orders No. 261, War Department, dated November 6th, 1922, has been placed on the retired list.

The record of Sergeant Pinkston's Service is as follows:—

Co. "H," 8th U. S. V., July 13, 1898 to Mch. 6th, 1899.

Co. "A," 48th U. S. V. Inf., Oct. 3, 1899 to June 30, 1901.

Co. "B," 24th Inf., Sept. 28, 1901 to Sept. 27, 1904.

Co. "D," 24th Inf., Oct. 10, 1904 to Nov. 20, 1905.

Cos. "B" & "G," 24th Inf., Nov. 21, 1905 to Nov. 20, 1908.

Co. "G," 24th Inf., Nov. 21, 1908 to Nov. 20, 1911.

Co. "G," N. C. S. & Co. "D," 24th Inf., Nov. 21, 1911 to Nov. 20, 1914.

Co. "D," 24th Inf., Nov. 21, 1914 to Oct. 14, 1917.

1st Lieut. Infantry, Oct. 15, 1917 to Oct. 23, 1919.

Inf. Unasgd.; D. E. M. L. and Inf. School Det. (Col.) Oct. 24, 1922 to Oct. 25, 1922.

Co. "I," 24th Inf., Oct. 26, 1922 to Nov. 6th, 1922.

On date of retirement, Sergeant Pinkston had in over twenty-three (23) years service and over six (6) years double time. He served over seventeen (17) years in the 24th Infantry and was a non-commissioned officer over fifteen (15) years.

He participated in engagements against insurrectos Northern Luzon, P. I., 1900 to 1901, and against Fanatical Pulajanes on Island of Leyte, P. I., September 10, 1906.

Served as a member of the Punitive Expedition into Mexico from March 28, 1916, to February 5, 1917.

During the World's War, he served as 1st Lieut., 368th Infantry. Arrived in France June 29th, 1918; engaged with German Patrols September 1st, 1918, during which four men of his command were killed. Left St. Die Sector Sept. 20, 1918, en route to Argonne Forest via Givry-Ville and Vien-le-Chateau arriving at about midnight September 25, 1918, during allied bombardments across the entire front. He was severely wounded in the Argonne Forest by enemy shrapnel, while leading his Company in an advanced engagement.

Sergeant Pinkston has served loyally, efficiently and honorably and the record of his service is that which any man might be justly proud of.

The best wishes of the entire regiment follow Sergeant Pinkston into his well earned retirement.

By order of Colonel NICKLIN:
CHAS. H. McNAIR,
Act'g Adjutant.

## Signal Corps Notes

Corporal Curtis Oakes, Company B, 15th Tank Battalion, is again back on the job at the Post Telephone Switchboard in his former capacity of Chief Operator. It has been noted in the past few days by several subscribers that some material change had taken place in the telephone system. Cpl. Oakes is now at the helm, and in the short space time in which he has been back with us the telephone service has greatly improved.

Private Lester Avera, one of our air artists in the Meteorlogical station, met with a minor accident at the Post Exchange the other day. He states that he meant no harm, that he just stepped in there to obtain a cigar, and while in the process of obtaining the same some near-sighted, careless ruffian stepped on his hand.

In the past the Signal Office has been able to state that they had accommodated the personnel of Fort Benning with telephone communication and in doing so had been enabled to keep away from the envious party line system, with its one, two and three rings. But from all appearances at present in the air this system will now be resorted to as it is impossible at present to enlarge the telephone switchboard. Therefore, it is probable that in the near future when the telephone in the officers' quarters rings they will be required to drop everything and count the rings.

Private Lapp, who has had a varied career with the local Signal Office in the capacity of lineman, storekeeper, wire chief, etc., is now delivering telegrams as well as learning fancy tricks on his new bicycle.

Our dashing Cable Connector, Corporal Seeley, has declared that he will soon make his semi-annual visit to the city of Columbus, and that his headquarters will be established at Joe Brown's Tea Room. "Hold 'Er, Newt, She's A-Rearin'."

Staff Sergt. Manning, who has nearly rounded out his three year sojourn in the Army, is, so to speak, up the stump, he can harly decide whether he wishes to re-enlist in Benning, or elsewhere. The only advice we can give is "Use Caution."

A question was asked the other day as follows: Why is Pvt. Hughes and Edison's great discovery known as Electricity, practically one and the same? To the above the following answer was made: "They both move along the lines of least resistance."

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## Finance Detachment Notes

This Detachment has a new member assigned to its personnel in the person of Tech. Sgt. Robert Kenney, of the New Orleans Finance Office. Sergeant Kenney is an old friend of Watson and Bennett, having served in the Medical Department at Fort McPherson in 1920.

Shylock Friedenthal wants to know where he can secure a tin pinochle deck. He wants to do a little practicing before tackling Sergeant Kenney and Private Watson again.

The Chief Clerk had a hard time Wednesday in managing his two squads of Finance Soldiers when they loaded up their fountain pens and started out to be shot (by the camera).

Sergeant Bennett and Private Kilpatrick, S. C., enjoyed a pleasant afternoon last Sunday in the form of a long walk with Miss Roe, the hostess.

Private Willis took a trip home for the week-end. It is understood that he had a nice time hunting hickory nuts, buckeyes, etc.

Tillerson informed the office force through military channels that along with his mule-ish laughter, that he also still retained his specialist rating—by the way, Till, just what is your rating? We forgot Country.

Wanted—!! At least one man versed in foreign langoes to act as body guard and interpreter for John Dobbie—the Pennsylvania Dutch-man.

High pocket Ayers, says that the very next Kennel Club to put on a Bench show that he will enter H. A. F. (Head and Feet) White, unless some barber clips his curly locks.

Banda, the elongated check writer, is certainly gaining speed every day —"One check an hour or bust"—is his slogan.

Sergeant Kenney visited friends and relatives in LaFayette, Alabama, last Saturday and Sunday.

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## Artillery News Notes.

The 83rd Field Artillery continues to enter a sizeable representation in the ring and on the mat. Last year MacDonald of Battery "C" took the light heavy-weight title. This fall Donnelly, also of Battery "C," is counted upon to bring home the heavyweight belt and Erdos, also of Battery "C," will either win the welterweight title or make the man who does win it take an antidote.

In the wrestling field the battalion will be represented by LaPine, of Headquarters Battery. Strangely enough last year's field artillery representative, who threw the men in his class all over the lot was Ducharme, of the same outfit. So it seems that the boxfighters are mostly confined to "C" Battery and the wrestlers to Headquarters. This is not entirely the case, however, for Battery "A" is backing Hunt, left end on the football team, to show something in the lightweight class. This he was doing until a broken hand threw him out. Griswold, another lightweight, is temporarly on the shelf with a tin ear.

A flock of injuries settled down on the battalion and seriously affected the football team. Had the team met the First Battalion of the 29th Infantry yesterday, as it was scheduled to do, Samlavich's stiff arm and Marsh's glass ankle would have put those dependable backs at a serious disadvantage. And probably when the team does play, it will be minus the services of Donnelly and Erdos, two of the best linesmen, who will be at Fort MacPherson representing not only Fort Benning but the First Battalion of the 83rd.

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Pvt. McCabe certainly is in hard luck. Some folks say that thirteen is their lucky number, but not so for McCabe. On Monday the thirteenth two men came out to the Fort for the purpose of looking for an Overland car. As luck would have it, McCabe was the one to have the lucky car, consequently "there ain't no more." Now he is going to buy out of the army, because he has lost everything that was dear to him, and he says the car was MIGHTY dear to him, especially the repairs.

Close watch will have to be kept on the storeroom in the future. Our Irish corporal is going to use cosmoline on his hair to make the company commander think he has his hair cut.

Pvt. Robinson is sure some traveler. While riding on a Pullman car, he asked the porter what the charges were for using the towels in the washroom. He thinks Old Point Comfort is the name of a quilt.

Pvt. Miller is going to give up the idea of having a basketball team on account of the star player, Sgt. Bowen being absent from the company. He was the only talented man we had in the line of athletics, and there's no use playing without him.

Pvt. Everhart would make a fine butcher. While hanging meat in the refrigerator, he hooked his thumb on the hook instead of the meat.

Pvt. Nolan, our celebrated baseball star, is leaving us soon. He says he has no business in the army, because John McGraw has asked him to sign up with the New York Giants.

Theda Bara has a new way of beating duty. He says that when any one comes looking for him, he uses vanishing cream, and they can't find him. Lucky for the company that everybody don't use the same thing.

## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

Sergeant Duff is spending his furlough hunting with his million dollar cheese hounds. So far we have heard of no tigers or bears being killed. Sergeant Kindervater is also in the woods with his trusty shotgun. He says that the only objection to a hunting party is that some fool in the crowd always wants to hunt.

Private Reese has resigned from the Officers Club and is now helping the recruits build their new billets.

Tuesday at 4 o'clock word was received that twenty-four recruits would be in at 4:30. The cooks got busy and had chow ready but the recruits didn't show up. We are always on the job and of course don't mind a good joke now and then.

All the box-fighters, wrestlers and horse-shoe pitchers have been sent down to Bill Stewart's training table. He doesn't mind their Delmonico appetites but says a soldier shouldn't keep "banking hours."

The streets of Girard can compare favorably with the boulevards of Havana since one of our men has taken such an interest in them.

We turned out strong for the group picture Wednesday but sure performed some strange maneuvers when the Captain gave "Right by File."

Laaksonen and his gang have about the best radio outfit in Camp. Every night there is a crowd to hear everything from grand opera to ragtime. Some one suggests that Smith put a wireless on his chickens so he can tell when an egg has been laid.

There is a rumor that we will be given a chance to qualify on the range during the Christmas holidays. It will be pretty cold but what's the difference if a few experts can make that extra five per.

## Motor Transport Notes

Private J. G. Brown, our flat brush artist, is painting a picture of the City of Columbus so that Corporal Mitchell can see what the city looks like.

It is very strange that the clef that carried away Private Carters two blankets left the horse shoe that was behind his bed.

There was a rumor recently to the effect that Sergeant Parker crossed a field of daisies with a carnation in his button hole.

Corporal Pou was seen doing the sighting and aiming, push and pull, and the trigger squeeze drill. He must be getting in line for the rabbit season.

Sergeant George Taylor has been attending the weekly dancing class of the 24th Infantry, now we want to see what George can do on the 30th.

Corporal Willie McCloud, the M. T. C. fashion plate, has been selected as floor manager for our dance on the 30th.

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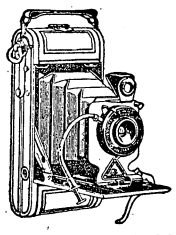
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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 8.)

The St. Mihiel offensive was an entire success. There was no longer any doubt about the skill of American arms, and henceforth it was decided that the American forces should act as an independent army.

The work of the engineer companies, though greatly scattered and difficult to co-ordinate, and ordered at the last minute without any opportunity for previous preparations, was in every respect efficient and commendable. Two roads were opened up across No Man's Land, one via Fay-en-Haye, by Company "F," and one through Regnieville, by Companies "D" and "E." The road through Regnieville, the axial road of the division was opened with extreme difficulty through a tangled maze of wire, shell holes, trenches, mines and traps. For a distance of two kilometers this road was passable at H plus twelve hours, several hours ahead of the roads opened by the contiguous divisions, resulting in the routing of the trains of five divisions over this road and requiring continuous maintenance day and night and vigorous traffc regulations to forestall hopeless congestion. It was here in this work that the 7th Engineers by their decisive method of handling traffic acquired the reputation which later in the Meuse-Argonne caused them by Corps Orders to be clothed with the authority of Military Police in traffic regulation.

Following the road work, the regiment laid out and supervised the organization of the captured position, wired in the divisions resistance position along a front of four kilometers, located and destroyed some three hundred traps and mines, salvaged the division area, collected all United States and captured property in the area, and supervised the organization of the former sector of the Second Division and the work of the engineer regiment of the 78th Division.

In order to do this work the regiment was not relieved with the rest of the 5th Division, but remained in the sector for twelve days with the 78th Division. At the close of this work, Col. L. M. Adams, to the regret of the entire regiment, was returned to the United States to assume control of engineer training. He was succeeded by Lieut. Col. E. G. Paules, Maj. L. L. Morton, who had commanded the Second Battalion during the offensive, became acting Lieutenant-Colonel.

**Company "A."**

Company "A," commanded by Lieut. McAdams, was detailed to assist in the attack by supporting both the light and heavy tanks. Up until the time of the barrage the company worked removing obstructions which would impede the passage of the tanks. The majority of the tanks arrived on time and took position at the places prepared for them by the engineers. At 5 a. m. the attack moved forward. The unsuitability of the terrain made the progress of both the heavy and the light tanks very difficult and many skidded from the roads, where they remained, and the tanks which did advance could not keep pace with the infantry. They did not return, however, but remained in position as far forward as possible and formed a temporary line of resistance in case of a counter attack. Many of the tanks, however, which did get into position for the attack, were unable to go forward because of lack of "essence." All of the tanks on the roadside, and in the ditch on the morning following the attack, were not there because they skidded. As soon as a tank ran out of gasoline and started back for more, it was ordered off the road. Regulations provided for traffic in one direction only—toward the front.

The boche had prepared many tank traps, but with one exception, these were rendered harmless.

After the company had been reassembled at the Metz highway bridge where Regimental Headquarters was located, the whole regiment was ordered to move up and prepare a line resistance for the infantry occupying the front positions. This included the establishment of a first and second line of defense, the digging of communication trenches, and the building of wire entanglements. The sector assigned to Company "A" lay between Vieville-en-Haye and the woods, about two kilometers west of that place. The construction of the front line position, and the digging of the communication trench from these positions, to the village in the rear, was done by the infantry occupying this position under the direction of Company "A" officers, and non-commissioned officers. The casualties were exceptionally light; no one was killed and only twelve were wounded.

**Company "B."**

On the morning of September 12th, after constructing bangalore torpedoes at St. Jean, with which to blow up German wire entanglements, Company "B," commanded by Lieut. Brasher, marched with the torpedoes to the front line trenches. Upon arrival at the front line, the company was divided, and various details assigned to the assault battalions of the 6th and 11th Infantry Regiments, their duty being to open passages through the wire for the attack.

After all objectives had been taken, the details were called in and the entire company then moved to a point just in the rear of the front line, and for one day engaged in pulling up German defenses.

On the night of September 16th, Company "B" with the other companies of the regiment, marched to the front, and upon arrival there, each company was assigned a certain sector in which to string wire defenses in front of a reserve line of trenches which had been laid out by the engineers and was being dug by companies of infantry. About midnight the Germans started a bombardment with gas, shrapnel and high explosive, and one man was killed and three wounded. Following this, came more gas shells and the men finished the work with gas masks.

Each night from the 16th to the 23rd inclusive, details of non-commissioned officers in charge of an officer went to the front for the purpose of supervising the infantry of the 78th Division which was still engaged in digging reserve line trenches. Carrying details with picks and shovels went up each night from an engineer dump, and the remainder of the company was repairing roads in the rear.

**Company "C."**

On September 11th a detail of 20 men of Company "C" reported to Company "A," and that night assisted in cutting lanes in front of our wire in preparation for the attack, and on the morning of September 12th they accompanied the advance of the tanks.

The remainder of the company reached the Metz highway bridge on the morning of the 12th, under orders to assist the advance of the artillery. By 4 p. m. of D day these platoons were put to work maintaining the road and assisting traffic. On the 13th the remainder of the company joined this detachment at Regnieville, where camp was established and road work carried on until September 16th, when the company moved to a joint about three kilometers northeast of Regnieville.

On the night of the 16th, the entire company was turned out for work on the line of resistance, the company's sector being in front of the woods almost due east of Vieville-en-Haye. The company again turned out on the night of the 17th to complete the wiring of the front line position. Thereafter, each night, up to and including September 22nd, the company furnished a detail of two officers and one-half of the non-commissioned officers available, to supervise the work of trench construction. While on this work, three non-commissioned officers, Sergeant Dorr, Corporal Krebs and Corporal Pestell, were severely gassed. On September 21st the company broke camp and moved to the Bois du Beau Ballon, about three kilometers northwest of the Thiaucourt, and on the next day started work on the Regnieville-Thiaucourt road from the intersection of the road leading to Vieville-en-Haye northward to Thiaucourt.

On the 23rd, Corporal William C. McDanel and Privates Edward O. Fugle and James W. Williams were wounded. Private Fugle died the day following.

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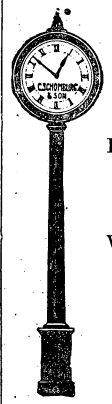
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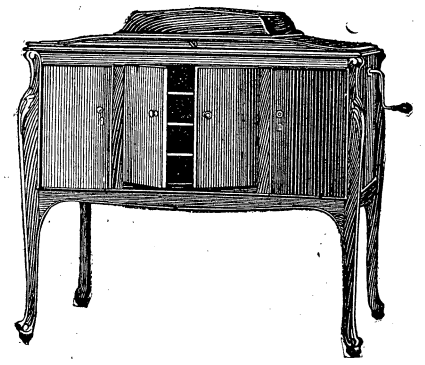
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At no time did the collegians threaten to cross the last chalk line for a touch-down. The Infantry scored three times on excellent football, and added two points on a safety when the center trio, Shannon, Hughes and Troup, broke thru and blocked a punt which Knox recovered behind the goal line for a safety.

The ball was kicked off to the Infantry who made a good run back of the kick, and then started down the field for a score. On the fifth play after securing three first downs, the 24th Star, Freeland, was heavily thrown and went out of the game with a badly bruised shoulder.

After a series of exchanges, the Infantry carried the ball across the line on a back by Oliver after a fine forward pass, Young to Bonner, that netted 30 yards, and placed the ball on the college eight yard line.

The line was playing excellent football, charging hard and playing low on defense. The improvement over the previous week was marked. The benefit of much work on the bucking machine was easily observed. In the first part of the game, the lack of good interference was still evidenced, but as the game progressed, the backs got together and from then on they ran very good interference.

Bonner got two forwards that placed the Doughboys in scoring position, and Williams also made one pretty play on a forward. The line play was excellent. Troup and Hughes showing up very well when put in near the end of the first half. They had openings at all times when called on for holes.

Dawson at tackle played an excellent game. The second touch-down came as a result of a well executed forward pass, followed by two excellent end runs and a couple of drives thru the line.

Two costly fumbles prevented a larger score, as the college boys were right on the job when the ball was loose. The last touch-down came as a result of consistent line playing interspersed with end runs. The end around proved a great ground gainer.

Toward the end of the game, all the players of the squad were given their chance, and some of the subs showed fine stuff. Young, Green and Williams acted as pilots, and used good headwork throughout. The third touch-down came when the team, by hard playing and fierce tackling, took the ball away from the Athens crowd, and drove down the field with great power for the final counter of the afternoon show.

This game was the best shown on the home lot this year, and augurs well for the great game of the season on the 25th, when the Infantry mingles with Talladega College for a game, which is for blood and revenge.

The officials conducted the afternoon's entertainment in a most satisfactory manner, and the Athens Collegians went home feeling that they had been royally entertained and that the best team won.

A dance was held after the game, and there was a large attendance from the Post as well as many visitors from Columbus.

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Miss Florence Austin and Mr. Lee C. Sheppard, formerly army field clerks and now court reporters for Fort Benning, Ga., wish to announce they have an office in the Murrah Building, Columbus, Ga., Room 200, Phone 3502, and will be glad to do stenographic work for the officers of Fort Benning, receiving same either at their offices or at the Officers' Club, Fort Benning, Ga., by appointment.

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POLO TENNIS

# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

By JOHN DOUGHBOY.

Dame Fortune smiled whimsically yesterday afternoon on the gridiron adjacent to the Service Club at Fort Benning and wondered who she would favor in the titanic struggle between the "Terrible Tanks" and the 2nd Battalion of the 29th Infantry. During the entire first half this fickle dame coquetted first with one and then with the other, and no one scored. But in the second half the lady purred archly towards the "Tanks" and from that moment the decision was never in doubt. The final score was: Tanks 20, 2nd Battalion 0.

It was a wonderful football game. The best that has ever been played on a Fort Benning field. Both teams were equally matched—and during the first half neither team when within scoring distance had the "punch" to put the ball across.

The game sizzled with spectacular passes and runs. Perhaps the greatest of these was Swentic's interception of a Doughboy pass in the fourth quarter on his own 30 yard line and his dash for 70 yards to a touchdown. Other large yardage gainers were Brown and Daniels for the Infantry and Bozelle for the "Tanks."

Bozelle is the hombre that Dame Fortune decided as her medium for the bestowal of her favors. She elected that this young man should rush the ball consistently starting at the beginning of the second half until something happened. It did! Bozelle starting on his own 33 yard line bucked and went off-tackle repeatedly until he had marched his team to the Infantry 10 yard line. At this point Swantic threw a short forward pass to Mabry for a touchdown. With this score made Bozelle retired to the showers. He had done his job. He was through for the day. Well done, faithful servant, well done.

The Second Battalion constantly threaten to score on spectacular passes. But somehow or other when in the very shadows of the Tank goal they could not summon the strength to put the oval over. The aerial game of the Infantry was far superior to that of the Tanks. But the Tanks had force to put things over the line. Their center bucks and off-tackle plays ripped the Doughboys throughout the game for large gains. The Infantry line seemed like butter until danger neared—and then it was a stonewall.

The last touchdown for the Tanks came from one of their long forward passes, Sharp to Swantic in the final play of the game.

For the Tanks the line played in wonderful style. In the backfield Bozelle was the shining light, with Swantic and Sharp close behind.

The bright particular star of the Infantry was Brown. This young man was the receiving end of practically all the passes and he was in every play. Davis, Payne and Daniels were also stalwarts on the offensive and defensive.

The defeat of the 2nd Battalion eliminates them from championship hopes, unless the 1st Battalion can defeat the Tanks on November 30th. In that remote event the teams will be at a triple tie—and a round-robin of games will be played for the championship.

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## BIG DANCE NEXT WEDNESDAY FOR POST POLO TEAM

### Funds To Be Raised To Finance Expenses of Team in Fort Oglethorpe Tournament.

The six players comprising the Fort Benning Polo Team, which is to participate in the Fort Oglethorpe Polo Tourney November 26th to December 3rd, have assumed the expenses of the trip. This trip will cost somewhere in the neighborhood of $400.00, or approximately $65.00 per player.

In order that these players who are to represent Fort Benning in this tournament may not be put to additional expense a Sport Dance will be given next Wednesday evening at the Officers' Hop Room for the purpose of raising funds for the team. The admission charge will be $1.00 and everybody is requested to wear a sports costume. Club chits will be accepted in lieu of cash.

To date there has been raised by voluntary contribution at Sunday games the sum of $94.25, leaving a balance to be raised by approximately $300.00. The ladies of the Post are rendering valuable assistance in the matter of raising funds by holding bridge parties with a subscription list for tables. It is desirable that tables be subscribed for, whether used or not. Mrs. J. W. Elkins, Jr., Post phone 72, is handling the subscription list for tables.

It is obligatory that the polo team be financed without expense to the players, who have not only volunteered to contribute their skill in the the expenses of the trip. The indications are that the entire Post will support the polo team by making voluntary contributions at games, attending the dance next Wednesday night, or by subscribing for one or more bridge tables Saturday night.

## ASSIGNMENT OF GENERAL OFFICERS

The Secretary of War authorizes the statement that the following assignments will be made of General Orders contingent on the promotions and retirements in December:

Major General C. H. Muir, to the VII Corps Area.

Major General H. C. Hale, to the VI Corps Area.

Major General A. W. Brewster, to the I Corps Area.

Major General G. B. Duncan, to the First Division.

Major Generals E. Hinds, R. L. Howze, and W. Lassiter, to remain on their present assignments.

Brigadier General R. P. Davis, to the 22d Infantry Brigade, Hawaii.

Brigadier General E. L. King, to remain at Army War College at present, and succeed General Craig at the Cavalry School when the latter goes to foreign service in August next.

Brigadier General H. B. Fiske, to the III Coast Defense District, Ft. Howard.

Brigadier General H. Dorey, to the 14th Infantry Brigade, Omaha.

Brigadier General F. R. McCoy, now on duty with the Governor General of the Philippines, to be ordered to the United States when available and assigned to the 9th Coast Defense District, San Francisco.

Brigadier General H. A. Drum, to the 18th Infantry Brigade, Portland, Maine.

Brigadier General S. Heintzelman, to be Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4.

Brigadier General W. D. Connor to be Commanding General, U. S. Troops in China.

Brigadier General W. R. Smith, from Fort Sam Huston, to Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Va.

The assignment of Brigadier General B. H. Wells and Brigadier General J. McA. Palmer are not yet decided.

## Medical Department Notes

The second dance of the Non-Commissioned Officers' Club was held Tuesday night, November 14, in the Medical Detachment Mess Hall. The hall was nicely decorated in red, white and blue streamers with colored lights to match. The dance was honored with the presence of General Gordon and General Malone, Colonel Van Dusen, Colonel Hansell and wife, also a good number of the Medical Officers of the hospital. The occasion was graced by the presence of the nurses. Invitations were issued to a number of Non-Commissioned Officers of other organizations, and a number of these with their families attended. Something new in the way of refreshments was served. During intermission hot oyster stew was served with sandwiches and coffee, which was very well received. A most enjoyable evening was spent and the hope was expressed that the dances of the Non-Commissioned Officers' Club would be a permanent thing.

2nd Lieut. Black, Army Nurse Corps, has been transferred to Walter Reed General Hospital for duty.

All the tent shelter at the Station Hospital is being abolished and a pavillion type of building is being constructed to replace the tents, which makes a decided improvement in the appearance of the hospital area.

Captain A. A. Roby, M. A. C., has returned from thirty day leave, which was spent in Florida. It is rumored that the Captain will be the Mayor of Sebring, Florida, one of these days. Good luck, Captain, we know of no one who has ever been in Florida who did not wish for a home there.

The ladies of the Medical Corps held their second meeting at the home of Mrs. R. T. Arnest. It was decided to form a Medical Corps Bridge Club to meet every other week at the homes of members. The first club party will be held at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Orville G. Brown, Medical Corps, 1st Division Road, on Wednesday evening, November 22, 1922, at 7:45 o'clock. Any bachelor officer of the Medical Corps who desires to join this club please communicate with the chairman, Mrs. Starr A. Moulton, telephone No. 348.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## POLO.

The newly organized Fort Benning Polo Team which is going to represent this station at Fort Oglethorpe the latter part of this month gave an exhibition of polo as it should be played last Sunday afternoon. This doughty team took on all comers on the Post and, incidentally, "took them into camp."

French, who played at No. 2, was not up to his usual form, but if he had been—well, there is no telling what the score would have been. Makenney proved that his momentary lapse exhibited a few weeks ago had been overcome by practice, while both Betts and McClure played to form. Brooks and Douglas, who substituted for certain periods, proved their worth as polo players.

The outlook for the teams who are scheduled to meet this aggregation is pessimistic from a polo standpoint. Their only hope seems to be in having better horses. The animals assigned to the new team are the best at this station but these mounts are not what they should be and it is possible that other teams may have an advantage in this way. Man for man, however, the Fort Benning aggregation is going to be hard to defeat and the entire Post is looking forward with interest toward the Fort Oglethorpe tournament.

To go back to Sunday's game, however, the first victims were the Cannoneers, otherwise the 83rd Artillery team. The result in this case was 9-0, favor of the Post team. The second outfit up was the Blue team, with the result of 7-1. The third slaughter happened to the Yellow team, the final tally being 10-0. The final score was 26-1, favor the Post team, and everybody agreeing that the best team won.

Other games will be played next Sunday, but the opposing teams have not yet been announced.

## 24th Infantry News Notes

### HEADQUARTERS COMPANY.

Pvt. George Robinson is watching the 25 year bill very hard, as he says that he won't have but 23 years to serve if it passes.

Pvt. Davis is sticking around the quarters very much since he went to town the last time. Why, Davis?

Corpls. Harryson and Carter have gone onto the Real Estate, as they have got their land, but no buildings in sight, they say they don't need a Contractor; in that case we feel sorsy for fingers of the above men for what they don't know about carpenter work would make a book as large as Camp Benning.

### COMPANY "A."

Pvt. 1st Class Dolphus Hill left a few days ago for his home at Newcastle, Ala., to spend his 90 days vacation with his relatives and friends.

Cpl. Henderson must have a very good hole card, he is calling everything. He has the city fever and the doctor can't do him any good. Cpl., don't get things complicated, and call on the wrong hole card. The game is Stud.

Cpl. Twitty must have found something in town pretty good. He steps mighty high. Boys, you know as well as I know that something is causing the old datto to spruce up. I believe he is using spruce oil.

Say, Lyons, quit adding 20 to3 and try multiplying 8's with 6's at the end of your multiplication you will find some lovely roses, pick one and any slow boy will speed up. We have been watching your moves ever since we arrived, and your moves are very slow. Bell, Murphy and Orange have made 12 moves to your one. It's your move this time, and you had better take it, else you will lose the game and your report will be 6, 8, 10 and 12. Watch 'em, Freddie.

Bell, old boy, things look pretty good in your favor. You have a fine go but I think you are making a bad out; go slow, take your time. You know where there is smoke there is fire. Watch that your building don't burn. It may sound funny, but it's true.

Oh, Spud, what's wrong? Every time I look for you, somebody says, Spud is in town. Tell me what's up there. I may want to go along sometime, just to keep you company. I know you get lonesome.

### COMPANY "B."

Corp. Taylor, better known as Slow Kid, went to town and won himself a new name, "Swift Kid."

Cook Freeman, the expert penman, wrote sixteen letters to Columbus, N. M. Don't know why he did not get any answer. Don't worry, sarge, old boy, we know why.

Cook Payton, better known as "Fish," said that his left eye had been jumping for three (3) days, and to avoid trouble he would wash them in salt. Well, old top, if you do, the next time you start trembling you will let them tremble until they get tired.

Private William Brown says: "When I complete my three years, I'll show you people what I am going to do." Yes! we are quite sure you will do that. Don't worry, Brown, you can get three (3) more.

The Company will soon lose one of its efficient Non-Commissioned Officers, 1st Sgt. Cuby Martin, who will be placed on the retired list, after more than 30 years in the military service. We will miss you, old top, but we all join in and wish you all the luck in the world.

Oh, yes! Corporal Woolfork went to the city.

### COMPANY "C."

The company mourns over the absence of the two-step wizard. He is in the hospital, "Walking just like Billy."

The regiment turns out every Wednesday night just to see Corporal Barnett bloom. He is a genuine wall flower.

Sgt. Williams was heard singing the other day. It is believed that he is intending to take a furlough, but that's a cinch for him for he hasn't far to go.

Every member of the company is planning a moonlight sail on the Chattahoochee River in the near future. A certain 1st Class Private's hob nails will be used for a float.

### COMPANY "D."

Cpl. Jones, known in the Company as "Chubby," has smiles all over his face. Why? Because he has landed the Georgia Vamp.

Pvt. Day surprised himself when he went to dear old Columbus and met one of the fair sex that he had known since childhood days. Watch your step, Old Top, 9 miles is a far longer stretch than a 220 yd. dash.

"Pap" can often be heard singing: "Dear old Mexico, how I love you, for your beer and gin, you know; while the silver moon shines above you, I can live for evermore." Study, "Pap," for all you got to do in Georgia is open your mouth and let the moon shine in.

Pvt. Andrews made his first trip to the city a few days ago, and is now singing that "Nobody lied when they said I cried about you."

"Pick Tom," the sleep enjoyer, is wondering if his bed in the future will be as soft as it has in the past. Yes, "Pick," everything is feathers in Georgia.

### COMPANY "K."

Sgt. Wm. McCauley (known as Cave Man Stuff) has just received three new years with Uncle Sam, and is now visiting friends in Atlanta, Ga.

Cpl. Woodie Bassham has just reenlisted and is now visiting friends in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sgt. Joe Lay (the expert Mess Sgt. and stew mixer) was trying to break in the hospital the other day. The doctor caught him and gave him some heart disease pills, and he has been on the job ever since. Wake up, old boy, you are safe.

Wonder what's keeping Sgt. (Tailormade) Garrett out of the city? Say, old boy, the bus won't break down at 11 p. m. any more.

Look out, Stack-O'-Dollars, the butchers are talking. Keep those buttons sewed on.

Sgt. Williams (better known as Sgt. Cutie) has stopped going to town since the old timers have arrived. Cheer up, old boy, there are plenty more.

### COMPANY "M."

Someone wanted to know if there was a cart load of brick at the end of the Company street and wanted at the orderly room, would Sgt. Wheeler?

Company "M" is honored with three new cooks, White, Vanlier and Fields. Look out, boys, we've always had the best mess. If you don't believe it come to the door at mess call and see Sgt. Turner, Cpl. Johnny Jones, Sgt. Sharp and then some, it is a treat to see them execute eyes right or eyes left, whichever the case may be.

Private Richardson (known as Five Spot) feels very much relieved at present as he has seen the fellow that was with his girl some other place. All you have to do is to keep quiet, Five Spot, things will come your way.


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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 10.**

**1910.**

Jan. 5th. Captain Ulysses G. Worrilow was detailed as Major of Philippine Scouts.

In May forty enlisted men were transferred to the regiment from the Thirteenth Infantry at Fort Leavenworth, Kans. They joined at Fort Jay.

In May Companies C and D went from Fort Porter to the Target Range at Fort Niagara. Companies I and K left Fort Jay for the Target Range at East Haven, Conn.

In June 58 additional men from the Thirteenth Infantry joined the Battalions at Fort Porter and Niagara.

Companies B. C and D, under command of Major E. P. Pendleton, E. F. and G. under command of 1st Lieut. A. G. Goodwyn and Headquarters, Field Staff and Band and Companies I, L and M left their stations June 12 and each proceeded by rail to Elmira, N. Y., for concentration prior to leaving that city by marching en route to Camp of Instruction at Gettysburg, Pa. Above mentioned troops arrived in Elmira in afternoon of June 12 and pitched camp in the city fair grounds.

On June 15 the regiment under command of Major Pendleton left Elmira en route, by marching, to Gettysburg. Arrived at Camp of Instruc- marching about 212 miles. Number tion on June 30. Total distance by of marching days 14.

It was said that the 29th Infantry was the first body of regulars seen in Elmira since the days of the Civil war.

Companies A, H and K remained at their respective posts to garrison same while the regiment was at Gettysburg.

The Regiment remained at Gettysburg from June 30 to July 31 participating with regiments of militia in the month's maneuvers.

July 31 the companies returned to their respective stations by rail.

In August Companies A and B went to Fort Niagara for target practice and Companies L and M went up to Niagara from Jay for same purpose.

Oct. 9, 1st Lieut. Geo. A. Lynch and a detail of eight men selected from the third Battalion left Fort Jay and proceeded to Kutztown, Pa., to take part in the ceremonies incident to the burial of the late 1st Lieut. Edward Y. Miller, 29th. Lieut. Miller had for some time been on detached service as Military Governor of one of the Philippine provinces.

Officers who joined the regiment in 1910 were:

Captain Albert C. Dalton, First Lieutenants Robert E. Boyers, Carroll B. Hodges, Wm. G. Fleischhauer, Andrew D. Chaffin and Manuel M. Garrett; Second Lieutenants Robert E. oJnes and Walter Robb.

## "THE CAT AND THE CANARY" AT SPRINGER SATURDAY

Thrills, suspense, romance and fun crowd the three acts of "The Cat and the Canary," John Willard's famous mystery, now in its second season at the National Theatre, New York City, and which will be seen at the Springer theatre on Nov. 18, matinee and night.

Through a maze of perils move a boy and a girl whose every step is followed with tense interest by the enthralled audience, while as danger piles on danger every other character in the play is under suspicion as the perpetrator of the strange and creepy happenings of which the amazing story is woven. But though the mystery is not cleared until the very fall of the final curtain the nerves of the on-lookers are never overstrung for there is constant relief in the sweetest of love scenes and in side-splitting situations that turn the shrieks of terror into shrieks of laughter.

Kilbourn Gordon, Inc., has staged and cast this production with greatest care as befits a play that has become a classic of the Drama of Thrills and the universal appeal of which is attested by the fact that it will soon be displayed literally around the world and in every civilized language.

Advance seat sale begins this morning.

## FORT McPHERSON FOOTBALLERS AT POST

### ARE HERE FOR MARINE GAME AND FORT BENNING CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Football Team representing Fort McPherson are the guests of this Post for a few days while they scout the Marines, who play the Post team on Saturday. They will attend the Post Championship game on Wednesday, when the Tanks and the 2nd Battalion of the 29th Infantry clash. This is expected to be one of the hottest games of the year.

The party from Ft. McPherson consists of 18 men and reports a very successful season so far and had high hopes of coping the Corps Area Championship, but this game has been called off due to the inability to arrange a satisfactory schedule. They issue a challenge to all Army teams for games where arrangements can be made that are satisfactory to the Corps Area Headquarters.

The Manager and Coach of this team is 1st Lt. Bienie, who was All American Tackle in 1916. He has developed a very fast and shifty machine with great power and drive and is playing quarterback on the team. The team boasts of a very fine punter and broken field runner and forward passer in Goldsmith, who is the triple threat man of this team. Sgt. Beaulieu is the star linesman playing as keystone man. He has been center on four Corps Area Championship Teams and has yet to meet a man who has been able to handle him.

The team is also very strong at the extremities and boasts of three premier ends in Riska, Norris and Escue. Sgt. Barnett, who plays right tackle, is also a tower of strength in the line. The Camp is glad to entertain these men and it is hoped that a game can be arranged that will bring this team to Benning to stack up against the Post Champions.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

The Sunday morning service at the Protestant Chapel will be a "Service of Praise." Miss Cleveland will sing "I Thank Thee, Lord." The Chapel Orchestra, Musicians Tomsa and Lerma (violins) and Schalk (saxophone) will assist in the music. Mrs. A. T. Cooper presides at the piano.

The Annual Thanksgiving Day service at the Protestant Chapel this year will be held at 9 o'clock on Thanksgiving morning.

The Roman Catholic Field Mass, at which Bishop Keyes will preside, will be celebrated at 10:30 on Thanksgiving Day on the Parade Ground in front of the Service Club.

### ARMY HORSES TO LONDON.

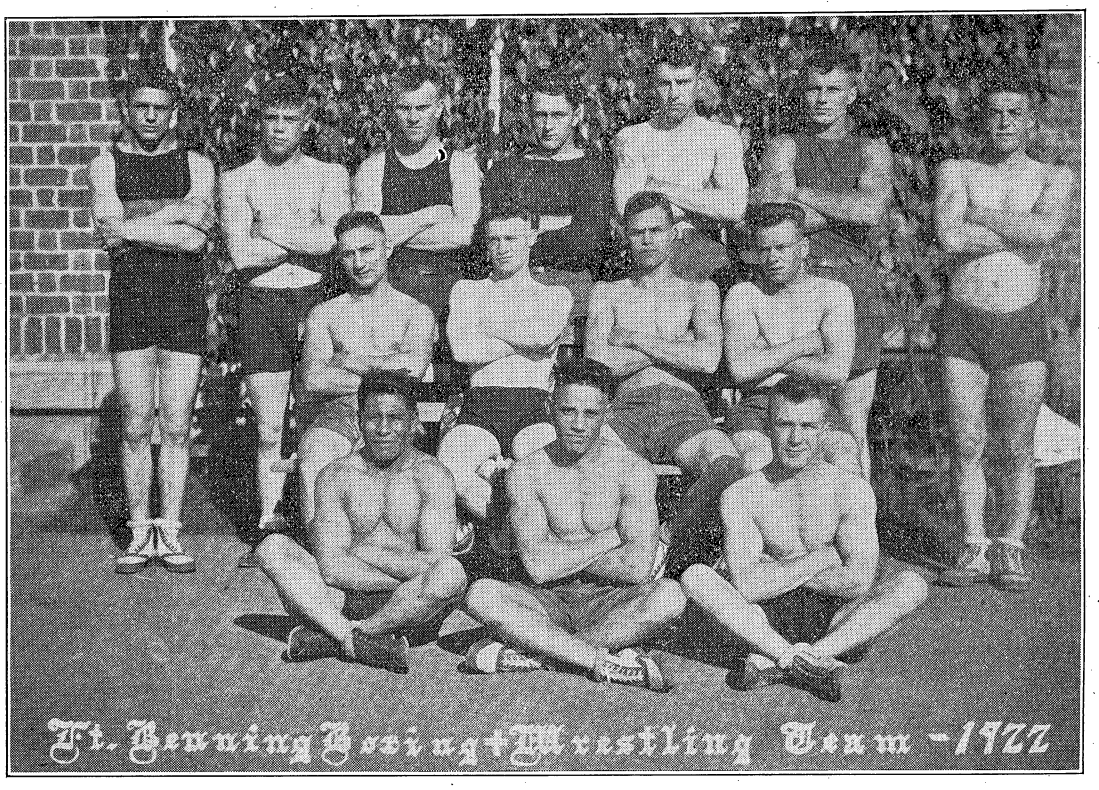
**General Pershing Announces That Army Officers Will Compete In Show.**

The United States Army will be represented among the entries at London's horse show next spring, and will ride against the best of the allied forces.

This announcement was made by General Pershing at the horse show breakfast, which was held as a preliminary to the opening Monday of the thirty-seventh national horse show at New York.

General Pershing said that while no claims would be made in advance, the army officers could be relied on to acquit themselves creditably in a field with Europe's best.

Beware of little expenses, a small leak will sink a great ship.




Take a look at this aggregation of boxers and wrestlers and then decide what chances Fort Benning has to win the Fourth Corps Area Boxing and Wrestling Tournament this week.

Reading from left to right these men are:

First Row: Alonzo, Otalvaro, and Helms.

Second Row: DeRose, Keenan, Brennan, and Hassler.

Third Row: Grantham, Michel, Sebukaty, LaPine, Donnelly, Lasher, and Erdos.

Of the above men Sebukaty, DeRose, Keenan, and Lasher are the champions of the Fourth Corps Area in their respective classes.

## Quartermaster Officers And Ladies Entertain

**RECEPTION AND DANCE AT HOP ROOM HONORING LT. COLONEL AND MRS SMITH.**

Tuesday evening the Officers' Hop Room was the scene of a most delightful social function, when the officers of the Quartermaster Corps and their wives entertained in honor of the new Post Quartermaster, Lt. Colonel Smith and his wife.

The invitations read 8:30, and while the guests were gathering the 24th Infantry band provided most excellent music, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

The receiving line was formed as the guests arrived and soon all were busily engaged in getting acquainted. In the receiving line was General Gordon, General and Mrs. Malone, Col. and Mrs. Smith, Captain and Mrs. Porter and Lt. Horean.

Dancing began at 9:00 p. m., to the strains of a snappy fox trot played by the orchestra of the 24th Infantry and dancing was enjoyed by the guests until 12 o'clock. One of the features of the evening was a most enthusiastic Paul Jones conducted by General Malone. Everybody was "in" on the feature, and in the words of the Bingville Society Editor, "a good time was had by all."

Excellent fruit punch was served throughout the evening and at intermission dainty refreshments of ice cream and angel cake were served by members of the Cooks and Bakers School.

Captain Hahn acted as Master of Ceremonies in a most acceptable manner and all were delighted with the evening's entertainment, vowing that when it came to "Service for the Line," the Quartermaster Corps was right there. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Smith were warmly welcomed to the social and military life of Fort Benning.

## Polo Team Leaves For Oglethorpe

**OFFICERS LEAVE WEDNESDAY. HORSES SHIPPED MONDAY.**

The Polo Team that is to represent Fort Benning at Fort Oglethorpe left Wednesday for the scene of the polo matches, and the best wishes of the entire Post went with them. It is the expressed hope of all the followers of the mounted sport that the Benningsters "bring home the bacon." Much interest has been manifested by both the civilian and military population in the success of this campaign and high hopes are entertained for the success of the team.

The mounts were shipped on Monday so that they would have plenty of opportunity to get over their train trip and shake the knots out of their legs. This entire trip is financed by the players and others interested in the sport of India, and such sport deserves the prize.

The Post order announcing the team's departure is as follows:

The following named officers and enlisted men, respectively members of and attendants upon the Post

(Continued on Page Four.)

## Major George R. Byrd Ordered to Washington

**MAJOR GEORGE R. BYRD ORDERED TO WASHINGTON.**

Orders issued by Post Headquarters announce a change in the officer holding office of G-3, Director of Operations and Training Division. Major G. R. Byrd, who relieved Col. John Barnes in September, is relieved from duty and ordered to Walter Reed General Hospital for observation and treatment, and Major Xavier F. Blauvelt is appointed G-3 in his place.

Major Byrd is a graduate of the Field Officers course, being a member of the 1922 class, as was Major Blauvelt. Major Byrd has been ill for some time, and it is hoped that the trip to Washington will provide a cure.

Major Blauvelt enters upon his new job with the best wishes of his many friends for much success in his new work.

The order governing the change is:

HEADQUARTERS FORT
Headquarters Fort Benning, Ga.
November 17, 1922.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 102.

1. Major Xavier Blauvelt, 24th Infantry, is appointed Assistant Executive Officer, Director Operations and Training Division (G-3), vice Major George R. Byrd, Infantry, hereby relieved.

(201-A. O.)

By command of Brigadier General
GORDON: R. P. LAVIN,
Acting Adjutant.

# Social Notes

**Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.**
Post Phone 192.

## MRS. VAN VLIET'S BRIDGE.

Honoring Miss Lee Parks, of Norfolk, Va., Mrs. Van Vliet, wife of Capt. Van Vliet, entertained at a pretty bridge party at her Fort Benning home, Monday afternoon.

Yellow chrysanthemums lent a bright note of color to the living room.

The prizes were as follows:

First prize, hand-painted China bon-bon dish.

Second prize, set of bridge pencils.

Guest prize, two Madeira handkerchiefs with sachet.

After the game chicken salad, hot rolls, tea and coffee were served.

Those present were:

Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Tesler, Mrs. Hanna, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. Barbour, Miss Hanna, Mrs. McCaskey, Mrs. Rumbough, Mrs. Wayne Patterson, Mrs. Dunwoody, Mrs. Whittemore, Mrs. Manton Eddy.

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On last Wednesday evening Mrs. Frank N. Mallory gave three tables of bridge, honoring Mrs. Harrison, of St. Louis, the guest of Mrs. Andrew R. Duvall.

Mrs. Mallory's quarters were attractively decorated in yellow, chrysanthemums and yellow candles contributing to this color scheme. The prizes were attractive decks of gilt-edge playing cards.

During the play punch was served and after the bridge there was a delicious salad course.

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Capt. Andrew Davis Bruce, Inf., U. S. A., and Mrs Bruce announce the birth of a son, Andrew Davis Bruce, Jr., at Fort Benning, Ga., Nov. 21, 1922.

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On Saturday evening, Nov. 25, Capt. and Mrs. Robert A. McClure, of Fort Benning, will entertain twelve guests at dinner in honor of Mrs. J. D. Leach, wife of Col. Leach. After dinner the party will enjoy an evening of bridge at the Polo Benefit Bridge Party.

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Mrs. J. D. Leach, wife of Colonel Leach, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert A. McChire, at Fort Benning.

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Mrs. Frank T. Chamberlain, wife of Capt. Chamberlain, is now the Fort Benning correspondent for the Army and Navy Journal. Phone No. 379.

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On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Floyd Hatfield and Mrs. Albro Parsons entertained at a beautiful bridge party given at the Officers' Hop Room. Yellow chrysanthemums blended in beautifully with the autumn leaves.

A tea table was attractively arranged with yellow chrysanthemums and silver candlesticks with yellow tapers.

The prizes were:

First: A hand-painted card table cover, Mrs. Howard Scales.

Second: A set of hand-painted table markers, Mrs. Moulton.

Cut prize: A beautiful fern in hand-painted basket, by Mrs. Chambliss.

Tea guest prize: A fern in hand-painted basket, by Mrs. Barnes.

There were seventeen tables of players, and nine tea guests.

A delicious fruit salad, nuts, sandwiches and tea were served.

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On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. T. F. Bresnahan, wife of Capt. Bresnahan, entertained the ladies of the 24th Infantry Bridge Club at her attractive home at Fort Benning.

There were three tables of players and four tea guests.

First prize, a corsage bouquet, was won by Marion Sproule.

Second prize, fancy cake and cookie cutters, won by Mrs. Moore.

Cut prize, pair of silk stockings, won by Mrs. Callahan.

The hostess for next week will be Mrs. W. A. Stetler.

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Recently Mrs. McCaskey, wife of Colonel W. B. McCaskey, entertained over one hundred ladies at a bridge in honor of Mrs. Smith, wife of Colonel W. A. Smith, Post Quartermaster, and Mrs. Lough, wife of Major Maxon S. Lough, who is a member of the Field Officers' Class.

The Officers' Mess, where the party was given, was attractively decorated, the color scheme being suggestive of autumn.

The guest prizes consisted of a handsome fern and an attractive luncheon set. The first bridge prize was won by Mrs. Hannah, the second by Mrs. Butler, and the third by Mrs. Dinsmore. The first prize was a Japanese lacquer bowl filled with apples, the second a Chinese nut bowl filled with nuts, and the third prize a Japanese carved basket filled with candy.

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The polo bridge held last Saturday was a success, both from the standpoint of finances and a pleasant evening's entertainment. Over fifty dollars was realized from the subscriptions for tables.

The first prize, a set of hand-made buffet doilies, was won by Major Stack; the second prize, an attractive box of candy, was won by Mrs. Heidt; the third prize, a potted fern, was won by Mrs. Franson. In the consolation class Mrs. O'Leary won first prize, a box of candy; Mr. E. J. Davis won second prize, another box of candy, and Major Milburne won third prize, a large lemon pie, which was eaten with enthusiasm by the players at his table.

This bridge, which was given by the ladies of Fort Benning, was in the nature of a house warming, it being the first social function held in the building. Japanese lanterns and shrubbery produced a very attractive effect.

On next Saturday night, the 25th, at 7:30 p. m., another benefit will be given. Subscriptions for tables are two dollars and the matter of reservations may be arranged by communicating with Mrs. J. W. Elkins, Jr., Fort Benning phone No. 72. Reservation should be made as soon as possible in order to insure getting a table as the indications are that the demand will be greater than the limited space will allow.

The club house, when completed, will be made available for small parties such as teas, dances, bridge and other social functions of a like nature where a great deal of space is not required. The ladies of the post are enthusiastic over the purpose for which the building will be used, and after it has been furnished and the contemplated outside improvements completed, it will be one of the most attractive and popular places on the Post.

## FAREWELL DANCE AND RECEPTION

**Given By Officers of Fort Benning To General and Mrs. Malone.**

Tonight (Friday) at nine o'clock, at the Officers' Hop Room, there will be a farewell dance and reception tendered to General and Mrs. Malone. Music will be furnished by the Southern Star Orchestra, of Miami, Florida, and there will also be a vaudeville specialty.

As announced in the last issue of the News, General Malone has been ordered to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, for temporary duty, and from thence to the command of the artillery brigade, Second Division.

General and Mrs. Malone will leave for their new station within the next few days. They carry with them the best wishes of the entire garrison.


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1775—The Revolution.
1782—Wyoming Valley Insurrection.
1786—Shay's Rebellion.
1790—Northwest Indian War.
1791—Whiskey Insurrection.
1798—War with France.
1799—Fries Rebellion.
1801—Tripolitan War.
1806—Burr Conspiracy.
1806—Sabine Expedition.
1807—Chesapeake Bay Affair.
1808—Lake Champlain Affair.
1811—Northwest Indian War.
1812—Great Britain.
1812—Seminole War.
1813—Peoria Indians.
1813—Creek Indian.
1817—Second Seminole.
1819—Yellowstone Expedition.
1823—Blackfeet Indians.
1827—Lefevre Indian War.
1831—Sac and Fox Indians.
1832—Blackhawk War.
1832—South Carolina Nullification.
1833—Cherokee War.
1834—Pawnee Indian.
1835—Third Seminole.
1836—Second Creek Indians.
1837—Osage Indians.
1838—Heatherly Indian War.
1838—Mormons.
1838—New York-Canada Frontier.
1846—Doniphan's Mexican Expedition.
1846—Mexican War.
1846—New Mexican Expedition.
1848—Cayuse War.
1849—Navajo.
1849—Comanche Indians.
1850—Pitt River Expedition (Cal.)
1851—Yuma Expedition.
1851—Utah Indian.
1851—Ore. and Wash. Indians.
1855—Snake Indians.
1855—Sioux Indians.
1855—Yakima Expedition.
1855—Cheyenne Indian.
1855—Florida War (Seminoles).
1856—Kansas Border troubles.
1857—Gila Expedition.
1857—Sioux Indians.
1857—Mountain Meadow Massacre.
1857—Utah Expedition.
1858—Northern Indian Expedition.
1858—Puget Sound Expedition.
1858—Spokane Indian troubles.
1858—Navajo Expedition.
1858—Wichita Expedition.
1859—Colorado River Expedition.
1859—Pecos Expedition.
1859—Antelope Hills Expedition.
1859—Bear River Expedition.
1859—San Juan Imbroglio.
1859—John Brown Raid.
1859—Cortina troubles.
1860—Pah Ute Expedition.
1860—Kiowa and Comanche Indians.
1860—Carson Valley Expedition.
1860—Navajo Expedition.
1861—Apache Indians.
1861—Civil War.
1862—Indian Masacres (Minn.)
1862—Sioux Indians.
1863—Cheyenne War.
1865—Northwestern Indian War.
1865—Fenian Raid.
1867—Mexican Border Indian War.
1868—Canadian River Expedition.
1871—Yellowstone Expedition.
1871—Fenian troubles.
1872—Yellowstone Expedition.
1872—Modoc Campaign.
1873—Yellowstone Expedition.
1874—Indian Territory War.
1874—Sioux War.
1874—Black Hills War.
1875—Nevada Expedition.
1876—Sioux War.
1876—Powder River Expedition.
1876—Big Horn Expedition.
1876—Sioux War.
1877—Nez perces Campaign.
1878—Ute Campaign.
1878—Snake Indian.
1890—Sioux.
1891—Mexican Border (Tin Horn War).
1895—Bannock Indian trouble.
1898—Spanish-American War.
1898—Chippewa Indians.
1899—Philippine Insurrection.
1900—Boxer Insurrection.
1912—Nicaraguan Expedition.
1913—Haitian and San Domingo.
1914—Vera Cruz.
1916—Punitive Expedition in Mexico.
1917—Germany.

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theatres as follows:
Colored Theatre .....6:00 p. m.
29th Inf. Theatre .....6:45 p. m.
Post Theatre .....7:15 p. m.

**Sunday, Nov. 26th.**

"The Dictator," 5 reel feature, (Wallace Reid).
"I Do," 2 reel comedy, (Hal Lloyd).

**Monday, Nov. 27th.**

"Trimmed," 5 reel feature, (Hoot Gibson).
"Hit Him Again," 1 reel comedy.
Fox News.

**Tuesday, Nov. 28th.**

"Peck's Bad Boy," 5 reel feature, (J. Coogan).
"Homer of Ramirtz," 2 reel comedy, (T. Santshi).

**Wednesday, Nov. 29th.**

"Good Provider," 8 reel feature, (Vera Gordon).
"Leatherpushers," 2 rounds (No. 4).

**Thursday, Nov. 30th.**

"Trooper O'Neil," 5 reel feature, (Buck Jones).
"Wild and Willy," 1 reel comedy.

**Friday, Dec. 1st.**

"They Like 'Em Rough," 5 reel feature.
Rolin Comedy.
Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Dec. 2nd.**

"Bonded Woman," 6 reel feature, (Bower and Compson).
"Saving Sister Susie," 2 reel comedy.

## BIG DANCE AT SERVICE CLUB No. 1

**Large Crowd Present Last Wednesday Night.**

One of the largest and most successful dances was given last Wednesday evening at Service Club No. 1. About fifty young ladies from Columbus came out on the machine gun busses and most of the married enlisted men, with their wives, were present.

Music was furnished by the 29th Infantry orchestra, and refreshments of hot chocolate and vanilla wafers were served. These dances are becoming more popular each week, due to the efforts of the Hostess. Miss Roe, and the members of the dance committee. It is only a matter of time before it will become necessary to provide more spacious accommodations for the dances. At present the dance floor of the Service Club is becoming more and more congested, and while an attempt is being made to regulate this by issuing cards, the demand for these cards is extensive.

A movement is now on foot to construct an open air dance pavillion sometime during the early spring. This pavillion will be a rustic affair built of logs and other material available on the reservation. The work will be done by volunteer labor and when completed the pavillion will remedy the present congested condition.

### "THE CAT AND CANARY."

"The Cat and Canary," presented at the Springer opera house in Columbus on November 18th, proved to be one of the best mystery plays on the legitimate stage today.

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THAT FORT BENNING plays an important part in the athletic world —at least locally—is demonstrated by the fact that within the past week football players were furnished Corps Headquarters for the purpose of strengthening the Fort McPherson team so that the team would be enabled to defeat the Marines in the game scheduled for this week. Fort Benning was called upon in the moment of need and the desired assistance was forthcoming.

Fort Benning has in the past played an important part in such corps tournaments as have been held. Last year this station won the basket ball tournament with the team from the 2nd Battalion of the 29th Infantry. Later Fort Benning won every class, except one, in which boxers from this station participated, in the corps boxing tournament. An effort was made during the football season last year to arrange a football tournament and this station urged that the tournament be held. Financial conditions made it appear to higher authority that it was not practical to hold the football tournament after which decision efforts were made to arrange games with other service teams in the corps area. No team being willing to play Fort Benning, this station claimed the corps area football championship officially.

If past records are any indication it appears that Fort Benning will this year win the corps boxing tournament now in the process of being held. When the basketball season begins this station will again win the basketball championship. The fact that Fort Benning leads in such things cannot but reflect favorably on this station and this should be an assisting factor when this station goes seeking favors for something badly needed.

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CO-OPERATION is necessary for the success of any plan where more than one party is concerned. It too often happens that several parties engaged together in the execution of some plan or program fail to appreciate the difficulties of the other fellow's work and, without actually "throwing a monkey wrench into the machinery," fail to render such co-operation as will enable the plan or program to be completed with the least possible effort and loss of time.

From an athletic standpoint one of the most outstanding illustrations of the necessity for co-operation is that of a successful football team. A mediocre team, from the standpoint of individual players, can be made into an efficient machine by the harmonizing of the efforts of the individual players. To do this the individual members of the team must put their personal wishes and desires in a secondary position.

The exhibition of a spirit of co-operation makes everybody concerned feel friendly toward the other fellow even though the man showing this spirit can do nothing tangible. It makes the man showing the spirit feel good because he knows the other fellow feels good. It is very little trouble for considerable results and it appears to have many good reasons in favor of it with none against it.

## POLO TEAM LEAVES FOR OGLETHORPE

(Continued from Page One.)

Polo Team, selected to represent the Infantry School in the Polo Tournament to be held at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., between the (proposed) dates, both inclusive, Nov. 26th to December 3rd, 1922, are hereby placed on Detached Service for the purpose of participating in said Polo Tournament, and will proceed at their own expense to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., on the dates set after their respective names, viz.:

Captain Everett F. Brooks, 29th Infantry, Nov. 23, 1922.

Captain Robert A. McClure, 29th Infantry, Nov. 23, 1922.

Captain Ed. C. Betts, 29th Infantry, Nov. 23, 1922.

1st Lt. Fred W. McKinney, Jr., Cavalry, Nov. 23, 1922.

1st Lt. Harry W. French, Infantry, Nov. 23, 1922.

2nd Lt. Robert W. Douglas, 29th Infantry, Nov. 20, 1922.

Pvt. 1cl John Janek, R-2142774, Service Co. 29th Infantry, Nov. 20, 1922.

Pvt. Joe Sandow, 6048739, Service Co., 29th Infantry, Nov. 20, 1922.

As soon as practicable, upon completion of said tournament, all such officers and enlisted men will return to this station and report to their respective Commanding Officers for duty, except that 1st Lt. Fred W. McKinney, Jr., Cavalry, will return to this station so as to be present for duty there at on the morning of December 2, 1922.

Authority is hereby granted said Polo Team to transport to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and return, at its own expense, not exceeding 20 Government Mounts and all necessary equipment and forage, now at this station, for use by it in said Polo Tournament. 2nd Lieut. R. W. Douglas, 29th Infantry, will act as Supply Officer and be in charge of and responsible for all Government animals, equipment and forage taken from this station.

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The following is published for the information of all members of the command who may be interested in the opportunity offered by the United States Government.

1. The following letter from the Commanding General 4th Corps Area, Fort McPherson, Georgia, dated November 4, 1922, is quoted for the information and guidance of all concerned:

"1. Supplementing letter from these Headquarters, dated August 23, 1922 (351.1 West Point 1923), the following instructions from the War Department are quoted for your information and guidance:

(1). Enlisted men of the Regular Army between the ages of 19 and 22 years, who have served as such therein not less than one year, are eligible to compete for appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point. These requirements apply to the date of admission, which in 1923, will be July 2, and being statutory, cannot be waived or modified in any case. Prior enlisted service in the Army may be considered in determining an applicant's eligibility.

(2). The regulations governing the selection of enlisted candidates provide that a number not exceeding three times that of the existing vacancies shall be equitably distributed by the War Department among the corps areas and territorial departments, to be chosen from successful competitors in a preliminary examination of a scope and nature similar to the regular Military Academy entrance examination, instituted and conducted by the respective commanding generals and to be held between December 1 and December 15, annually. In order to avoid the expenses of travel which would be incurred if the applicants were assembled for the preliminary examination each soldier whose application is approved by you should be examined at his station, and the papers forwarded to some central point to be designated by you, where they will be graded and the candidates finally selected. You are, therefore, authorized to select in accordance with the foregoing, five enlisted men, who meet the requirements, to compete in the regular examination of candidates for entrance to the Military Academy, which is to be held beginning on March 6, 1923, at the various army posts mentioned on page 10 of the inclosed pamphlet.

(3). In order that candidates for 1923 may have as much time and opportunity for preparation as possible, not only for the regular entrance examination in March, 1923, but also for the preliminary examination in December, this matter should be thoroughly advertised. Officers should personally bring it to the attention of enlisted men under their command who appear to be eligible and suitable. It is desired that an opportunity to apply for appointment be extended to all soldiers within the geographical limits of your corps area (or department), who satisfy the above requirements, whether under your jurisdiction or not. Having in mind the type of men suitable to become officers of the Army, the mental, moral and physical qualifications of applicants should be carefully considered, with the object of recommending none not worthy.

(4). At the March, 1922, entrance examination, 18 of the 100 enlisted candidates, nearly one-fifth, were rejected by the medical examining board, notwithstanding the fact that instructions were issued to exercise care with respect to physical qualifications. The physical requirements for admission to the Military Academy, are necessarily, much higher than for enlisted service, and the policy of the War Department is strictly to adhere to the regulations prescribing those requirements. Accordingly every applicant should be thoroughly examined physically before his application is approved, and if any doubt exists as to his physical fitness, a full report should be submitted to this office.

(5). Enlisted candidates designated for the regular examination in March may, upon application therefor through military channels, be granted furloughs for a period not exceeding three months for the purpose of preparing for the examination. When a furlough is granted to a soldier for this purpose, direct him to report to the commanding officer of some one of the army posts named on page 10 of the pamphlet mentioned, on March 6, 1923, before nine o'clock a. m., to appear before the Military Academy entrance examination board, and advise this office of the name of the post at which he is to report.

(6). Enlisted men may submit certificates in lieu of the mental examination, in the manner prescribed on pages 3-7 of the pamphlet mentioned; but inasmuch as these appointments are competitive, those enlisted candidates who qualify mentally by certificate will be considered for admission only in the event that all vacancies are not filled by successful examinees. If any vacancies remain unfilled after the admission of successful examinees, those who qualify by certificate will be rated competitively among themselves and a sufficient number admitted, in the order of merit established thereby, to fill those vacancies. This should be carefully explained to any candidate desiring to submit a certificate. The proper forms will be furnished by this office to such candidates upon application therefor, through the commanding general.

(7). Forward to this office not later than January 1, 1923, a report showing the name, serial number, rank and organization, and the place of prospective examination of each of the candidates designated by you. Should the place of examination of any candidate be changed, because of furlough or other reason, such change should be reported promptly to this office."

2. All applications will be submitted so as to reach these headquarters on or before November 25th, 1922.

3. The preliminary examination for each approved applicant will be conducted at the station where he is serving, beginning December 11th, 1922, and concluding not later than December 15th, 1922. Examination questions will be furnished by these headquarters. Completed examinations will be forwarded to these headquarters without delay."

2. All applications will be submitted so as to reach these headquarters on or before Nov. 22, 1922. (351.1-A. O.)

By Command of Brigadier General GORDON:

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There has long existed a need for such a station but the location and personnel has been a great question. This later has been met by the use of men of the Medical Detachment which came from Furlong with the regiment. A lease was negotiated and approved by the War Department and then the problem was soon solved.

The order establishing the station and assigning the men to duty is as follows:

Pursuant to authority contained in 4th Indorsement (246.84 Fort Benning, Ga.), Headquarters, Fourth Corps Area, Fort McPherson, Ga., Nov. 15, 1922, and Par. 1223, Army Regulations, 1913, the following named enlisted men now on duty at the Colored First Aid Station, Columbus, Ga., are placed on a commutation of rations status effective Nov. 11, 1922, it being impracticable to furnish subsistence in kind:

Sergeant Robert M. Ferrell, R-1024316, Med. Det. 24th Inf.

Pvt. 1cl Oscar Newell, R-1024327, Med. Det. 24th Inf.

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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 11.**

**1911.**

In June the First Battalion went from Fort Porter to Fort Niagara for target practice, and the Third Battalion went from Fort Jay to Rensalaer, N. Y., for same.

June 27 Companies E, G and H participated in an Industrial Parade at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

The band spent the month of August at Forts Niagara and Porter.

The First Battalion performed the annual practice march from Fort Porter to Le Roy, N. Y., and return August 7 to 17—143 miles.

The band and the First Battalion formed part of the escort to the President of the United States at Rochester, N. Y., on August 23.

July 30 Companies E and G left Fort Niagara on a practice march during which they were engaged in field and swimming exercises. Distance 70 miles. F and H Companies did same from August 9 to 26.

The Second Battalion engaged in practice march and field exercises from Sept. 5 to 12. Total distance 80 miles.

First Lieut. C. B. Hodges, Second Lieut. J. E. Fickel, one medical officer and 24 enlisted men of the Regiment stationed at Fort Jay participated in the Aviation Meet at Nassau Blvd., Garden City, L. I., from Sept. 21 to Oct. 2.

Sept. 23 Battalion Sergeant Major John Crampton was retired.

The First and Second Battalions went into camp on the target range at Fort Niagara in October and participated in maneuvers and field exercises. These two Battalions formed a Provisional Regiment commanded by Lt. Col. Truitt. They were inspected by Lt. Col. H. J. Slocum.

Nov. 26 Company C went to Fort Ontario for temporary duty.

Eighty recruits were received at the end of the year from Fort Slocum.

Officers who were assigned to the Regiment in 1911 were:

Colonel George R. Cecil, Lieut. Colonel Charles M. Truitt, Majors Monroe McFarland and Charles Crawford, Captains Joseph W. Beacham and Harry A. Smith, First Lieutenants Marvin E. Malloy and Allan R. Williams, Second Lieutenants Bert M. Atkinson and William E. Larned.

# 29th Infantry Notes.

**1st BAT. HEADQUARTERS CO.**

In the last issue of the Fort Benning News, I read a paragraph relative to me (Pvt. 1st Class Woodruff), which could only have been conceived in a mind possessed by an egotistical ass. I confess that I can see no motive for such a letter, however, as it appears that you are desirous of heaping insult, upon insult on me through the papers, I will attempt to show you that you are engaged against a man of no mean ability. In the paragraph referred to above you refer to me as a stable Grenadier. My dear contemporary, since when has society deteriorated to so lowly and pitiable estate as to permit you to criticize my abilities. Where, "O" Where, is there an organized party of critics who would elect one such as yourself, whose mind is warped in wickedness, who is drunk upon egotism, who would profane the very air with an avalanche of oaths, who would be drunk one night and deliver a prohibition address the next afternoon? I ask you, where is there such a heinous organization?

I wish to inform you, my honorable brother, that upon the recommendation of the C. O. 1st Bn. Headquarters Company, that I have resigned my grenadiership and am now proficiency and dictation expert of the 29th Infantry. I am highly interested in my new profession, in fact this proposition appeals to me quite strongly, stronger in fact than prepared mustard, limburger cheese and skunks. I have travelled all over Europe, China, South America, Alaska, Panama, Japan, New York, Hoboken, and Columbus, in quest of some concern who could use my talent to advantage, being unsuccessful, I settled down in Fort Benning, hoping that I might be of service to my fellow soldiers, Uncle Sam and others in the service.

**SERVICE COMPANY.**

At a recent meeting of the first three grades in the Service Company, the following motto was adopted:

Early to bed,
Late to rise,
Bring breakfast to my bunk
Until my demise.

**COMPANY "A."**

All members of this organization wish to congratulate 1st Lieut. Perwein on his narrow escape the other evening. While driving his car along the road between Camp and Columbus, Lieut. Perwein drove over the 180 ft. contour on the hill leading down to the bridge. Both he and the car were uninjured.

Some wise man said that "Variety is the spice of life." Our Mess Sgt. believes this as witness his hash on toast.

Extra! Extra! Cpl. Stevens won an argument with Sgt. Morrow.

A good way from admitting that one is wrong, "That's what I said." This is a sure way, it is.

**Morning Report Problem.**

160 For duty—One heavy marching order inspection.
148 For duty—On pay day.

Corporal Bradshaw, when asked in N. C. O. school if he understood conventional signs, said that he did not believe in any kind of signs since beer signs went out of commission.

**COMPANY "C."**

Everybody is interested in football this year, a large percentage of the Company attended the Marine-Infantry School game last Saturday.

Private Joe A. Alonzo left Sunday for Ft. McPherson, to take part in the Corps Area Boxing and Wrestling Tournament. We all know Joe, and feel proud that he's going to be a part of it.

Everything goes well around the Company Orderly room as long as 1st Sgt. Barton can keep up with his pipe and pencil, but everything is dead wrong if he loses either of them.

Everybody is signing the pay roll this month, but some had rather miss it than to get a howl from Sergeant Kesak, and he never fails to growl.

Sergeant Mansfield is terribly interested in football now that the Demonstrations have started, but there's always a reason.

If there was a prize offered for arguing "C" Co. would get the prize, especially if all the men were like Duslack.

Somebody said Corporal Soders was a good Instructor for Recruits; somebody else said he ought to be good for something, he was too little to play football.

**COMPANY "D."**

Monkey Ehrenfield loves to see his name in print. He says that Pvt. Yelmoni still thinks that Sing Sing is a song.

Six hours after the company gets paid, Prvt. Gunn hereby challenges any man in the Fort to a wrestling match, catch as catch can, bes two out of three falls.

We have with us Pvt. Warner, the famous Mexican toreador. He sure can throw the bull.

Our famous Mess Sergeant "Booker T." Willard, claims that since he has been appointed mess sergeant he has lost his appetite. Our company "gumshoe" verifies his statement. He goes on to say that Willard had early mess at 5:30 a. m. with stable crew, at 6:00 a. m. he had chow with the company then about 7:30 a. m. he fried himself one dozen eggs, a tenderloin steak, a mess of french fried potatoes, one loaf bread, butterene, pitcher coffee. Yes, Brother Billard, if that's all you can eat you sure are losing your oppetite.

Our horseshoer, Thomas Mack, thinks that we are in a foreign country. He says prohibition went into effect in the gool old U. S. A. in 1919.

Cpl. Goldfeder was in need of some supplies recently, such as paint and lumber. It was rather cold when he went after same, and the company "gumshoe" reported that he had his hands in his pockets. He returned later without the supplies. Moral: Goldfeder keep your hands out of your pockets when you want to talk.

"Tomey de" Gasper may be a darn good recreation room orderly but he is no baseball fan. He thinks Babe Ruth is a Follies Show Girl.

Roeglin says that portfolio is a sea port in Spain.

**EDITOR'S NOTE—On account of the unusually large amount of matter sent in for publication this week, news letters or parts of letters omitted will appear in the next issue.**


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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

The new recruit center is beginning to take shape and Lieutenant Smith hopes to have all the men in good quarters before winter sets in.

Several new men have joined the outfit recently and we always welcome them. They are fortunate in being in a detachment that has so many old timers.

What made so many sore arms last week, innoculations? No, only the new corporals' chevrons of Veach, McCombs, Spinelli, Moore, Benefield, Ellis, Waller and Pritikin.

Our former "top", Master Sergeant Harris, is still laid up in the hospital. Hope he gets well soon.

Private Calhoun is a new arrival in the detachment.

Sergeant Higginbotham has been detailed on duty with the recruiting officer.

Private Sanders is now working in the assistant commandant's office.

From all indications Thanksgiving is going to be a great day. Sgt. Stewart ha been seen whispering to his crew of chefs so we figure on a big feed.

Private Willie Green is on duty with the M. T. C. and Jack Ross with the Post Recruiting Officer.

Private Lavender has held up his hand for three years and has decided to do it in the I. S. D.

"The Three Musketeers," Bennett, Wheeler and Collins, motored over to Birmingham to see the Center-Auburn game in the Master Sergeant's new Henry. They report quite a trip, being lost in the woods for three hours, and then seeing the pride of Kentucky humbled by the Plainsmen in a drizzling rain, not to mention the Professor who said that beautiful ditty, entitled, "Mother doesn't have to bring in the wood for Father is bringing home a load."

Cream says he can't be worried as he is getting to be a short-timer and he thinks he is going to beat Andy Gump in the race for congress after all. He says that when he gets out of the service he will be all set to go right up to Washington and take his seat in congress.

Another good man gone wrong. McCarthy, our very popular young corporal, has "tooken" unto himself a bride. The rolling-pin industry is due for a boom. Look out Mack!

### PROGRAM SHOWS BETTER PICTURES COMING TO FORT

The pictures coming to Fort Benning next week are especially good. One of these is "The Dictator," in which Wallace Reid, Paramount star, supported by Lila Lee, leading woman; Theodore Kosloff, Walter Long, Alan Hale, Kalla Pasha and other schreen notables, is giving the public five delicious reels of fun, excitement, romance and revolution in "The Dictator," based on the famous play by the late Richard Harding Davis, in which Willie Collier scored a distinct success several years ago.

The story shows how a young American falls in love with the pretty daughter of a South American "liberator," follows her south and there becomes embroiled in a revolution of which her father is the instigator, not knowing that his own father, the banana kind, is on the other side for business and political reasons. He wins the revolution, the girl and his father's profound respect after a series of exciting adventures which fairly brim with suspense, mystery, conspiracy, fighting and delightful humor.

Another good one is "Peck's Bad Boy," in which Jackie Coogan takes the leading role.

### POLO SPORT DANCE SUCCESS.

Wednesday evening was marked as a most enjoyable occasion when those interested in polo and dancing gathered at the Officers' Hop Room and tripped the light fantastic to the music made by the Officers' Orchestra. All the requisites of a good time were present, congenial crowd, enthusiasm and most excellent music.

The Officers' Orchestra provided the rythme in the shape of the best "jazz" that has been played at the Hop Room since the news reporter has been on the Post. It was certainly great to dance to the syncopations that were provided and the orchestra, though of only four pieces, certainly was a well balanced combination that put action into the feet of even the oldest and most sophisticated.

The club was most attractive with polo clubs, the main motive in the decorative scene. The officers and their ladies in sport clothes added to the beauty of the scene and the touti ensemble was most pleasing.

Members of the polo team report the affair a success from a financial standpoint, and while the trip will be expensive for the players representing the Fort the friends of the mounted sport have rallied to the call most enthusiastically and have subscribed the bulk of the money for the trip.

The best wishes of the entire personnel of the Fort go with the polo players in their invasion of the enemy's territory. "Go in and win, Benning."

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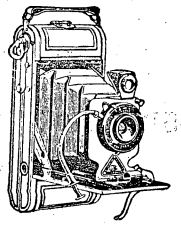
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### FORMER REGIMENTAL COMMANDER WRITES PERSONAL LETTER TO COLONEL GOODALE.

In a personal letter to the regimental commander of the 29th Infantry, Brigadier General John S. Mallory, U. S. Army, retired, who was at one time in command of the regiment, took occasion to speak of "my old regiment as one of the best known and most highly thought of regiments in the Army today." General Mallory expresses "confidence that it will prove itself worthy of its best traditions."

The General desires "that both I and Mrs. Mallory be most kindly remembered to Chaplain Wood and to any others, not only officers but men, who were in the regiment when I was fortunate enough to be its commander and who are still with it."

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## Medical Department Notes

The Medical Department Bridge Club met at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Arville G. Brown on Wednesday evening, November 22, 1922. Prizes were won by Mrs. Smith, Captain Turner and Captain Chamberlain. After the game delicious refreshments were served and all pronounced the opening night of the club a huge success. The next party will be held at the home of Captain and Mrs. Frank T. Chamberlin, Block No. 23, Apartment No. 33 C on Tuesday evening, December 5, 1922, at 7:45 o'clock.

Captain James S. Brummette and Carroll P. Price, M. C., attended the Auburn-Center football game in Birmingham, last Saturday and saw their dear old Alma Mater (Center) meet her Waterloo.

Privates Ben J. Hogan and Price B. Harris re-enlisted for duty here and Privates J. R. Hicks and G. J. Eddines were assigned to duty here from Fort McPherson, Georgia, and Fort Barrancas, Florida, respectively. Private Harris is spending a thirty day re-enlistment furlough at this home, Enterprise, Alabama.

Staff Sergeant Lewis M. Harned re-enlisted for the last time before retirement, on November 20, 1922. He and Sergeant Arthur N. Mager are at present in Atlanta where they went to recover Sergeant Harned's car.

Sergeant James I. Cook and Victor E. Thompson are at their homes on furlough for fifteen days. Reports from Athens, Alabama, lead us to believe that Sergeant Thompson was married last evening.

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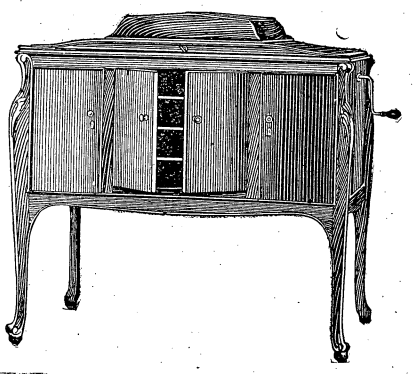
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Sgt. Farrell is figuring on having a new room in the future. The other day he was seen putting on the second coat of paint before he had the first coat on. He says that will save him a lot of work.

Pvt. Hendricks, our mule skinner, is sure some horseman. He goes down to the corral and gets a mule to go horseback riding. He doesn't seem to know the difference between a horse and a mule.

Pvt. Williamson is wild about his new helmet. The first week he had it, he was seen every morning at first call with it, at noon he had it on, and when he went to bed he took it with him. If they blow fire call, look out, steel helmet.

The wood pile is becoming quite a popular place for some of the men, especially after six o'clock at night. Better police up around the bunks in the morning.

No, Nelson, you can't use the mess-hall for a gymnasium. You'll have to do your exercising in the open air to get any benefit out of it.

We've almost forgotten what our company clerk's face looks like. He's raising a mustache and we can't see his face any more. We're sorry, too, because he is such a good looking young man.

Wanted: One good sleuth to find the author of the poem entitled, "Christmas Day in the Workhouse." Suspicions seem to point to tent number five.

No one said nothing about nobody not being no good as the new mail orderly, nohow. Just give us this day our daily mail.

### RATTLING ALONG.

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2. The dance and dinner committee are progressing rapidly toward their Thanksgiving day dance and dinner; we hope to have the co-operation of the members of the organization; let us make this one of the best dances of the season.

3. Willie Brown has started trying to tickle toe it to Washington, D. C. We wish him the best of luck. He is reporting to worlds at large for instruction with the sum of $15 bucks.

4. Sweet Papa Didy Didoo is back again slinging hash after his tour of the U. S.

5. Well the Winton is back out of pawn from the 24th Infantry, and is seen standing in front of the M. T. C. quarters every evening.

6. Moffett and Jones, the M. T. C. Aces, are preparing for a thirty days' flight over in the Wired City, where they will pull the pick axe drive and the shovel glide under the instruction of Sergeant Tintxinger.

7. The thing we want to know is who is Corporal Mitchell going to give the bull dog to. We suppose, to the husband of the lady that he gave the doll to.

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

**(By John Doughboy.)**

With evenly matched teams the "Tanks" and the First Battalion, 29th Infantry, will clash on Thanksgiving afternoon on the Service Club gridiron. It will be the football battle that will finally decide the mooted question as to which enlisted team will hold on to the white championship pennant for the coming year.

At the present time the First Battalion is holding on to the Championship pennant through having defeated the "Tanks" last fall in a gruelling contest by the score of 12 to 0. However, this season, despite tremendous efforts to keep its slate clean, the First Battalion has tasted the bitter gall of defeat, having been set down by the Second Battalion by the score of 7 to 6 in a recent hectic fight. Now the Second Battalion having been conquered by the "Tanks" to the tune of 20 to 0, only the First Battalion remains as the solitary bulwark to surmount in order to achieve the much coveted championship.

The question is, will the "Tanks" be able to maintain the championship form they displayed in the Second Battalion game? Another question is, has the First Battalion improved since its defeat by the Second Battalion—and if improved has enough snap and go been imparted to the aggregation to make them worthy contenders against the terrible "Tanks"?

Naturally the First Battalion boosters claim to have the number of the "Tanks." They casually state that regardless of injuries or staleness the "Tanks" are licked the moment they face a First Battalion team.

The "Tanks" dispute this statement strongly. They state that they will trounce the First Battalion this season with greater ease than with which they conquered the doughty Second Battalion. Some of the supporters of the "Tanks" even claiming an advantage of at least five touchdowns against the First Battalion.

It will be a game for revenge—other than its championship value. The "Tanks" feel that rightfully they won the championship last season—and that their final defeat was due to the fact that the First Battalion played Lieut. Joe Cranston, a Varsity star, against them. Those who remember the game will recall that but for the work of Lt. Cranston the "Tanks" would in all probability have proved very tough opponents and might have won. At least the "Tanks" believed they would have won but for the presence on the First Battalion team of Lieut. Cranston. And this fall with the eligibility rules being strictly enforced the "Tanks" claim the First Battalion will have no opportunity to run in "ringers" and the championship will be decided on its merits between the enlisted representative of each unit.

Other than the game the staging of it will be a unique feature. The "Tanks" of course will arrive in a body escorted by their big tanks and a drum corps. The First Battalion will have the 29th Infantry band and to outdo the "Tanks" in making noise and a good show some surprises are promised. The cheerleaders of the First Battalion will be on the job and a good time is promised to all.

The game will start just as the turkey dinner begins to settle down in the midst of Thanksgiving jam and pudding.

There may be other attractions advertised but those who saw the First and Second Battalion games and the Second Battalion-Tank game are certain to attend this game. In fact, wild horses could not drag them away from this contest, which promises to be the lulu of the season.

## TENNIS.

Three tennis tournaments were completed the past week-end. On Saturday afternoon Captains Switzer and Van Vliet won the doubles championship by defeating Major Finley and Capt. Whittemore, 6-8, 9-7, 6-4, 6-1. This match took most of the afternoon and the players were very tired on its completion. The sets were filled with some remarkable rallies.

The ladies' singles and men's singles championship tournaments were concluded on Sunday afternoon. A large and enthusiastic crowd witnessed these events. Miss Marion Hannah defeated Mrs. Rumbough 6-3, 6-3 in a most interesting match and won a silver cup for a prize. Mrs. Rumbough won a pretty electric coffee percolator.

Capt. Van Vliet defeated Major Finley in the men's event 6-3, 6-4, 6-1. Many fine rallies occurred and every point was hard fought. The winner won a tennis racket and a leg on the beautiful Kirven loving cup, which must be won by one officer three times before permanent possession is acquired. Major Finley won a handsome cigarette case.

With the completion of these tournaments, the tennis season rapidly approaches an end. Only two tournaments remain to be finished —the mixed doubles and consolation singles. The tennis critics believe that the former should be won by Miss Hammond and Capt. Whittemore and the latter event by Lt. Knight. Both events will be completed this week-end.

Written by R. C. Van Vliet, Jr., Capt. Inf.

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(243-A. O.)

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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 9.)

On the afternoon of the 11th of September, Company "D," under command of Captain W. S. Keller, left the woods at Martincourt to take position for the big offensive. Two squads were detailed with a machine gun company for engineering duties. The company moved noiselessly along the congested road that leads through St. Jacques and St. Jean. When the Metz highway was reached the command was given to strike no matches, as the troops were in plain sight of the enemy, and the company fell out and remained in the woods, which offered no protection against the downpour of rain.

As soon as the barrage was lifted, the company started the construction of an artillery road through the demolished town of Regnieville. Mines, traps and tangled masses of barbed wire were removed, and by the evening of the 12th the road was completed. On the morning of the 13th the company started for Thiaucourt and was subjected to heavy shell fire that night. On the 14th the company worked back on another road as far as Vieville-en-Haye. On the 15th the work was continued despite shelling and harassing by enemy planes. The same night a trench system was laid out and barbed wire erected for a portion of the divisional sector. The night of the 16th was spent doing the same kind of work, also under constant artillery fire. On the 17th part of the company returned to the Metz highway bridge and the remainder waited for darkness to finish erecting barbed wire. It was during these operations that Captain Walter S. Keller, commanding, was killed. There were several other casualties in "D" Company during this period of nightly wiring parties, and finally the company moved to the vicinity of the Metz highway bridge where they remained until the divisional area had been cleaned up. While Lieutenant Laracy succeeded to command of Company "D."

**Company "E."**

The day of the attack, Company "E," commanded by Lieut. Chas. J. Moore, was engaged in keeping open lines of communication south of the Metz highway. On the following day the fourth platoon, in command of Lieut. Mery, was engaged in repairing the road from the Metz highway to Regnieville. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd Platoons, in command of Lieut. Moore, with Lieuts. Floyd, Mendenhall and Byers, marched to Regnieville and opened a road through No Man's Land, transportation starting over the road at 5 p. m. During the night the fourth platoon continued repairing, and maintaining traffic over this road, and was on duty continuously for more than 24 hours.

The next assignment, a delicate one, was that of rendering harmless the traps which had been set by the boches in the divisional area. Altogether about 300 traps of various kinds were taken out.

Then commenced the work of salvaging and cleaning up the area.

**Company "F."**

On September 12th, the day of the attack, Company "F," with Capt. W. R. Swan in command, marched from a point one mile north of Mamey to Fey-en-Haye, repairing the road in rear of the advancing infantry. The company was under artillery fire all day, but by five in the evening the entire road had been made passable for artillery transport, but the continuous shelling made a maintenance detail necessary. At 4 p. m., the 1st and 4th Platoons were sent to assist Company "D" in repairing the main divisional road, and by night all roads assigned to Company "F" were passable for artillery. The 2nd Platoon returned to company headquarters at Fey-en-Haye at 9 p. m. and was immediately detailed to assist in repairing the divisional axial road at Regnieville. The 3rd Platoon continued the work originally assigned to the company, and the 1st, 2nd and 4th Platoons returned from Regnieville at noon of the 13th after having worked at Fey-en-Haye.

On the morning of the 14th, under heavy shelling, the company left for Vieville-en-Haye. The Fay-en-Haye—Vieville road had been opened for light artillery, but was rapidly becoming unfit for use under the load of heavy artillery and tanks, hence the 3rd Platoon was assigned the work of repairing it. That afternoon at 5 o'clock, the company struck camp in the woods two kilometers northwest of Vieville, but the 3rd Platoon, which was caught in a barrage along the road and had to take cover, did not reach camp until 8 p. m. That night, as usual, the woods were subjected to artillery fire, but no casualties resulted. The company moved back to a position about two kilometers northwest of Fey-en-Haye on the morning of September 15th, but just as the company was breaking camp the enemy started shelling it. Here it rested until late in the afternoon, when it again moved to a new position one mile north of Vieville, with instructions to lay out a trench system and to erect wire entanglements on the new front line held by the 3rd Battalion of the 61st Infantry. At 4 o'clock on the morning of the 16th, the enemy opened a heavy artillery fire on these positions, which compelled the company to stop work until 7 p. m., the next morning, when the work was completed by the 1st and 2nd Platoons. About 11 p. m. the enemy again shelled the trenches, which resulted in one casualty to the company.

The next three days, September 17th to 19th, inclusive, were spent in salvaging captured enemy material, including several naval rifles, which occupied the attention and efforts of one entire platoon for several days. During this time, the company was under intermittent shell fire. On the 21st of September the company moved into dugouts about two kilometers south of Regnieville, where it remained for two days, repairing the corps road through the town. The work of salvaging abandoned enemy material was continued until the evening of the 24th, at which time the company was relieved with the rest of the regiment.

**The Seventh Engineer Train.**

The Engineer Train, comanded by Lieut. Peter Murphy, established a large engineer dump at St. Jean, from which place trucks and animal transportation were busy hauling engineer supplies to the units on the lines. An advanced engineer dump was also established on the Metz highway near Mamey, and on the afternoon of September 12th the train moved forward to this place. On September 14th another advanced dump was established in a wood near Vieville, but short distance from the lines.

Material was transported from the main dump at St. Jean to the two advanced dumps, and from there to the line. One convoy of 13 tool wagons transporting picks and shovels, spent 26 hours, without food or water for either men or animals, making two trips of 9, kilometers so congested were the roads.

Twelve four-line teams of mules were detached from the organization and attached to the companies of the regiment. For several days the transportation of the train carried large quantities of German ammunition to the rear. Although under shell fire a greater part of the time, the transportation was continually in operation, and after about 14 days the train was relieved with the regiment.

**Rest After St. Mihiel Offensive.**

The 5th Division was relieved on September 16th, by the 78th Division and established Division Headquarters at Pagny-sur-Meuse. The 7th Engineers, however, were left in the sector to assist the 78th Division in the consolidation of the position. Finally, on September 25th, came orders for the engineer relief, and the regiment, less Company "A," marched to Rosieres-en-Haye, a distance of 20 kilometers, arriving at the destination at 4 a. m. the 26th. Company "A" proceeded to Boucq with orders to construct buildings for a corps headquarters. The five companies of the regiment found billets in barns, attics and old barracks and everyone settled down for a rest. Inasmuch as three weeks had been passed in line, the following day, the 26th of September, was dclared Regimental Bath Day, and a precedent thereby established, which continued until the armistice. The 26th of September, October and November will always stand out in the memories of the men of the 7th Engineers for this one thing. However, at 3 o'clock that afternoon, orders from the corps were received making the regiment temporarily corps engineers, and at 8:30 p. m., the regiment marched to Limey, exactly the same place from which it had departed 24 hours earlier.

On the night of September 26th the Meuse-Argonne offensive began with a heavy barrage along the entire line. Since it was only a question of days before the Fifth Division would be called into this affair, the engineers were relieved on September 28th and proceeded by marching to Cornieville and Rangeval, about 22 kilometers distant, to re-equip and prepare for the work which they would later be called upon to do.

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# 15th Tank Battalion News

The log hut entertainment committee held their semi-monthly meeting last Tuesday. Most of their earnest thought and consideration was given to the selection and preparation of the program for the stag smoker to be held next month. Sgt. Dennis says all arrangements are complete. There will be musical and vocal numbers, toasts and unique features to be presented throughout the evening. Rest with the assurance that it will meet with the most hearty response on the part of everyone in attendance.

The matrimonial list continues to grow. This week we have to report none other than the genial and well liked Sgt. Boone, who was married a week ago last Saturday to Miss Eunice Nevelles, of Girard, Alabama. The members of the Battalion extend to them their sincere wishes for a long, happy and prosperous married life.

Mason and Arthur (our Battalion tailors) have a bet which is being anxiously watched by several in the outfit. They are trying to decide which is the cheapest, a wife or an automobile. Mason has the wife and Arthur has the auto. Each has an expense book in which he enters each item. This bet is to cover a period of six months, so each ought to have a fair trial. We believe that Arthur got a little the worst of the deal as he got a second-hand car, while Mason started with a new wife.

Pallis says he missed going to Fort McPherson with the football team by inches, they picked the tackles and he plays end.

Severson claims that he is through with the "U Drive Them" cars. He says the last one he had there were three cylinders missing and the fourth sounded like a popcorn wagon.

Bachelors and other matrimonial prospects who have been postponing the "fatal date" on account of the shortage of coal will be interested to learn now that the November elections are over that there is now a lot of discarded political timber available.

Sgt. Kimball says that we are rapidly becoming a soft people. First it was soft collars and shirts, then soft drinks, and now it is soft coal.

While it is not the policy of this sheet to mention polities, we note in passing that Hicks has been active in securing the election of Gump.

Ye scribe wants some information. We all want to know the "whys and wherefores" of some of our members. We pay good money for "info" on blind pigs, wholesale raisin joints and rising yeast manufacturers.

It looks as though Andy Gump won by a neck. We congratulate his campaign managers, Sgt. Batchelder and Cpl. Goldstein. We understand Goldstein tried to vote ten times for Andy and his ballot was thrown out. Andy carried the battalion 10 to 1, and will wear no man's collar in Congress.

They say Sgt. Dean took a lesson in horseback riding the other day. He must be getting ready for the Stockyards Derby next year.

Cpl. Candea: Where are you from, Dean?

Sgt. Dean: Oh, I'm from the South.

Cpl. Candea: South of where?

Sgt. Dean: South of Market.

That famous baseball player, Alibi Hartmann, has been heard from once again. He is awaiting transportation to return to the outfit at present. Sgt. Williams and Lt. Brotherson wear a happy smile since this news arrived. Is business picking up?

Who is it that makes all the noise around the Mess of Co. "B" about three o'clock in the morning? Tum te tum te tum tum.

"Porcupine" Densmore, of Co. "C," went to Durand to see his little sweetheart "Curls." He missed the train and was late getting back. He claims that the gas ran out of the Ford and caused him to miss this train. Cauthen says he thinks that the "Curls" got to flying in his face and he couldn't see the road. Next time you go notify the C. of Ga. that you are there and they'll stop the train down next to that big tree in the pasture and wait for you.

Densmore reports that business is still as usual in the mountains.

Cpl. Wade is keeping the telephone lines hot these days calling 2880, Columbus. The Columbus operator told him, "If you love the girl, why don't you marry her, instead of spending a fortune in nickels on the telephone company?" Wait till Sam D. Lewis and Capt. Bill hear of what you are trying to do. Sam tried to get away with it but he has left the country and latest reports from him are not legible. He still seems to suffer from shell shock.

Webb got tired of sleeping by the door and moved in behind the stove. He said if he wanted a cold draught he would take it from a bottle.

Has anyone here seen Peggy? Ask Hicks.

Bryan still makes his weekly visits to Jordan City. Isn't it getting rather cold to use an ice cream social as an excuse for seeing her, Lino? He is very inconsistent in his affairs though as he may be seen on Sundays looking for a Buick from Cuthbert, Ga., to appear in camp. It seems that teachers (school and Sunday school) are the only ones he is interested in.

Webb is seen any day now planning and plotting on a suitable wrapping for his Christmas gift to Cleo. The only time he takes his mind off this is when he is trying to figure out "coffee and" for the next night.

Wade's favorite remark: If I had four bits I'd go down to the Ralston and see my little girl tonight.

Fight promoters are urged to capitalize the trouble between Chisel Chin Britt and Garrulous Garrison. They have a set-to about every two days now. Garrison must belong to some Chinese Tong, as it is said he used a fire shovel in the last melee.

Several radio concerts have been enjoyed recently by some members of the battalion, but now the batteries are burned out. Hard luck. One more little stretch of your imagination and some of you will be hearing signals from Mars.

Clark beat Stevens to the orderly hat by 24 hours this time.

Lieut. Jaynes and Sgt. Harvey have left for Washington as witnesses in a case brought by the government against a firm for the injury of Reginald F. Tietz, a former member of the battalion.

The "Tanks" football team linesmen have left for Fort McPherson to unite with the McPherson team against the Marines.

Sgt. Buck, Chief Rooter, is trying to figure out a scheme to get organized rooting down pat in the midst of great gobs of excitement. It isn't human nature, Buck.


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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## GENERAL PAUL B. MALONE DEPARTS

### LEFT FRIDAY MORNING FOR FT. SILL ENROUTE TO CAMP TRAVIS.

Friday morning General Paul B. Malone, for over two years assistant Commandant of the Infantry School departed for his new station, Camp Travis, where he will command the 2nd Artillery Brigade. General Malone was accompanied by his family and his aid, Lt. Lockofellow. Authority has been granted by the War Department for Lt. Weider Meyer to accompany General Malone and he will leave in a few days to join General Malone.

General Malone and his family have made many friends both in the Fort and the city of Columbus and it is with regret that they bid the General and Mrs. Malone adieu. At a dinner of the Automobile Club recently held in General Malone's honor, the General expressed his intention of returning some day to Columbus, Fort Benning and the Infantry School. This announcement was greeted with enthusiastic applause.

General Malone has been a decided asset to Fort Benning and Columbus and it is to be hoped that his prophecy as to his return will come true.

## *FOURTH CORPS AREA BOXING AND WRESTLING TOURNEY FINISHED*

### FORT BENNING ALMOST MAKES CLEAN SWEEP.

The corps area boxing and wrestling tourney which was concluded last Saturday at Fort McPherson, developed into a marked victory for Fort Benning. With but eight boxers and wrestlers entered from Fort Benning in the tournament, six championships were brought home, thereby proving conclusively that Benning leads other stations in the Fourth Corps Area in athletics.

The fights opened on Thursday, with Keenan matched with Fisette, of Fort Bragg, Grantham against Contz, of Fort Moultrie, Erdos against Burch, of Fort Bragg, Lasher against Feeney, of Fort Oglethorpe, and Donnelly against LePan, of Fort Bragg.

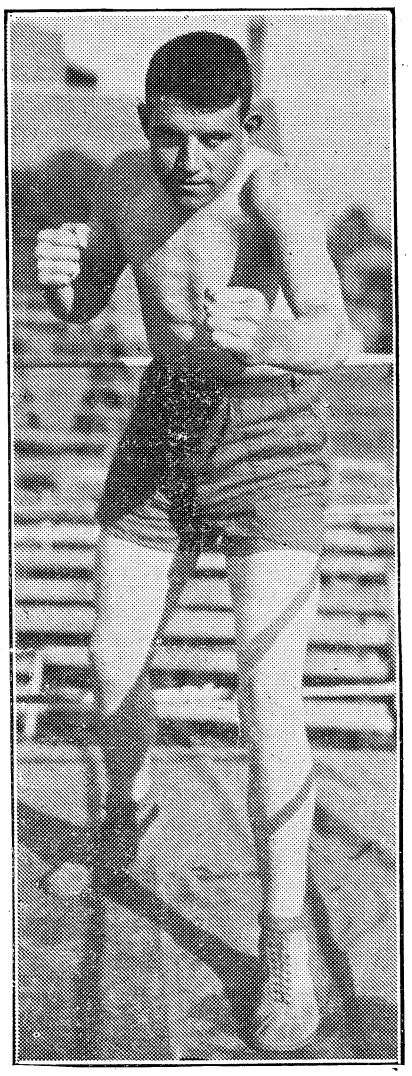
Keenan weighed in at 115 pounds, the bantamweight limit, and Fisette weighed in at 112 pounds. Keenan went after his man, "hammer and tongs," and put him to sleep in the third round. Keenan's ring experience and punching ability showed up to advantage in this fight.

In the next fight Grantham weighed in at 133 1-2 pounds and Guzman weighed in at 126. This fight went the limit but at no time was there any doubt of Grantham's winning. Grantham showed his superior ability from the start.

The next fight was between Erdos, weighing 143 1-2, and Burch, who weighed 144. Burch proved himself to be a very clever boxer. In the third round he succeeded in landing a blow on Erdos's temple which opened an old cut and started the wound to bleeding. From then on Erdos was badly handicapped on account of his eyes filling with blood, which fact prevented him from seeing. Even with this handicap Erdos put up a fine fight, and had it not been for this chance blow it is very probable that the outcome would have been different. Erdos is very anxious to meet Burch again. This bout went the limit, Burch winning the judges' decision.

Lasher, weighing 163, next met Feeney, of Fort Oglethorpe, who weighed in at 167. This was Lasher's first experience as a boxer—he being a wrestler—and his lack of experience handicapped him. Feeney proved to be a fast, clever boxer and won the decision from Lasher.

The last bout of the evening was between Donnelly, weighing 182 pounds, and LePan, of Fort Bragg, weighing 177 pounds. In the first round of this bout LePan appeared to be the cleverest boxer. This was Donnelly's first experience in the ring and he showed lack of experience. LePan administered a severe walloping to Donnelly in this round. In the second round LePan again went after Donnely with the evident intention of finishing the bout in this round. He was over-confident, however; Donnelly, while the melee was fastest, in the words of a spectator, "reached back and grabbed a post and socked LePan in the jaw with



**DONNELLY,**
**Heavyweight Champion, Fourth Corps Area.**

it." LePan took the count, thereby giving the heavyweight championship to Donnelly.

Here is what the Atlanta Constitution said about this fight:

"Soldier Donnelly, of Fort Benning, borrowed a kick from the army's well-known mule and dumped it on Soldier LePan's jaw last night in the second round of the battle that was to name the holder of the heavyweight championship of the Fourth Corps Area until the next army boxing tournament rolls around.

"It finished LePan. It would have brought any box fight to an abrupt close. As a matter of fact, this reporter believes it would have come within one ace of ruining the Candler buiding. It was that sort of punch.

"Before Donnelly reached back to post headquarters for a brick, the customers were wondering how much

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## *POLO TEAM LOSES TO OGLETHORPE*

### AFTER FAST GALLOPING THE INFANTRY TEAM DROPS ONE.

Playing the fastest game seen at Fort Oglethorpe this year and handicapped by slower mounts and the loss of their fast riding, First Lt. Makinney, the polo team representing Fort Benning went down to glorious defeat by a ten to eight score.

The riding was furious, the play scentilating and the defense excellent. Time after time the Infantry carried the ball down the field with excellent team work and shot for goals ouly to have them fail by inches. No little part of this was due to the defensive work and fast riding of the Fort Oglethorpe team who were superbly mounted on the pick of the cavalry mounts.

An unfortunate accident marred an otherwise superb game and doubtless had a large effect upon the outcome of the game when Kakenney, the fast riding, hard hitting Benning Number 1 was injured in a rush and his arm broken in two places.

The story of the game is told in the following telegram received from the Fort Benning Polo team, playing at Oglethorpe, Georgia:

"Benning 8, Oglethorpe 10. Exceptionally fast game. Two periods no score. Two goals greatest number one period. Goals: MaKinney 3, McClure 2, French 2, Betts 1, Brooks 0, Douglas 0, Truxon 3, Ochs 2, Dewey 1, Tompkins 4. Cavalry horses far faster than Benning. Breaks all against us. Over ten goal shots were missed by inches. Team work good. Every one played a splendid game. Consensus of opinion best polo game played at Oglethorpe. Feel no disgrace at being defeated by such good players so well mounted. McKinney resting easy. Play Bragg Tuesday."

Tuesday's game was even harder fought than the first game and while Benning lost, it was only after an extra period had been played and another of Benning's cracks had suffered from an injury received in one of the hot melees. Benning has suffered severly from the loss of stellar players and while it is the fortunes of war, nevertheless it is greatly to be regretted that these two games lost by such tight scores should have seen the injury of two of the best players representing the Infantry.

The telegraphic story of the game is as follows:

"Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 29, '22.

"Visitors cup game goals by periods: first, benning 1, second, Bragg 2, third, Benning 2, fourth, Bragg 2, fifth, Benning 1, Bragg one, sixth, Benning 1, Bragg 1, seventh, Benning 1, Bragg 2, eighth, Benning 2, ninth, Bragg 1. Douglass playing one dazed by lick from mallet cutting lower lip, six stitches; played game out wonderfully. Consolation cup played for Saturday between Benning and losers of Thursday. All games without handicap."

## 29th Infantry Notes.

**FIRST BATTALION HDQ. CO.**

After much thought and consideration of the matter we have arrived at the firm conclusion that our Communication Platoon, composed of the very elite of Communications personnel and some of the greatest talent in the American Army, and with many members of super-ability, including our wireless stenographers, Radio Jass Artists, Reel Cart Engineers and Professors of Topography, is worthy of note and to enable those less fortunate members of other platoons to get an inkling of the operations and noteworthy characters of this commendable organization the following is published:

The latest accomplishment of one of this platoon's esteemed members, i. e., Sgt. Sam Spenny, is Radio Dancing. Sgt. Spenny's music is furnished by little birds sweetly distributing their harmonious notes through the ethers in the Sergeant's vicinity accompanied by the ungodly tumult of other members of this platoon endeavoring to make telephone connections with the message center.

Sgt. Spenny will be seen to gracefully throw one little foot into the air followed by an unusually graceful waving of the arms suggestful of September Morn on a chilly morning. His body is seen to sway to and fro with the wavering of the winds, sweet murmurings issue from his audience while other contemporaries stand near by spell-bound with their gaze centered on their esteemed Sergeant who is conducting such a brilliant demonstration of the terpischorean art. The buzzer phone operated by Act. Cpl. Silva murmurs a dreamy waltz which causes the Sergeant to fray gently to and fro to the rhythm of the music. Sgt. Spenny in all presents the appearance of a Madonna with the grace of Annette Kellerman and Venus de Milo.

Another of this platoon's efficiency experts is Pvt. Lovic P. Sheppard, breast reel grenadier, who may usually be found sleeping in the shade of the Old Apple Tree whenever the Battalion Commander desires communication with the C. P., that is, if he can be found at all.

Private Ebling, professor of topography, is also deserving of note, who upon a recent demonstration while drawing a map of Maxey Ridge and vicinity forgot what he was supposed to draw and drew a map of the Coast Defense of Pensacola; when asked where the assault platoon was located on the map a few minutes later by the Communications officer, he replied that it was now entering Pensacola Bay and should pass the light house at any minute.

The Company Commander at retreat roll call was notified that Cpl. Heckman and two privates were missing. An investigation disclosed the fact that the Cpl. and the two privates had been sent out on patrol during the recent demonstration and had not returned. A posse was organized to search for the missing ones, who were found about midnight at the mouth of the Upatoi Creek, completely lost and waiting for the noise of the Artillery fire of the next demonstration to ascertain the direction of Fort Benning.

**SECOND BATTALION HDQ. CO.**

Well, fellows, it looks like we've erupted at last!

They say that silence is golden, but Headquarters Company reporter has at last been convinced that all jobs are not for the benefit of goldbrickers. But we'll declare to the world that our silence in the past has not been for the want of something to say, and again sometimes action is considered more appropriate than words, but in this case let it be words, so if I proceed to land a few knocks in certain directions, please remember, fellows, that words cannot be knocks in themselves, for they carry no weight. "Le's Go!"

The other day a raw recruit steps up to the orderly room door, sticks his can inside, and with an all-important manner, pipes:

"I hear there's some vacancies for mule-skinners in this outfit; think I can make it?"

Our First Sergeant—"Certainly, you look like a mule, but you've got your head in the wrong stall. Yonder across the street is 'H' Company, they may have an opening for you."

That just goes to show how much people take notice of our outfit when they go to inquiring about mules and such like. I see we must advertise our goods more thoroughly, so that our neighbors will not confuse us.

The newest thing I can think of at present, comes in triplicate form and it is a very delicate subject. Three of our most aspiring young soldats have been decorated with corporal chevrons, nice, bright and flashy, new ones. However, the best way to tell a corporal, speaking from personal experience also, is by the bright smile he wears for the first few days, which kind of eclipses the glare of his stripes. Corporal Johnson says it came in the nick of time, "as she was about to throw me over for another corporal."

It was noted the other night at supper that certain young Jewish soldiers, the reported included, did not seem to take very friendly to their daily slum. Abe Guller claime he wasn't sick, didn't have the toothache and the rest of us likewise. But about 7:30 that evening they spruced up and left mysteriously, and the next morning curious ones were informed about the wonderful time had by those present at the entertainment at the Catholic chapel, refreshments and everything! Also they found out that it had not been restricted to the Jewish faith alone, but had been a joint entertainment for all denominations. Of course they didn't relish the joke, but my advice is "GO TO CHURCH SUNDAYS." But Abe promises to give advance notice next time.

It seems that up to a few days ago we have been mistaken in the real abilities of Private Throgmorton, the battalion clerk. His execution of his office must be satisfactory or else he wouldn't have kept his job of typewriter pusher so long, and the drawing he has hanging on the wall must be good, or else I don't know where he gets the nerve to hang same up in Battalion Headquarters. But what I started to say was that he has at least shown us his true colors and his vocation is—he is official dog-catcher of the 2nd Battalion, elected as such because he has shown himself qualified for the job. Throgmorton, if you don't care for the job, you might at least offer your services as a "dollar a year man," the public demands it. Somebody's little poodle dog, you see, has taken a fancy to roaming about the Post and its owner hollers "Throgmorton," and he says, "Yes, sir," and for the past few times has successfully rescued the little roamer. But don't forget, Throg, when it comes to removing a member of the animal family called skunk, from under the board-walk in front of Battalion Headquarters, you had better stick to the dog-catching job.

Private Luongo recommends his special duty job at the Post Fire Department for the following reasons: If you haven't got the required amount for admission and yet possess a little nerve, you may enter the movies down town by flashing your Fire Department badge. It does resemble that of a cops but it takes a smart Aleck to fool a resident of Columbus.

We notice a happy feeling among members of this company when it became known that "Chop-Ear" Henderson is a one year man, and has only a couple of months yet to do. Of course we will miss you old SLUM King.

**COMPANY "F."**

The Company "Shadow," "Metz" is now promoted to a very prominent

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position which takes up most of his time (that is, when he is not in the company recreation room) talking of the Revolutionary war, other times he may be seen toting a "jug" and "glass" around. Wonder what's in it?

Another addition to the company is the new "Recruit" "FRITZ" BOLIVER, who is ranking, makes him take air occasionally.

"Pat" (he's well known) takes his regular Sunday hike as usual, tho we are afraid he'll have to cut it out. There is too much cold air at the present time.

Corp. Sutton was almost crying the other day. He and Corp. Holland were detailed for guard and Sutton drew Stockade, he asked Holland how he got away with regimental guard so often. Holland said he "told the 1st Sergt. he had no money and would like to see the "movies." The Top said, "Allright, Holland, you are elected."

**CAN YOU REMEMBER?**

(1.)
Where do we go from here boys?
Good-bye Leicester Square,
The old gray mare ain't what she uster be—
Over there, over there, over there.

(2.)
There's a long, long trail a-winding,
Cheers for the red, white and blue,
Keep the home fire burning,
Hinky-dinky parley-voo!

(3.)
Oh, the in-fan-tree, the in-fan-tree,
I found my love in Avalon;
You'll never get rich while your digging a ditch,
Madelon, Madelon, Madelon.

**COMPANY "H."**

The enlisted personnel of Co. "H" is to be congratulated on their intelligence in machine gun barrage work. Saturday morning during the barrage consisting of 48 machine guns, they proved themselves better than the average machine gunner.

As usual, men from Co. "H" starred in the football game between the Second Battalion and the Tanks. Although the Second Battalion lost, Parris and Daniel kept up a good fight all through the game. Cpl. Siaght was on furough, so was unfortunately out of the game.

"H" Company is increasing its average in deposits in the Quartermaster. Capt. Miller is doing his best and we hope that this company will have the largest amount of deposits in the regiment this month.

## *"The Landslide"*

**By Sgt. H. L. Fink.**

A one hundred per cent candidate
was Andy Gump,
For as such he proclaimed himself
while on the stump;
He trodded the highways and trampled the weeds;
Seeking to be inspired to nobler
deeds;
Affirming repeatedly that he wore no
man's collar,
He refrained from soliciting a single
dollar;
And so it came about that Andy won
in the election,
In spite of "Poison Ivy's" energetic
objection;
His fight was as steep as the high
spots in heaven,
As proof of this stands his majority
of thirty-seven;
And by way of congratulations, faithful old Min,
Planted a kiss on his invisible chin;
And while he qualified in the role of
politician,
To please everybody he'll have to be
a magician.

## COL. WM. M. FASSET NOW ASSISTANT COMMANDANT

**WAR DEPARTMENT ORDER SO DESIGNATING HIM RECEIVED AT POST HEADQUARTERS.**

The following War Department order received at Post Headquarters is self-explanatory:

War Department, Washington,
November 19, 1922.

SPECIAL ORDERS, No. 272:

EXTRACT.

10. Colonel William M. Fassett, Infantry, is relieved from his present duties at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, and is assigned to duty as assistant commandant the Infantry School.

By order of the Secretary of War,
JOHN J. PERSHING,
General of the Armies, Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL: Robert C. Davis,
The Adjutant General.

Colonel Fassett has been stationed at Fort Benning since October 10th, the head of the Department of Military Art. He is well equipped to fill the important post to which he has been assigned and his many friends rejoice in this well won recognition of ability.

Col. Fassett is a graduate of the Military Academy class of 1897, a distinguished granduate of the Army School of the line, 1908 and a graduate of the Army Staff College of 1909.

He served during the Spanish American War in the campaign before Santiago, was for two years on active duty in the field during the Phillippine insurrection and was a Brigadier General during the World war commanding the 73 Brigade of the 37th Division during the Ypres-Lys offensive in the fall of 1918. While in command of this brigade, Colonel Fassett served under Major-General Farnsworth, now Chief of Infantry.

Colonel Fassett wears the following decorations:

The Distinguished Conduct medal, the Cross of the Legion of Honor, "Officer" and the Belgium War Cross.

Colonel Fassett's military history is as follows:

Graduate of Military Academy 1897, 2nd Lt. 4th Infantry and 21st Infantry, 1898 to 1902; Captain 13th Infantry April 1902; Major Infantry July 1916; Lt. Colonel, Colonel, National Army, 1917-18; Brigadier General National Army October 1918 to June 1919; Colonel Regular Army July 1st, 1920.


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THE FORT McPHERSON POST, another new Service paper, has just been received and it bears all the earmarks of becoming an interesting publication. The second issue contains news of special interest and just as soon as the paper has gotten establihesd and its news sources have been organized it will be second to none of the minor Service papers. The News is glad to include the Post on its exchange list.

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THE NEWS does not want to assume the feminine attitude of "I told you so," but the impulse to invite everybody's attention to the fact that we predicted winning five boxing championships out of seven—the very thing that did happen—is irresistable. The fact that Fort Benning won again this year was due to two reasons; first, our representatives went to Fort McPherson full of confidence and the determination to win and, second, because our men were in better physical condition than their opponents. In other words, they were living examples of the necessity for "preparedness."

It was reported that the medical officer making the preliminary physical examinations stated that all bouts would have to be reduced to four rounds after examining contestants from one station. When he got to the men from Fort Benning he agreed to extending the limit to six rounds. The original intention was to have bouts of ten rounds, and had this been carried out Fort Benning would have been prepared as all our contestants had trained with ten round bouts in view. As a matter of fact this station was handicapped by having to fight bouts of but six is believed that had the bouts been rounds with eight ounce gloves. It for ten rounds with six ounce gloves there would have been another championship to our credit. However, we are not kicking about the results. We may want to participate in another corps tournament some time, and had we won every championship we might have difficulty in getting other stations to participate in the future.

* * *

COURTESY is an important factor in social and business intercourse. Too frequently this element is lacking with the result that a considerable amount of friction is given existence to. Military people, because of environment and training, have the reputation of being brusque and abrupt. Certain members of the military establishment give the impression at times that their efficiency *can* be demonstrated by the degree of "hard-boilednests" that it is possible to inject into their daily transactions. In other words, the term "hard-boiled" is confused in their minds with firmness, an essential military characteristic, with an undesirable, and sometimes amusing, effect. It is difficult for a "hard-boiled" man to be courteous; firmness and courtesy are analagous.

## FOURTH CORPS AREA BOXING AND WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

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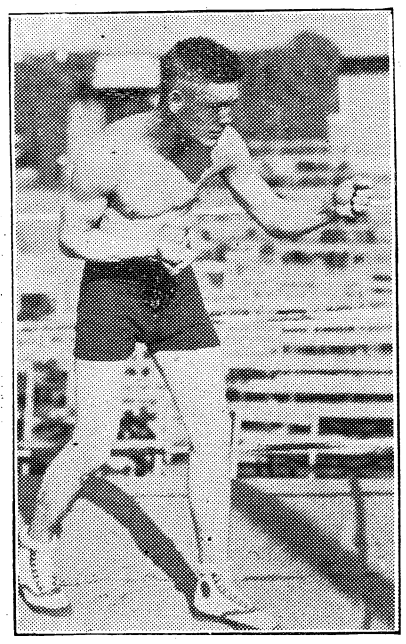
longer Referee Bill Kaliska would permit LePan to make a punching bag of his heavier opponent. It was Donnelly's first encounter. It looked like it would be his last.

"After a minute of fighting in the second round, Donnelly laid his left glove so far in LePan's mid-section that Kaliska was about to help Donnelly pull it out. Then LePan walked over the ropes and covered up. He wanted to recover some of the breath that had been knocked away.

"Donnelly saw an opportunity. He waited for LePan to come up for air



**GRANTHAM,**
**Lightweight Champion, Fourth Corps Area.**

and then his right shot out. Major-General Shanks, occupying a seat of honor, heard the report and looked up, evidently thinking the roof was coming down. Fat Elrod, the announcer, just gasped. For the first time in his life Elrod was left without anything to say.

"All this time LePan was falling. A stupid look came over h's face. When Referee Kaliska sent his hand downward for the fifth time, intuition told LePan to get up. He nearly succeeded, but his legs wouldn't heed the brain's command and he sank to the canvas, this time to stay."

Fort Benning had but two entries in the Friday night boxing bouts and one entry in the wrestling class. Benning men won all bouts.

In the first bout DeRose, last year's lightweight champion, but now fighting in the featherweight class, met Contz, of Fort Moultrie. Contz weighed 122 pounds and DeRose 123 1-2. This was DeRose's fight from the start and in the third round he put his man to sleep by the K. O. route.

In our next fight Sebukaty mixed things with Petrozio, of Fort McPherson. Pietrozio, who weighed in at 152 1-2 pounds, showed that he was a fast, clever boxer and he made Sebukaty extend himself. Sebukaty showed that he had not fully recovered from the injury sustained in the Tennessee-Infantry football game, but after six rounds of hard fighting the judges gave the decision to Sebukaty.

The only wrestling bout of the tournament was won by LaPine, of Fort Benning. He met Campbell, of Fort Bragg. Campbell weighed 155 1-21 and LaPine weighed 157 1-2. Both men were in good condition. LaPine threw his man in eleven minutes. The Fourth Corps Area middleweight wrestling championship goes to LaPine.

Saturday night's fights found practically every class represented by Fort Benning men. This was the night of the finals. The Atlanta Constitution says of these bouts:

"Every fight at Fort McPherson last night in the finals of the Fourth Corps Area boxing championship tournaments resulted in knockouts. There were battles in every division except the heavyweight, which class settled its title discussion some nights ago. A fine crowd of soldier-spectators watched the struggles.

"'Red' Keenan, of Fort Benning, who won his first bantamweight championship last year, repeated this time with a quick victory over Andrews, of Fort Moultrie. Andrews took a bad pasting in the first round and the bell found him wondering what it was all about.

"He managed to recover his senses during the rest period and looked fit as a fiddle at the start of the second. 'Red' lashed over a smashing right and Andrews began hunting for a place to flop. Keenan didn't press his advantage immediately but toward the middle of the round launched a savage attack that soon had Andrews waving a flag of truce. The bout was then stopped.

"Al DeRose, of Fort Benning, who made a profound impression on Atlanta ring students in the first round of the tournament, won the featherweight championship when he defeated Hess, of Camp Bragg. Hess is a hard puncher but DeRose took everything the Fort Bragg entry could offer and thrived under the punishment.

"Seeing that he had nothing to fear from his opponent, DeRose waded into the hottest section of the firing line and soon had Hess in a bad way. Hess was especially wobbly in the third and went down for the final count in the fourth.

"Granthan, of Fort Benning, one of the likeliest looking youngsters that has appeared in this city in some months, had an easy time winning the lightweight title in his bout with Carroll, of Fort Bragg, who went down for the last time in the fourth.

**Granthan Wins.**

"Granthan is a handsome lad, a fine puncher and a cool boxer. His

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## Finance Department Notes

The Finance Detachment is rather busy at this writing owing to the fact that troops will be paid early this month and things must be in readiness so as not to delay the game.

Sergeant Kenney made his regular week-end trip to LaFayette, Alabama, last Saturday.

THINGS WE NEVER SEE, MAYBE YOU HAVE.

Kenney not playing pinochle.
Dobbie without his (bull)
Watson leaving Cliett alone.
Willis not playing Casino.
Shorte without his booze.
Friedenthal keeping quiet.
H. A. F. with a hair cut.
Miller without his cigar.
Cliett without canteen checks.
Bennett out of bed in time for breakfast.
Stokes without his perfume.
Tillerson without his laugh.
Barker without an enormous appetite.
Ayers in bed after 4 o'clock a. m.
Banda without his books.
Corp. Shorte—"I'm trying to get ahead."
Sgt. Dobbie—"That's right, you need one."

Some outfits boast of jaw breakers but the Finance Detachment boast of heart breakers only, as evidenced by one of our worthys last Saturday night in town. It is understood that he is great on the sob stuff. Who said Short—— Well, Toney will tell all about it.

## A WOODLAND ROMANCE

It was a delightful summer evening;
The man stood, musing, on a little hillock.
Overhead the myriads of stars, the pale moon, the hurrying clouds.
For a long time he stood motionless, then raised a cigarette to his lips.

All at once his attitude changed to one of intent listening;
He peered forward. * * *
Then, singing softly to herself,
She came towards him from the woods.
A look of anguish crossed his handsome features;
With an involuntary movement he drew back.
She approached closer, but with muttered word and a wave of his shapely head he repulsed her.
Nothing daunted, she returned, but again he motioned her back.
Finally, with a plaintive cry, she flung herself upon him.
This time a look of eagerness came into his eyes;
He crushed her to him.
She gave a little scream, and silence reigned once more.
The man stopped and struck a match.
"Damn the mosquitos," was all he said.

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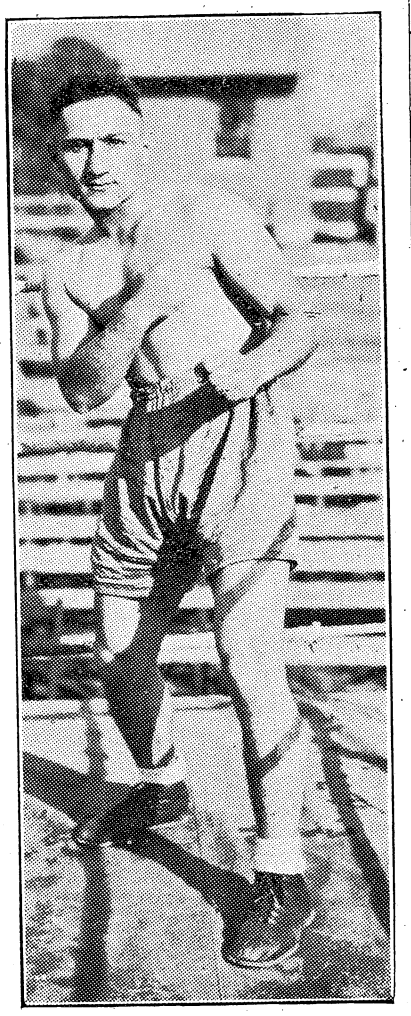

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## "DEPOSITS."

By Sgt. Herman L. Fink.

Two soldiers enlisted in a certain big town,
And to the 29th Infantry both came down;
One was good, the other was bad,
The latter was S. O. L. over the habits he had.
The "Good One" with lemonade always was content,
While the "Bad One" on whiskey as a beverage was bent;
And while the date for the discharge of the "Good One" was approaching
Numerous troubles on the "Bad One" were encroaching;
By continually breaking existing regulations,
The "Bad One" thrived on additional "specifications;"
The "Good One" performed his duties in an excellent manner,
While the "Bad One" forcibly displayed the "G. P." banner,
On the day the "Good One's" enlistment expired,
He was by the "Bad One" greatly admired;
For the "Good One" left camp in a jovial mood,
While the "Bad One" was retained to make some lost time good;
When finally the "Bad One's" enlistment expired,
To a quiet little spot he promptly retired;
And there he reasoned in a repentant mood,
That to get along in the Army, one must be good;
And during his reasoning he also came to the conclusion
That deposits with the paymaster are, upon discharge, an indebtedness.

## "16 x 16"

Many soldiers "exist" in tents,
Some, however, as if in a trance,
Because comforts are few and far between,
While repairs are confined to the wire screen.
To stay in the tent is the general rule to abide,
But on a windy day some prefer the outside,
For very few care to live in a home
Where there is danger of its roof caving in on their "dome."
Space on transports and dug-outs in France,
Were easily a "credit" to a good many tents;
Certain "quarters" it is known, don't compare
With the billets in "Luxembourg," bad as they were.
On better quarters if it were possible to insist,
Prospects for enlistment no longer would desist.
The Sibley stove with its flame in a rumble
Is cause for no little of the winter grumble;
Other causes on which it is difficult to dwell,
Generally cause an A. W. O. L.,
And while on the outside without returning coercion,
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Captain Wolfe has been Post Exchange officer nearly two years and has been most efficient in his conduct of this task. The Post Exchange as now conducted, is one of the largest and most up-to-date in the army and is showing good profit.

The large office building which houses the office, the hat and shoe shop and the tailor shop, has been built by the Post Exchange Council out of the profits of the exchange.

Capt. Wolfe's many friends wish him well in his adventures in civil life. The new Exchange Officer has been apprenticed to Capt. Wolfe for some time and has been right on the job getting hold of the details of the Post Exchange job.

A man who cannot forget is quite as bad as the one who cannot remember. Everyone should remember to forget.

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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 11.**

**1911.**

In June the First Battalion went from Fort Porter to Fort Niagara for target practice, and the Third Battalion went from Fort Jay to Rensalaer, N. Y., for same.

June 27 Companies E, G and H participated in an Industrial Parade at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

The band spent the month of August at Forts Niagara and Porter.

The First Battalion performed the annual practice march from Fort Porter to Le Roy, N. Y., and return August 7 to 17—143 miles.

The band and the First Battalion formed part of the escort to the President of the United States at Rochester, N. Y., on August 23.

July 30 Companies E and G left Fort Niagara on a practice march during which they were engaged in field and swimming exercises. Distance 70 miles. F and H Companies did same from August 9 to 26.

The Second Battalion engaged in practice march and field exercises from Sept. 5 to 12. Total distance 80 miles.

First Lieut. C. B. Hodges, Second Lieut. J. E. Fickel, one medical officer and 24 enlisted men of the Regiment stationed at Fort Jay participated in the Aviation Meet at Nassau Blvd., Garden City, L. I., from Sept. 21 to Oct. 2.

Sept. 23 Battalion Sergeant Major John Crampton was retired.

The First and Second Battalions went into camp on the target range at Fort Niagara in October and participated in maneuvers and field exercises. These two Battalions formed a Provisional Regiment commanded by Lt. Col. Truitt. They were inspected by Lt. Col. H. J. Slocum.

Nov. 26 Company C went to Fort Ontario for temporary duty.

Eighty recruits were received at the end of the year from Fort Slocum.

Officers who were assigned to the Regiment in 1911 were:

Colonel George R. Cecil, Lieut. Colonel Charles M. Truitt, Majors Monroe McFarland and Charles Crawford, Captains Joseph W. Beacham and Harry A. Smith, First Lieutenants Marvin E. Malloy and Allan R. Williams, Second Lieutenants Bert M. Atkinson and William E. Larned.

## 24th WARRIORS BRING HOME BACON

Saturday, the 24th triumphed again when they slipped the defeat dose to Knox College, of Athens, Ga., on their home gridiron. The game was a good one and replete with thrills. Three times the Knox College boys tried to score via the drop kick route, but not once did the oval sail true. Two attempts fell yards short due to the rush of the Infantry forwards, and the third attempt, while having distance, lacked direction.

At no time did the collegians threaten to cross the last chalk line for a toluch-down. The Infantry scored three times on excellent football, and added two points on a safety when the center trio, Shannon, Hughes and Troup, broke thru and blocked a point which Knox recovered behind the goal line for a safety.

The ball was kicked off to the Infantry, who made a good run back of the kick, and then started down the field for a score. On the fifth play after securing three first downs, the 24th Star, Freeland, was heavily thrown and went out of the game with a badly bruised shoulder.

After a series of exchanges, the Infantry carried the ball across the line on a back by Oliver after a fine forward pass, Young to Bonner, that netted 30 yards, and placed the ball on the college eight yard line.

The line was playing excellent football, charging hard and playing low the previous week was marked. The on defense. The improvement over benefit of much work on the bucking machine was easily observed. In the first part of the game, the lack of good interference was still evidenced, but as the game progressed, the backs got together and from then on they ran very good interference.

Bonner got two forwards that placed the doughboys in scoring position, and Williams also made one pretty play on a forward. The line play was excellent. Troup and Hughes showing up very well when put in near the end of the first half They had openings at all times when called on for holes.

Dawson at tackle played an excellent game. The second touchdown came as a result of a well executed forward pass, folllowed by two ex-excellent end runs and a couple of drives thru the line.

Two costly fumbles prevented a larger score, as the college boys were right on the job when the ball was loose. The last touchdown came as a result of consistent line playing interspersed with end runs. The end around proved a great ground gainer.

Toward the end of the game, all the players of the squad were given their chance, and some of the subs showed fine stuff. Young, Green and Williams acted as pilots, and used good headwork throughout. The third touchdown came when the team, by hard playing and fierce tackling, took the ball away from the Athens crowd, and drove down the field with great power for the final counter of the afternoon show.

This game was the best shown on the home lot this year, and augurs well for the great game of the season on the 25th, when the Infantry mingles with Talladega College for a game which is for blood and revenge.

The officials conducted the afternoon's entertainment in a most satisfactory manner, and the Athens Collegians went home feeling that they had been royally entertained and that the best team won.

A dance was held after the game, and there was a large attendance from the camp as well as many visitors from Columbus.

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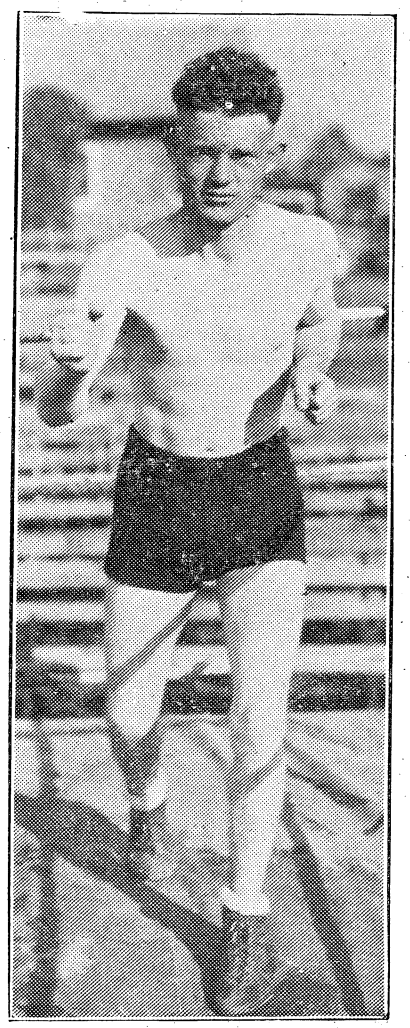

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# 29th Infantry News Notes

### 1ST BATTALION HDQS. CO.

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It would be useless for me to inform you of the many traits of uprighteousness around which my character is moulded, assuring you that if you should dare to write again I'll become angry and will unburden myself of some ugly epithets which shall be hurled upon you. As the above is a sample of mild and gentlemanly writings, I warn you that if I have this matter again brought to my attention my next letter shall be very rough and heated indeed.

### SERVICE COMPANY.

The saying that lightning does not strike twice in the same place was utterly repudiated and renounced to the benefit of our company.

Some three weeks ago the Ajaxian elements, which was defied by the said Ajax, the said element utterly ignoring such defy by the said Ajax, struck the Service Co., coming down through the heavens with a flash and a thunderous roar over the company street, and when the flash, and the smoke, and the long continued reverberations of the thunderous roar had ceased and the surrounding atmosphere had cleared, lo and behold! there stood two stars in the company street, and the vociferous thanks offered up in prayer so pleased the creator of that particular stroke that he concluded to do it again, and in answer to those prayers of the Service Company struck again, and when the flash, smoke and reverberations had cleared away again, lo and behold! there stood a third star in the company street. And in Corporal Hoadley's re-enlistment the Service Company again was the contented recipient of the benefits of another scarce article in army bands, and Corporal Hoadley will eclipse many and many musicians on his particular instrument, and these three stars in this case followed the one wise man at the head of the band section. Thus reversing the order of the three wise men that followed the Star of Bethlehem, and if a constellation of such stars were precipitated in our street, we would have a band section second to none in the army, and as it is, we won't take a back seat for any of them now.

We also wish to announce our regrets, also rejoicing, if such two opposites could be merged into one.

In our regrets we wish to say that we have lost one of our stars through separation from the service, and in losing one of our basso profondo players, we lose one of our steady men; and in rejoicing we want to wish Mr. Vitali all the good luck and sincere wishes that his genial ways are deserving of, also rejoicing that he goes home to be a leaning post and a helping hand to the failing health of his ageing parents.

All power to you, Vitali, and may the Lord be with you and yours.

### 2nd BATTALION HDQ. CO.

Sergeant Terry is back with us again after being absent about six weeks on a two months' furlough. Queer thing, the Sergeant is as strong and husky as in the past, but the waist line is not as noticeable. Back in time to enjoy the holidays with us, old man, and the meals that come with them.

The strength of the Company was decreased on the 25th of November by the discharge of Sergeant Moyers and Private Hastings. No, they did not re-up, but no one can tell what may turn up,and there are vacancies all the time for such good soldiers. We all wish them the best of good luck—and a kind winter.

It does see like everybody is buying Christmas gifts for somebody, at least that is a good excuse to offer when the subject turns to depositing money with the Quartermaster next pay day.

The slogan, "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early," is more popular than "Do Your Depositing Early."

Now that nights are getting colder, the Knights congregate around the Pool Table, which is conveniently situated near the stove in the Recreation Room. The old pastime is being revived. Everyone is interested in either playing or watching Private Frank teach the rest of us to measure up to his pool shark standard. It is whispered that Private Frank took his French leave a short time ago for the express purpose of learning the finer points of the game, and that he paid for the expert instruction he received. Don't let them kid you Frank, when you're doing a thing, do it the best you can, or not at all.

The Mail Orderly complains that his duties are becoming somewhat strenuous lately. He say that not a day passes but what he has to haul a truck load of scented letters, with feminine hand-writing from the Regimental Post-Office. But he is not the fellow to lay any particular blame on the receiving end of this flow of correspondence. "Croppy" Henderson just has a " way " with the ladies that can't be beat, and its not his own fault, they just naturally fall for him. And with Christmas Coming, orderly, the worst is yet to come.

### SHOULDER PATCHES.

Shoulder patches in great number and variety are to be seen in Fort Benning and vicinity.

As a suggestion, why not a shoulder patch similar to the shield of the Infantry School for all personnel permanently on duty at Fort Benning?

The cost would be negligible and the patch would add to the attractiveness of the uniform as much as any the writer has seen. Also (admit it or not) it would still that little longing to have one "like the other fellows."

Going further along, why not a service ribbon or some neat insignia for graduates of the Infantry School and other service schools? To be a graduate is an honor—at present the only way of determining whether an officer has ever graduated from a service school is to look him up in the book.

Of course it MIGHT cheapen our present decorations, but other nations do it.

These suggestions are of a most general nature but the writer believes they merit thought.

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## HERE AND THERE

What's in Columbus that makes one think of the ocean? The "C" (Sea).

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It's funny sometimes the intelligence that seems to occupy the minds of the lowest animals. Last winter, as the cold winds would blow against my tent door I would turn over in my narrow bunk and try to drift off into slumber. One night another member of the tent left the door open and along about 12:00 P. X. I felt that I had company in bed. Company who did not belong there. Finally, by stretching my neck, I located my visitor. I closed my eyes as if in slumber and my visitor, perceiving that I was apparently asleep, left the tent in haste.

A few minutes later I heard the patter of feet, and to my surprise, I gazed upon a whole platoon of rats —and, Buddy, they were RATS. They were wise rascals. They had sent a scout forward to find out whether the occupants of the tent were asleep and, after receiving the report of the scout that the way was clear, the entire company marched in column of squads from underneath an adjacent tent, sent a squad to the tents in our row, and began their night depredations.

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The major at a certain recruit depot was approached one day by a man who had obviously been in the service only long enough to draw his uniform. The rookie failed to salute, but the major, a kindly man in spite of twenty years of Army life, overlooked it.

The buck gazed with respectful awe at the string of campaign ribbons across the major's broad chest.

"Gosh!" he remarked, "you must be an old timer."

"Yes," answered the major pleasantly, "I am."

"Say," began the buck cordially in a whisper, "do you ever drink anything?"

The major was truthful as well as kindly. He admitted that once in a while he took a small nip, and then turned away, as his new-found acquaintance was proving embarrassing.

"Wait," said the hospitable rookie, "I got some here—"

This was too much for a kindly-disposed major.

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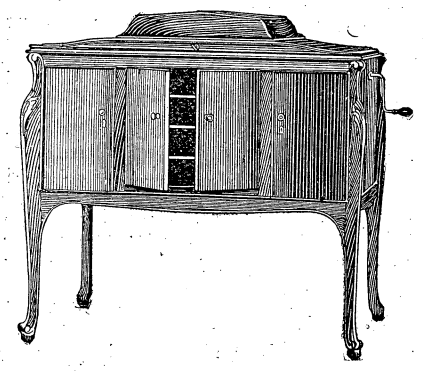
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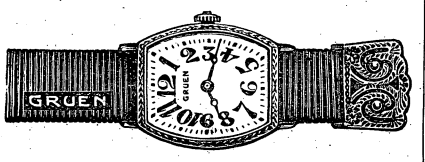

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## FOURTH CORPS AREA BOXING AND WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

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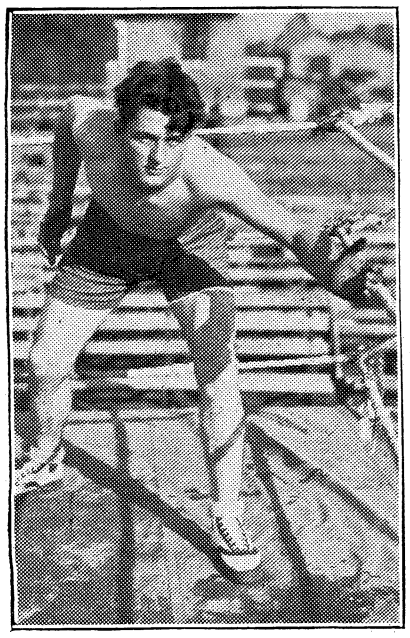
generalship would lead one to believe that he has been in the game professionally for many years, but this is the first lot of sustained ring battling he has ever been through.

"He was never in any danger. Carroll is regarded as a hard socker, but Granthan deliberately took one or two and looked to be unaffected. Then Granthan decided the bout had gone long enough and sent over a



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barrage in the fourth that spelled doom for the Bragg fighter.

"Walker, of Fort Ogethorpe, stopped Staples, of Fort Moultrie, in the third round of their bout and was never in danger of being caught by one of Staples' wild clouts. Walker's victory was expected by the dopesters.

"Numaravick, a middeweight of Camp Bragg, after a succession of nice victories in his preceding battles was knocked out by Sebukaty, of Fort Benning, in the third round. Numaravick was hammered cold as a mackerel after making a splendid showing for two rounds. Feeney, of Fort Oglethorpe, scored a knockout over Dundee, of Camp McClellan, unofficial light heavyweight champion of the Fourth Corps Area.

"The tournament, conducted by officers at Fort McPherson, was a great success."

The members of the Fort Benning team have nothing but praise to speak of the manner in which they were entertained and the manner in which their opponents fought. It is particularly gratifying that the general appearance of the men from Fort Benning was such as to attract attention and that their conduct, both while in the ring and outside of it, was such as to bring forth favorable comment both from high officials and from civilians with whom they came in contact.

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## Jottings From the 24th

An interesting incident in connection with the Talladega-24th football game came to the attention of The News reporter.

The score at the end of the first half was 6 to 0 in favor of the college boys. The Medical Corps men on duty with the ambulance went over to where Captain R. M. Wilson was laying down the law to the 24th team. He stood around for a few minutes then hurried back to the ambulance and began to unstrap the litters that are a part of the equipment. Some one in the crowd called out, "What are you doing that for?" His answer was most enlightening. He said, "If they do what he told them to do we are going to need them all." Sufficient to say the 24th won by a score of 19 to 6 and that night two of the college boys were reposing in the Chateau de Pain.

An order published by Post Headquarters this week placed the Summary and Special Court jurisdiction of all units except the 29th Infantry, the 83rd F. A. and the Tanks with the 24th Infantry. An amusing side light on this order has come to note. A member of one of these outfits just put under the 24th, when pollied about getting lit up, said, "Oh no, not for me, any more. Last time I got three days pay but you go down there and it's three month's the first time, six months the second and 148 1-2 the third. I've only eleven months to do and I'm on the water wagon for that long."

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# SPORTING NEWS

FOOTBALL BASEBALL

## FOOTBALL

(By John Doughboy.)

Outplaying but not out-fighting the spectacular Tanks the First Battalion, 29th Infantry, triumphed yesterday by the score of 28 to 20 in the annual football game between these two teams.

The victory of the Doughboys smashed to smithereens the football dope of Fort Benning. All the dopesters were agreed that Major John Leonard, commanding officer of the 15th Tank Battalion, had a real championship team this season and that the game over the Infantry would be a walk-over. It proved very unpleasantly for the cocky Tanks to be otherwise and Major Floyd Hatfield, commanding officer of the First Battalion, 29th Infantry, is smiling the satisfied smile of the cat who has just negotiated someone's pet canary.

The game was played on the gridiron adjacent to the Service Club at the Post. A crowd estimated at 2,500 witnessed the game which retained its spectacular features until the shadows of night had fallen and the players could hardly be distinguished. The cheering of the Doughboys throughout the game was deafening and they backed the spirited battling of their team to the limit.

The contest was a surprise party to the Tanks in that the Infantry depended almost entirely on regular old-fashioned football. Few trick plays were attempted. It was just sam-bang through center or off-tackle with racy end runs sandwiched in between. This kind of medicine from the powerful doughboys swept the Tanks off their feet and before they could fathom the offensive of the Infantry they had lost the lead and this they never regained.

The outstanding stars of the game were Glockner, Rompleski, Wally, Parker and Schwald for the Infantry and Sharp, Wooten and Lindsey for the Tanks. Romploski, the doughboy field general, correctly gauged the weakness of the Tank line and shot his plays through the holes for almost continuous gains. He also ran the ball in a spectacular manner and was in every play. On the offensive a tall, ungainly 17-year-old youth named Gloekner simply ran wild over the Tank line. He was the bright particular star of the game. Parker and Schwald were the Infantry linesmen who made the holes for the plunging backs and Wally played his usual strong game at full.

For the Tanks, Sharp, with two runs, eclipsed his team-mates. In the first quarter Sharp on his own 40 yard line ran around right end 60 yards for a touchdown. Later he ran 50 yards, and he made other dashes hither and yon that were mighty perplexing to the Infantry. Wooten also deserved credit and Lindsey at center was a tower of strength.

The work of the referee, Captain Bachman, was splendid and the game was fought hard but cleanly. The only injury coming in one of the final plays when Detweiler, an Infantry end, was knocked out and carried off the field. He was immediately removed to the hospital. It was said his back had been badly wrenched.

The line-up was as follows:

| Tanks | Pos. | Inf. |
|---|---|---|
| | Right End | |
| Pallies | | Needham |
| | Right Tackle | |
| Poling | | Parker |
| | Right Guard | |
| Mattingly | | Schwald |
| | Center | |
| Lindsey | | Coppock |
| | Left Guard | |
| Liberty | | Major |
| | Left Tackle | |
| Lee | | McFadden |
| | Left End | |
| Mabry | | Detweiler |
| | Left Half | |
| Sharp | | Peters |
| | Right Half | |
| Wooten | | Gloekner |
| | Full Back | |
| Baltzell | | Wally |
| | Quarter | |
| Sullivan (C) | | Romploski (C) |

Summary—Score: Infantry 28, Tanks 20. Touchdowns: Romploski 3, Gloekner 1, Sharp 2, Baltzell 1. Goals at try for point: Romploski 4 out of 4 tries; Pallies 2 out of 3 tries. Substitutions: Nelson for Liberty, Grayhill went in for Nelson, Arnold for Wooten. For the Infantry: Guslack for Peters, Papagonda for Major, Fisk for Detweiler. Referee: Captain Bachman. Umpire: Lieut. Kinman. Head Linesman: Lieut. Hess. Timers: Lieut. Hanson and Lieut. Davis. Attendance 2,500. Time of quarters: 15 minutes.

## Volley Ball Tournament In Twenty-fourth Inf.

### OFFICERS OF REGIMENT ARE PLAYING SERIES FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The officers of the 24th Infantry, following the regimental policy of always leading, have staged a volley ball tournament and every afternoon when work is over the officers of the regiment may be seen on the court getting their daily exercise and deciding the championship of the regiment.

So far team Number 3, lead by Capt. Moore, is in the lead but the contest is so close that a single days play may change the standing of all the teams.

The other teams claim that No. 3 has a big advantage in having a chaplain and ex-chaplain playing together on the same side, but No. 3 hotly disputes any such insinuations and claims that it is superior playing that tells the story.

The winning team is planning on a big feed at the expense of the loosers and as the end of the tournament draws near the battle waxes hotter. Col. B. P. Nicklin's team is hot contender for the championship honors but just fails to claim first place. Friday's game may put this team at the lead of the league.

The standing of the teams with captains, is as follows:

| TEAM— | Played. | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Number 3 (Capt. Moore) | 21 | 13 | 8 | .619 |
| Number 1 (Lieut. Muller) | 21 | 11 | 10 | .523 |
| Number 4 (Capt. Callahan) | 21 | 11 | 10 | .523 |
| Number 2 (Capt. Wilson) | 21 | 7 | 14 | .333 |

## Revenge Is Sweet

### 24th INFANTRY TRIMS TALLADEGA ON HOME GROUNDS.

(By Chaplain Reynolds.)

Saturday, in a game that was replete with thrills and filled with gruelling football from start to finish, the 24th Infantry gridiron stars secured the long end of a 19 to 6 score over the Red Hosed Warriors of Talladega University. This was a return game an amply made up for the only dose of defeat handed the 24th this year, handed out by this same Talladega team.

The game was called at 2 p. m., with a large gallery of interested spectators from all over the camp and many visitors from the city of Columbus. Lt. Carter, West Point, was referee, Master Sgt. Buck, of the Tanks, umpire, Major Leonard, timekeeper, and Lt. Schas head linesman and Lt. Lussier field judge.

The game started with the Infantry winning the toss and electing to receive the kick, a well planned but poorly executed trick play was smeared for a loss and the Infantry kicked. The ball changed hands a couple of times and then the Collegians started a march down the field. Line bucks with a couple of well executed forward passes put the ball over for the first big counter for the College boys and upon the try for point the kick went bad as no less than three forwards were thru on the play. The Infantry guards had been playing high but this score was the dose needed to get them down into place and from then on it was practically impossible for the College boys to gain except by forward passes.

The Infantry kept the ball in the Talladega territory for the balance of the half but lacked the necessary punch to shove it over at the required time. They threatened twice only to have the College boys take it away and kick out of danger. The half ended with the ball in the Infantry's possession on the enemy's 20 yard line.

Between halves the Infantry coaches, Capt. Wilson and Chaplain Reynolds, laid down the law to the big Doughboy team and the result was that when the second half began the matter was not left long in doubt. End runs, line bucks and neat forward passes soon had the ball down in the College territory only to lose the ball on a kick. Talladega got off a punt on the first down and when a man jumped on Frelan after he had been tackled and the whistle had blown and attempted to twist his head off, the referee awarded a 115 yard penalty and on the next play the Army shoved the ball over for the counter that tied the score. The point after goal was made on a place kick and the score was 7 to 6, Army.

The rest of the half was a repetition of the play with the Infantry employing Young and Hill to pound the fast weakening College line to pieces.

The game waxed fast and furious and using Frelan and Jones to skirt the ends and Young, Hill and Green to hit the line, two more scores were driven over the College line. The game ended with the score 19 to 6 with the Infantry on the long end of the score and the 24th had secured revenge for the only defeat of the season. The "Big Team" has won 6 out of 7 games played and defeated every team played. The outstanding stars of the game were Young, Hill, Hughes and Shannon for the Infantry, and for Talladega, Alexander, Groves and Edwards.

The summary of the game is as follows:

| 24th Inf. | Pos. | Talladega |
|---|---|---|
| | Left End | |
| Bonner | | Alexander |
| | Left Tackle | |
| Dawson, M. | | *Webber* |
| | Left Guard | |
| Adams | | Jefferson |
| | Center | |
| Shannon | | Haws |
| | Right Guard | |
| Kilgore | | Kirkpatrick |
| | Right Tackle | |
| Dawson, A. | | Knox |
| | Right End | |
| Allen | | Gordon |
| | Quarter | |
| Young | | Groves |
| | Left Half | |
| Frelan | | Wilson |
| | Right Half | |
| Hill | | Spencer |
| | Full Back | |
| Oliver | | Edwards |

Substitutions: Talladega, Bragg for Edwards; Carter for Gordon; Aexander for Kirkpatrick; Gordon for Groves.

24th Infantry: Hughes for Kilgore; Jones for Frelan; Lay for Oliver; Williams for Oliver; Jones for Hill; Thomas for Allen; White for Bonner; Thomas for White; White for Dawson.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Talladega | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | — 6 |
| 24th Infantry | 0 | 0 | 7 | 12 | —19 |

Time of quarters: 15 minutes.

Touchdowns: Spencer, Hill 3. Goal from touchdown, Frelan 1.


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## 24th Infantry News Notes

**REGIMENTAL HDQ. COMPANY.**

Oh why! Oh why! Turpin, don't you do right by one and let the others go—some day your wife will catch you.

Sergeant Robert Tyler is all smiles since going to town to visit a High-Brown.

Private Mitchell said when he returns from his furlough he is going to save what he spent while away. How can you ever catch up, Mitch?

Corporal Joseph Davis has just about stopped visiting since receiving a letter from a fair one in the city.

Look out, Corporal Brown and Sgt. Butler, here comes Turpin and Sol Winn with another kitty.

**SERVICE COMPANY.**

"Service for the Regiment." This Company has as much to be thankful for as any other company in the regiment or army, and in this connection worthy mention is made of the following personnel, office (pay roll) staff:

Staff Sgt. William Washington, Sgt. Nicholas Turner, Sgt. Oscar Ware, Pvt. John Stewart, Pvt. Charles Stewart.

This Company furnishes from mule skinners "to pen pushers," from indoor baseball players to football players, and as being the latter, we are proud of "Big Boy" Hughes, better known as rough and ready, or any way you don't like it.

Don't forget that this company is the home of the jazzers of the regiment; it also has some new arrivals who seem to have instruments. Look out, you old "jazz hounds," these boys might overtake you, they have no limit for practice; morning, noon and evening, even at the large hour of 12 midnight they can be heard too-la-la,—something like that. We will have to ask the band leader to interpret some of these unknown notes, as they are very high pitched.

Heard in Tent No. 10 (Musicians) —"What are you playing on that horn Hig Blues?"

"No, I am tuning my horn up for drill tomorrow."

One but not the least things that Service Company has to be proud of is the motor mechanics and inventors. Prof. S. Brooks is one inventor to be praised. He has made a motorcycle, 1926 model, out of practically nothing but a hammer and monkey wrench. He claims this vehicle will travel at the rate of 150 miles per hour. Prof. Brooks states that he is now going in to seclusion to start to work on the plans for a wingless airplane. If he has as much success on this invention as he had on the motorcycle, what will he make next?

The company has a new Company Commander, Captain George S. Clarke, who has recently returned to duty from leave of absence.

**COMPANY "A."**

Private First Class Dolphus Hill left a few days ago for his home at New Castles, Ala., to spend his 90 days' vacation with his relatives and friends.

Cpl. Henderson must have a very good hoe card; he is calling everything. He has the city fever and the doctor can't do him any good. Cpl., don't get things complicated and call on the wrong hole-card. The game is "Stud."

Cpl. Twitty must have found something in town pretty good, he steps mighty high. Boys, you know as well as I know, that something is causing the old datto to spruce up. I believe he is using spruce oil.

Say, Lyons, quit adding 20 to 3 and try multiplying 8s with 6s. At the end of your multipication you will find some lovely roses. Pick one, and any slow boy will speed up. We have been watching your moves ever since we arrived, and your moves are very slow. Bell, Murphy and Orange have made 12 moves to your one; it's your move this time and you had better take it, else you will lose the game and your report will be: 6, 8, 10, and 12. Watch 'em, Freddie!

Bell, old boy, things look pretty good in your favor. You have a fine go but I think you are making a bad out. Go slow, take your time, you know where there is smoke there is fire. Watch that your building don't burn. It may sound funny, but it's true.

Oh! Spud, what's wrong? Every time I look for you somebody says, "Spud is in town." Tell me what's up there. I may want to go along sometime just to keep you company. I know you get lonesome.

**COMPANY "B."**

Cook Payton, better known as "Fish," says that he is too wise to be caught!

Watch your step, Fish! There are some sharks in Georgia that can catch any fish.

Mech Robinson, alias "Tift," the regimental butcher, the doctor, the lawyer, the preacher, the artist, the professor, the stenographer, the wise man, the Know-It-All, the British Columbian, the Cruel Hombre, the love-sick man, and the stone-heart man!

Say, Tift, what do you mean when you say, "Father, forgive them; they knoweth not what they do?"

Old boy, if you don't stop worrying you will knoweth not what you do.

Stop it! You made your bed hard, so you must lie therein.

**COMPANY "I."**

During the past week Company I has suffered a great loss of personnel. Among these we find Sergeant Foster (Cute Trick) and Sergeant Wheeler (Buddy). They are both very well and favorably known by all who have had dealings with them. So here's luck to the old timers.

Sergeant Handy (Sweet Sixteen) has arrived from Company L, with his little whist table and cards. He has only lost about 38 games at this writing.

Sergeant Walker (Long Distance) is now on duty at the ticket window over to the theatre selling tickets. He requests that every soldier bring as large a bill as possible for buying tickets. It saves a lot of time making change and keeps the other man out in the cold that much longer. Ha! Ha! Who said anything about he will short-change you?

Supply Sergeant Calieph Moore (Statement of Charges) is back from Manilla, P. I. He had a six months' furlough and came back 2 months ahead of time, afraid that he would not be here time enough to cheat you out of one-half of your clothing settlement.

Sergeant Russell (Poor Boy) says he is the only man to be thankful this Thanksgiving as it is his last Thanksgiving in the Army, and next year this time he won't have to make "Steger's Reveille."

Sergeant Warfield (Big Stuff) is about to take cover. He was heard to say that "Them wood butchers would have the top on him by Thanksgiving," meaning house.

Corporal Patterson (Slow Kid) has to stand up all night to keep warm because he has all his blankets wrapped around his 30 cents Put-Put machine.

Staff Sergeant Ransom (Hermit) is now in exie. He desires no company and will not be seen until next spring or Thanksgiving dinner.

Staff Sergeant Merrill (Biting Baby) wants all mess sergeants to know that he is now ready for all holiday dinners.

**COMPANY "K."**

Mess Sgt. Lay (Andy Gump) gave the members of Co. "K" a new diet last week, "B. E. P. Stew," and Sgt. Garrett put on his diving toggery for mess-call, to find the black-eyed peas in Joe's stew.

Litte Johnny, our vamp corporal, has been keeping out of the city the past two weeks. What's the secret, Johnny, Christmas?

Pvt. Freelon, our star athlete, is still receiving compliments from the opposite sex. Look out, Freelon, they will gobble you up.

Sgt. Williams, our Supply Sergeant, is still busy issuing new skin, eyes, nose and teeth, since the game with Talladega.

## 15th Tank Battalion News

Flanagan and Whitten have returned from furlough. They both appeared rather famished, although Flanagan still had a lonesome nickel left when he got back. Whitten says he was offered many jobs, but none of them were political, so he refused them. He attended the American Legion Convention in New Orleans as a side issue. Reports a great time there.

Burton has got one of the rip-snortingest, hand-me-down, banged-up, lop-sided, sawed-off, cross-wheeled, spring-bustingest, skiddy, wheezy, barracks-wrecking, and top-sy-turvy Fords that ever was. The other day he tried to tear down the Stockade fence with it. It is one of those animals that take a notion it ought to be where it isn't and goes there in spite of all his efforts to the contrary. It can neither be steered nor stopped when it gets that way. The last spell it had was very hard on the side of the barracks of the Cooks and Bakers School. Please get rid of it before it tears up all the play-houses, Agnes.

Our last week budget of gossip must have got mixed up with the football returns or blue penciled by the censor. Anyway, we couldn't see the name of the Tank Battalion in our edition of the Fort Benning News. Let's hope this meets with a better fate.

**SEIZING THE OPPORTUNITY.**

"Where are you going in such a hurry?" asked Mrs. Bibbles.

"Over to John Jagsby's house," said Mr. Bibbles. "He has just telephoned to ask if I could lend him a corkscrew, and I'm taking it myself."

"Couldn't you send it?"

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Colored Theatre .....6:00 p. m.
Post Theatre .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theatre.....7:30 p. m.

This change is made necessary to permit of the 29th Infantry Recreation Hall being used for basketball.

**Sunday, Dec. 3rd.**

"Foolish Wives," 11 reel feature (Super Special).

"By Heck," 2 reel comedy (Sennett).

**Monday, Dec. 4th.**

"Man & Woman," 5 reel feature (Allen).

"Non-Skid Kid," 1 reel comedy (Hal Lloyd).

Fox News.

**Tuesday, Dec. 5th.**

"My Boy," 5 reel feature (Jackie Coogan).

"Monkey Shines," 2 reel comedy.

**Wednesday, Dec. 6th.**

"Rent Free," 5 reel feature (W. Reid).

"Leatherpushers," 2 rounds, No. 5.

**Thursday, Dec. 7th.**

"Lights of the Desert," 5 reel feature (S. Mason).

"Beauty Contest," 2 reel comedy (Dickson).

Fox News.

**Friday, Dec. 8th.**

"Kissed," 5 reel feature (M. Prevost).

Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Dec. 9th.**

"If You Believe It It's So," 7 reel feature (Meighan).

"Athletic Movements," 2 reels.


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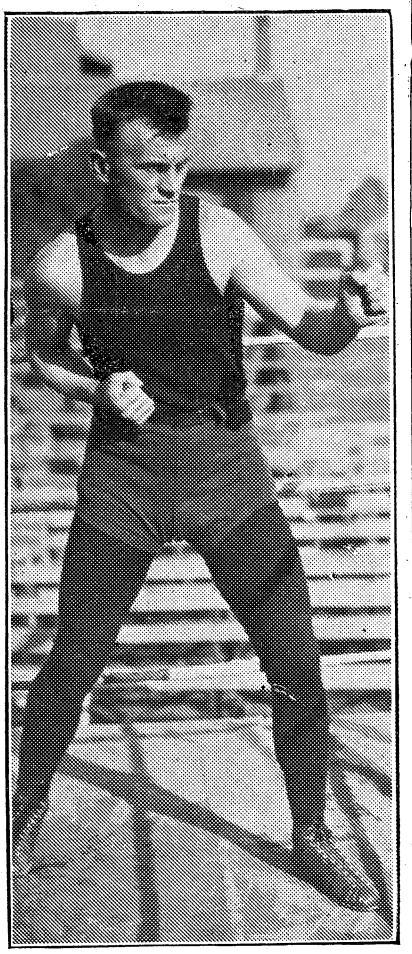
Have you ever stopped to consider, dear reader, that we are in the most wonderful century in the history of the universe? We have had our radio controlled battle ship, radio controlled airplanes, wireless telephones which broadcast the land of an evening with concerts, but doubtless very few know that in the 29th Infantry may be found another radio controlled wonder of the world, to-wit: A radio controlled dancing sergeant. It has been afted many years of experimenting that a successful radio controlled dancer has been perfected. Of course it has also cost a fortune and many sacrifices on the part of Professor James O. Evans. But now that it has been accomplished he says that it is well worth everything.

One of the sacrifices called for was the giving up of a fine position aboard one of the Pacific mail liners, with excellent pay and quarters, as he did not have the time to experiment there that is afforded in the army service. One drawback that he has been unable to overcome is that when indulging in the terpsichorean art the dancers cannot stand the light, consequently, to be perfectly controlled the radio dancers must keep in the dark corners of the pavillion. Professor Evans has promised that if enough interest is shown he will give two demonstrations, one at Fort Benning on the night of the 20th, at the Fort Service Club, and one in Columbus on the night of the 25th at the Columbus Soldier's Club. Students desiring to enroll can make reservations for the two nights. One of the beauties of radio controlled dancing is that the dancer does not bother with keeping time with the music.

Sergeant Ike Freeman was born in Tiflis, Armenia, but having heard of the great and glorious climate of Fresno, California, he imigrated there while quite young, always having had a delicate complexion, and needing fresh water for his delicate skin. His family settled on the banks of the San Joaquin river near Fresno, where there was always a great super-abundance of pure Sierra Nevada mountain snow available.

His motto has always been "Look before you jump." But he jumped before he looked this time and was enlisted in the 29th and out on maneuvers before he thought of the fresh water supply.

While living in Fresno, Calif., Sgt. Freeman promoted the sale of the Moon Kist raisin, the world famous product. He also considers himself on a par with Professor Steinmetz as an electrician. As a book-keeper he has no peer. His greatest claim to fame was the regimental search for the missing soap of the 1st Battalion Headquarters Company.



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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

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**"Gift Sunday."**

Sunday, Dec. 17, will be observed by the members of the Protestant Sunday School as "Gift Sunday" for the purpose of emphasizing the privilege and blessedness of giving, especially at the Christmas season. This will also serve as a means of assisting in helping many poor children of neighboring communties in having a "Merry Christmas." The members of the Sunday School will be asked to bring to the Chapel on Sunday, Dec. 17, all the toys, tree ornaments, fruit, nuts, Christmas cards, dolls, food, etc., they have to offer, to be turned over by the Chaplains to the Salvation Army, Family Welfare Bureau, etc., for the poor of the city. Undoubtedly every child on the Post has numerous toys, books, pictures, cards, and other things, including articles of clothing, all in good condition or easily repaired, that can well be spared. Parents are asked to co-operate with the Chaplains in this and see that the children respond to this appeal. And add some new things.

The child who gives before Christmas will appreciate the more the gifts parents bestow on Christmas.

### AIN'T IT SO ?

Good gold watch in pawn shop,
Diamond pin in hock,
A hundred sundry creditors,
And I haven't got a rock.

Sixteen dollars overdrawn,
Room rent months unpaid,
All because I've fallen,
Fallen for a maid.

Take her out to dinner,
Seven bucks the throw.
They can't arrest a bankrupt,
So let the money go.

## Fort Benning Wins

**OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF CORPS CHAMPIONS RECEIVED.**

The following order from Fourth Corps Area Headquarters has just been received at Fort Benning:

HEADQUARTERS FOURTH CORPS AREA,
Office of the Corps Area Commander
Fort McPherson, Ga.,
December 4, 1922.

Circular No. 141.

**Results of Corps Area boxing and wrestling tournament.** The following results of the Fourth Corps Area boxing and wrestling tournament, held at Fort McPherson, Georgia, November 25, 1922, are announced:

a. The following named men are announced as Corps Area champions in boxing:

**Bantam Weight.**
Private William A. Keenan, 6062273, Co. D, 29th Inf.

**Feather Weight.**
Corporal Alfred DeRose, R-6635230, Co. E, 29th Inf.

**Light Weight.**
Private Brelon E. Grantham, 6338108, Hq. Co., 15th Tank Battalion.

**Welter Weight.**
Private 1st Class Rail Walker, 6334062, Hq. Detachment, 1st Squadron, 6th Cavalry.

**Middle Weight.**
Sergeant Frank Sebukaty, Infantry School Detachment.

**Light Heavy Weight.**
Private Joseph P. Peerey, 6623-906, Service Troop, 6th Cavalry.

**Heavy Weight.**
Sergeant John T. Donnely, 6088-866, Battery C, 83d Field Artillery.

b. The following man is announced as Corps Area champion in wrestling:

**Middle Weight.**
Private D. P. LaPine, 6316556, Headquarters Detachment, 83d Field Artillery.

(353.8-A. O.)

By command of Major General SHANKS:

E. H. DE ARMOND,
Acting Chief of Staff.

Official:
R. B. PARROTT,
Adjutant.

## Gen. Gordon Entertains

**BISHOP FRANCIS J. KEYS GUEST OF HONOR.**

General W. H. Gordon, Commandant of The Infantry School, entertained Bishop Francis J. Keyes, of Savannah, at a buffet luncheon, given at the General's home, on Saturday, Dec. 2nd, at 12:30 p. m. The following guests were present:

Bishop Francis J. Keyes, Father Moylan, Chaplain Lennan, Chaplain Wood, Dr. Rosenthal, General Connor, General Davis, Colonel King, Colonel Graham, Colonel McCaskey, Colonel Nicklin, Colonel Goodale, Colonel Barnes, Major Sullivan, Major Blauvelt, Colonel Kent, Colonel Smith. Major Leonard, Major Rumbough, Mr. Colgate, Colonel Van Dusen, Major O'Leary, Major Sawkins, Lieutenant Billo, Lieutenant Honnen.

## Polo Team Returns

**PLAYERS, THOUGH DOUGHBOYS, MAKE IMPRESSION WITH CAVALRYMEN.**

The details of each game played in the corps polo tournament would take up too much space to be included in our columns, but as an indication of the impression made by the Fort Benning team, the following is quoted from a Chattanooga paper:

"The fastest and most closely contested game of polo ever seen at Fort Oglethorpe was played yesterday afternoon between the Fort Benning and Fort Bragg teams, in which the latter team was victorious only after playing an extra period, the final score being 9-8. In the second period of play Lieut. Douglass sustained a very painful, though not serious injury, which necessitated taking six stitches in his lip, but which did not prevent his playing the remaining seven periods. The fact that the team from Benning comes from a dismounted branch of the service does not necessarily signify that they are not masters of horsemanship and stickwork. Never has there been presented more superby riding and greater accuracy of aim as that exhibited by both the infantrymen and artillerymen, and those who witnessed the game declare that it was quite comparable to international polo.

"The score and line-ups follow:

"Fort Benning—No. 1, Lieut. Douglass, 5goals; No. 2, Capt. McClure, 1; No. 3, Lieut. French, 0; No. 4, Capt. Betts, 2.

"Fort Bragg—No. 1, Lieut. Baker, 5; No. 2, Maj. Rhinehardt, 2; No. 3, Lt. Gross, 2; No. 4, Maj. Batson."

While it is natural that we should want to win, at the same time there is considerable gratification in the fact that our players, handicapped as they were by slower mounts, made such a splendid showing. Next year this station will make a still better record.

## Some Pictures Coming To Benning Theatres

The old superstition about seven years' bad luck resulting from a smashed mirror, has no meaning for Thomas Meighan, "good luck" Paramount star.

In a fight staged recently for his new picture, "If You Believe It, It's So," the star threw a mallet through a mirror of a back bar in a saloon set and smashed the glass to smithereens. The incident made some shudder, but Mr. Meighan regarded it as a sign of good luck.

He also had one of the liveliest fights of his screen career, his opponent being Tom Kennedy, a former boxer and a powerful man. Not only was the scene of the fight divided into three sections, but it was rehearsed several times before being "shot." The men were pretty well winded by the time they had finished.

The scene occurs when Mr. Meighan in the role of Chick Harris defends an old man who is being brutally treated by a bartender. This is only one occasion when the

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## Honor Roll

**FORT BENNING CHILDREN'S SCHOOL FOR NOVEMBER.**

**Attendance.**

Kindergarten — Frances Lussier, Helen Solfinger, Jack Wheeler, Bidwell Moore.

First Grade—James Baxter, Billie Elkins, Billy Floyd, Jessie May Floyd, Elma Guth, Leonard Moore, Billy Muller, Mary Manning, Margaret Musgrove, Marcus O'Neal, Carol Sims, Frieda Wald.

**Second Grade—Maxine Wolf.**

Third Grade—Nona Elkins, Alice Floyd, Buster Walker.

Fourth Grade—Helen Louise Butler, Margaret Gooale, Angela Guth, Thomas Musgrove, James Tripp, Israel Wald.

Fifth Grade — Charles Elliott, Rosabell Elliott, George Goodale, Gertrude Hannah, Stephen Hendricksen, Annie Ruth Holloman, Carroll Mitchell, Nancy Nockolds.

Sixth Grade—Harry Arnold, Charles Braley, Mamie Graham, Lloyd Sebukaty, Samuel Wald.

Seventh Grade—Helen Hendricksen, Ralph Hendricksen, Addie Holleman, Philip Musgrove, Coleman Nockolds, George Quinney.

**Punctuality.**

Fourth Grade—Margaret Goodale, Rosemary Nockolds, James Tripp.

Fifth Grade—George Gooale, Nancy Nockolds, Louise Siebeneichen, Frank Vogt.

Sixth Grade—Harry Arnold, Charles Braley, Lloyd Sebukaty.

Seventh Grade—Helen Hendricksen, Philip Musgrove, Coleman Nockolds, George Quinney.

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theatres as follows:

Colored Theatre .....6:00 p. m.
Post Theatre .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theatre ....7:30 p. m.

**Sunday, Dec. 10th.**

"Siren Calls," 7 reel feature (Dalton).

"My Wife's Relations," 2 reel comedy (Keaton).

**Monday, Dec. 11th.**

"Shattered Idols," 6 reel feature (All Star).

"Rich Cat, Poor Cat," 1 reel comedy.

Fox News.

**Tuesday, Dec. 12th.**

"Penrod," 7 reel feature (Barry).

"His Bitter Half," 1 reel comedy.

**Wednesday, Dec. 13th.**

"Miss Lulu Bett," 5 reel feature (All Star).

"Leatherpushers," Round No. 6, (2 rounds).

**Thursday, Dec. 14th.**

"Don't Write Letters," 5 reel feature (Hughes).

"Fire Fighters," 2 reel comedy (Our Gang).

Fox News.

**Friday, Dec. 15th.**

"Galloping Kid," 5 reel feature (Hoot Gibson).

Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Dec. 16th.**

"Top O' New York," 5 reel feature (All Star).

"Barnyard Cavalier," 2 reel comedy.

## 29th Infantry Notes.

### SERVICE COMPANY.

When the Service Company received a quota of animals to supplement its motor transportation, some of the personnel to attend these animals had to be drawn from the 29th Infantry motor sheds. These men, although expert chauffeurs and mechanics, had little knowledge of animals. So in order to acquaint them with the rudiments of animal husbandry, the following instructions were given them on their first day at the corral:

"Now, men, if you will bear in mind what I have to say, you will have no difficulty in handling these mules. What I want you to particularly remember is this—when I speak of gasoline I mean hay; when I say 'oil' it means oats; when I speak of a puncture it means a mule lost a shoe; a vulcanizer will be our designation for the horseshoer, and water, of course, is water. Now are there any questions you men wish to ask?"

Private Lodderse: "Sir, what if the Lieutenant should speak of an exhaust pipe—what part of a mule is that?"

**The Sergeant Keeps the Step.**

One, Two, Three, Four! The Sergeant keeps the step,
And when he forgets his arithmetic he changes it to Hep!
Oh! 'tis Hep! Hep! Hep! we're all day on our feet
From Reveille in the morning until they blow Retreat.
Oh! 'tis Hep! Hep! Hep!
The Sergeant keeps the step.

### COMPANY "A."

Members of this command wish to congratulate the officials of the Post Theatre in the wonderful management of selling tickets. They sell tickets in such a business-like way; very business-like, one ticket to one man and no more, if you desire to take some of your friends to the theatre you are S. O. L.

It certainly is a pleasure to stand in line for two or three hours (especially in this wonderful weather we are having now), waiting for the box office to open, and then have the ticket seller tell you that you can't have more than one ticket. Their financial condition is so high that they simply refuse to accept cold cash.

For the benefit of those who doubt the above, it is suggested that they attend one of the Sunday's performances. But if you don't wish to be badly disappointed, don't take any of your friends with you.

### COMPANY "B."

We have had the pleasure of welcoming back into our midst the star football player of the First Battalion. After proceeding to Fort McPherson and showing the men of that post what kind of material the First Battalion turns out, "Tiger Romplowskie" has returned to send the Tanks to their happy hunting ground.

The men in this Company sure love those things called Demonstrations from the remarks that are passed from different ones when they get orders to fall out with full field less pack.

While in the City of Columbus, Ga., the other day I happened to overhear two men in conversation, and the main topic was a fellow called Robillard. After hearing a good compliment I am forced to pass it on. Their conversation was something like this:

Mack: "Have you seen anything of Corporal Robillard?"

Ike: "No. What kind of a fellow is he?"

Mack: "Oh, rather good looking; fair complexion, about my height, and has a Roman nose."

Ike: "Well, Mack, you know that no such nose ever turns up."

### COMPANY "C."

The men are all expecting an earthquake or some other serious accident for there hasn't been a fatigue detail for two days.

Pvts. Alonzo, Parmigiani and Swall returned from Ft. McPherson Sunday, and report a good time.

We are all wondering why Pvt. Harold Gross likes to do K. P. every Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

"Speed Wagon" Akin never can hear first call for Reveille, but when it comes to Chow call, "Nuff said."

Private Sanderson wants to know why woolen gloves are issued in the Army. Boy, page the Q. M.

Private Budzisz, the shoe-maker, would be a good barber if he would stay away from the fish camp.

Private Alonzo has been promoted from Mechanic to permanent K. P. He's specialized in manicuring pots and pans.

Private Findley left Sunday for Panama. He carries with him the best wishes of the entire Company.

Sergeant Egizie motored to town in his Green Oakland last week before he got near the traffic cop, the cop yelled out: "Get that bale of hay out of the street, there's an automobile behind you."

### COMPANY "E."

Well, the young fellow is back from vacation. First Sgt. Jones says he had a very enjoyable time while in Florida on his furlough, and he sure looks as if he had. We are sure glad to have him back with us again. It seems like old times again. But I'll bet he had rather he was at Palm Beach chasing flappers. How about it, Richard?

### COMPANY "G."

The Scouting and Patrolling Section put on various demonstrations during this past week for the refresher class of the Infantry School consisting of Generals Connor and Davis and Colonel King. These officers stated that the work was very well performed and very realistic. They also commended several men on their individual performance. Commendation coming from these officers means quite a good deal. This section intends to continue the good work and make a name for itself this year.

Heard in the chow line, one Buck to another:

"Say, did you deposit any money?"

"Did I deposit? Why, man, that Co. Commander could talk me out of my shoes. I intended to deposit five dollars and before I got out of the orderly room I had twenty-five with the Quartermaster."

Wonder why Sgt. Hallisey has been wearing a big smile and going to town every night for the last few days?

A certain corporal in this company seems to think that squirrel hunting is a part of his duties. We fail to find a paragraph in the I. D. R. that covers squirrel hunting. What page is it on, Tom?

Every man in the company has been wearing a big broad smile since Lt. Sims resumed command of the company.

We have a certain cook in the company who has earned himself the name of "Flap-Jack," by eating 24 flap-jacks for breakfast. It couldn't have been Schwab?

### COMPANY "H."

It is noticed that all of the big eaters of Company "H" are getting out of the Mess Hall pretty early nowadays. We believe they are getting ready for that big Christmas dinner they are expecting.

Pvts. Hudson and Frost of "H" Co., are back with us again after a brief stay in "Hotel Teachout."

The Second Platoon of "H" Company was commended for their good work in the demonstration at the "Water Tanks." The Officers were well pleased with the work done by the men.

We wish all the men being discharged the best of luck when they get back into civilian life.

Co. H received a commendation from Major Finley, of the Second Section, Department of Military Art, and also one from Colonel Goodale on the good work done in the Machine Gun Barrage on November 18. That's the kind of paper "H" Company is going to use for wrapping up our silver cups and ribbons.

The football players of "H" Co., who are on the Second Battalion team, are determined to win the championship of the Post. They are putting all they've got into the practice.

Pvt. Skelley, of "H" Co., has returned to the company after having been on furlough to his home in New York. We'd all like to have been with him.

The way "H" Company's dining room orderly cut his hand the other day, it looks as though he didn't have anything else to serve for bread.

The Company Commander of "H" Co., has stated that the Thanksgiving dinner won't be in it with the Christmas Feast we are going to have.


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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 10.)

## THE MEUSE-ARGONNE OFFENSIVE

Coming out of the St. Mihiel offensive, after having served first as divisional engineers and later as corps engineers following the relief of the 5th Division by the 78th Division, the 7th Engineers arrived at Cornieville on September 29th in a very tired condition.

The work of re-equipping and cleaning up was immediately commenced, and pushed with vigor, for it was only a matter of days before the 5th Division would be called upon to operate in the second great American attack, the Meuse-Argonne offensive, which had started on September 26th, and which was continuing with undiminished violence.

About midnight, October 3rd, orders were reecived to march the next morning to Void, thence, via motor bus to destination, which proved to be Blercourt, which was reached at 4 A. M., October 5th, after 7 hours rest, orders were received to march at once to Esnes.

On October 5th Regimental Headquarters was established at Esnes, a typical battle-line town whose few remaining crumbling, ghastly walls in a silent appeal, told the tale of what had happened there before.

From time to time, a few shells came over, and a great consternation was caused when a few landed in the camp of the 808th Engineers (colored). Several Frenchmen were also wounded. On the morning of the 7th a big shell came within a few yards of scoring a direct hit on the headquarters' rolling kitchen, and part of the headquarters staff; two windows in Colonel Paules' car were struck by a fragment which landed in the seat of the chauffer, Corporal Dudley, scarcely a minute after he had vacated it.

On the 7th the Regimental P. C. was moved up four kilometers to the Zouave P. C. on the immortal Hill 304, from which could be seen the memorable Le Mort Homme. This was hallowed ground, the altar of France, where France had sacrified her very best, and not in vain. Here and there were scattered graves of poilus. The innumerable shell craters, the broken equipment and German boots sticking up from the ground gave silent evidence of the frightful onslaughts of 1914 and 1916. The hill commanded a view of the very fields on which the Crown Prince had lost 700,000 men. The romantic poppies, according to tradition, the first wild flowers to spring from a grave, were there in profusion and emphasized the horror of it all.

The regiment was again to act as corps engineers, and to do road work until the division entered the line, which was October 13th. Hence the 1st Battalion commenced work on the Esnes-Malancourt road and the Second Battalion commenced work on the Esnes-Bethincourt road.

On the night of October 5th-6th, the Fifth Division was designated by the 1st Army Field Order No. 38 as Third Army Reserve and took position in the Bois de Hesse. On October 11th and 12th, the 5th Division relieved the 80th Division, the 7th Engineers were released from their work as corps engineers and proceeded to join the division, and plans were made for the attack of October 14th. The 5th Division was to attack in the direction of the Grand Carre Farm in conjunction with the 42nd Division from Sommerance. The jumping-off line was placed just south of the Romagne-Cunel road, but it was discovered during the night of the 13th and 14th that the advance line occupied was along the Trenches de Mamelle which was some distance south of the line designated.

The 10th Infantry Brigade attacked on the morning of October 14th at 8:30. The first Battalion of the 7th Engineers (less Company C) accompanied the 10th Brigade in the attack, its mission being to establish liaison between the 5th Division and the 32nd Division as well as to cover the left flank of the 5th Division.

The 2nd Battalion had, the day before, constructed foot bridges, and its mission was to accompany the infantry assault battalions and throw foot bridges across the Andon stream over which the infantry was to pass, and continue the attack.

At 8:33, three minutes after going over, the enemy laid down an effective barrage which produced losses in our troops. However, the advance progressed until the slopes north of the Romagne-Cunel road, Hills 260 and 271, were reached, when heavy machine gun fire was received from the Bois-de-Rappes, Bois-de-Pultiere, Romagne, and the direction of Bantheville, which stopped the attack before it reached the valley of the Andon.

Hence the footbridges were abandoned and Companies "D," "E" and "F" fought shoulder to shoulder with the infantry. For conspicious bravery in action that day, Sergeant Henry B. Talbot of Company "F" was commissioned.

That night, units of the Second Battalion, commanded by Major W. M. Hoge, did excellent work in forcing the boches out of the Romange and enabling the right flank of the 32nd Division to advance.

The ground now used as the Meuse-Argonne Cemetery is a part of that taken by the First Battalion of the 7th Engineers. For gallantry in action, Sergeants Oliver J. Emmons and Melcher P. Keller of Company "A" were commissioned.

On October 15th this battalion was relieved, after heavy losses, and it proceeded to Nantillois, joining the divisional reserve.

For the next few days the regiment was engaged in wiring in strong points and preparing resistance lines for the infantry. Every night details were sent up to do this work, the Engineer Train trucks were working during the day, bringing engineer material from the rear to the forward dump and at night carrying details and men to the front often to within 300 yards of the extreme front line.

On the day following the capture of the Romage, Lieutenant Murphy discovered hay, a very badly needed article, in a building in Romagne, so trucks were sent up for it. The mission was unsuccessful, however, for they were driven out by boche one-pounders about 900 yards away.

On the 22nd the division was relieved by the 90th Division and the 7th Engineers proceeded to Esnes and Malancourt, where they remained until the 26th, again being called upon to give up their brief period of rest to road work, under orders from corps headquarters.

It was immediately seen that trucks were needed to haul road material, so steps were taken to get them. Two French trucks, empty, were noted in Esnes, hence they were captured ( despite the protests of the drivers who insisted they had to report to their company commanders. Two French speaking Corporals from Company "A" were assigned to ride with these trucks and at night to sleep with the drivers and prevent them from going to their companies. For four days these trucks made the tour from Esnes-Malancourt-Bethincourt and back to Esnes with loads of rocks for the roads. Finally the suspense became too great for the Frenchmen, who had visions of the guard house. Consequently they started for Souilly with trucks, corporals and all. The last seen of them their visions were coming true—they were being sent to the guard house.

### COMPANY "A."

On October 14th Company "A" drew extra bandoliers and started for its position, which was to be the left wing of the divisional infantry front line. On this day the company suffered more losses than on any day while on the front. Just outside of Nantillois a shell fell in the column between the first and second platoons, wounding Sergeant George Sanborn, Corporal John J. Walters, Privates Jesse Hart, Lloyd Matheny, W. Avala, Earl Hardin, Raymond Hurless and Marcus Smith. The detail which was guarding the engineer dump suffered total casualties with the exception of Corporal Raboin, who was in charge. Privates Leo J. Snyder and Alphonse Houde were severely wounded and Frank L. Hayden was badly shell shocked.

On the way to the front, the valley just adjacent to Madeleine Ferme was being so heavily gassed that for half a kilometer the atmosphere was blue. Through this the company passed with masks on, and escaped with but a single casualty, Harry Starr. At the crest of the next hill, while passing through heavy artillery and machine gun fire, Lieut. Mercer was wounded in the ankle by a machine gun bullet, leaving only two officers to carry on with the company. Beyond this valley the company crossed the boche line of two days before, and entered the immediate zone of fire. Here the company was in plain view of the boches who had constructed a line of resistance about a kilometer and a half ahead and they immediately placed such a barrage on the flat which the company was crossing that it seemed impossible to get over it. It was while crossing this that Eino Weno, who had joined the regiment a short time before, having been wounded with the 1st Engineers, was killed by a shell.

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THE NEWS would have to enlarge if every member of the garrison, especially the ladies, asked business people from whom purchases are being contemplated, "Do you advertise in our Fort paper"? Still supposing that the ladies had "nerve" enough to announce the intention of going elsewhere if the merchant did not advertise in the garrison paper there would be a sudden influx of letters into the A. & R. Office demanding space in goodly amounts.

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FOOTBALL is about over and the Infantry School ended its season by decisively defeating Mercer University. The school team was in better shape than during the entire season, and, as was the case last year, could have defeated most of the Southern colleges and universities last Saturday. Now the basketball season is approaching and the prospects for some fast games are good. The new gymnasium will in all probability be completed in time for the greater part of the schedule to be played in the building and this in itself should prove an attractive feature of the schedule. Last season the basketball team was handicapped by having only a limited amount of floor space for play. Part of this space was practically dead due to the low gallery in the old gymnasium. With plenty of space and an unlimited overhead throw this season should be a decided improvement over last.

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POLO at Fort Benning has recently received an impetus due to several facts. For one thing, the ladies have gotten behind the social end of the game and are serving tea every Sunday to visitors at the games. In addition to this the ladies have interested themselves in the matter of furnishing the new polo club house and already a substantial sum has been raised toward this end. The Fort Benning team participating in the polo tournament at Fort Oglethorpe gave the game another boost locally. Polo players at this station are handicapped by having only inferior horses, however. This was demonstrated in the tournament at Fort Oglethorpe. The 6th Cavalry, which regiment is stationed there, had the better horses and won their games on account of this. Such a statement is not meant as a reflection on the skill of the 6th Cavalry players but rather as a compliment to our players who had the skill but not the horses. All of our players played a splendid game and had they been better mounted the result would have been different.

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THE THREE THEATRES on the Post are better equipped to furnish entertainment to the personnel of the garrison than ever before. The type of pictures being received are better and the condition of the films —an important factor in motion pictures—is better. Each theatre has an orchestra and when the new music has arrived this feature of the entertainment alone will be worth the price of admission. The increasing attendance is helping the station in a financial way and with plans being laid toward the opening of the new theatre in the Spring it appears that when the new theatre is opened it will be as good as any theatre in this section of the country from the standpoint of amusement facilities.

## SOME PICTURES COMING TO FORT THEATRES

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star has had to battle big men and experts. In "Cappy Ricks" he was pitted against Ivan Linow, a wrestler, in a thriller mixup. Mr. Meighan is himself a powerful man and a clever boxer and wrestler. While he had his hands full in both these combats, he was able to make a fine showing.

"If You Believe It, It's So" is a powerful story of underworld life and tells of the reformation of a city crook who goes to the country and finds love in a new environment.

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There's a bit of everything for everybody in "The Top of New York," the May McAvoy feature.

There is wonderful "kid" appeal in the huge toy shop with its thousands of toys and the appearance of May McAvoy as an animated doll, to the delight of the Christmas shoppers.

There are thrills in the scenes where the heroine is saved from committing suicide—and a rousing fight between Edward Cecil and Walter McGrail.

There is comedy relief by the Irish characters impersonated by Carrie Clark Ward and Arthur Hoyt.

There's real pathos and drama revolving about the Christmas rush in the toy department and the home experiences of the little sales girl who makes such a plucky fight for the happiness of her crippled brother.

"The Top of New York" is an entertaining story which splendidly fits the winning human appeal of May McAvoy, whom playgoers remember for her gripping work as "Grizel" in "Sentimental Tommy." The star does a convincing bit of work and she is supported by an excellent cast, including Walter McGrail, Madame Marstini, Charles Bennett, Edward Cecil, Pat Moore, Carrie Clark Ward, Arthur Hoyt, Mary Jane Irving.

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All the impishness of American boyhood jumps to the screen in "Penrod." Produced by Marshall Neilan from Booth Tarkington's inimitable stories the picture makes no pretense of "high brow" study; but offers an ebulliency of American boyhood for sheer entertainment.

Just how many scrapes an enterprising American youth can get into is apparently the chief object Penrod starts out to demonstrate. One of the most humorous scenes shows how he makes his bow in amateur theatricals when Mrs. Laura Rewbush produces her own childbrain, "The Children's Pageant of the Table Round."

Unlike modern feminity, Penrod carries a strict aversion to bare legs, especially when his upper trunks are a recognizable remnant from Dad's last winter red flannel underwear. So Penrod scurries into the dressing room of the leading lady and jumps into a borrowed pair of underwear that is about four sizes too large.

Just about the time that Queen Guinevere of the Table Round is making her most beautiful speech Penrod's upholstery begins to slip and descend. The ridicule of Maurice Levy, a rival for the hand of his lady fair, complicates matters and a general fight ensues, during which the curtain is rung down.

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# Social Notes

Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.
Post Phone 192.

On Monday, December 11, 1922, at 3:00 p. m., at the Officer's Hop Room there will be a lecture of interest by Lieut. I. W. Minger, to which all members of the Post residing in Columbus and Fort Benning are invited. The ladies are included in this invitation.

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**NOTICE, ARMY BRIDGE CLUB!**

The Christmas party of the Army Bridge Club will be held on Saturday evening, December 16th, at 8:00 o'clock at the Officer's Hop Room, opposite Post Headquarters at Fort Benning.

Remember, this is going to be a delightful affair planned especially for the husbands of club members; in fact, a "get together" affair. So let's all come and bring our husbands and house guests.

Please make reservations for this party by securing tickets from the secretary.

MRS. FRED WALKER,
Sec. and Treas.

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Last week Lieut. and Mrs. Eggleston W. Peach entertained a number of officers and ladies of the Post at bridge.

The ladies' prize, an attractive pot of narcissus bulbs, was won by Mrs. J. W Elkins, and the gentlemen's prize, a set of ash trays, was won by Major Fred Walker.

Among those present were Major and Mrs. Fred Walker, Captain Gill, Chaplain and Mrs. Gray, Capt. and Mrs. Dana H. Allen, Major and Mrs. Thomas L. Smith, Mrs. Frank Green and her mother, Mrs. Eberhardt, Lieut. and Mrs. J. W. Elkins.

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The annual Christmas celebration for the children of the Post will be held Saturday, December 23rd, at 2:30 p. m., at Service Club No. 1. The celebration will include a large Christmas tree, candies and presents. In order to enable the committee in charge of the fair to get presents for all the children on the Post their names should be sent to Chaplain Lennan. Funds to meet the expenses should be sent to Chaplain Gray. A separate Christmas tree is being arranged for the colored children of the Post.

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The Army Bridge Club of Columbus met last Thursday afternoon at the Muscogee Club. The hostesses were Mrs. Ted H. Cawthorne, Mrs. William H. Morse and Mrs. E. G. Chapman.

The prizes were won by Mrs. Spicer, Mrs. Leileman, and Mrs. Ripplетoe.

After the game a salad course and coffee were served. About seventy ladies were present.

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On last Thursday night the Kiwanis Club entertained the officers of the National Guard and Reserve Officer's classes at Biglerville Hall.

The program, which was musical, was entitled "A Night in Dixieland," and was a decided success throughout. The Southern idea was carried out in the decorations, which consisted, partly, of stalks of sugar cane, augmented by foliage from Southern trees.

Instrumental music was furnished by the 24th Infantry band, and the Community Singers (colored) of Columbus sang a number of old Southern melodies which received encore after encore.

In addition to the regular dinner, "possum and taters" were added to the menu.

The evening was a decided success—so decided, in fact, that Dr. Rosenthal had to adjourn the party after midnight.

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On last Wednesday morning the Chapel Guild of Fort Benning held a successful and interesting meeting. At this meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Peyton, wife of Colonel E. G. Peyton.

Vice-President—Mrs. Kent, wife of Colonel W. A. Kent.

Sec'y-Treas.—Mrs. Frank Green.

The folowing executive committee was appointed: Mrs. Woodson Hocker, chairman; Mrs. B. P. Cooper, Mrs. L. B. Rock. Suggestions for future work were made by Mrs. Goodale and Chaplains Wood and Gray. The report of the secretary-treasurer for the past year was made by Mrs. Green.

At the meeting a Christmas tree committee was appointed. The next meeting will be held at 10:30 a. m., at the Protestant Chapel, on Monday, December 18th.

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The meetings of the Dramatic Club seem to become more interesting and the members more enthusiastic than was expected when the club was organized. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Lambert contributed two very beautiful interpretations. Mrs. Peyton also contributed a dramatic composition by M. P. Willis. Mrs. Price gave "The Revenge," by Tennyson. The program was very successful.

Mrs. Stewart, who was in charge of the program of a two-act sketch, was ill with a cold so had arranged the above program instead. All visitors are welcome to attend the meetings. The next program will be Dec. 19th, at the Hop room.

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Just prior to General Malone's departure, Major and Mrs. Leroy Watson entertained at a hop dinner. The invited guests were:

General and Mrs. Malone, Colonel and Mrs. Barnes, Colonel and Mrs. Delaplane.

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Major and Mrs. A. E. Sawkins entertained six guests at a seven course dinner at their home at Fort Benning in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Lagorio. Capt. Lagorio has just been assigned to the Iowa State University, Iowa City, Ia.

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On Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 13th, Mrs. Hayward Hansel and Mrs. Woodson Hocker will entertain at bridge at the Officer's Mess Club.

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Mrs. C. C. Chandler, wife of Capt. Chandler, entertained the 24th Infantry Bridge Club on Tuesday afternoon. Pink carnations, green foliage and pink tapers in silver candlesticks were the decorations in her attractive apartment. There were three tables of players and eight tea guests. Tea and sandwiches were served.

Mrs. Moore, mother of Capt. J. H. Moore, won the cut prize, a candy corsage in a miniature hat box.

Mrs. Buracher won first prize, an incense burner.

Mrs. McNair won second prize, a sealing wax set.

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On Wednesday evening Miss Peggy Kent, attractive daughter of Colonel Kent, entertained at a lovely hop supper in honor of Miss Mildred Cresap, of Elizabethtown, Ky., and Miss Gladys Dasher, of Albany, Ga. The guests arrived at the party in costume. The invited guests were:

Misses Kathleen Graham, Marian Hannah, Mechling, Gertrude Malone, Gladys Dasher, Mildred Cresap.

Capt. Patrick, Capt. Ready, Lt. Sanderson, Lt. McCarthy, Lt. Gannon, Lt. Adams, Lt. Hendley, Lt. Prizer.

After supper the party enjoyed a wonderful evening at the costume party.

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On Wednesday evening Lieut. and Mrs. Frank Lawrence, Jr., entertained at a lovely Thanksgiving dinner. Autumn leaves and foliage blended in beautifully with the Thanksgiving spirit. The guests arrived in costume and after dinner all enjoyed a delightful evening at the costume party. Those present were:

Major and Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Lewis, Capt. Houston, Lieut. and Mrs. Frank McCoy, Miss Glover, Lieut. and Mrs. Lawrence.

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Major and Mrs. LeRoy Watson will entertain at dinner Sunday evening, Dec. 10th. The invited guests are:

General Gordon, General Davis, General Connor, Colonel King, Colonel and Mrs. Peyton, Major and Mrs. Elliott.

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## Non-Commissioned Officers May Not Loose Grade

### SENATE TAKES UP BILL TO STOP DEMOTION.

One of the Service papers advises: "As anticipated, consideration of the bill (S. 4037 and H. R. 12819) to prevent the reduction of non-commissioned officers of the Army, has been taken up first by the Senate Committee on Military Affairs. It was considered informally at a meeting on Nov. 24, but no action was taken, owing to the lack of a quorum. At the next meeting, which will be held in a few days, a representative of the War Department will explain some of the details of the measure.

"Chairman Wadsworth states frankly that he is in favor of reporting out the bill at the earliest possible date. He has given considerable study to it and it develops that he favored an increase in the dpercentage of non-commissioned officers, when the reduction of the Army was agreed to in the joint Senate and House Conference Committee. There would be no necessity for passing the bill now if Senator Wadsworth's advice had been taken in the committee. The proposed reduction is due to the opposition of the House conferees to an oincrease in the percentage.

" 'The present grade percentage of enlisted men as prescribed by the National Defense Act,' said Chairman Wadsworth, 'not only will do a great injustice to a number of worthy non-commissioned officers with splendid war service, but it does not comply with the requirements of the Regular Army. With the reduction in the strength of the Regular Army to 125,000, there has been no change in its functions, and as many non-commissioned off cers are needed in the training program as before the reduction, I am hoping that action can be secured before the Secretary puts the reduction into effect.'

"Under the proposed bill, hereafter the grade percentages of the total authorized number of enlisted men shall not exceed 0.79 per centum for first grade, 2.1 per centum for second, 3.4 per centum for third, 9.2 per centum for fourth, 9.5 per centum for fifth, and 25 per centum for sixth grade.

"When the bill comes up before either committee, an array of witnesses will be sent up from the War Department. The need of non-commissioned officers will be presented from every point of view. Maj. Gen. George C. Rickards, Chief of the Militia Bureau, will endeavor to impress upon the committee the importance of more non-commissioned officers for the National Guard. General Rickards is very much interested and his attitude on the bill, it is believed, will have an important effect upon Congress.

"Col. W. H. Waldron, Inf., who prepared the tables of organization, will explain on what theory the percentages inl grades were fixed and why with a reduction in the enlisted strength of the Regular Army, there should be an increase in the proportion of non-commissioned officers.

"Col. F. M. Rumbold and Lieut. Col. H. C. Dickinson, on duty with the General Staff as Reserve officers, will endeavor to impress upon the committee the importance of non-commissioned officers in the training activities of the Regular Army. Lieut. Col. S. R. Gleaves will explain the value of non-commissioned officers to the R. O. T. C. Lieut. Col. P. T. Hayne, Fin. Dept., will give testimony upon the effect of the bill on the cost of maintaining the Army."

## Medical Department Notes

1st Lieut. Maude Bowman, Army Nurse Corps, has returned from a thirty days leave of absence, which was enjoyably spent visiting in the State of Pennsylvania.

Captain A. A. Roby, M. A. C., is confined to the hospital. We hope for the early recovery of our Detachment Commander as he is greatly missed.

Sergeants J. I. Cook and V. E. Thompson have returned from a fifteen (15) day furlough, which was spent at their respective homes.

The enlisted personnel of the Medical Detachment, this station, is below strength. Any man who might be interested in this branch of the service should see the Detachment Commander. The opportunity in this particular branch of the service is exceptionally good.

Misses Pauline Curry, Kathryn and Marjorie Zetler, Noma and Anna Ogletree, Sergeants Gilbert and Perffer, 83rd Field Artillery, were the guests of Sergeant Mount on Thanksgiving Day. The fair visitors from the city greatly enhanced the Mess Hall for our dinner. We hope more of the girls will come for Christmas.

Second Lieutenants Isabell Mulick an Dorothy Cleveland, Army Nurse Corps, are sick in the hospital.

Captain P. P. Green, M. C., and family have returned after a sixty (60) day leave of absence spent in Thomasville, N. C., and Richmond, Va.

The Non-Commissioned Officers Club held their regular weekly meeting Monday night, December 4, 1922. Nearly all the members were present an a good deal of business was transacted. The arrangements are practically complete for the monthly dance to be held December 12, 1922. All married Non-Commissioned Officers of the Post and their families are cordially invited to attend. Transportation will be furnished.

The Medical Department Bridge Club met at the home of Captain and Mrs. Frank T. Chamberlin on Tuesday evening, December 5th. After the games a delicious salad course with coffee was served. Prizes were won by Mrs. Haywood Hansell, Colonel Orville Brown and Captain Chamberlin.

## Finance Detachment Notes

Private Alvah Cliett, of this Detachment, was honorably discharged the service per expiration term of service on December 4th, and left yesterday for his home in Los Angeles, California. Alvah will be missed by all members of this detachment and the good will of all follows him wherever he may go.

Zabe Ayers (the cashier) is spending a twenty days furlough among friends and relatives in and around Cornelia, Georgia.

It was rumored in the barracks last Sunday that Sergeant Bennett and Corporal Kilpatrick were seen at the "Knock 'em down and drag 'em out" ball last Saturday night.

The Finance Department

The Finance Detachment extends to Private Tillerson its deepest sympathy in the recent death of his grandmother.

Corporal Short **(Chairman of the dance committee)** was one of the shining lights at the dance held at the Service Club in Columbus last Tuesday evening. We always knew Short belonged in society.

If any organization is desirous of a Morning Report Clerk just call on Sergeant Dobbie—he is the best we have ever seen (and we have seen them all)—in fact he admits he is good. Sometimes he renders the report once a week and sometimes not at all. But he gets there just the same.

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### STUDY'N' HOW TER KEEP FRUM GITTIN' SHOOK DOWN.

When de win' blows hard an' de lim's all lurch
De bird is a bird whar kin stick ter de perch,
An' in dese times when we all gits jolts,
We's doin' mighty well jes' holdin' our holts,
Still ev'ybody wants fer ter clim' up de tree,
An' see fer deyselves what de "Tip-tops" see,
But time dat we reach ter de very fus' roun',
We's stuy'n' how ter keep frum gittin' shook down.
Gittin' shook down,
Gittin' shook down,
From de top o' de tree right plum' ter de groun',
We's study'n' how to keep frum
Gittin'
Shook
Down.

In de ways we clim's an' de ways we clings
We sho is de kin o' de fo'-laig things,
An' gittin' ter groun', we jes' soon tread
On dis hyer one's ne'k er dat ar one's head;
An' pullin' folks' laigs, an' ridin' folks' backs,
Doh jumpin' an' joltin', we sticks ter de tracks,
But lookin' fer licks we don' sleep soun',
We's study'n' how ter keep frum gittin' shook down.
Gittin' shook down,
Gittin' shook down,
Frum de top o' de tree right plum' ter de groun',
We's study'n' how ter keep frum
Gittin'
Shook
Down.

The poem above was found in a little volume of negro dialect poems written by Benjamin Batchelder Valentine. It is so applicable to present conditions in the Service that it is thought it would be generally enjoyed.—Army & Navy Journal.

### IN THE MUSEUM.

—Sneagle.
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—Sneither, snostrich.

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## History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 11.)

The same shell also wounded Sergeant John C. Burgin in the leg. Sergeant Burgin continued to lead the platoon until about a hundred yards further on he was hit by a machine gun bullet. He continued with the platoon to the objective, from where he was carried back by Wm. G. Smith and Robert McBurnie, assisted by two German prisoners. On crossing the hill back of the position, a shell fell beside the party, killing Smith and the two Germans and wounding McBurnie severely. A fragment of the shell struck Sergeant Burgin, giving him his third wound that morning. He died from wounds on December 2nd.

The position here skirted the village of Romagne and the Bois de Romagne, situated just north of the village. This was full of machine-gun nests, which kept up a continuous flanking fire along the front. Sergeant Emmons took part of the platoon into the woods and in a few hours had penetrated the woods and cleaned up five machine gun nests which netted twenty prisoners. It was in this phase of the action that Sergeant Dittbrenner was severely wounded and fell in a very exposed position, from which he was brought back by Willis F. Reed. The party which captured the most prisoners was Sergeant Campbell, Corporal Shearer, Sergeant Rice, and Private Buchert, who started back with fifteen but shot two who made a break for their own lines. Corporal David Oliphant with Privates Dixon Lunsford, Shelby Anderson, John Quirk, Alvin Eaton, George Croft and Walter Kosurny took nine prisoners out of the station in the village of Romagne. It was for their services at this place that Sergeant Campbell and Corporal Oliphant were cited and afterwards decorated with the Croix de Guerre and the D. S. C. Croft and Quirk were wounded here and sent to the hospital and afterwards home.

The company maintained its position here until the following day, when with Company "B" it was relieved and during the next week duties were resumed as engineers, wiring in strong points, and repairing advance line of resistance for the infantry. The conditions under which the company worked at this time were very trying. Night after night wire was carried through woods and mud and strung under shell fire. It was during the construction of this line of resistance that Corporal Dixon was killed while arranging some Ribard wire for stringing ahead of the outposts. A shell fire fell fairly in his lap and wounded him so severely that he died before reaching the dressing station. Private St. John and Private Kinne were gassed by the same shell. After completing this work the company was relieved with the division.

**COMPANY "B."**

On October 13th, when Company "B" marched through Mountfaucon toward Nantillois, a shell struck in the midst of the fourth platoon and resulted in twenty-six casualies. Seven men were killed outright, and five later died of wounds. Arriving at Nantillois, which was being heavily shelled, the company bivouacked on the reverse bank of a railroad siding at the northern edge of town. On October 14th, the company moved up into the line to act as infantry, its mission being, with Company "A" to cover the left flank of the Third Battalion of the 6th Infantry in its advance between Romagne and Cunel. The company remained in position on the left flank of the division, under heavy shelling and machine gun fire, on the ridge above the Cunel-Romagne road, for twenty-eight hours, when it was relieved at 1:15 p. m., on October 15th, 1918, and returned to camp at Nantillois, to act as part of the division reserve.

On the night of October 17th, the company assisted in laying out and wiring in a resistance position on the hill south of the Romagne-Cunel road. On the nights of October 18th and 19th part of Company "B" assisted in wiring in the outpost positions north of the Cunel-Romagne road, along the south edge of the Bois-de-Rappes, about day-break, October 20th, 1st Lieut. Morgan B. McDermott, commanding the company, fell, mortally wounded by a machine gun bullet, and died in hospital two days later. For the energy and fearless courage displayed by Lieut. McDermott, he was awarded the D. S. C.

Captain R. W. Wenzell, Battalion Adjutant, succeeded Lieut. McDermott to the command of Company "B."

Between the 17th and 21st of October, small detachments from the company were engaged in repairing roads between Nantillois and Septsarges, Septsarges and Mountfaucon, and Natillois and Ciergs, all continuously under fire.

(Continued Next Week.)

**"SHATTERED IDOLS" IS A SPECTACULAR PRODUCTION**

Besides being one of the most spectacular photoplay productions of the entire year, "Shattered Idols," formerly titled "A Bride of the Gods," is one of the most lavishly produced all-star pictures presented on the American screen, and will be the bill for the Post theatres Monday.

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Winter am comin',
Comin' fas',
But I got yams
'Nuff to las'.
Wolf, why yo' howlin'
Roun' my do'?
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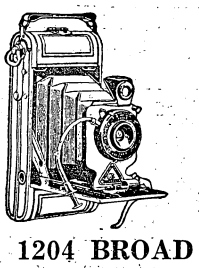
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# 29th Infantry News Notes

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Tough luck to have our plans disturbed by being detailed on fire guard duty so soon after pay day, but that won't prevent the Company from having some **hot** times before the end of the week.

If, at the present time, you were to ask Private Leonardi his opinion of the "Good Samaritan," he would be ready to agree with you that that character is all bunk. He says it was a baseball bat, and it must have been to have caused six stitches worth of damage. Yeah, he'll argue about that "love your neighbor" stuff but when he takes off his hat, there ain't no argument.

Wonder what kind of special duty jobs are offered at the well known "Hotel De Teachout" this month. Privates Franks, Dahlgren and Sterling have been sent over there for a short stay, and I guess it's up to them to find out. They might fill the positiond of bell boy, porter, and clerk, respectively.

Most everybody came across this pay day with deposits and even some excuses, but the total deposits reached the sum of $280.00. Never was so much deposited in all the history of the Company, in fact, previous months seldom yielded Quartermaster Deposits over $50.00 total. This splendid showing ought to make anyone sit up and take notice, but at the same time we've got to keep up with the times. Deposits are on the rise thruout the 29th Infantry and 2nd Bn. Hq. Co. is going to keep abreast of the Regimental

**"DON'T WRITE LETTERS" BE SHOWN AT BENNING THEATRES NEXT THURSDAY**

One of the most wholesome and entertaining pictures of the current season is "Don't Write Letters."

Mr. Goreth Hughes plays the part of Bobby Jenks, a clerk at the gents' socks counter of the 14th Street Emporium. Bobby quits his job to enlist when the war comes, and is soon sent to France. Much to his chagrin he is assigned the job of cook when his division arrives there.

In the pocket of the very large blouse that a sergeant tosses to him, Bobby finds a letter which is written by Anna May Jackson, from Brooklyn. Anna hopes that the blouse will keep her "big unknown hero" warm "in the trenches." Of course she doesn't suspect that Bobby never sees actual fighting, yet in the many letters that he writes her he tells of narrow escapes he has had, and particularly, how terrible the bosches are. Bobby's imagination supplies whatever he has lacked in actual experience.

When Bobby returns home he realizes the enormity of his falsehoods, and decides to visit Anna as a friend of Bobby Jenks who has, according to the story he invents, been killed in the war. How Bobby's love for Anna grows, and how the authorship of the letters is finally revealed, forms the basis of one of the most wholesome and charming comedies of ordinary folks that has been shown this season.

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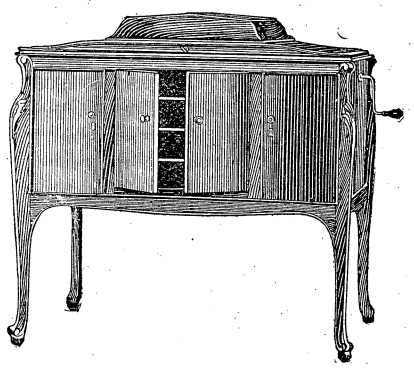

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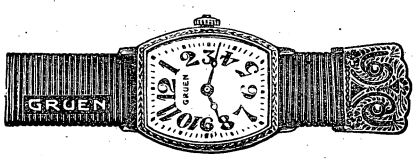


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# National Guard and Reserve Officers Class

(By JAY GEE BEE.)

In rambling around through the National Guard and Reserve Officer's area, one is reminded of one of those delightful places that sprung up in France with the signing of the armistice. We mean the casual camp.

A careful observer will be able to find about any shoulder insignia that he may be looking for on the blouses of some member of this class. They are all there, or nearly all, at any rate. There is the big 1, for the First, the YD, the 27th, the Keystone of the 28th, the Hour Glass, Arrow, the Buckeye, 44th, Lightning, Pine Tree, Liberty Statue, and a great many others that the writer can not think of at this time, and for which he will probably be called to account. In fact there are very few divisions that took part in the recent party that are not represented. We even have an old member of G. H. Q., to round out the gang and keep us at work. There are a great many arguments as to whom should get the credit for winning the war, with honors even at this writing and very few casulties.

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I will touch on that subject a little later.

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At the present time, the members of the rifle class are enjoying sundry chuckles at the unfortunates that were observed toting machine guns around over the landscape, but the machine gunners are lying low and patiently waiting for the tide of hard labor to turn so they can get in their laughs. They may get their chance at any moment, too.

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Captain Miller, of Maryland, remembers the day when he set in the gallery of his favorite blood and thunder theatre and watched Dead Eye Dick cut the rope that was hanging his poor old father with a single shot from his trusty six-shooter. The captain was armed with a 45 automatic instead of a six-shooter, but, nothing daunted, he proceeded to sever the rope with which his silhouette target was operated. The unfortunate officer that was manipulating the target was lying back on the rope and much to his surprise and the amusement of the rest of the class, found himself taking a backward header. Some shot.

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Lt. Singletary has been urging the writer for a week to say nothing about him in these columns, and it has been our experience that anyone who keeps reminding a writer to leave him out really is anxious to get in, so here is his honorable mention. You know he is the one that would like a ten minute break at least ten times a day.

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The Reds and the Blues are at war.

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Lt. Gilchrist has been trying all this week to think of something to put over on Lt. Dolan in this column, but at the time of going to press had found nothing suitable.

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Hevings, she's off the track again.

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Captain Easley claims that it makes no difference if the box the maker sits on is moved. The rifle rack is the only one that has to remain stationary. Capt. Warden, who was making triangles, does entirely agree with him, however.

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# Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

Why didn't the I. S. D. put out a football team? That is the question a lot of the boys are asking. No doubt they would have made the 29th Infantry and Tanks hustle as did the baseball team, which by the way, was practically unbeatable the past three years. Here is hoping Sgt. Valentine's charges come thru with flying colors in their basketball schedule and add another cup to the old outfit's long string of emblems.

It is rumored that one of our esteemed Master Sergeants contemplates buying an Olive Drab Studebaker provided he can learn to operate same, and it seems as if he is taking instructions daily.

W. D., Chapter 9, Verse 7, "There will be wailing and gnashing of teeth December 31, 1922, if Congress doesn't pass that '25 Year Retirement Bill.'"

**"Trial Ala Tuff."**

Specification: In that Pvt. John A. Crow
Without a pass to town did go,
On this twentieth day of May,
Fourteen days he did stay.

When he came back in the mill he was put
With a great big chain around his foot,
And you can see him 'most any day
With a pick and shovel digging clay.

He was tried by a Special Court
Composed of Officers of the Fort.
"Not Guilty," was the young man's plea,
Thinking he would get his liberty.

Three months and two-thirds pay
Is what he heard one of them say.
And still you can see him 'most any day,
With a pick and shovel digging clay.

Private Robert Baker was awarded three extra nights of duty at the School Library for being fashionably late for work Saturday morning (Armistice Day). Probably he thought he was a dead hero. But it was a treat to Sergeant Crosby and Private Halpan as they were able to catch up on some lost sleep. More power to you, Baker.

The other night I went down to this wonderful town of Columbus to see one of its much talked of "good looking girls." At the door I am commanded to "Fall in," and after I had come into the house, she seats herself in the best chair and tells me there is nothing for me to do but to fill in the blank file. I seat myself in the remaining chair and then begin to talk to her. After I had said about three words she very strongly reminds me that I am "At Attention" and that I should preserve "Silence." If I begin to get any way near this female soldier she gets "Hard-boiled" and says, "Keep your interval."

Along about ten o'clock her old man "bawls out" that it is ten o'clock. I take this as a gentle reminder that it is time for me to "dismiss" myself. At the door I linger a while longer to try to soften her up a little but she reminds me that it is time I was dismissed.

At the door she tells me to "report" at the usual time again next Thursday night. At which I do an about face and dismiss myself.

Soldier (On Broad St., Columbus): Hello there, Pritikin, how are the beans in your outfit these days?

Pritikin (scratching his head): Igvelt, Igvelt, your face look fammeler to me but I don't know where to poot it.

The school boys of the E. & V. T. school were present with the K. P. chaser Sunday. Kahler says they were very gay until about three o'clock, when they began to weaken. Merrill, the famous file clerk of the Personnel office, was very sick the next day. He must have eaten too much.

Sergeant Floyd Higginbotham was seen last Saturday at the Veal Brothers Shows in Columbus inspecting the monkeys. It is wondered if the Sergeant figures on enlisting or purchasing them. Probably the latter, as the show is understood to be bankrupt and "Jack" may be able to use them at the "Dream." How about it, "Higgie?"

In the year of Nineteen Twenty-two,
Just before the month that blizzards brew,
A rumor was started and pushed right along,
'Till it was as common as a popular song.

They can only reduce me one more grade,
And I was made in seventeen, I'm not afraid.
And if they leave me as they will, no doubt,
That will give me a good excuse to buy out.

Like a soldier hates to do Sunday K. P.,
Like a passless rookie hates to see an M. P.,
Like a top kick hates to make out a morning report,
Like a jail bird hates to appear in court,

Like the preacher hates the demon rum,
That's how the Non-Coms hate to see December come.
Stripes will be selling very cheap,
You will be able to buy them by the heap.

The Master Sergeants will drop to a Staff,
Then you will see the Sergeants laugh;
And the Staffs will go down to Grade Three,
And the Corporals will be doing K. P.

Like a moonshiner hates a Revenuer,
Like a good looking girl hates a rejected wooer,
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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 12.**

**1912.**

In March Companies A and D marched from Fort Porter at Buffalo to Fort Niagara for target practice.

April 19 Company C returned to Fort Porter from duty at Fort Ontario.

April 11 and 12 the Band and Third Battalion participated in funeral ceremonies of the late Major General Philip Kearney, at New York City. On the 13th the same troops paraded at Governor's Island Dock at 4 p. m., to receive and escort the remains of the late Major General Fred D. Grant from Ferry building to Governor's Island Chapel, where said remains rested until April 26 under guard of enlisted men selected from the Third Battalion. The troops participated in the funeral ceremonies of General Grant at Governor's Island Chapel on the 26th, the Band accompanying the remains to New York City and participating in the funeral procession.

In June most of the Regiment left Forts Jay, Porter and Niagara for Mount Gretna, Pa., where it participated in the July maneuvers.

The First and Second Battalions (less D Co.) and Machine Gun Platoon left the Camp of Instruction at Mount Gretna on August 7 en route to Elmira, N. Y. Arrived August 20 (by marching) and went into camp thereat. Said troops participated in the ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the monument to General Sullivan, of Revolutionary fame.

The Band, Companies E, F, G and H and the M. G. Platoon performed the usual camp routine duties at Elmira until Sept. 5, when they left by marching en route to Rochester, N. Y. Arrived there Sept. 13, distance covered 105 miles. The above troops participated in the Centennial Celebration of the founding of the City of Rochester, on Sept. 16. Returned by marching to Fort Niagara Sept. 19-23, distance 80 miles. Total distance covered by these troops from Gretna to Niagara was 383 miles.

The Band was on temporary duty at Fort Niagara until Sept. 28 and then at Fort Porter until Oct. 4. Returned to Fort Jay Oct. 5.

Band participated in ceremonies incidental to the launching of the "U. S. S. New York," at Brooklyn Navy Yard, Oct. 30.

Oct. 3 the First and Second Battalions went into camp on the target range at Fort Niagara and were inspected by Col. Brown and later by Gen. Bliss. These battalions were on Oct. 15 and 16 inspected by Secretary of War Stimson.

The annual inspection of the Third Battalion took place in October at camp near Oakwood Heights, Staten Island, N. Y. Oct. 29 this battalion participated in field problems with the Coast Artillery troops of Southern Artillery Dist. of N. Y.

Dec. 23 Co. I left Fort Jay as guard over 87 general prisoners transferred by rail to U. S. M. Prison and Penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

The officers who were assigned to the Regiment in 1912 and most of whom joined were:

Colonel John S. Mallory;

Majors Amos B. Shattuck, Douglas Settle and Edward R. Chrisman;

Captains Paul B. Malone, Howard R. Perry, Stanley H. Ford, Kirwin T. Smith, Chauncey B. Humphrey, Thomas W. Darrah, James A. Moss and George H. Shelton;

First Lieutenants J. G. McIlroy, Leo A. Dewey and Charles A. Dravo;

Second Lieutenants Harrison McAlpine, Henry C. McLean and William J. Morrisey.

(Note: The repetition of Article 11 last week was due to the fact that it became necessary to reprint that portion of the History for mailing.)

## SANITARY NOTES.

Pneumonia, like consumption, is a house disease; also it is a dirty air disease.

Here are some seasonable suggestions which if followed will help you to escape pneumonia:

1. Be regular in your habits of living as to diet and proper rest.
2. Avoid undue and prolonged exposure to wet and cold.
3. Get as much exercise in the open air as you can.
4. Dress so that you will feel comfortable in the house and equally as comfortable when out of doors in a lower temperature.
5. Keep your living rooms at a temperature not exceeding 70 degrees. For people in normal health and properly clad 68 degrees is better.
6. Keep your feet dry and warm.
7. Do not cough or sneeze in anyone's face or allow others to cough or sneeze in your immediate presence.

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### SERVICE COMPANY.

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Heavy says he began life like the rest of us, as a baby; but he had the hardest time of his life Thanksgiving day trying to get a square meal around a round table.

Well, Heavy, we had the same experience, having had to wait for the third sitting.

Everybody had a day off Thursday except poor Private Walker. He worked a half day, nobody knows why. Ask the Special Inspector.

First Sergeant Miller, "Spud," motored to Tuskegee, Ala., not long ago for the purpose of getting his son, Little Spud, started on the right road to his inclination. Little Spud had much inclination for mechanics and plumbing. Go on, boy, all it takes is a will, the way is open.

Our new squad leader, Private Vontress, wants all members of his squad to fall out and look down their line in order to see what a straight line looks like. Well, Vontress, we all would like to take a look at that same line.

Private John Stewart wants to know if there are any more people in Georgia other than those he saw on our campus Thursday. We should not answer this but for fear this little fellow will think that he has seen the whole of its population, we must say, there are many more, and if he waits until summer he'll know himself.

Private Price, the auto rescuer, had a jolly walk of 15 miles out in the country to get a car that had run out of gas, but his feet are not worn out yet. He claims that he can stand about 500 yards more yet.

With our aforementioned new Company Commander came the tailor; needless to say what follows, but the Supply Sergeant is very busy these days.

### COMPANY "C."

Corporal Mays, as floor manager, introduced a brand new waltz Schottische to the dancing class Monday night. It was excellent, by the applause the class gave him, but along with the new dance suppose we tell him it's real new music. The class suggested after the ball was over on some other old aged piece of music that George Washington's grandfather heard when he was dancing the same waltz in his childhood days.

Sergeant Powell, at the Monday evening class, got tired of people calling him a perpetual wall flower, so on a well crowded floor he trembled out to dance and enroute step formation, slipping and sliding, he slid down bang! he went down on the dance floor, and the girl said, "Oh! I'll never learn that." So the next morning we heard him bragging, "Did you boys see me teaching that girl how to do the two-step last night?

Cook Gregory made a grandstand play by catching a little girl from the city, only to lose her after all. With Jackson throwing hard fast out curves at him the cook walked to 1st base, with Vergie Washington at 2nd, the cook made an easy steal. He takes a chance and runs to 3rd, where Corporal Mays struggled hard to put him out but the ball was over Mays' head, and the cook dashed for home, but the Mexican Corporal by playing way deep in the field finally got the ball and throws him out at home, sweet home, for he is on the bench at night now.

Why are we so lonesome? Supply Sergeant, when not busy checking and accounting for matches, buttons, tooth-picks, and etc., can be found at the Service Club eating stick candy every night, together with Corporal Dewitt, who allows mess call only to disturb his important business in the orderly room, while Pvt. Pudding is trying to get a furlough to Block 23, for the Xmas holidays.

### COMPANY "D."

Sgt. Thomas, known as "Pick Tom," is a wonderful fisherman. A few weeks ago he went fishing; all he did was sit on the banks, and say, "I wish I could catch a fish."

Cotten, known as "Curley," says he is going to quit tailoring. That is alright, old boy, you are not the only rag burner in the Company.

Cpl. Murrell, known as "Peep Sight Pap," is the greatest huntsman in Fort Benning. He has been hunting for two weeks, and all he could kill was a sack of time.

Brookshire still holds the record of being the smallest head man that has ever been in Company "D," he wears a No. 3 hat, and his nickname is "Fat Head."

Booker, our wood butcher, has quit trying to count his days on his fingers, and is now counting months. Hold your piece, old boy, we will fight your battle.

"Chubby" is still writing love letters, and hoping that some day he can go to town and meet his little girl from HEY HEY.

Andrews, the blue grass man, says every time he gets a letter someone is asking him does he dance. He says he never tells them that he can or cannot dance, and that all he says is, I am wild about dancing.

### COMPANY "I."

Private Laster Thomas (Bay Rum) has taken his mowing machine and hatchets and transferred to M Company. Look, boys, he is a barber that can cut down a tree.

Sergeant Lloyd (Head and Belly) has taken upon himself three fresh years of corral and mess halls.

Company I has gone in mourning over the loss of 1st Lieut. C. C. Holliday. The best wishes of the officers and enlisted men of this company go with him.

Company I has the only basketball team in the Regiment, so please come out, K Company, and let us have a little practice.

The hospital has been notified to look out for Sergeant Moore and Corporal Patterson taking lessons at night on motorcycles.

Look out, Sgt. Handy, you have got Corpl. Reeves started back to town again. He was heard talking about 5th Ave., Columbus, Ga.

Sergeant Lloyd was entitled to a three months furlough on his discharge, he got a pass for two hours to Cusseta, Ga. Something's going on wrong.

Private Royal, Medical Detachment, says it is better to be on the outside looking in than on the inside looking out. Nuff Sed.

### COMPANY "K."

Sgt. William McCauley (better known as the lady killer) has just returned from a 30 day furlough, with plenty of beauty grease, after visiting Atlanta, Ga.

Sgt. Joe Lay (the expert mess seregant and stew mixer) has certainly been saving since Thanksgiving. All members are wondering what's coming next since all has a fish hook to fish the meat out of the stew.

We have an eye on you two (WBW) and HW. We have seen too many funny moves since the other day. Wake up (WBW & WH) for the restriction list is empty and we want some one on it to keep us company (WRG).

### COMPANY "L."

Private William Troup is one of the best stenographers in the regiment. He wrote a letter in duplicate to a certain young lady on a business form. He mailed the duplicate and retained the original.

1st Sgt. Jennings has not been seen in Block 23 since the arival of the madam.

Company I has been known to be the best unit in the regiment in every respect, but I have noticed several men of Company I visiting our mess hall during meal hours.

Someone told a certain Recruit Corporal of Co. I that a young lady of his acquaintance was to be married in the near future, and the Corporal has been continually grieving since that day. Cheer up, Corporal, there are a lot of girls who would think it an honor to even meet you.

## 23rd Artillery News

Truly, the late lamented William Shakespeare had the right dope when he said that "Misfortunes come not single spies, but in Battalions," and Coach Peckinpaugh of the Artillery team, no doubt, had sadly pondered the truth of this statement, as he has gazed day by day upon the increasing bunch of cripples and charley horses among his squad.

The Artillery team, while awkward an inexperienced, has shown from the beginning symptoms of unexpected strength, and has promised, under the skillful coaching of Lieutenant Peckinpaugh, to develop into a team that would give the best of them a very heated argument. There has been a very noticeable improvement in the play of the team, both collectively and individually, since we were so soundly trounced by the Second Battalion and the Tanks, and the unexpected triangular tie for the championship now existing, would seem to offer a golden opportunity to the 83rd to grab off a few laurels by making a four-cornered affair of it, and possibly horn in among the elect, by going into the finals. However, just as the team seems to have found itself, Old Man Jinx comes along with a wallop in each mit, and knocks us for a row of Chinese Joss Houses. Verily, "Man was made to mourn," and it looks like "thumbs down" to our championship aspirations for this season.

Among the first string men now on the sick list are Zuskoritz, star guard, who has a severely wrenched leg; Marsh, one of the best plunging backs on the Post, whose glass ankle may keep him out of the game next Wednesday; and Samlavich, the biggest little bundle of pep and fighting spirit in camp, whose insistence on scrimmaging with a badly wrenched arm, has resulted in still further injuries. Berry, one of last season's star backs, who has not played this year, has returned from sick leave, but as he was recently operated on for appendicitis, the chances are that he will not care to expose himself to almost certain injury. To cap it all, Cooper, whose generalship, line plunging, and broken field running, seemed for a brief time to be the one factor needed to make championship material of the "wagon soldiers," suffered a severe concussion of the brain in the last game with the Freebooters, and has been warned by the surgeon to stay out of football. Either one of these injuries, coming as they have, to stars, would have been sufficient to cast a gloom over the entire team, and coming collectively, they have left the team only with the determination to fight to the bitter end, and while the shades of twilight next Wednesday may find the heads of the Artillerymen bloody, they will still be unbowed, and the Doughboys will have realized that they had to fight for everything they gained, and we confidently believe that the famous "Infantry Spirit" as compared to the un-press-agented Artillery Spirit, will compare as a tallow candle to the glare of the Sandy Hook Light.

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# Peoples Vs. Materialism

(By RICHARD F. LUSSIER.)

The Turk is back in Europe and the Allied Entente somewhat shopworn survives—for the time.

The Near East crisis which culminated with the armistice at Mudania has brought to the attention of the world the rift that has developed in the relations of France and England. The strain imposed upon the Entente Cordiale, which, extending over a period of important political and economic events in Europe, has suffered serious impairment at least. Widely divergent and conflicting courses have been followed by the British and French and now Kemaliam through that insidious political infiltration of which the Sublime Porte diplomacy has always been such a brilliant exponent prevails to widen the breach.

British statesmanship has previously been of the opinion that the only argument which appeals to the Ottoman mind is force, and that the gulf between the mental processes of the Occidental and Oriental can only be abridged by steel. Not so British and French thought when joined as the Entente—or at least a lot of padding has been placed over the mailed fist. If Entente statesmanship had accurately guaged the realities of the Near East situation and had borne in mind the numerous similar instances that the history of the Osmanli Dynasty affords, the Kemalist movement could have been stifled at birth in 1919. But wavering British policy due presumably to the reactions caused by the political changes in Greece gave Mustapha Kemal Pasha his opportunity.

The slaughter of a few hundred French soldiers in Cilicia added to the strength of Kemal. The Turk, being habitually prone to influence by the latest phase of the game, at once discounted the fighting strength of the French and France ceases to be an enemy to respect. The Kemal leaders shunted the Italians aside as negligible factors.

So Levantine thought visualized the Entente and thus the spearhead of his diplomacy was launched, in Stamboul, in the western capitals, in Egypt, at the weakest points in the Allie armour. Insidiously exploiting the avowed French ambition to rival the Mohammedian Empire of England and fascinating the cupidity of the French with a vista of rich concessions the agents of Kemal paved the road for the agreement negotiated by M. Franklin-Bouillon. The French press in euthusiastically approving the accord—the first rift in the Entente lute—conveniently overlook the massacres of Marche, Ourfa, Aintab, and Hadjin. But it was not the "Accord Bouillon," which was applauded so much as the attached conditions which provided, inter alia, for the concession for the mines of harchite or iron, chrome, and silver for a period of 99 years and further that the Kemal government was ready to consider most favorably any other requests which might be put forward by French syndicates relative to the concession of mines, railways, ports and rivers on condition that these requests were in conformity with the reciprocal interests of Turkey and France.

As France under the Treaty of Versailles was intrusted with the interests of minorities in Asiatic Turkey, British policy concerned itself with Constantinople and the Straights—recognizing for its own purposes only the government of the Sultan—a mere gesture as the entourage of the Sultan was overwhelmingly Kemal. Indubitably the down fall of Venizelos effected the equilibrium of British Near-East policy. The volteface of Greece spelled the death of the Treatry of Sevres. The British allowed the treaty to succumb through indifference, whereas, the French for its material interests quickly jettisened the treaty.

The Treaty of Sevres comprehended the national aspirations of the Armenians—and while the Lithuanians, Albanians, Letts, Esthenians, Finns, Syrians, Czechs and Arabs have viewed the dawn of political freedom — the Armenians remain serfs to the Turk. But the Turk is ridding the world of the Armenian question in characteristic fashion. There were 120,000 Armenians who inhabited Celicia in 1919, and at the beginning of 1922, there were only 3,800 left. This is reasonably fair extermination—even for a Turk.

The Armenian tragedy proves that the plaintive soul of the Allies in 1916 and 1917 tormented with visions of Teutonic defeat was not purged of its materialistic instincts. With the Prussian terror destroyed the Entente diverging among themselves for economic and political advantages is slowly reconstituting Europe, and especially the Balkans and the Near-East to the pre-war diplomatic chessboard. The Turk has already achieved a prestige greater than his pre-war status. Kamel has usurped the Kaiser. He rattles the sword, voices a few parables of Islamic hordes over-running Europe, passes out a few concessions and the Entente treats with him on equal terms. Nikelai Lenine and Leon Trotzky, very astute gentlemen will undoubtedly profit greatly by the example taught them by Kemal. The recognition of Soviet Russia is not far distant.

To sum up the French to further political and economic ambitions threw Christian minorities to the Lions with the callous abandon of ancient Rome. Then the material interests of England in Mesopotamia and Palestine and consideration of its Moslem subjects demanded an understanding with Kemal which brought on the surrender at Mudania a few days ago.

Wars do not purge the souls of nations. Wars are fought either to protect economic advantages or to gain new ones. Materialism surmounts idealism. A little oil in Mesopotamia for England, some iron and silver in Analtolia for France—and the Turks re-enter Europe triumphantly trecking knee-high in the blood of slanghtered Armenians.

The war clouds have not been dissipated in the Near-East. They are just mobilizing for the storm.

## LODGE NOTICES

Rose Hill Lodge No. 480, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night at 2400 Hamilton Avenue.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**
Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**
Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**
Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:30 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**
Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:
Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366; Joseph A. Gray, telephone 385.
Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.
Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## Many Improvements In 24th Infantry Area

**MUCH ACTIVITY EVIDENCED SINCE THE REGIMENT HAS BEEN RE-ORGANIZED.**

The area of the 24th Infantry is the scene of great activity these days. The influx of new men has made the accommodations inadequate and as a result much has been undertaken in the building line. The Regimental Supply Officer, Captain James Sproule has been on the hop for weeks, and his efforts are beginning to show results.

A new supply office, store room and officers' barber shop has been erected. A school house for the children of the Regiment is fast nearing completion. This building is to be used for the E. and V. Illiterate School and also as a Court Martial Room. This is a very fine building, 30 ft. x 70 ft., with two rooms 30 ft. by 30 ft., and a hall thru the center of the building. Practically all the material for this building has been salvaged by the Supply Officer and the Chaplain.

The Recreation Hall has been found to be too small for the needs of the men and the foundations are in place for a pool hall and library that will be 32 ft. x 72 ft. An addition is to be added to the Officers' Mess for a Club Room for the officers of the Regiment and the construction of a Regimental Swimming Pool is going forwards as men are available from time to time.

In addition to all this no less than twelve houses have been erected in the N. C. O.'s Area and others are to follow in due time. Most of this work has been done in odd times and when men were available, for the men of the 24th have been performing practically all the detail work of the camp and their own needs have been subordinated to the needs of the Fort.

## Senate Passes Bill to Stop Demotion of Non-Coms

**WILL PROBABLY BE PASSED BY HOUSE WITHIN THE WEEK.**

That the probability of the prevention of the expected demotions for non-commissioned officers is imminent appears to be a foregone conclusion. The passage of the Wadsworth-Kahn bill to prevent the reduction of non-commissioned officers will probably take place about December 15th, according to one of the Service papers, which goes on to say:

"Chairman Wadsworth secured its passage by the senate on December 6. All that was required was an explanation from Senator Wadsworth as to the plight of the older non-coms as the result of the reduction of the strength of the Army and the effect of the bill.

"The bill was rushed over to the House on December 7 and referred to the House Committee on Military Affairs. The situation in the House commitie is as favorable as it was in the Senate. Chairman Kahn sent out a call to some of the absent members of the committee with a view to securing a quorum at an early date.

"In the meantime the matter has been taken up by the leaders of the House with a view to securing a special rule if it becomes necessary. Chairman Kahn will name a special sub-committee to take charge of the bill and speed up its passage."

## Diphtheria Immunization Offered

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The Post Surgeon announced that the Station Hospital is prepared to administer anti-diptheria toxin at any time between the hours of 9:00 and 11:00 A. M., any day during the week to those members of the command who desire the treatment.

It is understood that the treatment is given hypodermically and consists of three "shots" at weekly intervals. The medical profession believes that this immunization gives protection for life. It is especially desired that children between two and six years of age receive the treatment as it is between these ages that the youngsters are more susceptible to the disease. It is stated that most adults are naturally protected and rarely need the treatment but the surgeon announces that those who wish to be tested to find out whether or not they require immunization may have the examination made between the hours stated above.

**CHRISTMAS DANCE.**

There will be a Christmas Dance at the Ralston Hotel on Christmas night under the management of Miss Angela Brescia. All officers of Fort Benning are cordially invited to attend.

## Only 13.5c Per Dollar Of Taxes For Defense

**PACIFISTS SPREAD PROPAGANDA SHOWING 80 CENTS PER DOLLAR.**

Last winter the county was flooded with pacifist propaganda showing conclusively, to the unitiated, that eighty cents of every dollar received from the various forms of taxes by the government was used for the support of the military establishments.

When the last budget was submitted to Congress by President Harding his message very clearly showed that 13.5 cents per dollar of the total revenue was used for the support of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and all other branches of the military establishments.

When the pacifist propaganda first began to be spread the War and Navy Departments presented the true figurse showing just what pro rata amount of the national revenue was applied for military purposes. Coming as this data did from military sources the facts were not generally accepted. The pacifists further labeled the facts as presented as being propaganda, issued for the purpose of deluding the American public by a group of militarists.

The fact that the President's message sets forth conclusively the fact that but 13.5 cents per dollar of revenue is devoted to the maintance of the military establishments, coming as it does from this source, will conclusively offset the damage done by the pacifist propaganda.

## Elemination Of Officers Completed

**MOST DIFFICULT TASK ATTEMPTED IN ARMY IS FINISHED.**

The Dickman Board has finished its task and adjourned. A prolonged sigh of relief has gone up from the long suffering Army Officers for now the uncertainty that has marked his existence for the last six months is over. There were last minute eliminations that came as a shock to some who had made up their mind that they were O. K. Speaking in general terms, the Board has handled a very difficult task in a most admirable manner.

There is no question but that time and again the Board was face to face with difficult questions, many hard problems were presented to them and they being men who loved the Army oftentimes were greatly disturbed by the necessary action forced upon them by the Congress of the United States.

The Army has passed thru another Wilderness journey and it is hoped that now the Army will have entrance into the Promised Land. The Military forces still need a Moses, but the way appears open and the skies favorable.

There have been a number of interesting and amusing incidents in connection with the elimination of officers as well as incidents of more sorrowful mien, but now that the worst is over the Army can turn its entire attention to its one great job, that of fitting America to meet the exigencies of the present disturbed state of World Politics.

## General Wood to Remain in the Philippines

**RESIGNS FROM UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.**

General Wood has cabled the Bureau of Insular Affairs and through him to the Trustees, University of Pennsylvania as follows:
Chief, Bureau, of Insular Affairs:

"The situation here is going to require my remaining on into next year, Reports of my returning first of January should not be credited. Do not see how I can leave before the legislature adjourns and perhaps not until afterwards. As I have stated before, the situation here must take precedence over all personal and University interests. Am placing resignation in the hands of University. Chairman, Board of Trustees University of Pennsylvania:

In view of the impossibility of definitely foreseeing the date upon which I can properly leave the Islands and because of my realization that the University should no longer be without a permanent head, I tender my resignation. This I do with with very real regret and with sincere appreciation of the honor the University has done me and of the leave granted me in order that I might comply with the expressed wishes of the administration that I remain here to carry out certain work. I have looked forward with keen interest to heading the University of Pennsylvania and to working with the youth of my country, but I am on the ground and know the situation here and it must take precedence over my personal interests.

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

**Opening Hours for the Three Theatres as Follows:**
24th Inf. Theatre .... .... 6:00 P. M.
Post Theatre .... .... ....6:45 P. M.
29th Inf. Theatre .... .... 7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, December 17th**
Blood and Sand. 10 reel feature (All Star Cast.)
Loves Out cast, 2 reel comedy, (Ben Turpin.)

**Monday, December 18th**
Lying Truth, , 6 reel feature (All Star.)
The Non Stop Kid, 1 reel comedy, (Boland.)
Fox News.

**Tuesday, December 19th.**
Tolable David, 7 reel feature, (Barthelmess.)
Mixed Bedrooms, 1 reel comedy.

**Wednesday, December 20th.**
Lane That Had No Turning, 7 reel featuro, (All Star.)
Never Weaken, 3 reel comedy, (Hal LLoyd.)

**Thursday, December 21st.**
Man She Brought Back, 5 reel feature, (All Star.)
Making Movies, 2 reel comedy, (Jones.) Fox News.

**Friday, December 22nd.**
False Brands, 5 reel feature, (All Star.)
Roach Comedy, 1 reel.
Pathe Review.

**Saturday, December 23rd.**
Glass Houses, 5 reel feature, (Viola Dana.)
Free and Easy, 2 reel comedy.

# Social Notes

**Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.**
Post Phone 192.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. Irwin Engleman and Mrs. O. M. Moore entertained at a beautiful bridge party at the home of Mrs. Engleman. Pink carnations, chrysanthemums and green foliage were the lovely decorations. There were seven tables of players. After the game a delicious fruit salad and tea were served. A beautiful Madeira handkerchief was the prize for each table. Several prominent ladies from Columbus were also present.

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On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. George S. Goodale entertained the 29th Infantry Bridge Club at her home. The tally cards were in the form of a Christmas tag and a tag was tied to a little Christmas gift from Santa. These gifts were distributed from a miniature Christmas tree to each guest. It was quite a novelty and everyone was curious to know what was in their package. There were six tables of players. After the game delightful refreshments were served. The prizes were won by Mrs. Jack Raaen, first prize, a piece of silk lingerie; Mrs. Leach, mother of Mrs. McClure, second prize, a beautiful bowl; and Mrs. Hatfield, third prize, a basket of flowers.

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On last Wednesday afternoon at the Officers' Club Mess, Mrs. Hocker, wife of Colonel Woodson Hocker, and Mrs. Hansell, wife of Colonel Haywood Hansell, entertained at bridge.

The room was decorated with sprays of hawthorne berries and holly, while the table for the tea guests was centered with a silver bowl of holly encircled by a large holly wreath.

Mrs. Reeves Turner won first prize, Mrs. John C. Raaen won second prize,and Mrs. Joseph C. Hatie won third prize. The prizes consisted of attractive hand-painted baskets tied with red ribbon and holly.

After the bridge a course of creamed chicken, hot rolls, salted almonds and coffee was served.

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Captain and Mrs. Robert Joerg, who were stationed at Fort Benning last year, are expected to spend the holidays in Columbus and Fort Benning. Captain Joerg is now stationed at Gadsden, Ala., where he is on duty with the Alabama National Guard.

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The Chapel Guild of Fort Benning will hold a meeting on Monday morning, December 18th, at 10:30 o'clock at the Protestant Chapel. At this meeting important business will be transacted. Those interested are urged to attend.

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The Current Events Club will meet Monday afternoon, December 18th, at 3:00 o'clock with Mrs. Eggleston Peach in Block 40.

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It has been announced that both the ladies' equitation classes have been temporarily suspended.

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On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Pomerene, wife of Lieut. Joel D. Pomerene, entertained the members of the Tenth Infantry Bridge Club at her home on Second avenue, Columbus. Mrs. Oral E. Clark won first prize and Mrs. H. E. Rischer won second prize. There were three tables and after the game a salad course and tea was served.

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On last Monday afternoon the Fort Benning Study Club was addressed by Lieut. Irwin W. Minger in the Officers' Hop Room.

A large number of the ladies of the Post and a number of the club women from Columbus were present to hear the address.

This lecture was a continuation of a lecture begun at a previous meeting of the Study Club and was well received by those present.


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## MEDBURY SAYS---

**(By John P. Medbury.)**

A farmer from Girard, Alabama, reports that several of his cows ate some "corn mash" the other day and became intoxicated. As soon as the townspeople heard this they were more than anxious to buy their milk from him.

Instead of getting seventeen or eighteen cents, they were giving him three and four dollars a quart for it.

He changed the labels on the milk bottles to read "Bottled in barn."

It's pretty nice when you own a lot of cows that give egg nogs.

If they hadn't been cows, the prohibition officers would have arrested the farmer for running a blind pig.

One citizen wanted him put in jail for obtaining money under false pretenses. The dairyman was selling him milk when he would be getting something else.

But the police couldn't arrest a farmer for not diluting his milk.

Somebody must have whispered in the cow's ear that Volstead was in town, because they all went dry.

The milk had a great kick in it as long as the cows ate the corn mash. One two-year-old baby drank a nursing bottle full of it and then told his father where to head in.

The cows had a great time, too. One of them felt so good that she actually tried to jump over the moon.

The milk got to contain a lot of alcohol and the farmer was so conscientious that he wouldn't sell any of it to you unless you had a prescription.

The cows were eating so many hops that they began giving malted milk.

They got so that when they came home to be milked they staggered so much that the farmer had to widen the cow paths.

It was getting so that the farmer had to wait up nights for his own cows to come home.

People would go to the dairy and buy a glass of milk and ask the hired man to put cracked ice in it.

It got so that they were afraid to drink a glass of it without shutting the barn door.

Instead of retailers having the milk delivered to them in cans, they were ordering it by the case.

Now that the bovines had a taste of moonshine, even the cows are expected to go to the polls at next election and vote "WET."

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## Medical Department Notes

Sergeant Mount's funds must be getting low as he is now rolling his own (Bull Durham). But he pulled a good one on Sergeant Thompson today. He rolled a cigarette, then he asked Thompson for a light, and exchanged. Thompson never noticed the difference until he started to smoke again, and his cigarette was out and we had to tell him what the joke was.

The monthly dance of the Non-Commissioned Officers' Club was held Tuesday night, December 12, 1922, in the Detachment Mess Hall. Music was furnished by the 29th Infantry Orchestra. Refreshments were served, consisting of fruit punch and cake.

The following named men have been assigned for duty (from recruit center) with the Medical Department: Privates Green, Dalton, and Williams.

Major and Mrs. Starr A. Moulton will entertain the Medical Department Bridge Club at their home, 2301 Apt. "C," on Tuesday evening, December 19th, at 7:45 p. m.

Although it isn't spring, the usual time for Poets to branch out, we recently discovered a Would-Be Shakespeare and submit the following from Corporal Moore's vocabulary:

### A Barrack Room Bull-ett.

I went to a city doctor once, to have
him diagnose my case,
If I wasn't sick when I went to him,
I sure was when I left his place.
He took my pulse and temperature
and pounded with all his might,
After a thorough examination he
said, You are not put together
right.

You see you epicitis is mixed up with
your diaphram,
And your longitudinal bissector is
twisted around your large bis-
sutis,
You've a chronic neurosis, due to a
touch of tuberculosis,
And your lazy liver is lagging at the
point of least contraction.

The frontal bone of your cranium is
resting on an angle
Which causes you to be wakeful and
fretful every night;
To correct this mis-formation will
require an operation,
Then if you see the daylight again,
you'll be all right.

I've joined the Army since then, and
now when I feel ill,
They fill me full of salts, quinine, or
C. C. Pills.
No matter what they give me, it
doesn't seem to cure my pain,
I am alright for a little while, and
then I get sick again.

They say I've Gold-Brickitis,—which
is caused by mingling with work
And by constantly riding the sick re-
port, my arduous duties to
shirk.
I've a chronic tired feeling, aggra-
vated by spud peeling,
And the sight of a mop or broom
simply sets my head a-reeling.

As an orderly I'm a failure, as a
clerk a downright fizzle,
If you want to set me insane just
tell me to typewrite.
Now if the powers that be would say
to me, "You're a sick man;
here's an S. C. D.,
I know when I got in civil life, I'd
be alright.

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### AMERICA'S ADVANCE IN AERONAUTICS

Travellers returning from Europe an foreign aeronautical magazines alike furnish sufficient evidence that Europe is not taking America's recent advance in aeronatics with equanimidy. As long as we only possessed the world's altitude record, there seemed to be little competition to beat this performance. But now that American pilots have sucessively established new worlds maximum speed circuit speed, maximum duration and maximum distance records — even though two of these performances were not officially observed according to F. A. I. rules—the foreign aeronautical press addresses exhortations to its national airplane constructors, aeronautical associations and government officials to leave nothing undone with a view to reconquering the lost laurels.

This state of affairs, while highly complimentary to our industry, should not make us slumber on our records. Progress in aviation never ceases, and primacy can only be achieved and retained by unceasing development work.

There is, incidentally, one competition in which we should like to see American aircraft entered next year, and that is the Schneider Maritime Aviation Cup race which will be held in England next summer. The United States has been an absentee from this international contest since before the Great War. During the past two years we have repeatedly urged American participation in this important event.

From the international viewpoint the Schneider Cup races are as important in the field of seaplane construction as the Gordon Bennett and Deutsch Cup races were, and the Pulitzer Trophy race now is, in the matter of land planes. As the annual contests for the Schneider Cup are generally held sometime in August, there is plenty of time left to our plans for challengers. Perhaps, as manufacturers for preparing the we have before suggested, the Navy could be prevailed upon to place orthem in the Schneider race, the same ders for such machines, and enter as it did in the last Pulitzer race. High speed is as important in naval pursuit work as it is in land pursuit work. If we compare the performances of this year's Schneider Cup and Curtiss Trophy races, we are struck by the fact that while the winner of the former averaged 145 m. p. h., the winner of the latter was some 25 miles sloweerwlr.oaosc er some 25 miles slower. In justice to the Navy TS1 plane it must be said that it was equipped only with a 220 hp. engine as against a 450 hp. powerplant of the Supermarine which won the Schneider Cup. This makes a fair comparison of the two performances difficult, but it does not invalidate the fact that the British navy has available for conversion into a pursuit plane a racer which is 25 miles faster than the present type of fighting plane of our navy. This fact alone should act as an incentive to those concerned with our national defense to have America worthily represented at the forthcoming Schneider Cup race.—"Aviation."

### SAYINGS OF THE SAGE.

Abe Martin says that white mule to be used in a radiator should be diluted. Who wants to use it in a radiator?

Last Sunday we had more fires than fire orders. The mimeograph stopped running.

Clara Phillips, the real old-fashioned hammer wielder, saws her way out of jail. She's got nothing on our enterprising ten, except perhaps in the accuracy of her aim with the hammer.

### Social Notes.

Sergeant Jones gave a bridge party at his home Friday night. During the festivities he changed the location of his home brew and spoiled one pair of tailor-made breeches. Also spoiled the party.

Company G is now sporting tailor-made uniforms. How scrumptuous! High pockets and brass hooks to hang umbrellas on during parades.

When Lieutenant Hung Chang Murphy gets his overcoat cut off eighteen inches from the ground it should look like an olive drab stock.

"'Tis more blessed to give than to receive." Then we're a pretty darn blessed outfit. We've been giving until our faces hurt.

"Auto speeders go to jail in hurry-up wagon." We have visions of some good-looking soldier chauffeurs getting a free ride if they don't look out.

In spite of everything, the pink pants craze has to run its course, like the measles or the itch.

We move that about sixty of our guardhouse birds be furnished with transportation and two days' rations to assist them in getting away. Maybe they would get so far away that we could lose them.

Ye editor says that while the bunch is giving, it wouldn't hurt othem t cough up the price of a subscription.—5th Corps News and Diamond Dust.


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# 24th Infantry Notes.

### SERVICE COMPANY.

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The 24th Infantry band is now working over-time, and this is how they are doing it; part of them play each night, and they all play concerts twice a week in the afternoon; that is the record of the best band in Post, so they claim.

Several of our boys that have been used to running wild on the prairies are lying very close here. I guess they are better off. Bully for you, Sgt. T. G.

Pvt. Ventress (Company Barber) is gaining popularity in town to such an extent that he is thinking of running for alderman, as he claims he can control two precincts in the City. Keep your head on and don't let them make you a general in camp.

### COMPANY "C."

Corporal Mays has been granted a three months' furlough, leaving Fort Benning December 3rd for Louisville, Kentucky, where he expects to visit friends and relatives. We wish him a pleasant leave.

First Sergeant Larkins was heard telling a fish tale while out fishing on the Chattahoochee river, as follows:

"I caught a cat fish sometime ago and it was so tame I did not have the nerve to fry it, so I made a house pet of him. Every morning the fish would awake me and start playing. So yesterday I forgot and left a washpan of water on the floor and I left the house to report to the company. Upon returning I found my floor a little wet, due to the fact that the fish had fell in the pan and drowned."

Private Lightburn is scheduled to marry at Americus, Georgia, sometime in February, but who believes it's so? Poor boy has been engaged so many times that he is pretty well known in the company. More so than the window shade importers.

### COMPANY "D."

"Grundy" was out to the dance last Wednesday night. He met some new acquaintances, and Sergeant Jones being a great sport, said to the ladies, "Have a treat on me." There were three ladies and each one got a box of chocolate candy, at the small price of $3.50 per box. "Grundy" came back fanning himself with his hat. Keep a cool head, Sergeant, we know you felt slighted.

"Pap" is now singing he is going to get married in the winter time, December —th is the great day. The writer hates to lose his good old pal, but "peep sight" has seen a better life.

"Bull Reese" came from the city a few days ago telling everybody what a good time he had, and was telling Sgt. Jones that he didn't feel the least slighted when he met a certain one of the fair sex. I don't guess he did, the expenditure of sixteen blams will make anybody feel welcome.

"Pick Tom," the great Saxophonist, will have his monthly debut during the Xmas week. He will demonstrate to all amateurs what the Saxo is made for.

"Kid Trombone" has composed a wicked blues, he calls them the "Trom-Saxo Blues." Played with a Trombone and Saxophone and played by "Pap" and "Pick." Everybody loves to hear them play because when they start everybody leaves so there will be nothing to worry them.

Abbott, the hash slinger, will demonstrate his new discovery of "Jump Study Stew;" that's the right name for it, old top, because it stays right where you put it.

### COMPANY "I."

Pvt. McFall (Sadie) has arrived from Company M, with a new scheme of going to town and renting civilian clothing. The man he rented it from came out and uncovered McFall on the morning of the 11th. So poor McFall cannot go to town while Ford is entertaining McFall's girl.

Sergeant Walker (Long Distance) is still at the moving picture booth doing his duty as mess sergeant (eating long stick candy).

Don't forget that Sergeant Merrill (Biting Baby) is not allowed in the mess hall on Christmas, because we want the rest of the company to get a dinner.

Sergeant Steger (Greens) met a very dear friend of his; it was a farmer that he used to plow for. He would not let him come in the orderly room for fear he would explain all about the old homestead.

BOYS, please don't forget that I have your name. I am going to put you in the kitchen on extra fatigue until St. Peter says you have had enough. That's all. That is all. A. S.

Corporal Puryear (Smiling Baby) was in charge of quarters, and he thought his duty to take charge of all dogs. He now has the only side show on the reservation, only four bits to see Scott and Mike perform.

### COMPANY "K."

Sgt. McCauley (Happy Hooligan), our Intellectual Reformer, has returned from furlough, still singing the blues.

Sgt. Belser (Pa Perkins) was heard talking in his sleep, "I have a quart ————?"

Sgt. Garrett (Tailor-made) is greatly interesed in our basketball team. Heres hoping that they beat the whole Regiment.

Pvt. Latimore (Stack-O-Dollars) was seen in close conversation with Sgt. McCauley. Wonder what twas all about—Madam Walker or B. & W.?

Cpl. Merchant (Little Chester Gump) is staying in Post these pre-Christmas days. What is the idea, Merch?

Sergeant Tailor-made Garrett, the efficient Company Clerk ink spiller and paper destroyer, has stopped visiting the City since a certain bird loud talked him.

A nickname of OWL should be applied to a certain 1st Sergeant, due to the fact that he only prowls around after he is sure it is good and dark.

Sgt. William McCauley ("Young Boy") just received three fresh ones (no, not corn liquor). Mack says he is too old to wrestle with the bear.

Sgt. Powell, the Q. M. expert hay burner and dispatcher, says he is going to Atlanta for the holidays. Look out, Sergeant, remember your last trip. Some speed! Oh, boy!

### COMPANY "L."

A certain Private intended to make Reveille Monday morning, and missed the formation just as pretty as you would want to see the trees bud in the spring. His reason for missing this noble formation was due to the fact that too much time was spent in 23. The next morning Pop Jennings threw him away to the Company Commander and an investigation took place immediately after the Top had thrown him away. Seems that the Private put a nice line to the C. O., but that 6, 8, 10 and 12 was added to his credit. Look out, Handy, you had better try and walk a chalk line, because those months will be in your way or you will be in their way, we don't know which—only giving you a little tip-off.

Sgt. Session, known as Shady Rest, requests that the regiment continue drill on the Polo Field as it will go very easy with his hounds—no rocks to dodge.

The Company Clerk and Officials can rest at ease since Pop Jennings lost his pipe and tobacco. Lookout, Pop, don't gas your boys; just save that gas for the next war.

Lookout Shifty Shannon, what has happened to you? You were last seen going to town with a taxi load of groceries.

Friday Paris, we would like to know from you why you havn't been to see your girl? She is always asking about you. Pvt. McWhite says she was looking like a vampire.

Pvt. Robert Stubbs, alias Staff Sgt. Fronia, is constantly visiting 23. We would like for him to explain to the boys as to why he dissolved friendship with Jim Pitts,—Steady Bottom.

Brace up, Cpl. Kitchen, the Barn Party was poor one on account of your absence and we learned that the executive committee of the barn party would like for you to stay away just a little longer so they can have a little success. Oh, you Cpl. Hog.

Sgt. Scott, known as Chicago North Western Stew Limited, has recommended his cooks for stew specializers instead of stew engineers.

Pvt. Jessie Hill spent a few days at his home attending to some important business and was 20 minutes late on pass. If you want to know what Pop Jennings did with him for being 20 minutes late, visit Co. "L's" lamb book and I'm sure you will find the kid wrestling with 6, 8, 10 and 12.

If anybody should happen to see Bill Troup tell him we knew he made a flying business trip to Atlanta on important business, but we want to know did his business call him under the viaduct and on Gilmore street.

Pvt. Litman Perry made a flying trip to 23 at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening, and P. M. was found in the Company street almost out of breath. We would like to know whether you got gassed and didn't have your mask. We figured you to be well gassed if you didn't have your mask.

If Sgt. Beauford's wishes would come true, the company would have a hard time trying to find out what became of the mess sergeant since Thanksgiving. The company would starve and the cooks would blow straight up. Steady, Mess Sgt., if you would live forever.

### COMPANY "M."
### 1st Ind.

Perhaps there are many readers who have thought of the 24th Infantry, who have heard great things spoken of the regiment. Perhaps you may say within yourself: How did you accomplish a history that stands

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on top today?—a history that any man can be proud of? Can you answer these questions? Perhaps you can and perhaps you cannot, but as you are trying to think within yourself I am going to tell you the foundation of it. The men themselves know that a regiment is just what you make of it. They realize unless they play the game and play it well, the officers cannot make a regiment. So as each man plays his part each day, as he goes to his duty with a determination not to make a day but a regiment that will stand any test. He realizes that to stand the test he must take the advantage of all opportuniies as they come, and he must familiarize himself with military tactics and he must let discipline be the height of his ambition. He also realizes that he must do as he is told and not as he wishes. There are many other things he must do to stand the test. I have told you what he knows. Now what does he do?

**2nd Ind.**

He strives to control the human force which is called energy because he knows if it is rightly controlled, directed and expended at the right time, it is a tremendous and valuable power. Each day he strives to cut out the waste. He knows when every atom of energy can be expended to propel the charge toward the target. "Accomplishment follows." His main purpose is close thinking, because a close thinking human being is of greater value as a concentrating instrument. Those who do not concentrate, who do not strive for distance and direction, make very poor use of the store of energy that is created in them every day by the miraculous transformation of the food they eat, and the air they breathe, and the thoughts that arise within hem.

Sg. Hill, better known as King, was detailed for the apprehension of a soldier who had stolen a girl (as it is told, of course, no one knows anything about it but King himself). King was asked could he find him. King answered, "Yes, sar, Captain, you send King, pretty soon King bring um back."

After being away some considerable time, King returned without his prisoner, with his head hung down. His employer seeing him in such mood asked him what was the matter. King answered in a low tone, "Sar, King no fine um, him must take sick and die."

Corporal and Mrs. Washington put a kitty on Sgt. Handy the other night. Look out, Handy, that makes it 39.

Pvt. James Handy, of Co. "L," has been wearing crepe ever since his girl went to Chattanooga. Cheer up, Handy, she'll come back.

Pvt. George Sanders, of the Service Company, is in love with a certain girl in Tenn. He lies on his bed and thinks of her and jumps up and plays a cadenza of love, but since Mr. Lazy has taken charge of him he plays it different.

Pvt. David Jones and Clarence Smith were in town last Saturday for the first time in one year. Look out for your shacks, boys.

Pvt. Sampson Stewart is very rich now. He paid $20.00 for one breakfast and passes review for the O D. every night at 6-8-10 and 12 p. m. Be careful, Sampson, nothing hurts a duck but his bill.

The boys all want to know why does 1st Sgt. Steger enter the back door of a certain tent in Block No. 23 when they all ask him to come to the front door? Look out, Steger, someone will see you.

Pvt. Lewis Mahathay wants a girl with plenty of money because he can't keep any. He bought a girl a skirt the other day, and it looked so refined on her to Sgt. Hill until he could not resist a temptation, so he vamped Mahathay's girl. Now Mahathay is Sad "Budweiser."

Pvt. Laffette Haynes (The Grand Wizard of The King's Kangaroo Court) (and Detective) got his brains in his last famous murder case, and had to be sent to the nut ward. He is now back on duty status (special waiting room for patrons).

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Sergeant Stover, who has just been relieved from the position as mess-sergeant, certainly knows how to polish a stove-pipe. Instead of using stove polish, he uses black paint and paints the stove-pipe when it is hot. He says it makes a pretty color on the pipe. We agree with you, Stover.

We hear that the Company Commander is going to transfer Pvt. Scharle to the 24th Infantry in the near future, as it seems he has lost all interest in everything. Awhile back he was seen in a dark alley with a damsel of the colored variety. It seems too bad that the boy went wrong, because he was the Allentown heavyweight and everyone thought an awful lot of him, too. Cheer up, Joe, you may come back to your normal self again, but lay off the brown-skin mamas.

Our well known gold-brick is back in the company again, after spending the greater part of two months in the hospital doing nothing. You don't want a medical discharge, Wilson, the snow balls are flying just at present. Better stick around till warm weather.

Sgt. Brown rather forgets that we are painting the company tents. While going in and out of a tent he put his hand on the door and then wondered where he got the paint at. More signs wanted for the doors, WET PAINT.

Who said Leuze wasn't good at buying stoves? He went into town to get one for his tent, but he didn't know what size to order. The dealer told him he had one that would save half of his fuel, and Leuze told him to give him two of them and he would save all of it.

Two of our men, Pvts. Bigler and Cox, are to leave us soon, and we sure regret that they are going out of the company. The only thing we can do is wish them the best of luck, and we hope they both will succeed in civilian life.

Who is the man that goes on kitchen police and is sent out after elbow grease?

Pvt. Frymyer says he isn't going to Atlanta any more from now on. He says the town is dead and they pull the sidewalks in at nine o'clock. What's the matter, Frymyer, did she treat you mean while you were there?

Oh, boy! Miller has sewed on his fatigue blouse, too. What! Stripes of course. He even takes them to bed with him at night.

## Motor Transport Notes

Members and friends of Motor Transport Company No. 100, Q. M. C., spent a very delightful time on Thanksgiving. After dinner the evening was spent dancing, music being furnished by the 24th Infantry Orchestra under the leadership of Warrant Officer Lazier.

Sergeant Dave Riggins broke all records in hunting by killing the largest hawk of any huntsman in Post, its measure from wing to wing being 40 inches and weight 10 lbs.

Private Benjamin Jackson, better known as Big Boy, has been put on the heavy truck list as his foot is so heavy he can't help from stepping on it.

If there are any jewelry companies that have not visited the M. T. C., be sure and call soon as the boys are now buying watches and bracelets, but do not bring anything that costs less than $40.00.

If any one wants to know who is up the pole, ask our Truck Master Sergeant Ross.

### GEORGIA'S NEW ADJUTANT GENERAL SUCCEEDS GEN. NASH

Georgia's new Adjutant General; recently appointed by the Governor, was orniginally Lieutenant-Colonel of the 122nd Infantry.

General Lewis C. Pope, of Dublin, Ga., in 1884. When but a little over the age of fifteen years he enlisted as a private in Co. "A" 2nd Georgia Infantry, and he served with this organization sucesssively as private, During the month of May 1917, shortly after the United States declared war with Germany, General Pope reentered the Service and he has served continuously since that time.

The home of General Pope is now in Dublin, Ga., where he has many and varied financial interests among which are farming, lumbering, and fertilizer manufacturing.


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THE TRANSPORTATION facilities between Fort Benning and Columbus are not satisfactory. While it is true that the trains accommodate the student officers in so far as bringing them out from Columbus and returning them in the afternoon is concerned at the same time the only method of getting into Columbus and returning therefrom in the evening is by bus.

To the enlisted men, especially, this is something of a hardship in view of the fact that under ordinary conditions they cannot leave the Post until after the evening meal and they must return by reveille the following morning. Except around pay day the busses can probably handle the men making trips to the city, but the road is in poor condition, the busses are uncomfortable, and it costs fifty cents. At the time of the month when everybody has a few dollars to spend the busses cannot handle the crowds.

The remedy seems to be, under existing conditions, to have a night train leaving Columbus at a suitable hour or to start a movement for the construction of an electric car line between Fort Benning and Columbus.

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NOW THAT the 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry, the 2nd Battalion, 29th Infantry, and the 15th Tank Battalion enjoy a triple tie for the white championship of Fort Benning, footballically speaking, there is much speculation as to which team is going to win the pennant. Mighty claims are being made from the different teams' headquarters. Wednesday afternoon of December 27th will tell the tale for at this time the Tank outfit will play the winner of the 1st Battalion-2nd Battalion game, which is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, December 20th.

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THE OFFICERS of the 24th Infantry appear to have ambitions effecting the officer championship of the Post in volley ball. Judging from the challenge appearing in this issue to other officer teams on the Post—and, incidentally, this challenge should not be ignored—this particular outfit has a volley ball team with both ambitions and a past record. This team's ambitions should be gratified.

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THE ATHLETIC OFFICER states that steps will be taken to organize soccer football teams immediately after the football championship has been decided. This game, although comparatively new, should become popular mainly for the reason that no special uniform is required and a large number of men may play it.

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**HEADQUARTERS COMPANY.**

Private Turpin is now planning on going to Atlanta to spend the holidays with friends and relatives.

Sergeant Tyler is expecting to spend the holidays at his home in the city of Washington, D. C.

Sergeant Williams has recently returned from his furlough in the great city of Rome, not Italy, but of big G and little a, where he paid a visit to his sick mother and relatives.

Sergeant Harrison, the he vamp of the Headquarters company, is now at the height of his career, from the latest reports he has pust spied a young lady from the city that just fits his fancy.

Private Gardner Davis, the human adding machine, has just proved that no man is perfect enough to make a machine that will contradict anything which may come under his eagle eye for observation and criticism.

Corporal Carter, the Teddy Bear of the Headquarters company, is as usually eating all the Mess Sergeant has to spare and yet crying, "Why is it that they never cook something that a man can eat?"

**1ST BATTALION, HDQRS. CO.**

This organization played an important part in the recent demonstration viz Battalion in Attack, no casualties were suffered, though the Bn. Adjutant narrowly escaped with his life when the bucking bronco "Buck" which he was riding, made an attempt to fly across Maxey Ridge. The Adjutant got a death grip on his tail, however, and another on his main and by shear physical strength coupled with his exceptional ability as an equestrian, soon had the excited beast under prefect control.

Lieut. Smith recently completed three days of duty with this company making out qualification cards of the enlisted men. Some unusual occupations prior to entry into the military service were unearthed, some of the more interesting ones are given below:

Private Woodruff—Mortician's assistant. Just what did you do? Crepe hanger, sir.

Cpl. Trimble—Pearl diver. For whom did you work? Elite Cafe, sir.

Sgt. Freeman—Philanthropist. To whom did you make your principle donations. To "Doc Crandles'" poker game, sir.

Sgt. Mott — Agriculturalist. For whom did you work and just what did you do? For the Penna. Railroad, sir; packed hot boxes and cleaned engines.

Pvt. Blake—Fisheman. What bate do you use? A deck of playing cards and a poker face, sir.

Private Funk made his debut into Anglo-African society yesterday afternoon and had the honor of escorting a fair damsel of the darker variety from Block 23 to the Battalion Commander's private sanctum for the purpose of appearing before an investigation board as a witness. The entire organization joins in congratulating Private Funk on the unusual honor bestowed upon him.

**COMPANY "A."**

There has been a new promotion i Company "A." Private Tekielak has ascended to the rank of Bread Sgt. for one week, his authority is not to be denied, such a small rank as "narrow gauge" is beneath his notice, since he took charge of one particular spot in the mess hall they are stepping around. Here is a warning, Tekielak, watch your "mis placed eye brow," the bread knife is sharp.

Pvt. Dean had quite an audience in the company street the other night he sang two popular songs, "My Old Kentucky Home" and "Down the Chattahoochee on a House Boat." We realize your talent, Dean, if your voice was only trained.

Our casualties keep piling up: 1st Sgt. John Simpson, who has been our Top for a long time, has gone to the Military Police. Be good to the men, old boy, and remember who won the war.

But cheer up, 1st. Sgt. Hall is back on the job after a sixty-day furlough and we are all glad to see him back.

There was great excitement in the Company yesterday. We had a recruit assigned to us who had enlisted expressly with a view to service with the A. F. G. (American Forces in Georgia). Poor boy, he will know the truth of Sherman's words before he is through.

**COMPANY "B."**

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

(Continued from Page 6.)

we are first in the regiment in the mess rating and have been for the past three months, but from the looks of the mess sergeant things are going bad for he said that if ever the men went on another demonstration and eat the way they did the last time, there would be no mess for some time to come.

Tiger Romplowskie states that he has played no football this year, but that he is going to open up when the deciding games are played and if he hits them any harder than he has it will be well worth their while (meaning the opposing team) to have several ambulances in attendance.

All of our football players have great confidence in winning the final games of the season and they are being backed by every man in this organization.

It seems that there can be heard in the distance the tinkling of wedding bells and the Cook is weeping, for he said that his Sweetie was going away. Is that right, Easom? Hope not, for we hate to see a good man go wrong.

### COMPANY "C."

Conditions are very good in the Company at present. Sgt. Brown will be murdered pretty soon if he waits a few more days to draw canteen checks for Sgt. Mohundro and Cook Hamlin have waited about as long as they can.

Corporal Porterfield left Tuesday night for Bloomberg, Texas, where he was called on account of the death of his mother.

Pvt. Peel, our best dish washer, is getting discharged next week. Sorry to lose the best K. P. on the job, but he carries with him the best wishes of all the boys.

We certainly did miss our mocking bird while he was in the stockade, however he isn't a jail bird; we call him mocking bird because he whistles and sings so sweetly. Some call him Smithson.

"Speed Wagon" Akin thinks he is up for 148 1-2. Keep it up, Speed, you will get it.

Just watch Bugler Wagner how he's smiling. Anybody can guess the reason; Flora has made up with him.

Pvt. Weinberg thinks he ought to get a discharge by purchase. What's the matter, Sam, doesn't the Canteen pay enough?

Mess Sgt. Foster says when it rains it pours. It was well demonstrated last week when he ran over a table full of dishes and broke the whole thing. Moonshine and work won't mix. Sup. Sgt. Egizi insists on Sgt. Foster paying for the dishes but he likes to snoop around the kitchen too well to push it.

Sgt. Kesak is counting days this week, next week he will be counting years.

Pvt. John M. Smith is a handy man around the company. He was trying to be useful when he carried the G. I. to his tent instead of leaving it in the middle of the street, and Sgt. Kesak didn't fail to give him a growl.

Supply Sgt. Egizi, the new jail bird, tells some funny jokes about spending the night in jail, but he won't run over another negro soon.

### COMPANY "D."

During the past weeks Company "D" has been rather busy with its various duties. If anybody don't think so, just ask the "mule skinners." We feel "cocky" about the way we carried them off, too. Did not we receive official commendation through Post Headquarters? You bet we did, and are proud of it, too. Then the Company had to celebrate the football game between the 1st Battalion and the Tanks, which Lieut. Medaris did so much in winning. In fact, we are sure we would have lost the game if he had not arrived just when he did to take care of the rooting.

We got paid on the first day of the month for the first time since August the 1st, and although most of the boys have spent their money a few are still encumbered with a little cash. Cheer up, boys; go to the Mess Sgt., he can tell you how to spend it; he is a business man of the "first magnitude" anyway.

No doubt, our Company Barber thinks this should be celebrated as hymenial week, for he got an emergency furlough and, we are told, put to sea. What sea? Why, the matrimonial sea, of course! But wait, Stotts, have you listened to the honeyed words of a curtain lecture yet?

Teddy R. Baird claims that a jailbird flies.

Sgt. Mack Morrison says that Sandy Hook is a Scotchman and that he is a direct descendant of that family.

The company gumshoe in an official report states that he is hot on the trail of the birl who is stealing the meat out of the slum.

Chick Robertson, our Georgia special, states that a gold digger is a gold miner.

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.

Pvt. Jolliff, our company cobbler, was agreeably flattered a few days ago when the "qualification card officer" expressed surprise at the former's statement that he had never held the position of First Sergeant. However, Jolliff, it is very comforting to reflect that you still have a chance, in the next 20 years.

**EDITOR'S NOTE—On account of the unusually large amount of matter sent in for publication this week, news letters or parts of letters omitted will appear in the next issue.**


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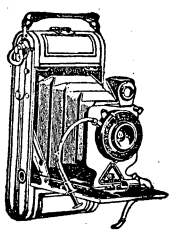
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nor social tea,
And the day that he gets his pay he
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likes to fill the can;
He's kind of rough and maybe tough
—the Regular Army Man.
The tearin', sometimes swearin' Reg-
ular Army Man.

No saint'll call him a noble sob. He
ain't no ladies man,
But let a bugle sound and they send
for him you bet,
He don't cut any ice at all in fash-
ion's social plan,
He get's the job to face the mob—
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The willin', drillin' made for killin'
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There ain't no tears shed over him
when he goes off to war,
He get's no speech or prayer from
mayor or governor.
He packs his little kanpsack up and
trots off with the band,
To start the fight and start it right
—the Regular Army Man.
The rattlin' battling colt or gatlin'
Regular Army Man.

He makes no fuss about the job; he
don't talk big or brave,
He know's he is in the fight to win,
or help fill up the grave.
He ain't no mama's darling, but he
does the best he can.
And he's the chap than wins the
scrap—the Regular Army Man.
The dandy, handy, cool and sandy
Regular Army Man,
None are so blind as those who re-
fuse an eye-opener.

5th CORPS NEWS

### HAVE A HEART

I thought I'd be a soldier
And kill a flock of Huns,
So I gave up a dandy job
And see a foreign country,

To shoot all kinds of guns.
And rushed down to enlist,
And said "I want to go to France"—
On this I shall insist.

I got a little training,
Police around the tents,
And helped haul out the garbage
Thus collecting a few scents.

I had my turn at peeling spuds,
Cut bread and dished up chow,
An often dodged inspection;
I cannot tell you how.

I went down to the warehouse
And wrestled tons of freight,
And counted endless G. I. Cots
And things in box or crate.

The C. O. found that I could count
And write on a machine,
So he put me in the office
And said to use my bean.

The war got hot and heavy
And troops went out to fight,
I worked like thunder all day long
And cussed my luck at night.

At last I wrote a letter home,
I can't be a soldier;
Take down the little service flag,
I'm in the Q. M. C.

But now the war is over,
I wish there was a chance,
That every durned fool wouldn't ask
Oh, did you go to France.

5th CORPS NEWS

### RECENT ARRIVALS ON THE POST

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Born to Sergeant and Mrs. Harold J. Wellman, December 10, 1922, a son, Harold James, Jr.

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"Mah goodness. We has to get up at four in the morning an' gathah in de stahs; den we has to haul in the moon and hang out the sun. Den we have to roll de clouds aroun' all day long."

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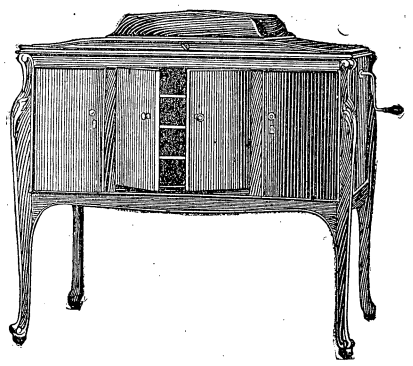

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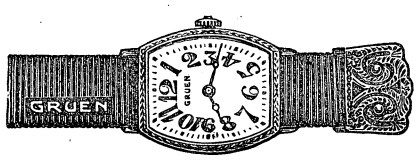


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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 12)

**Company "D"**

On October 13th Company "D" began preparation for the attack with the infantry which was to begin at daybreak on the morning of October 14th. The company assisted in the capture of towns of Cunel and Romagne, and made reconnaissance for bridge sites in the vicinity of these places. On October 16th a wagon bridge over the Andon stream was constructed at Romagne, which was out of the alloted sector, and in the sector of the 32nd Division. The work was done while enemy planes were hovering over-head, giving range to the German artillery, as a consequence of which the working parties were subjected to a terrific fire of gas and high explosive shells. On October 17th the company wired in the resistance point south of Cunel inspite of the machine gun fire and the one-pounders from the enemy. On the 18th work was started on the construction of the road from Cierges to Nantillois.

**Company "F"**

On the night of October 13th, the 1st, 3rd,4th and part of the 2nd platoon of Company "F" left Natillois and went up to the front line to go over with the Infantry on the morning of the 14th, their mission being to throw foot bridges across the Andon. However, on account of the stubborn resistance met in the Bois-de-Rappe, the attack was stopped just north of the Cunel-Romagne road. It was here that the most severe losses of the drive were sustained, and where 1st Lieut. Richard M. Wilson, Commanding Company "F" was killed.

The advance was attempted on the two succeeding mornings, but without success, due to the stubborn resistance which was met in Bois-de-Rappes. The Bois-de-Rappes had to be cleared first. The next few days and nights were spent in organizing the positions and wiring in the support lines and repairing buildings near Madeleine Farm. Finally, the Bois-de-Rappes was cleared by the 11th Infantry and Lieut. Hawk, with the accompanying engineer detachments, wired in the combat groups just inside the edge of the woods, and on the 22nd day of October, the 5th Division was relieved.

On October 23rd the regiment was relieved, and moved back to the demolished town of Esnes and vicinity for rest. The men here had their first opportunity in eleven days, to get a real clean-up. But even during these few days there was no idleness. The roads required a great deal of maintenance and the 7th Engineers were given the work to do.

**Second Phase of the Meuse-Argonne Offensive**

On the 27th of October the 5th Division entered the line for a second time, The troops of the division had gained invaluable experience in the first phase of the Meuse-Argonne, the enviable record made by the 5th Division in its second entry into the most vital and impregnable part of the enemy lines.

It was to the 5th Division that the honor of first crossing the Meuse, against stubborn resistance by the enemy, fell. And of the several engineer regiments in the vicinity, it was the 7th engineers who were selected to throw the first pontoon bridge across the Meuse.

On the night of the 26th of October, the 5th Division relieved the 3rd Division, which was occupying the line from the left bank of the Meuse west along the northeastern corner of the Bois-de-Rappes, thence along the northeast edge of Claire Chenes, Hill 299, and the northern edges of the Hois-de-Foret.

Due to the fact that the enemy occupied the heights on the right bank of the Meuse, it was impossible for the XVIII French Corps to advance, hence the advance line of the American First Army on the left bank of the Meuse River, resulting in heavy shelling on our rear area. It was therefore apparent that it would be necessary to attack in an easterly direction, pivoting on the 5th Division.

Anticipating this turning movement, bridges were constructed by the 7th Engineers over the Andon at Clery-le-Petit, Clery-le-Grand, and Ancreville on the sites of the bridges destroyed by the enemy, and enemy traps were removed in the vicinity of Brieulles. This work occupied the time of part of the regiment while remaining companies were practiced in the construction of portable foot bridges and the use of heavy French pontoon equipment.

Owing to the basin of the Meuse north of Brieulles, and its closing southward to within one hundred meters of the ground held by the enemy, the front on which a crossing could be made was limited to fifteen of fifteen hundred meters in extent.

East of the river lay the canal which was approximately 20 meters wide and ten meters deep. The entire river basin and canal were visible from the high ground occupied by the enemy and permitted direct artillery and machine gun fire at close range.

On the night of November 2nd and 3rd, Company "F" of the 7th Engineers threw a bridge across the Meuse River opposite Brieulles and with Company "E" and "G" of the 6th Infantry, crossed the river and approached the canal.

However the fire which was directed upon them, made the construction of a foot bridge across the canal impossible, and the three companies were forced to seek cover between the canal and the river during the following day.

In the early morning of November 4th work was continued and two foot bridges were constructed across the canal, but it was impossible for troops to cross until after dark that evening, when the 6th Infantry finally succeeded in rushing the bridge.

Co.'s "A" and "C" were waiting in readiness between Bieulles and Nantillois with a train of heavy pontoon equipage. Simultaneously with the crossing of the infantry over the foot bridges, these companies moved forward and threw wagon bridges over the river and canal, near the site of the footbridges. This work was completed by 3:30 A. M. on the morning of the 5th of November, and roadways and approaches were completed before daylight.

The entire 10th Brigade and two light regiments of the 3rd Artillery Brigade, as well as all supplies and ammunition received by these troops were taken over these bridges,

At 2:00 P. M. on November 4th, Company "B" in accordance with Corps orders, attempted the construction of a footbridge between Clery-le-Petit and Doulcon, but due to severe losses caused by the intense machine gun fire in attempting to cross the open flats, the project had to be abandoned.

The same night, under color of darkness, Company "D" constructed foot-bridges over the river and canal on the site of "B" Company's attempt and the 9th Brigade made its initial attack over these bridges.

Due to the lightness of the wagon bridge at Brieulles, heavy transportation was unable to cross, hence on the night of November 5th and 6th, Company "B" with attached men from "D", "E" and "F" of the 7th Engineers, constructed a heavy reinforced pontoon bridge over the canal at Dun-sur-Meuse. Though this bridge was several times bombed by aeroplanes, the truck trains and heavy artillery were able to pass, and the bridge was kept in continuous operation uptil a semi-permanent bridge was constructed at Dun.

The work of the individual companies, in this phase of the Meuse-Argonne offensive, is given below.

**Headquarters Detachment.**

On October 27th, after a three-day stay at Esnes the division relieved the 3rd Division Headquarters Company was moved forward to a former German P. C., one kilometer east of Cuisy.

**(Continued Next Week.)**


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W. T. Heard, 1st Ave and 13th St., Dodge Automobiles.

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Everett's, 12th St. and 3rd Ave., cold drinks, smokes.

Walker Electric & Plumbing Co., 112 12th St., everything electrical.

Georgia Grocery Co., 1st Ave. and 12th St. ,groceries.

Waverly Hotel, 13th St.

H. Rothschild, 1228 Broad St., furniture.

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Co-Operative Drug Co., Broad St., drugs.

Wheat Drug Co., 1116 Broad St., drugs, florists.

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Hawkins Piano Co., 1307 Broad St., musical instruments, Edisons.

Motor Sales Co., 1305 Broad St., automobiles.

Hubbard Hardware Co., 1249 Broad St., hardware, athletic equipment.

Humes Music Co., 1141 Broad St., musical instruments, Victrolas.

Freeman Drug Co., 103 12th St., drugs, cigars, tobacco.

Lamar Smith, 1131 Broad St., jeweler.

Lafkowitz Bros., 1129 Broad St., tailors.

Kinsel & Petri, 1105 Broad St., jewelers.

L. H. Davis, 1306 Broad St., athletic goods.

Columbus Hat Co., 9 11th St., hats cleaned.

Shackelford's Drug Store, 5 10th St., drugs, drinks.

Star Pressing Club, 11th 10th St., pressing and cleaning.

F. T. Harmon, 9 10th St., jeweler.

Martin Bros. Auto Company, 1238 1st Ave., autos for rent.

U. S. Cafe, 1023 Broad St., restaurant.

Good Eats Cafe, 1008 Broad St., restaurant.

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Columbus Taxi Co., 940 Broad St., taxis.

Dudley-Jenkins Grocery Co., 10th and Broad, wholesale grocers.

Quality Press, 1021½ Broad St., printing.

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# National Guard and Reserve Officers Class

(By JAY GEE BEE.)

On Thursday, December 7th, the class was entertained by the Kiwanis Club of Columbus in the mess hall in Biglerville. Roast duck and other tities by the members of the class and the other guests. Somebody said that they also had possum, but I things were consumed in great quanguess that I must have been in a trance when they brought that around for I certainly missed it.

Following this fine dinner, we were welcomed by General Gordon, who remarked that he had already had the opportunity of welcoming us in an official capacity, but that at this time, wished to extend a welcome as a citizen of Columbus and as a Kiwanian. He was followed by Major McMurray, Company Commander, who responded for the class. Other speakers followed, after which we were entertained by talented singers and musicians. Everybody seemed to have a fine time, especially enjoying the old time darky songs that were offered by the Community Singers. The 24th Infantry band furnished the music and were heartily applauded when they rendered "Poet and Peasant," and several other pleasing numbers.

The guests left to the stirring strains of march music by the 24th Infantry Bugle Corps. Everybody was happy and the class will remember this party a long time, and will be glad to tell the world that The Kiwanis Club of Columbus is made up of regular fellows.

Incidentally, it might be a good thing to remember that we are going to give a party or two before we leave and we could look a long time before we would find better entertainment than that furnished by the musicians and singers that so delightfully officiated at this party.

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Even at the Kiwanis Club party, they furnished note books and pencils.

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The only thing the speakers neglected was to announce that they would furnish mimeographed copies of their speeches.

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Tell us what is wrong with the man that will carefully oil his rifle, then remove the bolt and lay it in the sand when he gets on the firing line. I saw it done but hesitate to make his name public.

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Wha't become of Az E. Muth?

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At last a feud has developed in the ranks of our class. Lt. Gilchrist came to the writer and confidentially whispered that he had discovered that Lt. Dolan came from Concord, Mass., and was of the firm opinion that anybody who hailed from west of the Allegheny Mountains was an untamed savage. Also that he thought that all the natives from outside the New England states were either Indians or wild westerners that packed guns and shot anybody they did not happen to take a fancy to. We took the matter up with Dolan and he, in turn, informed us that Gilchrist had not had a good night's sleep since the Kiwanis Club dinner, for he heard at that time, New York state led the country in the number of illiterates.

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We will now take the case of the State vs. Peabody.

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Among the spectators of the 29th Infantry parade last Friday was Captain Miller, Captain Warden and several others. At the command, "Officer, Post," Captain Warden thought that they meant him and proceeded to imitate one of the best of his ability. That he was very successful, is attested by everyone present for they were all fooled, even a dog wandered by.

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It is the policy of the school that you remain standing.

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The night that it rained so hard, Singletary was discovered pitching a pup tent inside the pyramidal that he calls home. He swears that some one sneaked up and shot the pyramidal tent full of holes.

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You may smoke if you wish, gentlemen.

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The alibis have started. Lt. Shaw went to town the day after he started shooting on the range, to purchase a pair of glasses. Some of us could probably do better shooting if we were blindfolded.

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Rum-tum, tum, tum. That gentlemen, is 128 steps a minute, quick time.

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We are compelled to congratulate Captain Layman, our instructor in Rifle Marksmanship. Some of his students seem to be laying for him with a bunch of questions that are seemingly intended to stop him, but to date, the captain has succeeded in answering all that have been shot at him and has overlooked nothing.

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Lieut. Barkley kicks in with this one: Captain Siscoe, leader of the second squad of the rifle platoon assumes an innocent air and remarks that his squad is evenly divided. Up speaks Captain Raine, "How is that Corporal?" "Why, you poor fish there are four in each rank," quoth the doughty corporal.

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How will yo' have yo' aigs this mo'nin', ham or bacon?

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The members of this class can help make this column interesting if they will make a note of anything out of the ordinary or amusing that comes under their observation. Turn it in to the writer in tent number 44 and I will see that it gets in the column. You must sign your name, to show good faith and give the column conductor an alibi, if necessary. Copy must be in my hands not later than Monday noon of each week.

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One, two, three, foah, One, two, three foah. One, two, three foah.

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Captain Allen, of the machine gunners, says that one of those warm days a couple of weeks ago, he saw a dog chasing a rabbit across a field. There is usually nothing startling about that, but in this case the captain says that it was so hot that both the rabbit and the dog were walking.

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As a writer in the latest issue of the Blue Book says, "A bald head is an at of God, but these funnf little mustaches are a man's own fault."

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Now for our old friend, the stretcher. It will give you poise.

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After being dinned on elevation, some of the officers in the machine gun platoon are wondering how far they would have to elevate the guns before they would be committing suicide.

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Ready, EXERCISE. One, chew, one, chew, one chew.

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I said that the multitude would be on me, and I was right. A delegation, headed by Captain Bateman and Lieut. McGowan, brought me to task for daring to leave the noble 29th Division out of my list. Add the 29th.

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We get the report that Lieut. Waite was beaned with a machine gun during a drill the other day. We have heard of a man clubbing his rifle when at close quarters, but this is the first time that we ever heard that a machine gunner was expected to use his gun in that manner on a friend.

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All right, in there, don't forget that you are marching at attention.

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Lt. Gilchrist was greatly worried last Sunday, for his tent mate was numbered among the missing for over twenty four hours. It developed later that Dolan had been talking over the phone to a friend in the "Hub of the Universe," and returned to camp very much exhilerated.

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Fall out. Sit down where you are.

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We have been observing some of the games of Volley ball that are played back of our tent and are struck by the extreme politeness of some of the players. At times when the ball comes over, Rice will say, "You take it Garrett". But Garrett is also very polite, so he says. "No, you take it, Rice", and in the meantime the ball drops to the ground amid great cheers from the other players on the team with these two courteous gentlemen.

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Why don't you guys up in front find some deeper sand to walk in?

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Now is the time that some of the unmarried officers are letting their correspondence drag. The reason is easy to find; Christmas comes this month, after which, the boys can take up where they left off, thereby saving expenses.

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Swing low, sweet char-i-o-u-t comin' fo' to ca''y me home.

It is now eight o'clock, are there any questions? That's all.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## POLO

Due to the inclement weather and the fact that the Holidays are rapidly approaching, the Fort Benning Polo Tournament has been postponed.

This postponement will allow the horses to get a well deserved rest after having been played in Fort Oglethorpe Tournament and will, incidentally, put the players who took part in the tournament on a more even basis with the other players on the Post who failed to get practice while the ponies were away.

The following letter in connection with the Oglethorpe tournament is published below and is self-explanatory:

Headquarters , Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia,
Office of the Commanding Officer,
December 7, 1922

SUBJECT: Visiting Polo Team.
TO: Commanding Officer, Fort Fort Benning, Georgia.

I take this occasion to let you know what a great pleasure it was for us to have as our guests, the members of your team, during the polo tournament. Their excellent example of unfailing courtesy, gentlemanly and soldierly conduct and the fine sportmanslike spirit exhibited by them in a losing game, was most favorably commended upon and very much appreciated.

Your team was no doubt handicapped in playing under conditions different from those to which they were accustomed at home, and although they did not win the tournament, we are proud of their record, proud of each individual player and know that among them there is championship material. All the games were closely contested and your players were most admirable losers.

signed, R. J. FLEMING
Colonel, 6th Cavalry, Commanding.

## Record of Infantry School 1921-1922 Basketball Team

**(By Brooke Leman.)**

Dec. 6, West Point A. C., at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 45, Opp. 10.
Dec. 16, Albany Y. M. C. A., at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 28, Opp. 24.
Dec. 17, Mercer University, at Macon, Ga., Inf. 24, Opp. 20.
Dec. 20, Auburn, at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 37, Opp. 17.
Dec. 22, Atlanta A. C. Club, at Atlanta, Ga., Inf. 26, Opp. 33.
Dec. 27, Spartanburg "Y," at Spartanburg, S. C., Inf. 26, Opp. 36.
Jan. 3, Northwestern Univ., at Evanston, Ill., Inf. 15, Opp. 34.
Jan. 4, Univ. of Chicago, at Chicago, Ill., Inf. 12, Opp. 36.
Jan. 5, Notre Dame, at South Bend, Ind., (Forfeit) Inf. 1, Opp. 0.
Jan. 6, Purdue, at LaFayette, Ind., Inf. 26, Opp. 42.
Jan. 7, Indiana University, at Bloomington, Ind., Inf. 20, Opp. 46.
Jan. 9, Vanderbilt Univ., at Nashville, Tenn., Inf. 29, Opp. 11.
Jan. 10, Univ. of Chattanooga, at Chattanooga, Tenn., Inf. 36, Opp. 16.
Jan. 11, Birmingham A. C., at Birmingham, Ala., Inf. 49, Opp. 35.
Jan. 13, Gordon Institute, at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 62, Opp. 9.
Jan. 14, Macon Y. M. C. A., at Macon, Ga., Inf. 29, Opp. 12.
Jan. 20, Clemson College, at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 38, Opp. 24.
Jan. 25, Knoxville Tigers, at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 35, Opp. 19.
Jan. 28, Columbus Y. M. C. A., at Columbus, Ga., Inf. 28, Opp. 31.
Jan. 31, Univ. of Florida, at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 43, Opp. 13.
Feb. 3, Mercer University, at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 37, Opp. 12.
Feb. 8, Columbus Y. M. C. A., at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 26, Opp. 23.
Feb. 10, Georgia Tech, at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 23, Opp. 24.
Feb. 13, Albany Y. M. C. A., at Albany, Ga., Inf. 39, Opp. 22.
Feb. 14, Auburn, at Auburn, Ala., Inf. 30, Opp. 17.
Feb. 16, Oglethorpe Univ., at Camp Benning, Ga., Inf. 32, Opp. 13.
Total: Inf. 796, Opp. 584.

Games played 26; games won 18; games lost 8; percentage .692.

The Infantry quintette of 1921-22 hung up the above enviable record, setting a pace which will be exceedingly hard to equal in the succeeding years. The Blue five lost but one game on the old home floor and this by a one point margin. Every Southern college team except Georgia Tech bowed to the Infantry. The Yellow Jackets accomplished what had heretofore been impossible when they put over this one defeat by the narrowest of tallies—24 to 23 was the final score.

For the past ten days the Blue squad, led by Fay Smith, captain of last year's varsity and likewise a member of the 1920 five, have been hard at work in preparation for the opening skirmish which is scheduled for next Tuesday night with the West Point A. C. team.

Five veterans besides Smith are out this season and include Whittemore, guard and center; Vevia, forward; Honnen, guard, who will probably work in a forward berth this year; Gary Chapman, guard, and Wessels, center. Ritter, a member of the 1920 quint, is back this year. compose the entire Infantry bookings and of these fifteen will be on the home court. The Infantry will bring the strongest teams possible to Benning and prospects are bright for another banner year.

## Officers Play Volley Ball

**24th INFANTRY TEAM ISSUES BLANKET CHALLENGE.**

Volley ball is creating much interest among the officers of the Camp and at various places thruout the Camp may be seen the officers of the Post enjoying the sport on the courts.

Nowhere has greater interest been taken in this sport than among the officers of the 24th Infantry. A three weeks tournament just completed resulted in Team No. 3, captained by Captain Moore, winning the tournament with 17 games won and 10 lost. A second series of games has been started and the team captains are Lt. L. V. Jones, Lt. W. V. Carter, Lt. R. J. Caperton and Chaplain M. W. Reynolds. The losing team in the league has to buy cigars for the other teams in the tournament.

The officers of the 24th issue a challenge to any officers' team in Camp for a series of games to be played either on the 24th Infantry court or elsewhere. Mr. L. H. Davis, well known sporting goods salesman of Columbus, has offered a suitable prize if interest enough in the sport is aroused to make the contest anything but a walk away for the 24th Infantry Team.

Due to the fact that the White Star Taxi Service is getting a large increase of Camp trade, the management has ordered ten more cars to be here by the first of the New Year. The management wishes to announce that he appreciates all the Fort Benning patronage.


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## 15th Tank Battalion News

Athletic activities, everything from baseball to horseshoe, are governed by the log hut committee, of which Sgt. Dennis is in charge. Any member who possesses any athletic prowess and wants to display his wares for the glory of the Batallion can submit his name to the committee and they will forward your name to the manager of the team that you wish to qualify for. Lieut. Hanson, who has been made temporary manager of the basketball team, promises us that he will have the best team seen under our colors for many days.

Not mentioning any names but Co. Co. "B's" acting mess sergeant ought to be looked after by some of his friends who go across the 14th Street Bridge with him. He may be seen walking up and down the main drag every night with a young lady on his arm. I understand he is in love, but the symptoms do not indicate that. Perhaps he could give us an idea of just what it is. Maybe he is going to challenge Young Nestor, who is coming to Columbus soon in a long distance walking contest.

The entertainment committe report that the program for the stag is about complete. The presence of many famous men is assured. Among hem we find Jimmy Hicks, who furnishes corns for the famous McGuire's Irish Corn Plasters; Goldstein originator of the Chinese language and 25 per cent discount. Hunt, writer of poems and painter of lillies famous for his song, "Why did You Leave Me When I told You to Go," and other short stories. Batchelder, manager and publicity agent for Sharpe, champion heavyweight and fliweight boxer, wrestler, half-back, pitcher, batter, slider, weight lifter, singer, fire-eater, swimmer, diver, and jazz dancer of Aurora Borealis, Mason, famous because he got married a short time ago and still thinks it's funny; Boone, famous because he got married and stayed that way. Kimball, president and demonstrator for the "Danderless Hairless Dome Co., of South America," Lindsey, a devottee of women, "Juicy Fruit" an "Sen-Sen" and now nationally famous as the president of the Reversible Bad-Breath Company, and winner of the prize for detecting the aroma of limburger cheese on a young lady's breath three hours before she ate it. Stevens, inventor of feet for shoes, holes for socks and boots for bootleggers. Bryson, inventor of steaks, professor of choppery in the Pork Loin College of Pig Manicuring and lecturer on the art of blowing holes in Swiss Cheese made in American cheese factories, and distributor generally of tenderlions and other tougher meats. He will bring his protege, Cauthen, who is now apprenticed at blowing sausages into links and glueing the strings together, and last but not least Arthur, (Thed Batallion Tailor) Distributor of aeroplane linen shirts for high-flyers at box office prices and president, secretary, treasurer, manager and salesman for the Arthur non-wearable Shirt Company. Shirts will be repurchased at the end of enlistment for the price paid for them, being absolutely non-wearable and getting better with age (same as whiskey), a convertible shirt-can be used for a nightgown in winter, a linen duster in the summer and a masquerade costume at all times.

Little Eva sends "Red" her best wishes from Havana, Cuba.

Our poor "Porcupine" (Densmore) has again been defeated on the field of strife. A knight from the hills back of Duran, Ga., was found more acceptable to his fair "Curls" and she has recently informed him that she loved another and was to marry soon. He was sadly disappointed, but after a brief period spent in sackcloth and ashes, and singing to himself a little chant entitled, "I loved that little girl," he has again become almost his natural self. He says he has quit trying to reform the girls, but that some day he expects to find one that doesn't need any spirtual reform. Next time you had better take your pup tent and camp on her trail, as that old saying "Absence makes the heart grow fonder," is all bunk anyway.

The printers devil (Bryan) reports that "Red's" girl turned down his offer to her of a chance to win five gold smacks. Those coupons attached to Vaudette's tickets never were much good anyway.

Only a few more shopping days until Christmas. Have you done yours yet?

It is requested that all who read this bow their heads in silent prayer for the soul of "Both-of-us", Wade who is striving to get himself entangled in the skeins of the matrimo-Lewis, your religious influence is badly needed to save this erring boy.

If the gang doesn't get busy and send in this stuff to the scribe there is going to be a good job gone to the bow wows. You have to get the news to put it in here, and if you don't get it, as neither the scribe nor his staff are 2nd "Loouies,, or corporals, and can't know it all, there will cease to be any column.

## LODGE NOTICES

Rose Hill Lodge No. 480, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night at 2400 Hamilton Avenue.

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LEROY LEWIS, Sec'y.

Columbian Lodge No. 7, F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.

E. L. KING, W. M.
E. P. COULTER, Sec'y.

### TWO GOOD FEATURE PICTURES RIALTO THEATRE NEXT WEEK

For the two attractions at the Rial toTheatre next week they are offering first Richard Barthelmess in "the Bondboy," and the last half Priscilla Dean in "Under Two Flags."

The first named picture has Barthelmess in the role of the son of an aristocratic southern gentleman who died poor while trying to perfect an invention. The boy allows himself to be "bound out" to the arch villian of the neighborhood for a period of four years at a ten dollar a month pittance. How he later succeeds in life makes a good picture which you are sure to enjoy.

The last named picture with Priscilla Dean gives her an excellent opportunity to show just what she can do with a plot which is different than any picture shown at this theatre in some time. We will not tell you anything about it but will say that you will enjoy it because it is much a mystery tale that you will be entertained throughout.

Teacher: "If your father gave your mother ten dollars this morning and ten dollars tonight, what would your mother have?"

Johnny: "Hystericks."

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## "Peace on Earth, Good Will to All Mankind"

*The News wishes its patrons and readers a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.*

## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

It is with very great regrets that we record the separation from the service of Chaplain J. A. Gray. With his family he left this week. The work here will miss Chaplain and Mrs. Gray very much.

**Christmas.**

The great Post Tree for the children with exercises and distribution of gifts, will be held at the Service Club No. 1 on Saturday, Dec. 23, at 2:30. Every child with its parents is urged to be there to greet Santa Claus.

Christmas services will be held at the Protestant Chapel on Sunday morning at 10:30 and on Christmas morning at the same hour, with Holy Communion.

Midnight Mass at the Catholic Chapel Christmas Eve.

## New Equipment For Theatres

The U. S. A. M. P. Service has promised to send their equipment expert to this Post to install a motor generator set at an early date, which will insure us of as good picture projection as may be found in the South.

Suggestion and construction criticism will be welcomed by the theatre manager, Lt. Jack E. Rycroft, phone No. 146 Post, anyone desiring to see any special production will kindly submit title of same to the theatre manager and an attempt will be made to have it booked at an early date.

## The Situation In The Near East

The threatened war in the Near East has quieted down, at least for the present, but the fires that ignited the powder of war is still burning. The Turks desire more spoils and the Greek wants revenge. Also since the Balkan States do not desire to see Turkey get too much they are preparing for war, and with the Turk complaining that all that he can do at the peace conference is to make concessions to European powers, it would not be surprising if the Turk would simply say that he would run things to suit himself and left the conference. What would be the result? Especially if the rumor that a secret treaty exists between Germany, Russia, and the Turks, and that they are preparing for a great war. If you think that a war with this combination is impossible please remember that these three countries have the natural resources at hand to carry out their desire if they took the notion.

**MORE POSSIBLE WARS.**

Since the Fascist have gained control of Italy we find that they are not satisfied with reforming only Italy but even conquest is hinted at or a GREATER ITALY is their desire. Also they want a Navy that can control the Mediterranean Sea. This conflicts directly with the interest of France in Africa and the Mediterranean Sea, so it would be very natural to believe that neither nation will ratify the Limitation of Armament agreement agreed to at the Washington conference. Further neither nation is saying anything about paying their debt to the United States.

## New Policy of the War Department

Commencing January 1st, 1923, it will be the policy of the War Department theatres to show a Super Special feature every Sunday evening. During the week there will be two big Western features, showing such stars of Wm. S. Hart, Tom Mix, Buck Jones, Hoot Gibson, and others.

The program for the remaining nights of the week will be composed of those feature pictures which have proven themselves to be most popular with the theatre-going public. James Curwood's latest pictures will also be shown during the months of January and February.

## The Prohibition Ruling

When the prohibition against liquors in the Army Posts was put into effect some years ago the ban was promptly put on the Army Transports also. This procedure was simply taken as a matter of course and no one ever thought of getting a reversal of ruling on it.

The recent ruling as to the transportation of liquor on American vessels will be generally accepted just as it was by the Army.

## NEW RECORD FOR RECRUITING

**SGT. WINN, AT DUBLIN, GETS MOST MEN.**

Fort Benning now has six recruiting sub-stations, located at Columbus, Ga., Macon, Ga., Albany, Ga., Waycross, Ga., Dublin, Ga., and Cordele, Ga.

Sergeant Aaron M. Winn, D. E. M. L. (RS) in charge of the Dublin station, is high man for December so far, he having sent in nineteen applicants, all of whom are high grade men and only one of whom has been rejected by the Post Recruiting Officer.

Private 1st Cl. Sp. 5th Cl. Grover C. Woods, in charge of the Cordele station, with nine men to his credit, has the next best record for accepted applicants.

Fifty-three men had been enlisted up to December 21, with more applicants en route to this Post.

It is believed that many enlistments are due to the interest shown locally in the cities in which the substations are located. This is especially true of Dublin, Ga. When the Post Recruiting Officer paid a visit to the Dublin station last week he met the Postmaster, the editor of the Dublin Courier-Herald, he chief of police, and others. Due to shortage of time he was unable to meet the Mayor, whom it is understood is also an enthusiastic supporter of The Infantry School. The Recruiting Officer desires to thank these persons for the co-operation and encouragement that they have given Sergeant Winn in his work.

## Great Boxing At the Post

Saturday, December 16th, 1922, saw the first of a series of boxing bouts to be staged at the new Post Gymnasium.

The first bout of six rounds was a good curtain raiser. Young DeRose, champion Fourth Corps Area, was an easy winner over Kid Brown, of Columbus.

The Next bout featuring Battling Grantham, Champion Fourth Corps Area, versus Kid Earle, of Columbus. This was a good bout and Earle showed considerable improvement since his bout here of October 16th. The bout was featured by good clean fast boxing.

The semi-final bout was good while it lasted, but in the third round Chief Alonzo fouled Red Keenan, champion Fourth Corps Area. Chief was after Red's scalp and threw all points to the wind and waded in with hay makers to knock his man out, but Red was just a little too fast for him with the result that he was never in any danger.

The final bout featuring Kid Sebukarty, champion Fourth Corps Area, and Battling Dundee, Camp McClellan, was a short affair, lasting one minute and fifty-eight seconds when the Kid planted a square solar plexas on the Battler that almost buried his glove. The Battler got up in about five minutes and wanted to know if it was all over with already.

## Big Doings at Service Club Christmas Night

**EVERYBODY COME.**

A great big Christmas welcome is going to be waiting for all of the enlisted men and their families that venture near the Service Club on Christmas night. An informal entertainment will be provided by some of the enlisted men that should be able to make you forget your past trouble and make you abide with that good Christmas proverb, "Peace on earth, good will to men," and when you get into this mood you are in the proper spirit to enjoy Christmas the way that it should be enjoyed.

Also leave a little room in your dining room as the hostess imparted the fact to the News reporter that after the men finished their little entertainment that she was going to pass around a little good cheer in the form of "eats."

The Service Club has been murescoed and re-painted and now that it is being decorated for the holidays you will be so proud of your Club

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### LAMENT DE L'LIEUTENANT.

**When Silver Turns to Gold.**

Ah, little bars of silver,
To have is not to hold;
You'll grace my blouse no longer
When silver turns to gold.
The alchemists of Congress
Are doping out a plot
To tear you from my shoulders
For the bubbling melting pot.

It may be best, my comrades,
You're tarnished, stained and old,
When alchemy has finished
You'll be of purest gold.
Oh, purest, rarest metal,
Demotion's lowest rung,
Yours is the saddest story
That e'er was told or sung.

You're visited upon me,
Just like the father's sins,
To plague me when I'm aged
And tottering on my pins.
I hope to lose you sometime—
Would do it willingly;
A gold bar wonder always
I do not care to be.

Men making gold from silver
And causing pain and strife,
No doubt make panaceas
For lengthening human life.
And as promotion lingers,
If bad should come to worst,
I'll beg them for this mixture,
And LIVE!—to be a first.

Now should this band of wizards
Refuse, then I'll laugh
And die a second looey
With this—
MY EPITAPH
Toiling, rejoicing, sorrowing,
Onward thru life he strolled,
At set of sun, when his course was run
He wore a bar of gold.

—5th Corps News and Diamond Dust

# Social Notes

**Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.**
Post Phone 192.

### MRS. CHARLES McNAIR ENTERTAINS THE 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Charles McNair, wife of Captain McNair, entertained the 24th Infantry Bridge Club at her home in Fort Benning. Holly and poinsettias were the decorations used in her attractive apartment.

Mrs. W. A. Stetler won the first prize, a brass bookrack. The second prize, a hanging flower vase, was won by Mrs. E. C. Maling. Mrs. B. P. Nicklin won the cut prize.

There were three tables of players and several tea guests. After the game delicious sandwiches and tea were served.

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The Calisthenic Club at Fort Benning has had a splendid course under the direction of Captain Braun.

There are fifty-nine members of the club and great progress has been made.

On account of the holiday season the next meeting of the club is postponed until Thursday, January 4, 1923.

IDEAL XMAS GIFTS STILL COMING IN.

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### REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS COMPANY.

At last Sgt. Edward Roper has went and got "Hooked." By the way, everybody seemed to wonder what was wrong with "Peggy" before he cast himself in the "Bonds of Matrimony." Best wishes, "Peggy," we all get "Hooked" sooner or later.

Corporal Dumas remarked a few days ago that the "Free Booters" may not know how to play "Football" but they sure can cripple up a good team. (Ask the 2nd Bn., 29th Inf., and the 83rd F. A. Teams.)

Sergeant Harrison has predicted that the Basketball Championship Cup will adorn the Orderly Room of Regimental Headquarters Co. this season. The Company team was very good last season but watch them this season.

The members of the Company have been wondering how many "wild animals" Sgt. Oudette and Private Samuel Parvin have killed, captured and lost on their hunting trip over "Benning's 90,000 Square Acres."

Regimental Headquarters Company wonders how many organizations can say that they haven't a man in Captain Teachout's "Wire City" and haven't had in the past 3 months, and best of all not a "Venereal." Thanks to the Company Commander, Company Officers, and the "Top Kicker," we will keep the Company Clean.

### FIRST BATTALION HDQ.

Interest is running high around 1st Bn. Hdqs. in the search for the missing inspection report. A conference was held at a late hour last night in an attempt to cast some light on the baffling mystery which has caused so much comment and much excitement among the members of Company Hdqs. This astounding mystery has been in the limelight here for the past several days and from all appearances is as far from being solved as it ever was. Several clues were run down but each terminated in Cpl. Trimbles' waste basket. Hawkeye Brown and Eagle Eye Thomas were called in on the case and stated that developments could be expected in a few days. It was reported that a substantial reward would be offered to any one who is able to cast some illumination on this mystery, this report was not authenticated, however.

### THE ORACLE.

One of the most prominent personages in the 29th is our Biographical subject:

Sgt. Ike Hurries Seldom Freeman. Sgt. Freeman was born in May, 1890, in the village of Vicksburg, Miss., a suburb of New Orleans. When but a child he gained great fame as a crane man. At one time on his father's farm there were 3000 oogles, better known as three-legged cranes. The love these birds had for Younk Ike was so great that each bird knew him intimately and confided to him all their troubles.

Sgt. Freeman is of a very confiding nature and was telling the author confidentially that when in his old age he will be sitting under the old pumpkin tree on the old homestead in Mississippi, bouncing a grandchild on each knee. He will tell the children of the publicity he received in the 29th, more publicity he says than when he was arrested for boot-legging in Yazoo City, Miss.

Sgt. Freeman is a heart breaker with the ladies and probably leaves a sweetheart in every town, being as the Japanese say, "Very much butterfly" in his affections.

He has been successful in every venture he has undertaken except in trying to bribe the biographer man, which he tried in vain with one of his most cherished articles, a pillow of ducklet's feathers, given to him by a chocolate blond, just before the battle of Who Run.

### COMPANY "B."

After defeating the wonderful Artillery in the football contest for this season, the 1st Battalion team is now going strong for the 2nd Bn., and from the way the Second is holding to their money it seems that they are not very confident of winning.

We have in this organization two officers who have had the pleasure of trading silver for gold, but they don't seem to be at all satisfied. (What is wrong?)

The Company Clerk has returned after the absence of two months, and we hope that he will remain among us for some time to come, as he was greatly missed.

### COMPANY "C."

We certainly have got some short timers. Pvtls. Williams and Huff are the happiest fellows in the bunch. They will soon be saying, "I've got three years to do this in."

Talking about short timers, Pvt. Alonzo is one of them things, but he says now that he has been convinced that he never was cut out for a boxer, so he is going back to O-klahoma, and catch a home and a Squaw.

Another good man gone wrong. Private Harold Gross joined the K. P.'s. You'll find him scrubbing pots and pans. Now, Gross, say anything before Demonstrations.

Sergeant Keasak, the old War Relic, is leaving on a 60 days furlough. Private Phillips figures that his rifle won't get any more cosmolene oil for two months but Sgt. Mohundro is Keasak the Second.

Pvt. Jones has turned out to be a salesman. He's selling Red Cross Seals, at least he has got them to sell, but he hasn't been seen selling any.

### COMPANY "D."

That excellent work by men in the ranks is appreciated was conspicuously brought to the attention of Company "D" in the past few weeks. This organization has just received its second citation in 10 days for meritorious work with machine guns on demonstrations, and the commending orders laid particular stress on the excellent work of the enlisted men of Company "D."

In recognition of the efforts of his men, Captain George C. Pilkington at retreat Friday, December 22, 1922, complimented the company in the following words:

"In wishing each and everyone of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, it is with a high degree of pleasure that I must also sincerely thank you for your excellent efforts in the past year. Our demonstrations this fall have been highly praised as you have noted from the correspondence which has been read to you from time to time. This should indicate to you that the work of the enlisted men is always appreciated and recognized.

"Work in the 29th Infantry is arduous and very difficult. But you should be proud to be members of the 29th Infantry and particularly of the First Battalion. It is in the First Battalion that you obtain training which is impossible anywhere else in the Army. The training you obtain here in realistic firing problems will be invaluable in the future. That you appreciate this fact is shown by the merit of your efforts in the past. And for your cheerful co-operation, splendid morale under adverse conditions, and complete loyalty to me, the company officers, the battalion commander and our colonel, I again commend you, and I look forward to another splendid year of fruitful effort for all of us."

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.

This is the first time we ever realized that Christmas comes at a most inopportune time of the month. As a general rule, around the 25th or long before that time we find ourselves waiting for canteen check issues, payday past being but a pleasant memory. So it happens that this month also, when the furlough

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# 29th Infantry News Notes

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ban has been completely lifted and the Christmas spirit has caused Headquarters to allow holiday furloughs to 25 per cent. of the company's strength, most of us are again enjoying the state of depleted finances, and are unable to take advantage of a furlough or even a three-day pass.

If anybody wants to know the name of the dashing and energetic captain of Hq. Co. team of basketball jugglers, ask Pvt. B. D. Wood. The way he has taken hold of his work as captain is in itself an inspiration to the team. Atta boy, Dewey make 'em snap!

Looks like it's going to be a sorrowful Christmas for a certain Co. Tailor. Don't worry, John, it's all for the best. Now is the time to think of some good New Year resolutions which ought to be that much stronger, on account of present circumstances.

There ought to be plenty of Christmas cheer reflecting from the face of one particular member of this organization. December 25th, happy day for Corporal Johnson, who is forced to take leave of an indefinite period after three years in the service. Cold winter, Johnson, but at least you'll stay for dinner, eh!

As for you, Corporal Hopkinson, you'd better be looking up some Christmas Carols, as the boys will be expecting to hear your voice. If the flues need adjustment we'll try to furnish the material.

The Battalion Commander is mailing Christmas Greeting Cards to the nearest relative of every man in the 2nd Battalion.

### COMPANY "E."

In compliance with existing orders the following report on news for the "Fort Benning News" is herewith submitted.

Again we have a new Supply Sergeant in the person of one Cecil B. Pring. We don't know much about his work yet, but he sure has started with a rush. Old "Memorandum Receipt Guilford" says he is a high ranking soldier these days. They even published a Company Order to relieve him. We don't believe it, though. That's all right, Chester, you need a little straight duty to take those kinks out of your legs. You have been "Goldbricking" too long as it is.

Sgt. Julius is a wonderful man. It must be so, he says so himself. He is on the football squad now, playing "Wayback." If he trains real hard for two or three years he may make a good water boy.

Cpl. Nelson was remarking on all the jokes he knew yesterday. Our mail orderly left when he said that. He (the mail orderly) said he was afraid Cpl. Nelson might say he knew him.

Our minor tactic platoon is improving wonderfully under the supervision of Sgts. Comeau and Julius. Sgt. Julius is the silent partner just now, but the thought of him is enough to make the boys good soldiers. They all like the way he soldiers, when he is away.

Sgt. Wachholz has promised to stay with us another month as Mess Sergeant. He says it is too cold in Milwaukee now, but personally, we think that something else has happened to change his mind about leaving us. How about it, Paul?

Capt. Brooks sailed from Charleston, S. C., as scheduled Christmas Eve, and 1st Lieut. Duvall has grabbed the reins and is doing his best to improve the company. That is almost impossible, but there is some difference. All we hope for is that he keeps command.

His service record says he is John R. Stansbury, but the boys call him "Rebel." We don't know which is correct, but the rebel part is about right. He just got back from a 14 days leave the other day, and he was walking. For his health, he said, but opinions differ. Talk about your forced issues, O Boy. He sure did store the food away. He had a "French leave," and enjoyed it immensely, in New Orleans. But the Army is the place for him, so he couldn't stay away.

### COMPANY "F."

Cpl. Sutton has got the blues again. He's been asked to play basketball but seems to think that he is too short-winded, slow, top heavy, and otherwise not suitable for the game.

Wonder if T. J. M. found out the things he wished to know by his inquiries to the Phila. Evening Bulletin?

The "Blacks" beat the "Whites" at pinochle last night tho it is understood that they have a "deck" to practice with while on fatigue and other duties. How can they expect the "Whites" to compete with opposition such as that?

### COMPANY "H."

Our new Company Commander plans to make many improvements in the Company for the benefit of the men. The recreation room will be the first project to be rejuvenated. There will be a new flooring put in and the whole thing will be lined with beaver board and then strips will be added to improve the looks. A fire-place will be put in which will tend to make it more comfortable, If possible the recreation room will be extended ten or twelve feet so as to have plenty of room especially when the men take a new interest in it. There will be a new set of books added and subscriptions sent in for magazines and papers.

The members of Company "H" welcome the new men coming to the company and will wish them the best of luck while with them.

"H" Company's basket ball team expects to win every game this season. We foresee nothing but victories for them.

"H" Company held a play all week.

Time: The present.

Place: Co. "H" Orderly Room.

Stage Manager: A certain Lieutenant of the U. S. Army.

Door Slam.

Sit down, boy, What's your name.

Ever go to school?

Have you ever worked?

Well! Just what did you do?

Pearl diver? Whereabouts?

Oh, whi didn't you say you washed dishes?

Heimer—Heimer—Heimer!

Mason—Mason—Mason!

Boy, what is your name?

Oh! Mashenheimer!

# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 13.**

**1913.**

Jan. 4 the Band and the Third Battalion participated in the funeral ceremonies of the late United States Ambassador Reid, in New York.

Feb. 11 First Sergeant John Ryan, of Co. "B," was retired.

May 10 Headquarters Band and the Third Battalion participated in the ceremonies at the Carl Schurz Memorial Monument in New York and in the Maine Memorial parade on the 29th.

During June the First and Second Battalions had field training and practice marches near their stations. The Third Battalion near Fort Wadsworth, N. Y.

August 15 Headquarters, Field Staff and Band and the Third Battalion went to Fort Niagara for target practice.

The entire regiment participated in the Perry Centennial Celebration at Buffalo on Sept. 4.

Field training was had by the regiment on the Tuscarora Indian Reservation Sept. 22 to 27. The Second and Third Battalions changed stations.

The officers who joined in 1913 were:

Major Harry H. Bandholtz, First Lieutenant John W. Lang, Second Lieutenants Frank H. Moody, George H. Polhemus, Harvey H. Fletcher and Francis R. Fuller.

**1914.**

The Band and the Second Battalion participated in the funeral ceremonies of the late Major General Daniel Sickles at New York on May 8.

Co. "C" was at the Camp of Instruction, Fort Springs, Ky., June 29 to July 10. At Maryville, Tenn., July 11 to 20 and at Montgomery, Ala., July 21 to 30.

Co. "D" marched in June from Buffalo to Painesville, Ohio, went by train from there to Camp McCoy, Sparta, Wisconsin, and then marched to Camp Douglas, Wis., and proceeded by rail and boat to Greyling, Mich., where it remained until Aug. 28.

Co. "E" was at the Camp of Instruction at Gordonsville, Va., July 17 to 31. At Virginia Beach Aug. 1 to 10 and at Camp Dawson, Va., Aug. 12 to 25.

Co. "K" was at the Camp of Instruction at Ludington, Mich., from June 15 to Aug. 19, having gone by train through Canada.

Co. "M" was at the Camp of Instruction at Camp Lincoln, Springfield, Ill., July 4 to Aug. 29.

(1914 Continued Next Week.)

### "EVE," AT SPRINGER XMAS MATINEE AND NIGHT HAS A RADIUM PONY BALLET

A troup of English Pony Ballet dancers appear in what is termed "The Peacock" number, in the Geo. Wintz musical comedy "Eve" at the Springer Opera House matinee and night Monday, December 25th.

These dancers do what is known as the Radium Ballet, a weird fascinating dance number, where forms glow with phosporic lights, and assume all shapes and manners of form, some with legs where arms ought to be, and some with arms where legs ought to be. This act has appeared at all the leading music halls of the continent, and will be seen in Columbus for the first time.

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### THE NEW EDITOR.

I don't know just why I should be picked out to edit this paper, for I'll be frank about the whole thing and that is little enough, but the truth is that I do not know a single thing about the business, and as for experience; well, that is little enough for the nearest thing that I have ever done near this line was to help a small country town editor turn his printing press by hand, and when I got ambitious to be a newspaper man that small town editor was tickled to death and offered his assistance and knowledge of the game, but when it took me one whole afternoon to set a stick of type my father got something else for me to do.

But as they say you learn from your knocks, so if the readers of The News will kindly let their knocks be known we will try and mend our ways so as to please everbody, as near as possible.

One more thing—get your news to us so that we can print the news while it is new. All news should be in this office, phone 146 post, by Thursday, before 9 a. m. each week. We want to get all of the social events of the Post as well as the social events of the military personnel living in the city. Please remember that we do not know of a great number of these events unless somebody tells us and as we want to know about them, let us know!

For publication of social events call 192 post, Mrs. Sawkins.

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### The POST THEATRE.

The average nightly attendance for the past week was 816 per night. This is about two hundred less than it should be, but considering that a short time ago the attendance was around 500 simply shows what good pictures are doing.

The picture shown last Sunday, December 17th, "Blood and Sand," starring Rudolph Valentino, was an excellent picture. A great number of officers with their ladies were present.

Present indications are that the completion of the new theatre will go forward again shortly after the holidays. With the good pictures coming to this post and a new theatre with good ventilation and excellent vision, we have all that can be desirable in the motion picture line.

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### BASKET BALL.

From reports coming in to Post Athletic and Recreation Office there are going to be some excellent inter-battalion basket ball games next month.


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## Big Doings At Service Club

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that you just can't help but feel good towards all mankind.

Then on Wednesday night, December the 27th, you should all come to the Club and enjoy the last dance of the year that will be held in the Club. Now here is a chance for some clever lady to win a prize as the hostess carefully imparted to the writer that she had arranged for a first and second prize for the best costume representing the Christmas spirit. Soldiers, come in your best uniform.

With these two functions at the Club this coming week the Club should remind an outsider that a Country Fair was in progress, judging from the good time that everybody should have who will venture near.

### BALTIMORE SUN OFF THE TRACK

There is no truth more dangerous than a half truth. The Baltimore Sun, in a recent issue, devotes more than a column to telling its readers that "$24.32 is laid on each person for war costs, while all other governmental activities impose a burden of only $4.58."

The Sun states "the current war costs, including personal compensation, etc., per capita is $11.25; sinking fund for public debt, which is a war debt, $3.10; interest on war debt, $9; cost of shipping ventures started because of the war, 53 cents; cost of railroad expense arising during the war, 44 cents.

Aside from the fact that, with the possible exception of the first, there is not one of these figures with which deal to do, the whole article fails deal to do, the whole aorticle fails to mention that if the war cost a great deal, as it undoubtedly did, this cost was not so much because we went to war, as because we went to war unprepared.

The impression created by the article on the average reader undoubtedly will be that the greater part of our income "will go for military purposes, past and to come."

After every war there has been the same complaint about the expense of the war. Each time the tendency has been to ignore the fact that we have always wasted tremendous sums in an endeavor to do in a few months of war what can only be properly done by careful, gradual and economical preparation in time of peace.

For the first time in its history this country has a military policy in the form of the National Defense act. The figures submitted to Congress by the Director of the Budget clearly show, beyond any reasonable doubt, that those items which can be properly included under national defense take only 13.5 cents per dollar.

Such articles as that in the Baltimore Sun, whether published through carelessness, ignorance or with deliberate intent to work against adequate appropriations being made for national defense at the present time, create an impression contrary to the facts, and tend to encourage our people to continue in reckless indifference to proper national defense in time of peace, and as a consequense even more reckless, wasteful expenditures in time of war.

The very fact that our last war did cost, and still is costing us, such enormous sums is the very reason why a newspaper which occupies such a powerful position as that of the Baltimore Sun should emphasize the fact that by making the relatively small appropriations necessary to carry out today and in the years to come the provisions of the National Defense act, we will avoid such waste in the future.—Army and Navy Journal.


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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 13)

The Headquarters detachment was again moved forward on November 4th to a point one-half Kilometer east of Cunel, and again on November 6th, Headquarters was moved forward to Dun-sur-Meuse. On the 9th it was moved to a new place in Dun, a large ten-room house erected by the Germans. The stay here was for one night only, for on the 10th the station was changed to Brandeville. The Headquarters Detachment entered the town at noon, under a perfect calm, but had no sooner reached there than a terrific bombardment began. It continued all afternoon and the greater part of the night. Corporal Krebs and Private 1st Class Dean Butcher of Headquarters Detachment, and Private Venoskey of the Medical Detachment were wounded here. Butcher later died in a hospital. The boche obtained a direct hit on the Regimental Topographical wagon in which were the Regimental Standards, leaving the marks of battle on them.

Regimental Headquarters was still in the town of Brandeville when the armistic went into effect at 11:30 o'clock, the morning of November 11, 1918.

**Company "A"**

Company "A" took station in the Bois de Septsarges on October 27th, and from that point, daily details were sent out on road repair, after which the company was taken to the Bois de Ciusy, where a course of instruction was given in the use of French Pontoon equipment. During this stay, almost nightly reconnaissance parties were sent into the valley of the Meuse to locate a bridge site for the project of crossing the river which served as a temporary check to the advance of the infantry. While here, two of the Sergeants First Class, Emmons and Keller, were commissioned for conspicuous bravery in the attack on Romagne on October 14th.

These nightly patrols were very successful, but did not satisfy everybody concerned, so Sergeant Emmons proposed going to the proposed bridge site in daylight. in company with Corporal Pierce, he crossed the valley near Brieullas and reconnoitered the left bank from there to a point near Clercy-le-Petit. They were walking along the river near that point, when a German officer appeared on the opposite side and, by sings, invited them across. While continuing their investigation as to depth and character of the bottom of the stream, between twenty and thiry Germans joined the officer on the other bank. No one was present to act as interpreter so a sign conversation was continued, until the two engineers turned into a clump of brush which extended back almost to the bluffs on the Americans' side of the line, drawing no fire. However, as they crossed the railroad embankment, a half-dozen machine gun bullets sang over them as sort of an au revoir for this queer afternoon call.

The night of November 3rd had been selected as the night to build the first heavy pontoon bridge at Brieullas. but the infantry had been unable to establish a bridge head, hence the work was postponed until the following night. By the night of November 4th the infantry had been able to cross on the light footbridges previusly thrown over and had formed a covering party for the Engineers.

Cmpany "C" was present to assist Company "A" in the bridging of the Meuse and Canal de l'Est at Brieullas. Just at dark the boats, under the direction of Lieutenant Jacquin, were brought through Bruelles which was being heavily shelled and across the flat to the bridge site.

There was no other road over which the boats could be taken, and luckily enough both the Company and th boats arrived at the river according to schedule. The darkness and the shelling made the unloading of the boats very difficult, and to complicate matters, a batallion of the 6th Infantry came up and had to be ferried across before the bridge work could be started. The first boat was put in the water and the second lashed to it when it was found that the first was half full of water. While the first boat was being taken out and another substituted a shell fell at the edge of the water, severely wounding Corporals Shernack and Shearer and Privates Robert Bernhard and B. A. Davis. Captain Howard R. McAdams, commanding Company "A" was wounded in the arm but made no mention of it until returning to camp the following morning. It was for gallant conduct here that Captain McAdams was cited and later awarded the D. S. C.

The beginning of the bridge was greeted by a storm of machine gun bullets and one-pounder fire which gradually diminished as the infantry was able to clean out the enemy positions and establish a bridge head. The work proceeded with a few interruptions, and about 10:30 P. M. the first bridge was completed. The canal bridge was a little more difficult as the material had to be carried across the river bridge, and the intervening strip of land to the canal. The bridge was under the very muzzles of the machine gun of the enemy, but the infantry succeeded in putting them out of commission before serious damage was done, and at 3:30 this bridge over the canal was also completed and the first ocmmunication established whereby transport could cross the Meuse and follow the fleeing boche, who had at last had the hinge of the famous Hindenburg line broken by the RED DIAMOND DIVISION. A monument attesting this deed stands at the railroad crossing at Brieulles.

Company "A" now took position behind the bluff along the canal. The rolling kitchen and supply wagons of Company "A" were among the first to pass over the bridge after its completion.

Part of the company moved to Linyon the 9th and on the following day all moved to Brandeville, which was at this time being systematically shelled by the enemy guns. The cmpany camped on a reverse slope above the town to await the coming of daylight. That evening a detail was sent to the Brigade P. C., to do repair work there. The company was near Brandeville engaged in road work forward from the Brigade P. C. when the Armistic went into effect.

**Company "B"**

After its three-day rest at Esnes, Company "B" on October 27th marched to Septsarges and made camp in the southwestern edge of the Bois de Septsarges. From October 26th to November 3rd the company was engaged in the construction work. Reconnoisances were made nightly along the Meuse River in search of bridge sites and on the nights of October 29th and 31st the company was engaged in wiring in the first position at the northern edge of the Bois de Brieulles and the the Bois de la Cote Lamont.

At 2:30 P. M., November 4th, two platoons of Company "B" with ten attached men from Company "D" attempted to throw a footdribge across the Meuse River and Canal de l'Est east of Clery-da-Petit for the passage of the 6th Infantry, which had by corps orders been instructed to force the passage of the Meuse by daylight. Under tense direct shelling from enemy artillery and machine fire from Dun-sur-Meuse and the heights east of the Canal de l'Est, all scarcely 800 yards distant, the attempt proved unsuccessful; the boats were demolished as fast as they were launched, and severe casualties were inflicted.

On November 5th the company from the Bois de Septsarges to Clery-le-Grand. On the nights of November 5th and 6th one platoon of Company "B" constructed three bridges across the Andon river at Clery-de-Petit. On the same night the remainder of Company "B" with attached men from Companies "D", "E" and "F" constructed a heavy reinforced pontoon bridge across the Meuse river at Dun-sur-Meuse.

(To be Continued Next Week.)

## LODGE NOTICES

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## Motor Transport Notes

While enroute to the City of Columbus in their Scripps-Booth racer, the two Speed Kings, Pvts. Morgan and Roy Lee, met with an accident. Morgan, the driver of the car, when asked to give an account of the accident, said that he saw something coming towards him that looked like two small lights, which afterwards was found to be an Owl, and turning to let it pass, ran into something that appeared to be the broad side of a battleship. Lee, the assistant chauffeur, was thrown through the wind shield and when found was sitting alngside of the road with two beautiful black eyes and singing, "Don't Leave Me Here."

We don't see much of Cook Walburg since Mrs. (W) has arrived. Bill, you would hardly know the city, things have changed so.

Private Parker (Tight Eye) seems to be on the outs with a certain young lady. Cheer up, Kid, it won't be the case Christmas.

After taking on (3) new ones, Private Cross left on a (3) months' furlough visiting family and friends in the capital city.

Never heard of a sick man flying before. Private Robson (Slow Kid) left the hospital with a pair of wings and is now somewhere flying on A. W. O. L.

Lost—Somewhere in or around the Barracks, a Marriage Certificate dated May, 1922. Finder please return the same to Private Brown.

Someone asked our Company Clerk, what is an island? His answer was, that an island is the capital of the U. S., surrounded by old retired soldiers.

### REDUCTION OF NON COM-MISSIONED OFFICERS

**Passed by the Senate**

As noted last week that the bills in Congress changing the per centages of grades of enlisted men whereby the non-commissioned officers would be increased is still undecided as far as the News is able to find out.

The House sub-military committee had the bill in conference last week and while they are in favor of the bill and although the chairman said that they would try to get the Bill passed before the Xmas Holidays it may be that other work demands the attention of Congress that they were unable to get the bill. The News cerainly hopes though that the Bill has been passed by the House before now if the Bill was not passed then a great injustice would be done any number of non-coms., as they will no doubt be demoted since Congress does not reocnvene again until Jan. 2nd, 1922.

### MRS. GRACE T. MECHLING

Mrs. Grace T. Mechling, wife of Capt. Edward A. Mechling, Post Utility Officer, died at 6:50 A. M. Friday, December 22nd, at the Station Hospital.

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# BUDDY FROM BEYOND THE STARS SEES PARADE

**Smokes Phantom Flag and Watches His Old Gang March.**
**(By MEIGS O. FROST.)**

The Buddy from Beyond the Stars winged his way down to Canal Street and perched critically, knees carelessly crossed, on the lid of the great white stately tomb that rose against the background of the gray granite mass of the ancient Customhouse.

It was a splendid place to sit. Just like climbing to the crest of the Arc de Triomphe in Paris when there was a big parade of the Frenchies going down the avenue. He lit a phantom cigarrette and settled himself comfortably. Above him fluttered the good old Stars and Stripes on the Customhouse staff.

"It's a grand old rag; it's a high-flying flag!" he hummed.

Below him, on the long tiers of seats at the base of the massive shaft of the Centotaph was a bunch of pretty girls and brass hats and generals and whatnot. The slanting rays of the early afternoon sun shone warmly and made it fine and comfortable in the zippy October breeze that swept in from the river.

"Sittin' pretty right on top of the world," murmured to himself the Buddy from Beyond the Stars.

Up the wide spaces of Canal street he looked. Folks were packed thick as the old gang on the Rue de la Paix on a Saturday night.

Then there was a burst of gasoline vapor where St. Charles Street enters Canal. The crowd surged back a solid wave. Out on Canal swept a squadron of motorcycle police.

"Gee, here comes the gang," said the Buddy from Beyond the Stars. And the gang came on.

Somewhere between fifteen and twenty thousand of 'em. Stepping out with the old free swing to the crashing blare and lilt of forty bands and half a score of drum and bugle corps, in the greatest parade yet staged of all the four national conventions of the American Legion.

**Same Old Gang.**

The Buddy from Beyond the Stars lit another cigarrette and settled down comfortably.

"The same old sons of guns," he murmured contentedly to himself. Lord, but that sunshine felt good and comfortable.

Up in the vanguard, just back of the New Orleans mounted police, with Colonel Guy R. Molony, their superintendent, sitting his horse easily out in front. And Colonel Allison Owen, grand marshal of the parade, riding in the lead of his staff.

"Attaboy," said the Buddy from Beyond the Stars. But nobody heard him. For the white-uniformed ranks of the navy were marching down Canal Street now. Behind them came the Washington Artillery.

"Those guys look familiar," said the Buddy. "Met 'em at Camp Coetquidan near Rennes, I think, Called 'em th' 141st F. A. then."

He was right.

Down the street they stepped toward him. His eye swept on up the line. The show was only starting. Came next a detachment of infantry and some medical corps men. And then the main body of the parade swung into view.

Buddies from Alaska and Panama and Honlulu. From Mexico, wearing the huge sombreros of Mananaland. They were singing. What was it?

"All we do is sign the pay-roll.

"But we never get a——cent!"

"I'll tell the world they were there," grinned the Buddy on top of the Ceno taph.

On marched the whooping, surging mass. The Hot Springs bunch from Arkansas in bath-robes with their slogan: "Uncle Sam Bathes the World at Hot Springs." and Uncle Sam himself riding in the lead. And Panama detachment behind them, with a tropical beauty, crimson buds in her hair, dispensing smiles at the car in which she rode rolled along.

**Crap-Shootin' Demons**

"Oh,, you tropical kid!" grinned the Buddy. And his heart skipped a jump as one of those smiles, winging aloft went straight into it.

But here came some more of the gang. North Caroline and New Mexico. A bunch of Engineers. ("The fightin' fools! they bumped off the Henies with pick-axes! murmured the Buddy to himself.

And here came Missouri. The old sons-of-guns, riding mules and smoking corn-cob pipes! And Mississippi Those crap shootin' demons! And here was Loisiana right on their heels. Squad one squad of 'em. Louisiana beuties right with 'em, the same ones that in hospitals and canteens had been so smilingly gracious, so swift with tender hand. And a bunch with a live Pelican rolling along on a hand-cart, in lardly state. And Dreadnaught Post of the Legion—the only all-Navy post in the south.

And more Mississippi. That Vicksburg bunch of "forty-and-eighters" with their own Voiture marked with the familiar "40 hommes; 8 chevanx," drawn by a snorting tractor. And Pascagoula in a battered automobile.

By this time the head of the parade swinging around at South Peters Street, had poured into the other side of Canal and was passing the Cenotaph. Something attracted the attention of the Buddy from Beyond he Stars. He looked down.

**Saluting The Buck**

"The old son of guns!" They're saluting me! ME!"

For the Buddy from Beyond the Stars had been a buck private. Nobody has saluted him in all his life All he'd done was stand in line and take orders and eat his corned willie and his gold fish and sleep somewhere if he was in luck, and stop machine gun bullets and high explosive shells and win a war. Absolutely all.

But this time he was right. They were saluting him. Unit by unit, as the long line swung past the Cenotaph, flags dipped. Squad after squad snapped into the "Eyes right" Sabres flashed and glittered from sheaths and swung up in swift and glittering arcs to a staff salute. The Buddy from Beyond the Stars was getting his due at last.

There was a funny sort of feeling in the throat of the Buddy from Beyond the Stars. His eyes were moister than he had known that they could get.

"Te old hellions!" he murmured, a bit chokingly. "The fightin' old suns of guns."

But still they poured on and past him.

Oklahoma buddies with their headchaplets of brilliant India feathers. A beautiful girl from Tulsa, smiling and blowing kisses from a car. Florida buddies in their float with the bathing girls tossing oranges and pineapples and grapefruit at the earger out-thrust hands of the throng Wyoming with its big six-shooters that crashed salute as the parade rolled along. Utah with its band of veterans.

**See Comrades' Antics**

And then down the street—

"I-OWAY! I-O-WAY THAT'S WHERE THE TALL CORN GROWS"

On their way they came, those corn-fed sons of the black prairies, with the whimsical sign: "Iowa Corn Club. Forty Gallons to the Acre."

And then Argonne Post from Des Moines, a battered automobile, vintage of about 1890, but now horedrawn, in the lead, with "We Saw Service!" on its side. They had seen service. Take the Buddy's word for that. And McNider's Own Band from Iowa close behind them.

Then came Tennessee Ridge Runners with their parody of the Iowa song: "Tennessee! Tennessee That's Where We Make Moon SHINE!"

But the parade had only scarce begun.

The District of Columbia gang was marching past now, their bulldog mascot, head up, marching with military precision in the lead. And when they came up to they Cenotaph, that bull dog snapped his head around to the command: "Eys right!" and marched past at salute.

"Hot pup" said the Buddy from "Hot pup!" said the Buddy from Beyond the Stars. He'd had a trained mascot once, before they picked him up, a limp figure out of the Argonne's underbrush.

But still they came on. Ohio, with the Cleveland dress uniforms, a wonderful sight. With one buddy from the Ohio ranks, with one leg speeding along on two crutches and keeping perfect step to the music.

**Blue Devils Swing Along**

And North Dakota and Nebraska and Wisconsin. With the Wisconsin nurses bearing their banner: "Our Slogan: Piant 'em with Iodine and Mark 'em DUTY!" And the Racine post's drum and bugle corps in their white uniforms, striding along to a blare and crash that made the ripples run up and down your spine.

Then came Virginia, Rhode Island next—Little Rhody where they breed big men. And Minnesota with "Fred Lunberg, the Real Swede from Minnesota" striding on, cigar in wind chapped face.

Pennsylvania and Indiana trod behind, rank on rank of Quakers and Hoosiers.

The Buddy from Beyond the Stars drew a deep breath.

"Gee, this is great!" he said looking up the widest street in America where cheers rang and tossing hats filled the air and shouts sounded up to Heaven.

Again, with a crashing blast of martial music, a band rounded into Canal. It was the Blue Devil uniformed sons of Illinois. And behind them came another Illinois band in shining tin hats.

Oregon came swinging close behind them with the blue and white drum corps of Spartanburg, S. C., close at heel.

"Maryland, my Maryland!" crashed another band, and the men from the section where Baltimore is the big town, came tramping on as their fathers tramped before them.

A tremendous rumble filled the air. Into Canal swung the gigantic tractors with roaring exhausts, trailing the big guns in their grey-green battle paint behind them, and tanks. But their embarrassment now showed laughing, shouting faces, instead of

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## BUDDY FROM BEYOND THE ....STARS SEES PARADE

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blazing muzzles of rapid-fire guns.

"The whole damned show!" grinned the Budy from Beyond the Stars. "The whole damned gang."

And here came Alabama's men from the red clay hills. And Kansas' sons with the sunflower on their shoulders. And the colonels of Kentucky—one of them nursing happily at a red-likker flask that was tipped with a rubber nipple.

"That's how we raise fightin' fools, suh!" he told the world.

**Jine the Cavalry.**

South Dakota came close behind.

And then the crowd whooped deliriously. For California's sons were there in the high boots and red shirts and black wide sombreos of the Forty-Niners.

More whoops! Even more delirious. Here came Texas!

The Lone Star banner blazer in the lead. And the band!

"Ef yo' wanta have a good time, JINE TH' CAVALRY!"

Out over the throng the ancient war-song of Fitzhugh Lee's and Nathan Forrest's and Jeb Stuart's gray clad squadrons swept with its lilting, rippling thrill that all the South knew before the South joined hands with the North and stood ready to take on the whole wide world, any time, any place, and no holds of punches barred.

But still the living tide streamed on down the ancient thoroughfare. Michigan and Idaho and New Hampshire and Maine—Montana's sons in hairy chaps and the flannel shirts of the wide, free range—Massachusetts and Colorado and Connectitut with her wooden nutmeg badge.

And Vermont, the Pine Tree state with the rollicking float of pajama clad veterans from Ballard Hobart's Post No. 36.

And still they came. Washington state and New York, Delaware and Arizona and New Jersey, rank on rank.

It was West Virginia that closed the mighty pageant.

State by state, the fighting sons of America filed pas the towering shaft of the great white Cenotaph. State by state their flags dipped, their eyes snapped to "Eyes Right!" their blades flashed upward in salute.

**Sunset Sees End.**

One hour and forty-seven minutes by the stop-watch's tick, they moved in steady line, thousand on thousand.

They saw the Cenotaph's tall glory. They saw the empty tomb that crowned its crest.

But the Buddy from Beyond the Stars saw them!

Inch by inch as they marched by with crashing music and joyous shout, the shadow from the western sun crept up the Cenotaph's white splendor.

"Coincidence!" the callus may call it.

But as the last files of the West Virginia Buddies strode past the Legion's monument to its dead, the sun sank low behind the ramparts of the city's barracade of buildings. Scarcely as their footsteps died awawy, and the wirling crowd of watching thouands surged out into the open space, the sun dropped below the roof-line. tspaces! beMs sch fsands sEuoCY

The Cenotaph grew chill and grey in the duk.

The Buddy from Beyond the Stars flipped the butt of his ghostly cigarette out into chill and empty space.

"The same old gang," he murmured again.

**The Gang in Heaven.**

It was the same old gang. The gang that while life shall last will will have their mutual memories of camp and cantonment, of troop-ship and landingport, of front line trenches and the tangled wire, of first-aid station and the hospital base.

The gang that saved America. The gang that saved the world.

The Buddy from Beyond the Stars felt it. But it wasn't easy to put into words. His job had not been that of coining phrases. His job was merely to take orders and stand in line and die when the time came. And he did it.

"Gee," said the Buddy from Beyond the Stars, "Gettin' late. Wonder if old St. Peter is goin' t' mark me A. W. O. L. on this."

One more glance he gave out over the massed and swirling mob on Canal Street. And upward from the chill gray crest of the Cenotaph he winged his way homeward.

He needn't have worried. St. Peter knows when a Buddy has a license to be late. That battling old fisherman and fighter has his own memories of drawn sword. And he has grown mighty fond of Buddies these past few years.

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Now I lay me down to sleep;
I pray thee, please, my soul to keep;
Grant no other soldier take
My shoes and socks before I wake.

Try and guard me in my sleep
And keep my bunk upon its feet,
And in the morning let me wake,
Breathing whiffs of sirloin steak.

Please protect me in my dreams,
And make it better than it seems;
Grant that time may swiftly fly
When myself may rest or try.

In a snowy feather bed,
With a pillow 'neath my head,
Far away from all these scenes,
From the smell of hash and beans.

Take me back into the land
Where they scrub down with sand.
And Thou knowest all my woes,
Feed me in my dying throes.
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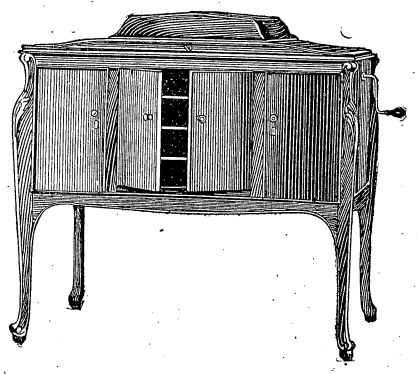

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

Saturday, December 9th, Company "B's" expert mechanic and plumber, namely Frank Villines, completed the new Tank Battalion "Bowl." Immediately upon completion said "Bowl" was dedicated by Lieut. Adams, and proved a Loud success.

Sgt. "Goof" Dennis was the recipient of some great news. "Ole Bull" Swantic—can the Battalion Commander re-enlist a married man? (Because Bull got married?) ull was a good half, but he has a better one now. Luck to you, "Bull," and may all your troubles be little ones. Jordan City Queens, take notice.

Dame Fortune is playing havoc with our football team. First Swantic, and now Wooten, have left us. We are sorry that all our efforts have failed to get him to stay, but if he must go he takes with him the good will of the whole Battalion, and everyone joins in farewell to both these good soldiers and athletes.

Sometime ago our Log Hut Committee announced that we were to have another blowout. It has been definitely decided to have a vaudeville show followed by an oyster supper. Date set—Christmas Eve.

Bugs Napoli received an increase in pay. And as a result, his Q. M. deposit has increased also. Reason —? Ask Capt. Taylor.

It is reported that Sgts. Hedgecock, Stone and Kimball were seen around with their finger tips blackened. And that they will, with the aid of Sgt. Squirrell form a quartet to sing that well known ballad, "I got three years to do this in."

On the first of the month "B" Company opened up a new keg of chevrons, and as far as possible a few of the well deserved promotions were handed out. Pallies to Sgt., Sharp to Corporal, Mabry to Pvt. 1st Class S-6, and others too numerous to mention. Mabry is constantly visiting the bulletin board to see if he has read the announcement right, and is gradually recovering from the shock.

Little Dick is puzzled. He does not know which he was most glad to receive, the extra stripe or the long looked-for letter from a certain Minnesota young lady. We may all hope that you'll get another stripe, but we are certain that you'll get another letter, Dick, so why worry? (The editor wants to know if you are from Stillwater, St. Cloud or Red Wing.)

Conversation overheard in "B" Co's area any day just before noon:

Sgt. Hicks, Co. "C"—What have you got for dinner?

Sgt. Squirrell, Co. "B"—Soup.

Sgt. Hicks—Be right over.

Welcome Jimmy.

The officers of the battalion had a party in the officers' mess Tuesday night. All those in attendance report that a delightful time was had.

Cpls. Patterson and Worth are planning on starting an inn in an entirely new location. Sgt. Hicks spent some time looking over the site and Patterson and Worth are now completing arrangements for the erection of the place. So far we have failed to learn the exact name of the place, but it is somewhere near the reservation, and we are led to understand that the name was originated from a synonym for the emblem carried by the clansmen in "The Lady of the Lake," and also carried by the K. K. K., and from the last combination of sounds expressing an idea in the "Shepherd of the Hills." It is understood that two famous French chefs have been engaged, Antio Pluvius Susette and Gabriel Maion Fatte. Chef Susette is noted for being the originator of "Cleo's Creole Sauce," known the world over. When this place is open Fort Benning may boast of one of the most exclusive and best dining palaces in the South. It is assured that the service and cuisine will be excellent as the caterer employed is from one of New York's best hotels, and has had many years of experience in this line of work, and the culinary achievements of Susette and Fatte cannot be excelled. Sgt. Hicks has been affiliated with the concern as advertising manager, and under his able direction all roads will soon lead to the "Chrysanthemum Gardens." Announcement of the opening date will be made later.

"Cheese Cole," of "C" Company, has the other members of the outfit backed off the map when it comes to being a lady-killer. He boasts of having broken the hearts of thirty-nine fair damsels since he first started sojourning on this planet. He is at present seeking to win a victory over a Columbus lawyer's daughter. He bids fair to win if she does not start "nolle prosqui" proceedings in the case. She has been listening to her father's arguments for about seventeen years now and is almost qualified to fill his place when he retires, so this is certainly going to be a battle. The last hearing in the case is scheduled for Thursday night, but we are greatly disappointed that we could not make arrangements with Gloer's Agency to install a dictograph in order that we might hear this controversy. The result will be made known later, though. We wish Cole luck, but we have our doubts. The mind of a maid is fickle Liberty, who was the acknowledged best debater in the Battalion, and also claimed the State championship, has bowed his head and admits defeat. Cole admits being able to sell silk underwear to the Eskimos and other minor accomplishments (admitting it is easier than proving it) so he must be good. He is a candidate for president on Andy Gump's ticket next election, and is quite confident of victory. We would be very glad to have such a fair member of society at the Fort, so go to it, Cole.

Candea has sent to Montana for some Christmas delicacies. He says there are several kinds, to-wit: Atlantic mussels, Pacific mussels, Sealshipt mussels, and Rocky Mountain mussels. Which kind is he going to get from Montana?

In closing our program, Baron Barnett will sing that ditty entitled, "Only a Sheepherder's Daughter, With Sheep Wool in Her Hair."

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theatres as follows:

Colored Theatre ..... 6:00 P. M.
Post Theatre ..... 6:45 P. M.
29th Inf. Theatre .... 7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, December 24th.**

"Loves of Pharoah," 8 reel feature (All Star cast.)

"Pale Face," 2 reel comedy (Buster Keaton.)

**Monday, December 25th.**

"Dust to Dawn,"5 reel feature, (Florence Vidor.)

"Many Happy Returns," 1 reel comedy (All Star.) Fox News.

**Tuesday, December 26th.**

"Trail of the Axe," 5 reel feature, (Dustin Farnum.)

"Torchey Takes a Chance," 2 reel comedy (Rolin Comedy.)

**Wednesday, December 27th.**

"Exit the Vamp," 5 reel feature, (Ethel Clayton.)

"LaRue of Phanton Valley," 2 reel comedy (Santschi.)

**Thursday, December 28th.**

"Silent Call," 7 reel feature (All Star Cast.)

Fox News.

**Friday, December 29th.**

"The Hole in the Wall," 6 reel feature (Alice Lake.)

Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

Pathe Review.

**Saturday, December 30th.**

"Nice People," 8 reel feature (All Star cast.)

"All Aboard," 1 reel comedy, (Hal Lloyd.)

## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

The NCO's and Bucks of the School Division are on the target range endeavoring to add a few extra "pealocks" as Jazz Magoni calls the iron men, to their salary. Some of these "Distinguished Marksmen" do not need any preparatory work it seems as the platoon was greatly increased the first day of preliminary firing, in fact there were faces we had forgotten, and Sergeant Copass was at a loss for a few minutes when these "Experts" came rushing up to fire as he had already assigned his regular men to targets. Oh well, the old saying, "You are never too old to learn," doesn't seem to hold good with the "Sharpshooters," however, the Marksmen stand a good chance of qualifying as "Bolo" men for the lack of preparatory work.

Instructor—You get a 9 o'clock 4 in the four ring at 300 yards. How much windage do you take to get in the bullseye?

NCO's—Two of them—1 point right windage.

Instructor — Sergeant Kreilick, what have you got?

Sgt. Kreilick—"1 point left," and he expects to make Expert. He also didn't understand why the red flag was flashed at him at 200 yards.

Someone asked Jazz Magoni how he was a guide in Yellowstone Park he was a oguide in Yellowstone Park before entering the service and that he wore it off pointing out places of interest to the tourists. It is too bad this boy smokes cigarettes for if he didn't we would never miss Caruso.

Instructor—You get a 3 at 6 o'clock at 500 yards. How much elevation do you take to get in the bullseye?

Sergeant Ward answered correctly and the Instructor asked him to explain to the class how he deduced such.

Sergeant Ward—I squared the range and after getting the cube root of 25 inches I deducted the denominator from the dividend, leaving the multiple, which I substracted from the range, and after adding the quotient, I arrived at my deduction.

Instructor to Class—Do you get that?

Jazz—I have a more simple way.

Private Belton has been detailed for duty at the telephone exchange.

Branner, our well known whitehope, is working in the School division.

Someone was heard to ask Smith and Glenn if they were going to the football game Wednesoday. Pretty soft to have a holiday and be sure your name will be put on the pay roll in time.

A recent visitor in the office thought he heard about a dozen typewriters working but investigation showed it was only our Skipper tickling the old Underwood.

Sgt. Chism left for Washington to accept an invitation to appear in Congress.

Our esteemed friend and Mess Sergeant, Big Bill Stewart, is beginning to make plans for Xmas Dinner. He tells us he is going to give us a better feed Xmas than he did Thanksgiving. We don't see how he can, for he sure did put out some chow Thanksgiving.

### MARY PICKFORD IN "TESS OF THE STORM COUNTRY" AT RIALTO STARTING XMAS DAY

Patrons of the Rialto theatre have a treat in store for them commencing Christmas Day at the Rialto in the feature picture "Tess of the Storm Country," which stars Mary Pickford. The climax of the picture is one which makes the picture the greatest of Mary's career and though many people will think that they "have seen it before," they will do well to take the word of the management and see this picture either on Christmas day or one of the two days following.

The management has added an attraction the same week in the person of a former local boy, Ralph Pekor, who does some fancy work with the crayon which is of the highest type. Making up with both hands is out of the ordinary. Pekor paints his face and the blackboard at the same time and you are sure to enjoy his act which lasts from three to five minutes and will be shown at one afternoon performance and two night shows.

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## 24th Infantry Notes

**COMPANY "C"**

The company regrets the loss of one of its most efficient Non-Commissined Officers who was retired as follows:

Headquarters 24th Infantry,
Fort Benning, Georgia,
December 13, 1922
General Orders, No 14,

Pursuant to instructions contained in paragraph 12, Special Orders No. 285, War Department, December 5, 1922, 1st Sergeant Edward W. Page, R1023206, Company C, 24th Infantry has been placed on the retired list.

Sgt. Page entered the United States Army, July, 26, 1897; has served 24 years, 10 months and 21 days and has a credits of 5 years, 1 month and 27 days double time.

He served creditably in Cuba, Philippine Islands, Mexico and the World's War.

Sergetant Page served over 22 years as a Non-Commissioned Officer.

The Commanding Officer and his Officers desires to congratulate Sergeant Page upon his well earned retirement after having completed over 30 years service and to compliment him upon his present activity, which speaks so much for the discipline and training of our army.

Sergeant Page will be remembered by all as a good soldier, attentive to duty and loyal to his superiors.

The good wishes of the entire regiment follow Sergeant Page into his well reward for long service efficiently rendered.

By order of,
COLONEL NICKLIN,
CHAS. H. McNAIR,
Acting Adjutant.

On December 16th a banquet and ball was given in honor of 1st Sergeant Page through the efforts of Captain E. C. Callahan, our Company Commander assisted by members of the company which has been exceeded by none given heretofore during which time Sgt. Page was presented with a gold watch, chain and charm as a token of rememberance to his company and regiment.

Now listen Buddy, I've something to tell you.
You must call Co. "I" and taste some of Seargent Walker's Stew.
He has it for breakfast, it is his dinner and supper dish.

It is composed sometime of Beef, Pork, Ham and Fish.
Visit the Mess Hall Tuesday, Sundays and Holidays too.
And you will always find the same old Glum Gullion Stew.

Perhaps you might sometimes feel lonely and blue.
If so, just come over and try Sergeant Walker's Stew.
You will no longer feel Sadly and Cry,
But you will be satisfied to lie quietly down and die.

**COMPANY "M"**

Sergeant Williams, (Dinky) our Regimental Revenue Officer must be sleeping on the job. Here it is Christmas and he has not arrested the first victim with Christmas Tea. Look out Sergeant you will be running around here all Chirstmas without a Christmas gift. The boys in Company "I" owe you a gift. You must do something to receive it. They can't give it to you for what you have done already, they think you wont appreciate it.

## Medical Department Notes

**MEDICAL DEPARTMENT NOTES**

Miss Hariette Doughty, formerly Hostess to the Service Club house still has kind thoughts of this station as evidenced by the fact that she sent ten dollars to the surgical ward of the Station Hospital last week to be used in that ward to the best advantage at Xmas time.

The Fort Benning and Columbus Chapters of the American Red Cross are planning a Xmas tree, each ward at the Hospital and a stocking for each of the patients. This is certainly noble work for the Red Cross as there will be several men in the Hospital who have no friends or relatives on the "outside" and as a result would receive no package at Xmas, and what is Xmas without packages.

The Red Cross function will be held at the Hospital Xmas morning.

The Medical Department Bridge Club met at the home of Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton on Tuesday evening, December 19, 1922. It was in the form of a Christmas party. The house was prettily decorated with holly and Mistletoe and toys for each child, were distributed from a beautiful minature Christmas tree. The prizes were won by Colonel Haywood Hansell, Mrs. Robert Tobias and Captain Phillip Green. After the game delicious Lobster Newbprg in pattie shells, with coffee were served. The next party will be held at the home of Captain and Mrs. Phillip Green. Quarters, 23-31 on Tuesday evening, January 2nd.

2nd Lieutenant Mary E. Cavanaugh, Army Nurse Corps, who has been on duty at this station for the last two years, has received orders transferring her to Fiztsimmons General Hospital, Denver, Colo. The loss of Miss Cavanaugh will be keenly felt by all. The good wishes of the entire Medical Department personnel goes with Miss Cavanaugh.

2nd Lieut. Isabell Mulick, Army Nurse Corps, who has been sick in hospital for some time will leave Saturday, December 23rd for Fitzsimmons General Hospital, for further treatment. The early recovery of Miss Mulick is hoped for. Miss Cavanaugh will accompany Miss Mulick (as attendant) on the trip.

Captain Dan C. Campbell, Medical Corps has returned from a thirty day leave of absence which was enjoyably spent in Florida.

Major A. J. Bayley, Medical Corps, has returned from a sixty day leave of absence, incidentally it was his honeymoon, enjoyably spent in Florida and Cuba.

The Christmas holidays make one think of home and althongh all are not lucky enough to receive furloughs and leaves the following drew the "Capital Prize" this year:

Lieut. Colonel James W. Van Dusen.
Major Thomas L. Smith.
Captain H. A. Callahan,
Captain H. W. S. Hayes.
Sergeant W. C. Cullifer.
Corporal Willis Bailey.
Private's Chandler, Hull, Roland, Lipham, Castle and Christopher.

Private Merrill Naylor, who recently had the misfortune to receive a serious injury to his eye, thereby losing the sight of the injured member, left today for Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., for treatment and probable discharge.

Private 1st Class Isaac Perry, discharged on December 16, failed to see the advantage of re-enlistment and left the day of his discharge for Texas.

Althongh we have lost one man by discharge this week, we have had three men join for duty. If this could happen every time a discharge rolls around the detachment would soon be up to strength.

Sergeant Harry A. Shirtzinger, who has been on duty at the hospital since September 1919, received his discharge on the 23rd of this month. After twelve years of service he has decided that the advantages on the "Out-Side" are better than "In-Side". Possibly the "better half" has some thing to say on the subject.

2nd Lieut. Elizabeth March, Army Nurse Corps, is enjoying a thirty day leave of absence in "Sunny" Tennessee.

**Salts.**

Ring W. Lardner, a scribe or renown,
In the Cosmopolitan, approaches,
The crest of imagination, when he cites in his poem
That "a home ain't a home without roaches."
I'm no Ring W. Lardner, or scribe of renown,
But I can see a thing's virtues and faults.
What I'd like to know, in this militant town,
Is, what would we do without the salts?

Have you ever been to the Medico's lair?
Where they dish out the salves, balms and pills,
Where they treat you the same, be you homely or fair,
Where they fix up your breaks, pains and ills.
To skip drill or fatigue, you kid yourself that you're sick,
But the thermometer don't lie, the mercury goes to normal then halts.
The Captain Doctor is wise, he is up to your tricks.
He prescribes the old standby, "two ounces of salts."

You have oft' settled down, to read your newspaper thru,
From front page to last, advertisements and all.
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# SPORTING NEWS

## Infantry School Wins Over Auburn's Tigers

### SCORE 39—32

**AN ADDITIONAL FIVE MINUTES OF PLAY REQUIRED TO DETERMINE WINNER.**

Last night's melee was the first real game of the season for the dwellers of the flats of the Upatoie. There is still much to be done to the aggregation to make them the winning team the Infantry boasted last year. But considering the loss of Cranston, Johnson, and McQuarrie, three of the very classiest performers on the resined board, the Benning mentors have developed a quinttete that will be hard to stop in this neck of the proverbial woods. Last night the Auburn chaps rushed the **Doughboys off their feet in the first** few minutes of play and before the latter could organize their defensive they had chalked up ten points. This points to a necessity for brushnig up this department of the game. The offensive is slow to start but once on its way is difficult to solve. Loyal enthusiasts of this fast and rugged game have some real treats in store for them when they se ethe perfected team work of the Benning pluggers.

The first half ended last night with Auburn on the long end of a 16-15 tally. This they deserved. They simply outplayed the local team in this period. Taking the tip on most every jump from center they rushed the ball down the floor and before the startled Doughboys could amass their defensive ran the welkin for two points. And they didn't have to be right under the basket to cage the sphere either, shots from anywhere on the floor featured their scoring. Harrison earned a hearty round of applause from the galleries when he looped one from midfloor, the ball passing through the hoop without so much as touching it. It was a beautiful shot.

With about four minutes of the first half left to play the Infantry found themselves and began a little tallying of their own. They had settled by this time and the Auburn gents found an impregnable defense facing them on every front. Our own Luther Smith must have felt his tooth slipping because he opened up and skipped circles around the opponents. George Honnen found himself, too, and began breaking up Auburn's here-to-fore moving passes. Inspired by the actions of these two lads the rest of hte quint took on new life and when the whistle blew for the end of the period the Gravel Disturbing Soldiers were playing stellar ball.

During the intermission Coach Skid Griswold, the star of many games on this very same floor, must have injected some of the well known tobasco into his noble cohorts.

The second half found the two teams playing neck and neck. Auburn opened with a rush once again and snapped six points on the wing. Doughboys evened this up, less one point, and then the fight against time began. Both fives played superhuman ball. Rushing about with their tongues most hanging out they scampered about the pineboards at a break-neck speed. It wasn't so easy this time for Auburn to carry the ball the entire length of the floor. And the same is true of the Infantry. Auburn was as stubborn as ever, bitterly contesting every point. Two evenly matched teams have never played in this neighborhood. The crowds were cheering wildly and keeping their attentions divided between the play in front of them and the score board at the end of the gym.

When the whistle blew terminating the game the score was deadlocked at 32-32. An extra five minute period was then called. But scarcely had the period opened when Rock scampered down the floor and caged one, making the score 34-32. But this was not decisive enough for the wearers of the Blue. A free throw by Rock added one omere poi 35-32. Then from somewhere out of the fog appeared George Honnen to throw one from the field. Auburn was desperate. Try as they could, they simply could not add to their 32. They tried shots from every position on the floor, but Fate was agin' 'em. With but 30 seconds to play Honnen again threw a field goal, making the final score 39-32.

For the visitors, the whole team starred. They had beautiful teamwork on the offensive and nearly as good on the defensive. They showed the results of

Line up:

| INFANTRY | | AUBURN |
|---|---|---|
| Millard | R.H. | Hahn |
| Honnen | L.F. | Dudley |
| Lippincott | C. | Harrison |
| Whittemore | R.G. | McKinney |
| Smith | L.G. | Duke |

Substitutions: Infantry, Gibson for Whittemore, Moore for Gibson, Rosk for Moore, Gibson for Millard, Vevia for Honnen, Millard fo Gibson, Honnen for Vevia.

Auburn: Thigpen for Hahn, Savage for Harrison, Jones for Duke.

Referee, Lambert, (Wabash); Timers, Howard and Adams; Scorer, Hudson and Braun. Time of periods, 20, 20 and 5 minutes.

## First Battalion 29th Infantry Defeats Second Battalion

By JOHN DOUGHBOY

During a cold, misty rain on a slushy field the First Battalion won the first leg of the post-season series for the post football championship yesterday afternoon at Fort Benning by trouncing the Second Battalion of the 29th Infantry by the score of 19 to 6. The First Battalion was badly off in their playing and clearly showed the staleness of the condition, but the boys of Major Hatfield so badly outclassed the Second Battalion that their weakness was only apparent to the coaches and sideline experts.

The score does not indicate how badly the Second Battalion was outplayed. They were rushed off their feet and made only three first downs during the entire game. Their touchdown came in the fourth period as the result of an **intercepted forward pass which "Lanky"** Davis hooked from the air and ran 40 yards before being tackled. With this dazzling run to encourage them the Second Battalion picked up their courage and dashed madly at the First Battalion line until Left Halfback Parrish plunged through for a touchdown.

The much heralded tricky plays of the Second Battalion and their snappy forward passes failed of execution. This may have been due to the inclement weather and the slippery ball but nevertheless the Scond Battalion simply could not advance and were repeatedly forced to punt. Several itmes they elected to take a chance and always lost the ball on downs.

Perhaps it was due to the murkiness of the day or frozen hands but the First Battalion seemed to lack the strength and dash of its former victories. Fumbling was frequent and long runs were scarce although "Big" Wally and Romploski repeatedly plunged through the weak line of the Second Battalion for substantial gains. And then it may have been the Second Battalion were downcast at the loss of Cloekner, their star halfback.

The victory of the First Battalion eliminated the Second Battalion from further consideration in the series for the post championship. The only reason the Second Battalion was ever considered as having championship caliber was because earlier in the season they defeated the First Battalion by the score of 7 to 6. As that was the first defeat the First Battalion had suffered in three years it necessitated a play-off.

Nex Wednesday afternoon the First Battalion plays the "Tanks" and that game the championship of the post will be decidede.

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## Twenty-Ninth Infantry Makes Splendid Record

**ORDERS PUBLISHED SHOWING PERCENTAGE.**

The following general orders show, in detail, the splendid record made by the 29th Infantry at target practice this year:

HEADQUARTERS 29TH INF.,
Office of the Regimental Commander.
Fort Benning, Georgia,
December 7, 1922.

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 27.

1. The Regimental Commander takes great pride in publishing the results of Rifle, Pistol and Machine Gun Practice, for the year 1922.

2. Under conditions which appeared at time most discouraging, the enthusiasm displayed by officers and men was most gratifying and was indicative of that zeal, spirit and interest which go with successful accomplishments.

3. **The following** percentages of men qualified by companies are announced:

| Organization. | Percentage. |
|---|---|
| Reg. Hq. Co. | 80 |
| Serv. Co. | 83 |
| Hq. Co. 1st Bn. | 92 |
| Co. "A" | 94.7 |
| Co. "B" | 99.7 |
| Co. "C" | 94.3 |
| Hq. Co. 2d Bn. | 97 |
| Co. "E" | 100 |
| Co. "F" | 97 |
| Co. "G" | 94 |
| Hq. Co. 3d Bn. | 96 |
| Co. "I" | 88.4 |
| Co. "K" | 95.7 |
| Co. "L" | 98 |

4. In view of the above results, the Regimental Commander takes the greatest pleasure in awarding the following prizes:

a—To Company "E" 29th Infantry, for obtaining the highest average score, one solid silver loving cup engraved as follows:

Company "E" 29th Infantry, Highest average score in Rifle Practice, 1922. Score 282.

b—To Pvt. John W. Whittle, Howitzer Company, 29th Infantry, formerly Company "L" 29th Infantry, for the highest individual score in Rifle Practice a **Hamilton** watch, gold case, engraved as follows:

Pvt. John W. Whittle, Company "L" 29th Infantry, Highest score, Rifle Practice, 1922. Score 322.

c—To Pvt. Ralph A. White, Infantry School Detachment, (white) formerly Service Company, 29th Infantry, for second highest score in Rifle Practice, a **Waltham** watch, gold case, engraved as follows:

Pvt. Ralph A. White, Service Company, 29th Infantry, Second highest score, Rifle Practice, 1922. Score 321.

d—To Cpl. Joseph Polan, Company "H" 29th Infantry, formerly Company "M" 29th Infantry, for highest score in Pistol Practice, a **Gruen** wrist watch, silver case, engraved as follows:

Cpl. Joseph Polan, Company "M" 29th Infantry, Highest score, Pistol Practice, 1922. Score 368.

e—To Cpl. James J. Joyce, Company "H" 29th Infantry, formerly Company "M" 29th Infantry, for the highest score, Machine Gun Practice, a **Hamilton** watch, gold case, engraved as follows:

Cpl. James J. Joyce, Company "M" 29th Infantry, highest score, Machine Gun Practice, 1922. Score 627.

f—To Pvt. Odis W. Cason, Company "H" 29th Infantry, formerly Company "M" 29th Infantry, for second highest score Machine Gun Practice a **Gruen** wrist watch, silver case, engraved as follows:

Pvt. Odis W. Cason, Company "M" 29th Infantry, Second highest score, Machine Gun Practice, 1922. Score 589.

5. In view of the fact that the strength of the 29th Infantry at the period of the Target season was 2168 enlisted men, the results show what application will accomplish and makes the average of 94 per cent qualified seem all the more a worthy achievement.

The Regimental Commander congratulates the officers and men on these splendid records and hopes that by the same earnest application, an even better record may be established for the year 1923.

By order of COLONEL GOODALE:
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**INDEBTEDNESS OF EUROPE.**

In view that the European nations favor a debt concellation of war debts it is interesting to make a little summary of the situation:

1. Great Britain owes 20 per cent of her resources.
2. France owes 50 per cent of her resources.
3. Italy owes about 50 per cent of her resources.
4. Germany owes 300 times her resources.
5. Japan owes a little less than 5 per cent of her resources.
6. United States owes 6 1-2 per cent of her resources.

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# National Guard and Reserve Officers Class

(By JAY GEE BEE.)

Friday, December 15th, being the 21st anniversary of the birth of Captain Thomas J. Quinn, of Malden, Mass., the captain delightfully entertained a large group of his fellow officers in his apartments in Block 21.

The charming host wore a lovely costume of ragged olive drab, the color that is so popular at Fort Benning. On his left breast he wore the decoration of the Comme de Terre, with two rotten spots.

With the host in he receiving line were Captain Varmilyea with his report book, Captain Warden with his shooting alibis, Captain Stang with a beautiful sore lip, and Lieutenant Hopf with a ladder on his manly chest.

The tea table was precided over by Lieut. Dolan, charmingly arrayed in the lovely blue unionalls that are worn by the officers taking the machine gun course. The lieutenant's cherry smile and greetings were evenly distributed among the guests as they lined up before his table.

During the course of the evening, several of the guests were called upon to speak. Captain Vermilyea took this opportunity to commend the officers of his platoon for their willing promptness in falling in at all times. His address was received with enthusiasm and he sat down amid wild applause in which the word "Razzberry" was easily detected.

As the holiday season is so close, it was suggested that the gathering sing Christmas carols. Led by Captain Easley's adenoid tenor the sweet music welled from a hundred parched throats until the family in the apartment below threatened to send for the military police.

After playing a group of charming games, such as drop the handkerchief, London bridge and bean bag, the guests were regaled with a dainty lunch of sperm oil and powder solvent, served by Lieut. Gilchrist, acting mess officer.

While the lunch was in progress, a fight developed among the members of the seventh squad of the rifle platoon, and the rest of the guests quickly took sides.

After assuring their host that a lovely time was had by all the guests reluctantly disappeared , agreeing among themselves that the next party should be held in a pyramidal tent where there would be much more room.

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**Alibis on the ready line.**

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The other day Lieut. Singletary made an especially dumb remark and one of the other officers asked him how he ever managed to get a commission. Here is Singletary's explanation in his own words: "Well, I'll tell you. An outfit was being formed in my town and on the date set for muster, it took most of the night to collect the members of the company. The gang being finally rounded up, it was discovered that there was no second lieutenant. The mustering officer refused to muster them in without a complete quota of officers and a frantic search was made for someone to fill the vacant place. As it was then about 3 in the morning and the case was desperate, somebody thought of me. A detail was sent to my house and after a great deal of pounding on my door, managed to awaken me. When I stuck my head out of a window and asked them what they wanted, one of them yelled, "Do you want to be a second lieutenant?" I said that I did and they made me get up and dress and accompany them to the armory, where I was sworn in on the spot."

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**Hey, Captain, those guys in the pit are not marking me right.**

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Add to foolish conversations.

Lieut. Light: Say, Captain Vermilyea, somebody said that you want to see me.

The Captain: No, I don't want to see you.

Lieut. Light: Why?

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I would have had a possible, if the wind hadn't died out.

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Lieut. Goldfedder is issuing a challenge to fight any man in the class that can train down to his size and weight.

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Some of the officers thought there was a new arrival but after an investigation it was discovered that it was Captain Van Horn, of Oregon. The cause of the failure to recognize the captain was that he came out from behind the brush that he wore for several weeks.

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Lieut. Wilson, of Georgia, has been appointed official receiver of all distinguished guests to the area. The Lieut. has been suitably decorated with the badge of office.

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I wonder if Captain Brown has his puttee fixed yet.

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**Famous sayings by more or less famous men.**

Captain Steen: Everybody out, in there.

Captain Perrine: Forward, column left, MARCH.

Captain Ward: Now at Camp Perry—

Lt. Singletary: How about a ten minutes break.

Lt. Pearson: Aw don't walk so fast.

Capt. Vermilyea: I'll take a report when you fall in.

Lt. Dolan: Now that guy, Gilchrist—

Lt. Gilchrist: Now that guy, Dolan—

Capt. McCord: Lieut. Rose absent.

Capt. Miller: When half of your bullets go wide in the ditch—

Lieut. Robinson: Now what was that number?

Capt. Bateman: I guess that you have all heard of the 29 Division.

All instructors: Give me your attention please, gentlemen.

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One day last week the rain drove the rifle section off the range and they were told that if it was still raining at 1 o'clock that they should should report to the lecture hall. It was raining slightly and the platoon leader was in doubt as to the proper course to take. While he was making his estimate of the situation and before he arrived at a decision, Captain Glasgow drove up and announced that the shooting was called off and that the platoon should march to the lecture hall, bringing their rifles. Several members of the platoon asked to be allowed time to get their coats and belts as they were to have their pictures taken for he "Doughboy" that evening and it would save them a long trip. Permission was given and they put on their blouses and belts and reported back to the platoon. In the meantime the rain stopped and it was decided to go ahead with the shooting. Whereupon, the boys that had dressed up for the photographer again beat it back and changed into their shooting clothes. It was necessary to chase the pit detail half way across the prairie, as they had called it a day and were on their way to bunk fatigue for afternoon. As I was one of those that changed his clothes two or three times, I was late for the formation to march to the range, and followed the pit detail closely all the way out. From the remarks that were dropped by the members of the detail, who did not know that they were overheard, it was plainly evident that the embryo Expert Riflemen were far from being popular with that particular gang. In fact, if wishes were facts our area would look like a battlefield cemetery.

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**Just sign a chit, please.**


# FACTS
## ABOUT THE BUSSES

**Aug. 13th, 1921, to and including Dec. 12th, 1922:**

ROUND TRIPS—Columbus—Fort Benning ..... 13,451
PASSENGERS HAULED ..... 369,267
SCHEDULES MISSED ..... 7
INJURED IN ACCIDENTS ..... NONE

They leave Columbus every hour on the hour from 5:00 a. m. until midnight, and "then some" if there are a sufficient number going out to pay actual operating expenses. They have taken out loads as late as 2:10 a. m. They leave the Fort every hour from 6:00 a. m. until midnight.

These schedule busses go whether there are any passengers or not. It often happens that they do not earn enough to pay for the gasoline and driver, but they go—

When necessary there are extra busses to supplement the 5:00 a. m. schedule bus to the Fort in order that all who wish may make reveille. There are always "extras" in the afternoon to provide for travel in excess of the capacity of the schedule busses.

It is not often that there are not suffcient busses provided even on the first Saturday afternoon after pay day, and even on such occasions they are crowded for only a short time. On the afternoon of Dec. 2nd, which was the first Saturday afternoon after pay day, some of the busses actually waited for loads, and we hauled 1508 passengers on that day.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100; Maurice W. Reynolds, telephone 366.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## EXCELLENT XMAS PROGRAM AT POST CHAPEL

### Well Attended.

The Christmas services at the Post Chapel (Protestant) on Sunday and on Christmas morning were exceptionally fine and very well attended. The solos by Mrs. Duvall and Lieut. Custer were greatly enjoyed.

The ladies of the Chapel Guild had decorated the chapel very beautifully, and was greatly appreciated byall who went into the chapel.

The order of worship for Sunday was as follows:

Prelude.
Doxology.
Opening Sentences.
Hymn, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," No. 36.
General Confession and Prayer.
Lord's Prayer.
Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," No. 35.
Apostles' Creed.
Solo—Mrs. Duvall.
Responsive Reading: Selection 34.
Gloria Patri.
Old Testament Lesson.
Hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," No. 33.
New Testament Lesson.
Prayer.
Offertory.
Solo—Lt. Custer.
Sermon.
Prayer (in unison).
Hymn, "Joy to the World," No. 31.
Benediction.

## Holiday Greetings

### MAJOR GENERAL C. S. FARNSWORTH, CHIEF OF INFANTRY, SENDS GREETINGS TO THE INFANTRY.

**Says That Most of the Uncertainties Have Passed.**

We note with great pleasure that OUR CHIEF feels that most of the uncertainties have passed and that the Infantry emerged undaunted from one of the most critical periods of its history. His greetings are as follows:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Office of the Chief of Infantry.
Washington, D. C.
Dec. 21, 1922.

INFANTRYMEN:

Greetings and best wishes for a New Year of happiness.

The Infantry has emerged undaunted from one of the most critical periods of its history. The New Year draws brighter for us. Conditions are stabilizing and most uncertainties have passed.

Due to your loyal interest, zeal and energy the successes of the Infantry during the past year have been many. The Chief of Infantry views them with pride and looks forward with confidence to your achievements during the coming year.

He extends heartfelt best wishes for a Happy New Year to the officers, soldiers and families of your organization.

Sincerely,
Signed: C. S. FARNSWORTH,
Major General, U. S. Army.
Chief of Infantry.

## GENERAL GORDON SENDS XMAS MESSAGE TO COLUMBUS.

**The Commandant Expresses Hope for a Greater Infantry School.**

Just before General Gordon left the Post he sent an Xmas message extending the sincere good wishes of the Post to the people of Columbus. His message was as follows:

"At this time of the year when it is the custom to exchange the season's greeting and sentiments, it is my extreme pleasure to extend the kindest thought and best wishes of

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## GOOD NEWS FOR THE NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

### Bill Has Not Passed The House Yet

As stated in the News last week that we were unable to find out if the House had taken any action on the bill before it, for the increase of percentage of the Non-Commissioned Officers in the Army, we now know that no action was taken, and as Congress is having a recess this week, no action can be taken until after the first of the year.

However, in the meantime the War Department has seen fit to delay the demotion of Non-Commissioned Officers as prescribed in Cir. 275 W. D., 1921, to March 31st, 1923.

This is certainly an excellent Xmas and New Year's present to you worthy men. The News certainly has hopes that the House will pass the bill without delay as soon as it reconvenes.

## There Was Big Doings At Service Club No. 1

### A FULL WEEK ALL THE WAY AROUND.

The Service Club was filled to capacity and many could not get in and had to return to their barracks and homes for lack of room, but all of those who were able to get in report having had a very enjoyable evening.

The beautiful Christmas tree, which had been prepared for the children's party on Saturday afternoon, was still in all of its glory and added to the appearance of the Club. Beside the tree, the building was decorated in red and green crepe paper streamers and holly. The members of the decoration committee were Sgt. Green, I. S. D., Sgt. Byernstol, 7th Engineers, Pvt. Sergmunt, 29th Infantry, Pvt. Hershoft, I. S. D., Pvt. Swall, 29th Infantry, and Pvt. Nelson, 29th Infantry, assisted by various other soldiers.

The informal entertainment was a great success from every point of view and all persons taking part are to be highly commended for their efforts.

The stage was built by Drum Major Wagner, and the gaily decorated Xmas tree was the back drop.

Sgt. Byenstol, master of ceremonies, showed adapt ability along this line. The entertainment consisted of different stunts, such as who could whistle first after eating a soda cracker; a piece of candy tied in the middle of a string and then two men putting each end of the string in their mouth, the winner being the man who got to the candy first; etc. Pvt. Rogers put on a strong arm stunt, and it would be well if our Fourh Corps champion boxers gave Rogers a wide path. Pvt. Talson and Sequest

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## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

**Opening Hours for the Three Theatres:**

Colored Theatre ..... 6:00 p. m.
Post Theatre ..... .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theatre .... 7:30 p. m.

**Sunday, Dec. 31st.**

"Rroadway Rose," 8 reel feature, (May Murray). "Punctured Prince," 2 reel comedy (Bull Montana).

**Monday, Jan. 1st.**

"Mixed Fares," 5 reel feature, (Wm. Russell). "Watering the Elephants," 1 reel (Mutt & Jeff). Fox News.

**Tuesday, Jan. 2nd.**

"Fools First," 6 reel feature (Marshall Neilan). "Counter Jumper," 2 reel comedy (Larry Seamon).

**Wednesday, Jan. 3rd.**

"The Loaded Door," 5 reel feature (H. Gibson). "Leather Pushers," 2 reels, (Comedy).

**Thursday, Jan. 4th.**

"While Satan Sleeps," 6 reel feature (Jack Holt). Fox News.

**Friday, Jan. 5th.**

"Seeing Is Believing," 5 reel feature (Viola Dana). Roach Comedy. Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Jan. 6th.**

"God's Country and Law," 6 reel feature, (Curwood story). "Hurry Up," 1 reel comedy (Cameo.)

## First Christmas of the 24th Infantry in Georgia

### IT WAS SOME DAY.

In honor of the anniversary of the birth of Christ, the one thousand nine hundred and twenty-second, the officers and enlisted men of the 24th Infantry and Medical Detachment (attached) enjoyed the usual Feast of Nativity, Monday, December 25th, from 1:30 to 11 p. m., at their various mess halls and Service Club. As a great poet has said, "At Christmas, eat, play, and make good cheer; for Christmas comes but once a-year," each one played his part toward this great command and the One whom we honor on this day, giving full measure of devotion.

The Christmas Feast began in each dining room with remarks in honor of the day followed by reverence in which all were mindful of the many things for which to be proud and greatful, dedicated to the great task remaining before us; not from the grand old masters; not from the bards sublime, whose footsteps echo through the corridors of Time, but from He who has gone before, with honor, and faith and a sure intent, that strings like a white-hot band.

Although we appreciate how keenly those who are absent feel the disappointment of their failure to participate with us, we rejoice together with them in the prospect of a happy and joyous Christmas, and trust that they will remember in the performance of military duty to one's country in the time of war or peace, it is not for the countryman to select the kind of service to be done by him, nor where, however, we join them in the successful prosecution of the cause.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the Service Club of the 24th Infantry, which was most beautifully decorated, and with a burdened tree surmounting the rostrum, which had not then been visited by Santa Claus, and with the presence of Colonel Benjamin P. Nicklin, Commanding Officer, 1st Lt. Chaplain Maurice W. Reynolds, in charge, and Warrant Officer Joel P. Elazier, United States Army, Band Leader, the following most satisfactory in every way program was rendered:

PROGRAM.

1. Sacred March—24th Infantry Band.
2. Joy to the World—Potpouri, by Barnhouse—24th Infantry Band.
3. Responsive Reading—Chaplain and Congregation.
4. Hymn, No. 36, O Come All Ye Faithful—24th Infantry Choir and Congregation.
5. Christmas, Christmas, Christmas—William McCauley.
6. Scripture Lesson — Chaplain Reyolds.
7. Christmas Carols—Marie Quander.
8. Prayer—Chaplain Reynolds.
9. Christmas Bells—Beatrice Quander.
10. Hymn, No. 31, Joy to the World—24th Infantry Choir and Congregation.
1. Recitation—Severina and Archie Williams.
2. Solo, Birth of Christ—Dorothy Simmons.

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# Social Notes

**Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, Editor.**
Post Phone 192.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Kyle Rucker of Ft. Crook, Nebraska, are visiting Columbus during the holidays as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrard and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lumpkin.

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Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Charles M. Shepherd, of Lincoln, Nebraska, are the guests of their son, Capt. T. M. Shepherd and Mrs. Shepherd, of 1543 Second avenue, Columbus.

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Miss Sylvester, of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days in Columbus as the guest of her brother, Major and Mrs. Sylvester.

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Lieutenant-Col. A. W. Williams, of Indianapolis, and Major and Mrs. Chas. R. Williams, of Camp Travis, Texas, are spending the holidays in Columbus as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and Mr. Johnson Williams.

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The next meeting of the Army Bridge Club of Columbus will be held on Thursday, January 4th, 1923, at the Muscogee Club.

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Mr. and Mrs. James E. Rycoft, of Kennett, California, are the guests of their son, Lieutenant Jack E. Rycroft and Mrs. Rycroft. They expect to stay about a month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Span, of Stanton, Neb., spent Christmas at the home of their son-in-law, Capt. E. A. Mechling.

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**MRS. WALLACE BRIER ENTERTAINED.**

On Christmas Day Lieutenant and Mrs. Wallace B. Brier entertained Lieutenant and Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst to dinner. A wonderful time was had and the dinner was excellent. The noble turkey was a nice juicy, tender, delicious one. The music of a new cabinet Victrola was thoroughly enjoyed.

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**CAPTAINS E. G. CHAPMAN, GLASCLOW AND LIEUTENANT PORTER HAVE A CHRISTMAS TREE**

On Christmas Eve Captains Chapman and Glasclow and Lieut. Porter entertained at dinner. Shortly after dinner a beautiful Xmas tree was lighted and Doctor Chapman acting as Saint Nick distributed presents to all present and unlucky was the person who didn't receive at least half a dozen things.

Those present were Doctor and Mrs. E. G. Chapman, parents of Captain Chapman, Captain and Mrs. Ray Miller, and Lieutenant and Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst.

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**MAJOR GENERAL AND MRS. GRAVES ARE ENTERTAINED.**

On Saturday evening at their home on Hamilton avenue, Major and Mrs. Hickox were hosts at a pretdy dinner, honoring General and Mrs. Graves, who are visiting Major and Mrs. Orton.

The guests were seated at small tables with lighted Christmas trees as a central decoration. Santa Claus place cards marked the places.

Those present were:

Gen. and Mrs. Graves, Major and Mrs. Orton, Col. and Mrs. Bugbee, Major and Mrs. Wiley, Col. and Mrs. Morris, Major and Mrs. Garrison, Major and Mrs. Hatie, Mr and Mrs. Fred Teague, Col. and Mrs. Davis, Major and Mrs. Dryesdale, Mrs. Leitch, Major Campanole.

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**MISS SYLVESTER IS ENTERTAINED.**

At her home on Forrest avenue, Mrs. Sylvester, wife of Major Sylvester, entertained at a lovely little bridge party Thursday afternoon, in honor of her house-guest, Miss Sylvester, of Washington, D. C., and also for Mrs. Worley, of Washington, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Paschal.

Holly and Christmas greens formed a bright decoration. There were only four tables of players: Mesdames. Paschal, Chambliss, Walker, Matthews, Lough, Anding, Magruder, Lampert, Jones, Miss Shaw, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Waddell, Mrs. Garrison, Mrs. Griner.

The prizes were won as follows: First prize, a flower basket, by Mrs. Paschal; second prize, a wall basket, by Mrs. Walker; consolation, a candy box, by Mrs. Matthews.

Mrs. Morey was presented a string of black and white beads and Miss Sylvester, a vanity case.

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**CAPT. AND MRS. RANSOM'S EVENING BRIDGE PARTY.**

Holly and Christmas greens formed an effective decoration for the bridge party on Thursday evening at which Captain and Mrs. Paul L. Hansom entertained for Mrs. Henry H. Chase of Rock Island, Ill.

Dr. Thomas Dibrell won the ladies prize, a dozen Japanese coasters, and Capt. Lynn Henckle, the gentlemen's prize, a smoking set.

There were five tables of players: Captain and Mrs. Henkle, Captain and Mrs. Guessford, Captain and Mrs. Gibson, Captain and Mrs. Wycklam, Captain and Mrs Dibrell, Captain and Mrs. Fontaine, Lieutenant and Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Charles Pierce, Captain and Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Henry H. Chase, Captain and Mrs. Ransom.

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**ARMY BRIDGE PARTY.**

The Army Bridge club of the city gave its Christmas party at the Muscogee club grill, on Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

It was a most enjoyable affair, their being about seventy-five guests.

The prizes were won as follows:

First prize, Mrs. Spann; second prize, Mrs. Wimberly; third prize, Mrs. Hartman.

At the conclusion of the game, cakes and hot chocolate were served.

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**MRS. WM. B. YANCEY'S INFORMAL DANCE.**

Mrs. William B. Yancey, wife of Capt. Yancey, was hostess at an informal bridge party on Friday afternoon, entertaining two tables.

Holly and mistletoe were appropriately used in decorating the livingroom, where card tables were placed and Christmas tallies marked the places of the guests.

After the game a delicious course with creamed chicken, sandwiches, olives, salted nuts and coffee was served.

Those present were: Mesdames Moran, Wyckham, Dodd, Brink, Ellis, Stann, Bonham, Henkle and Suppington.

Mrs. Wyckham won the first prize, a bottle of Coty's perfume, and Mrs. Brink the booby, a magic writing-pad.

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PHONE IN YOUR SOCIAL NEWS TO THE EDITOR AT 146 Ft. Benning, or to Mrs. H. W. Brandhorst, phone 360, Ft. Benning.

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Lieutenant and Mrs. Duvall entertained Lieutenant and Mrs. F. Mallory at dinner on Christmas Day.

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Captain Porter, assistant to the Post Quartermaster, is spending the Xmas holidays in Pittsburg, Pa.

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**ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.**

The next regular meeting of the Army Bridge Club of Ft. Benning will be held on Thursday, January 4th, 1923, at 2 o'clock, at the Officers' Hop Room just in rear of Post Headquarters.

The hostesses for the occasion are: Mrs. P. Beebe, Mrs. Russell Baker, Mrs. J. T. Dibielt, Mrs. J. P. Dinsmore, Mrs. John R. Dinsmore.

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**FRENCH LESSONS AT SPECIAL RATES.**

Mme. Henriette M. Hautefeuille, of Paris, France, who is now living in Columbus at 1024 Second Avenue, will give French lessons at special rates to the officers, ladies and children of Fort Benning. Madame Hautefeuille's telephone number is 1662, City, where she may be reached between the hours of 9:00 and 10:00 each morning or between the hours of 1:00 and 2:00 in the afternoons. Being a native Parisienne, Madame Hautefeuille is qualified to teach the true Parisian accent.

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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

Well, Record Firing is history now for the N. C. O.'s and Bucks of the School Division. When the smoke of battle cleared away there were only seven men to be found who had survived the old, old struggle, while the remainder had to be content with sharpshooter and marksman. The old saying still holds good for the majority, "Uncle Sam laughs at you at the last range;" the writer of this article knows the above to be true, along with a few others who made 290, so near yet so far. One of the men figured it out at about $8.00 a point. The old alibi (Mr. Weather) had something to do with it, for the first day we fired for record, two of our distinguished marksman (now extinct) trigger fingers froze to the trigger at 200 yds. off hand and one of them had to have his finger amputated. All Doubting Thomases see Staff Sgt. Jazz Magoni. The following named men entered the Hall of Fame: Copass, Ellis, Strickland, Bilyen, Courtwright, Gasser and Ward of deducing fame. Sgt. Strickland led the procession with 312 points, while Sgt. Bilyen was a close second with 311. The above scores are considered remarkable considering the zero weather we had the first day.

The following incident was reported during the preliminary firing, which seems unbelieveable, but one of our Staff Sergeants vouches for same. A Master Sergeant thought he would have time to fire the course and he and his coach went up to the firing point and he was five minutes loading his piece, in fact the coach had to show him how it was done. Does sound a little funny, especially when the party in question expects to retire soon. We are wondering where he has been keeping himself all this time.

One of our sergeants went over the top during preliminary but for record he had to be content with marksman. Oh, well, Sgt., another year will soon pass away and then you will be able to make the grade providing you squeeze the lemon.

Staff Sgt. Gasser, the A. E. F. Champion, needed 40 at the last range and he showed the boys how it was done when he knocked out 47. To Sgt. Bilyen goes the palm for all we could hear at 200 yds. off-hand was, Sgt. Bilyen 1st, 2nd and 3rd shots for record a five and so on and if it had been a warm day he would have probably put all ten of them in the center of the Bull.

Once again the Detachment put the Waldorf Astoria to shame, for on Christmas day we had one big dinner. The mess hall was decorated with evergreens in true hodilay manner and an excellent jazz orchestra kept a counter strain to the sound of rubbing against home-made pies. Most of the married men had their families present and the kiddies were each given a toy. Several officers and their ladies were present, among them being Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey, Lieut. Buracker's mother and his brother, Lieut. Buracker, United States Navy. Staff Sergeant Stewart and his assistants in the kitchen are voted thanks by the entire Detachment for the success of the dinner.

Sergeant McNutt has just been promoted from Corporal.

Master Sergeant Nadeau has been transferred from the 29th Infantry but will remain on duty with his former outfit.

Christmas Day sixty-eight recruits came in from Fort Slocum, via Charleston, S. C. They arrived just in time for the big dinner. There are many likely looking men in the bunch and the detachment hopes to get all those assigned to Infantry.

Private Glenn, the ever ready personnel clerk, is spending the holidays at home.

Sergeant Mulqueeny, who soon retires, has been promoted to Master Sergeant, and Ora Collins, Edgar Hendricks, Morris Weinburg, Henry Kahler and William Seigmund have been made Sergeants.

Santa Claus presented eighteen new corporals with their stripes and warrants: O'Hara, Morgan, Jones, Lowder, Fuller, Grey, Hodge, Chestnutt, White, Walters, Johnston, Carrol, Griffin, Collins, Lofgren, Mills and Bickley.

### MADAME PETROVA IN "THE WHITE PEACOCK"

Modernity is emblazoned through the story of Olga Petrova's new play, "The White Peacock," which comes to Springer Opera House Tuesday night, Jan. 2. with Petrova herself playing the leading role.

"Reminiscent in theme of Ibsen," declared the metropolitan critics where "The White Peacock" was seen all last season. But Petrova's play begins where "Nora" slams the door, with the decision of the intelligent modern woman to live her own life, yet allowing the dictates of heart and brain to be her justification. Treating her subject scientifically, Madame Petrova has yet delved deep into the Romanticist school. "By Ibsen out of Hugo" is the adroit way in which her play has been described; for not only is it a piece of sound dramatic literature, but it is colored with all the sensuous loveliness of Spain. There is the song of the palpitant lover in a wailing minor key, the heavy aroma of orange trees, nightingales and moonlight and the rich purple of semi-tropical bouganvilleas. In the midst of this appealing setting steps for the statuesquely beautiful Revette, portrayed by Petrova herself, in her matchless manner. Revette di Riberay Santallos is the wife of the aspiring Don Miguel, a Spanish Dignitary whose unfaithful love she refuses to accept. Being an artist, she is able to live independently and, although Don Miguel threatens her, she refuses to return home, and she even turns a deaf ear to the Spanish law, which would compel her to do so. Don Caesar di Mendiozay Gonzales, an escaped convict, convicted unjustly of the murder of his father when Don Miguel was Chief Justice, comes to Revette's studio in the dead of night seeking revenge. But instead of murdering Revette, he falls in love with her and later becomes her model. Don Miguel, of course, recognizes him and from this point complications ensue, which make up three tense acts of suspense, riveting the interest to the very last curtain. The love scenes in the play are particularly captivating, often verging on tragedy, but terminating at the wished for finale. In the supporting cast will be seen artists such as Mitchell Harris, Robert Brister, H. H. McCullum, Messinger Bellis, Judson Langill, Ludmilla Toretzka, Doris Carpenter, Letha Walters. The Selwyns are sponsors for this production.

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## Motor Transport Notes

With the able support of Captain Thad C. and Mrs. Knight (father and mother) of Motor Transport Co. 100, also with the kind assistance given by the enlisted men's wives, the Christmas tree was beautifully decorated for the occasion, which was held on Christmas eve. The Christmas exercises were enjoyed by the organization, friends and visitors. The tree was surrounded with gifts for each member of the organization. Santa Claus made his appearance at 7:30, viewing the tree and the many gifts that surrounded it; then he greeted the organization, friends and visitors with greetings of the holidays by making the evening one of the most enjoyable one of the year. He had gifts for the honorable guests and families. The honored guests were Lt. Col. W. O. Smith and family, Capt. Thad C. and Mrs. Knight, Master Sgt. June and family.

Question—Why is it that Pvt. Brown, our flat brush artist, cannot enjoy an evening of pleasure with his Cleveland (Vamp)?

Answer—His undesirable comrades keep him scuffling for a place by telling his Cleveland (Vamp) of his Georgia Brown and the history of his past life.

Question—Pvt. Campbell, M. T. C. (Vamp) desires to learn why it is he cannot vamp a Miss Green?

Answer—He came in with the lost lot.

Question—Why did Pvt. Washington (the Baltimore Kid) keep under cover on Christmas?

Answer—Only to prevent Miss Georgia from seeing the position which Miss Pittsburg was holding.

Question—Pvt. Parker, why were you appointed K. P. for the holidays?

Answer—Just because I made a ztouchdown in the Bammas.

Pvt. Hawkins (The Boy Child) carried the Wynnton down while scuffling on the road somewhere out of town, causing Sweet Papa DI-D-DO to go down before reaching Shady Rest.

The Motor Transport Santa Claus says he is sorry that he could not be with the boys Christmas night, and says to tell Private Mack Davis if there are any calls from the city just tell them that I am not at home.

Private Mosely (ex-pill roller and one time Presidentie of the Pampanga Prov., P. I.) was called on Christmas eve to say a few words, and after taking the position of a Dis-Mounted Trooper, says he was glad that he was a member of the M. T. C.; just then something went wrong with his collar ornaments and the word we heard him say was (AMEN).

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## IF THE SHOE FITS, WEAR IT; IF IT DOESN'T, THEN—

When Marshall Foch toured the United States shortly after the world's war, he was entertained in Denver. During the entertainment some member present made the remark that the Marshal's politeness was all "air." The marshal happened to overhear the remark and turned to the speaker saying: "Perhaps so, but don't you put air in your automobile tires, thereby smoothing the roads of your journey, either for pleasure or for business?"

We believe that the above could be more generally applied than it now is. At present there seems to be a tendency toward airs of "hard-boiledness," "disagreeableness," "discourtesy." Of course a certain few can be hardboiled with impunity. A genuinely "hardboiled" man is liked and respected. He is just, treating all alike. But his imitator is quickly detected and heartily disliked. He mistakes courtesy and respect for weakness and lack of determination. He wants to impress every one he meets with the idea that his wonderful brain can make correct decisions without knowledge of the subject and without hesitation. What is his usual answer? Just plain "No." Why did he say "No"? Simply to impress his hearer with the fact that he is mentally alert and accustomed to making snap decisions. The result is that these "Nos" have become so common that little attention is paid to them; the matter is taken up again and often a snappy "No" is changed to a "yes." Not every proposition can be answered with "yes," but how much pleasanter it is to receive a courteous refusal with reasons given after a few minutes devoted to "thinking it over."

By a courteous person we do not mean a wishie washie limp individual who "just can't decide what I should do"—or who seeks the advice of several and then decides on a path of least resistance, one which requires no definite decision. This sort of person is always trying to "pass the buck." A buck passer is in the same class with the "would-be hard-boiled" person and they are two classes of individuals that the world could nicely do without.

But the courteous individual who greets you with a smiling "What can I do for you today?" listening to your proposition, considering it carefully, and rendering his decision with reasons for it, is the person entitled to, and receiving your respect. When his reasons for a refusal of your respect are courteously given, you will often see the matter in a different *light*.

Isn't it a pleasure to meet a courteous individual knowing that your greeting and smile will be returned? Don't you have a deep feeling of genuine respect for him and don't you try just a little harder to please him when you know that he is a MAN who is considerate and has sincere regards for the rights and feelings of others instead of trying to create the impression of the great EGO.

Let's all get together and use a little of the "air" Marshal Foch uses. It costs nothing and smooths the journey over life's road. Let us leave behind a few friends instead of the epitaph—"He was a buck passer," or "He thought that he could be hard-boiled and get away with it." But if it is impossible to use the "air"—let's be genuinely hard-boiled, not an unjust imitation.

If the shoe fits, wear it. If it pinches pare your corns to relieve the pain. We have no particular individual or individuals in mind. Its just the feeling in the atmosphere which has seemed to reach the proportions of an epidemic.

Next week we will write about Saluting. If you don't like this, don't read the one next week.

## A DESIRED IMPROVEMENT.

The intersection of the two roads at the Post Flag Pole is a more or less dangerous place, especially if you drive along Siegerfoes Ave. towards Block 23. Just as you pass the flag pole, going toward Block 23, there is quite a large space leveled off and make you believe that the road goes straight ahead. Also on the right hand side of the road there is a wide foot path that can easily be taken for the road. But if you should try either one of these you come to a sudden stop, because there is a deep ditch that follows the outer edge of the smooth place.

The Editor has seen two cars in this ditch and no doubt there have been more.

Since other places are being improved and made safer in the Post it seems that a railing, painted white, would be very desirable at this place.

## FIRST CHRISTMAS OF THE 24th INFANTRY IN GEORGIA

(Continued from Page 1.)

3. Stabat Mater—Rossini—24th Infantry Band.
4. Vocal Solo, Sunshine of Your Smile—Private Herman Seats.
5. Recitation—Russell Crawley.
6. Just Before Christmas—Jack J. Merrill.
7. Solo, Holy City—Mrs. Edith Taylor.
8. Recitation—Evelyn Taylor.
9. Angels From the Realm of Glory—24th Infantry Quartet.
20. The Chrustmas Turkey—The McCauley Boys.
21. Recitation—Mrs. Thornton.
22. Solo, O Little Town of Bethelhem—Corporal Jones.
23. Remarks—Chaplain Reynolds.
24. Song, It Came Upon the Midnight Clear—Choir and Congregation.
25. Recitation—Thornton Brothers.
26. Recitation—John Roy Washington.
27. Solo, The Rosary—Mrs. Elizabeth Brown.
28. Recitation—Alvin McCauley.
29. Holy Night, Silent Night—24th Infantry Sextet.
30. Yuletide Songs—24th Infantry Band.
31. Arrival of Santa Claus—Santa Claus (himself.)
32. Distribution of Presents—Santa Claus.
33. Postlude—24th Infantry Band.

## SANTA CLAUS!

Upon the completion of the best program in the history of the 24th Infantry, and followed by the announcement that Santa Claus was on his way, the eager eyes of the anxious children starred the hearth of the old chimney of the Service Club incessantly.

There was that upon their faces that gave all watchers pause; for they had refrained from conversation, merely turning their heads, looking at one another. Soon Santa Claus, with white hair, long beard, and a smiling face, carrying a pack, was sighted in the hearth and instantly clearing himself from the chimney, and very heavy ladened, moved triumphantly toward the barren Christmas tree. Little "Sam" Merrill acted as chief adviser, telling Santa how good all had been "just before Christmas."

The lonely hearts of the children soon came into their own in the presence of Santa Claus.

As the day grew grayer and grayer, a masterly game of basketball between the 24th and Columbus "Y" christened the evening's activities, the 24th winning by a score of 21 to 20.

With the coming of any number of visitors, nightfall overtook us, but nevertheless at the set hour the "Barn Dance" was begun, but was soon interrupted by a 10-reel picture entitled "Loves of Pharaoh." This, however, did not prevent the resumption of the dance as soon as the last reel was shown.

Lightly charged fireworks kept us mindful of the event and no small number was discharged.

After strenuous efforts by the little ones to keep awake, many were forced to resort to rest, and their day was done where they were.

It is a hard task to pick out one person by name and say that the splendid success of such a glorious, happy, merry and enjoyable Christmas is due to his or her hard work; but it can be truthfully said that the larger part was due to the earnest efforts of one who is about to be separated from us, Chaplain Maurice W. Reynolds, assisted by many other enthusiastic helpers who belong to the regiment.

With the earnest hope of a Happy and Prosperous New Year to all we remain,

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### SERVICE COMPANY.

Another year has gone by, and how many of us can look back upon the past and say to ourselves, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant?"

In the coming new year His Satanic Majesty is on the alert and instructions have been given to his millions of imps to collect paving stones for future use in his domains.

It is wonderful and majestic, the system of boulevards and roads, the material of which has been furnished by us mortals, represented by resolutions which have been made with all due consideration and faith for our good conduct to begin the new year with, but as it is "human to err, and divine to forgive," and we all hope to that the Almighty forgive us for our misdeeds which we unconsciously may have committed, and let us hope that, as we have a moon, which scientists say has quite an influence on the tides of the different oceans and seas on this planet—that such influence will not permeate our gallant company, men to become in the same condition as our beautiful moon will be about the first of the coming year, and thus gratify the ambition of His Satanic Majesty and his millions of imps, and that all good resolves may be adhered to with "self-will and determination," not to be shaken from its foundation, and by so doing, checkmate the ambitious desires of the Arch Fiend Mephistopheles, and that he may return to his domains with his hosts of imps, and the Service Company men (who are the best in the regiment) will see that they don't put any obstacles in their own way to further the ends of His Majesty from below. The first thing to do is to "know thyself" and in order to do that, he must master himself.

It may be that he may have obstacles to surmount and combat, but here, I presume we should have used the singular, as the one only obstacle which creates the most trouble to mankind is, HIMSELF; and until he has done that, he cannot truthfully say, "I know myself;" and let us begin the new year with that resolution, with the firm resolve that His Satanic Majesty will not fall heir to such resolutions before the year has fairly begun, and the Service Company as a unit voice the sentiment of good will with, "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Man," and a Prosperous, Happy and Blameless New Year.

### 1st BATTALION HEADQUARTERS.

1st Lieut. W. H. Vinson, our company commander, has returned from leave, enjoyably spent with relatives and friends in Atlanta, Georgia.

Private Elzie A. Hall, of this organization, received a visit from St. Nicholas night before Xmas. He was rudely awakened from his sonorous slumbers to find that his socks were very neatly arrayed at the foot of his bunk filled with presents galore, consisting of hair brushes, combs, tooth paste, shoe polish and several lumps of coal and many other miscellaneous articles too numerous to mention.

Privates Adcock and Harrison are spending a Xmas furlough in Newnan, Ga., and are presumably enjoying the company of a Georgia Peach or two from Troup County.

Pete Blake is spending a Xmas furlough in Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Any one desiring instructions in the thrilling game of Pinochle, apply to Sgt. Freeman. Classes day and night.

The Tanks are highly elated over the weather outlook today, for it looks like they are going to have at least one more day to live before their annihilation at the hands of the "Galloping 1st Battalion." For the weather man, at least, is in sympathy with them.

### 2nd BATTALION, HDQ. CO.

I suppose "E" Company must admit that we gave them a stiff fight in Tuesday's basketball game. We kept them stepping out all thru the game.

There have been transfers and more transfers within the Second Battalion and from outside sources to Companies of the battalion going on all along, but Headquarters Co., 2nd Battalion, just didn't have the luck to acquire some of the basketball champs that have been floating around. They all went to the line Companies, last year's championship team included. The fact that this Company's team, which is composed of men who are playing their first season, put up a fight strong enough to make "E" Company's players put forth their best efforts in winning, shows the stuff it is composed of.

We expect to make it just as interesting for other opposing teams in coming games.

Well, boys, old 1922 is about to bid us all farewell. We have all been kept busy with our various duties and pleasures during the past year, and no doubt the time has flown along smoothly, with every now and then an occurrence (pleasant or otherwise), and this week of rest before the New Year is the time to think over our deeds during the past year and lay our plans for 1923.

Wonder if at any time during the next 12 months we will have the pleasure of seeing—

Pvt. Abernathy get sufficiently wrought up, when it will be necessary for him to use words more effective than "Gosh-ding-it;"

Leonardi, without his smokestack;

Conley, going to town in uniform;

Craig, with a serious look on his face;

Guller, bested in an argument;

Rafferty, without an alibi;

Sterling, present in the Company, for at least one week at a time;

Valentine, defeated at pool;

Or hearing—

Emmons, whistling a different tune;

Hopkinson, say he has quit going up the pole each month;

Jenkins, laugh when he pulls out his pool check.

### COMPANY "B."

Captain A. J. McFarland, our Company Commander, has taken advantage of a nine-day leave—presumed to be a rest period during the "Turkey Days."

1st Sgt. John Brown and family motored to the South (take notice, Northerners) to Boston, Ga., to partake of a feast on Christmas Day.

We wonder who attracts a male member of our organization to Memphis, Tenn., during the holidays. Who is she, Lieut?

Sgt. Humphrey, our able and free-hearted Mess Sergeant, contemplates re-enlisting in this organization. It must be, beans taste good to him.

As before, the spirit and morale of Company "B" soldiers assisted them in winning the first basketball game of the season. To win a game without practice is deserving of undue credit. Romplowskie, star on the 1st Bn. football team, played his first game of basketball, and present indications are that he will develop into a star basketeer.

Between football and a certain young lady in the city, Pvt. McFadden's time is well occupied. Why not move to the city, Mac? Married men generally live there.

"Oh, those rubber heels, they sure put me on K. P.," is heard from ten members of the K. P. detail. Boys, remember the way of the transgressor is hard.

Generally eats that are served at the Post Restaurant are tasteless. Also exhorbitant prices seem to prevail. It has been observed whenever one orders steak, that the steak is where the tomato ought to be. It is suggested that a committee investigate the aforesaid remark—it should be remedied.

Why does the management of the theatre always feed us on love scenes? Show us something with action, good comedies—leave the love at home, where it belongs. We will do our own love making. Here's for he-man stuff.

Would anyone recommend street lights on the road through the 29th Infantry? They are badly needed.

Ex-Pug Kid Pinchawsky, of this organization, is to start in training shortly. Atta-boy, Pinchawsky, show them what they put out in New York. "Irish" McFadden is to be his trainer.

Why do special duty men have to do K. P.? Ask Pvt. Shroyer. Rubber heels sure come in handy in the kitchen. What about it, Jack?

Sgt. Humphrey, Cpl. Willingham and Pvt. Short seem to enjoy their moon-light walks across the Upatoie bridge. Put us wise to the good things.

We don't see what Company "B" wants with a Victrola. Cpl. Sturgeon is a very able substitute. He needs no needles, no crank to wind him up. The worst part of it, he always plays the same record.

If Pvt. Scheeler does not stop singing "Papa Loves Mama," he will be crowned the Irish way. Ladies, please note. He is a real side show attraction. Dimensions the same in all directions, and his feet are not mates. One foot is going while the other is coming; wears a size 11 on the left and a 12 on the right. Duty calls and I must go but this shall be continued next week.

### COMPANY "C."

Everything is on a quiet order, especially for Christmas. Nineteen men are on furlough at present, the rest wanted to go but the fatigue had to be carried on, at least Private Schumacher thinks it does, but he likes any kind of fatigue for it reminds him of home.

Conditions have improved greatly in the last few months. There has

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# 29th Infantry News Notes

(Continued from Page 5.)

not been anybody drunk in the company in several months, and just one man in confinement, outside of all the jail birds that have been transferred to us, and we have six of them now that are in confinement. The devil owed "C" Company a debt and paid it with deserters from other companies.

LOST—A five-year-old pipe and a pocketbook with 15 cents. Finder please return to 1st Sgt. Barton, Orderly Room, Company "C."

### COMPANY "D."

The holidays are still with us, but the celebrations are about over, the gang is finding fault with themselves as well as the weather, "C. C. Jerry F." Roeglin is figuring on building an ark if the rain lasts an hour longer.

"Booker T." Willard, after the first of the year, is going to take the Keeley Cure, from the way the chow has been for the past few weeks we think that he should take a double dose.

At the present time in this orderly room there is a heated argument going on in which Robert N. Moore is expounding theories on horse racing. Undoubtedly most of the readers do not know that Mr. Moore is the famous trainer, jockey and former owner of the finest string of horses that ever ran. He tips today on how to pick mud runners. He claims he never picked a winner but at that his horses always finished. We asked him the other day if they ever finished in the money but he refused to answer the question and was very indignant that he should be asked a question of that sort. His latest article is how to place bets; no doubt it is very good but the writer not having time nor patience to read it, I just glanced at it and took Mr. Moore's word that it was the real dope. Mr. Moore is also a representative of the National Turf Investment Co.

### COMPANY "E."

We don't know much about the "F" Company basketball team, but they sure do play a good game. Of course, they couldn't beat the future champs, but they gave us a good game. The score was "E" 25 and "F" 18. Line-up for "E" Company as follows:

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|---|---|
| McCord | Guard |
| Crane | Forward |
| Newman | Center |
| Graham | Guard |
| Akin | Forward |

Brown substituted for McCord, Nolan for Graham and Wiggins for Newman. Better luck next time, "F" Company.

Well, we will have to hand it to the First Battalion again this year. They beat the "Galloping" Second at football. But there is no kick. They had the best team, and now we are pulling for them strong.

The Battalion Commander, Major A. E. Sawkins, sent Christmas greetings and best wishes for the New Year to the nearest relatives of all men in the Second Battalion. All our relatives return your greetings, Major, and wish you the same.

A remark was made by a certain young sergeant the other day. He said: "We have all kinds of champions in the Army, boxing, running, wrestling, basketball, and about every other kind of a champion, but I claim the sleeping championship." We believe you, Chester. A man that can go to sleep Friday night and not wake up until Reveille Tuesday must be the champion. You win.

Pvt. Brown doesn't like basketball any more. He had that cute little dimple knocked out of his knee last week by the First Battalion football squad, and now he won't look at a ball of any kind.

Pvt. Mathews is sure "gone" over that girl he is writing to, and he has never even seen her. Can you imagine that?

Company "E" has a wonderful man for center this year on the basketball team. He said he was a hero, but when they passed out the medals his didn't show up. You sure are a good man, Newman, but the New York Zoo is looking for more specimen of the Giraffe.

Again "Dad" is happy. He won a game of pinochle from Sgt. Julius the other day. The first victory in fifty-eight games. And to think that Cpl. New was his partner. Keep it up, "Dad."

Presents cost a lot now, but we sure do wish everyone in the 29th a Happy New Year and a noisy Fourth of July.

Well, Paul, we sure do like you for a Mess Sergeant, but is beans the only thing they have in the commissary these days? We sure do like them, but how about a change? Beans and soup wouldn't be so bad. Beans straight are bad for the appetite.

Second Battalion Headquarters Company needs a little more practice in basketball. They are a nice bunch of fellows alright, but when it comes to basketball, well, that is different. The invincible "E" Company won their second game this season, and it looks like a clean-up for them. The score, Headquarters 8, "E" Company 14. Not so bad, even if we do say it ourselves.

### COMPANY "G."

Due to the energy and hard work of our Mess Sergeant and cooks, our Christmas dinner was a complete success. We were complimented by the Regimental Commander's Reviewing Committee as having one of the best decorated mess-halls. We were honored on this occasion by the presence of our Battalion Commander, Major Sawkins, and wife. Major Sawkins gave a talk that was more than appreciated by all present. Lt. Sims, Lt. Fogelberg and Lt. Cooey were among those present and they all had a few words to say. The dinner was served in courses and there wasn't a "Regular" there who got up from the table hungry. The entertainment was made more amusing by the local talent that was secured. The work of Cpl. Johnson was worth mentioning. The orchestra was very good and the music was enjoyed by all.

Who saw the basketball game on Tuesday night? You saw who are going to be the champs, didn't you? We won the first game from Co. "F" and all the players are determined not to lose a game this season.

### COMPANY "H."

Everybody enjoyed the Christmas feast that was served, although there are some who can hardly walk yet.

Our famous basketball team won the first game of the season. They defeated Second Battalion Hqrs. Co., by a large margin. Second Battalion Hqrs. fought well all through the game but our team played with excellent teamwork.

It was unfortunate that our star football player was being tried by courts-martial while the game was going on between the First and Second Battalions. He didn't get into the game until the last half and showed his ability by immediately scoring a touchdown. Lehman played an excellent game while Daniels was not up to his usual form.


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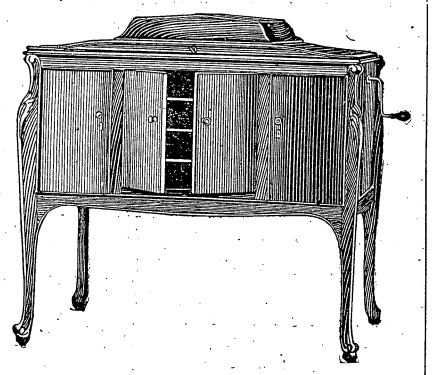

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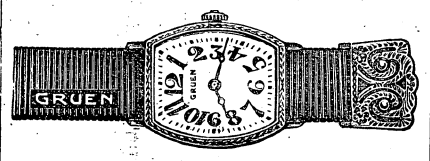


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# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 14.)

The company left Clery-le-Grand for Liny on November 7th and from November 7th to November 10th the company was engaged in the construction and repair of the Dun-sur-Meuse—Liny, Liny-Fontaines, Vilosnes, and Vilosnes-Liny roads.

The company marched from Liny to Brandeville on November 10th, repairing roads enroute, and was repairing roads and narrow-gage railroad from Brandeville to Louppy, and placing captured narrow-gauge engines in running order when the armistice went into effect.

**Company "C."**

On October 29th Company "C" completed the work at the Third Corps Headquarters, and on that night joined the First Battalion in the Bois de Septsarges. On the following morning a detail followed the Nantillois Brieulles road into Brieulles, locating and destroying enemy road traps. That night two platoons of the company wired in a section of the line of resistance and on the next day a detail went out and traced an additional section of the resistance line. That afternoon, the remaining two platoons proceeded under the best cover available to the clad German dump near Brieulles and commenced constructing rafts to be used in forcing the Meuse. By 4 a. m. thirty had been completed, and the platoons were taken back to camp. During the same day, the remainder of the company prepared fascines to be used if necessary on the approach to a bridge which was to be built over the Andon river at Clery-le-Grand. On the morning of November 1st the necessary reconnaissance for the Clery-le-Grand bridge was made, and that night two platoons with wagons set out to haul material from Cunel to Clery-le-Grand and to proceed with the construction of the bridge. The plan could not be carried out, however, as the road had been rendered impassable by shell fire and mines, and further obstructed by fallen trees. These obstructions were removed and the heavy timbers "snaked" to the bridge site and on the following day two platoons repaired the roads sufficiently to permit wagon traffic and enough material was taken up to complete the bridge.

On the night of November 3rd, the entire company was turned out to assist Company "A" in the bridging of the Meuse river and the Canal de l'Est. The company proceeded to a point near Brieulles where it was held in readiness for the work. At 6 a. m. orders came to return to camp, but about 4 p. m. on the 4th, the company again turned out and proceeded to Brieulles under cover of darkness.

Immediately, details were sent out to clear the streets of Brieulles and establish and maintain a road to the bridge site, for the passage of the pontoon wagons. Upon the completion of this work the company prepared approaches to the bridge across the canal. In this work Private Frederick was killed and Privates Bennet and Ecklund severely wounded. About 5:00 a. m., just as this work was being completed, orders came attaching two platoons under Lieutenant Millspaugh to Major Birmingham's battalion of the 11th Infantry, and two platoons under Lieutenant Gates to Captain Kaiser's battalion of the 6th Infantry. There was just time enough to get into position east of the canal before daylight. Throughout the day and night of the 5th, Company "C" lay in a position as guard for the bridgehead. On the morning of the 6th, Lieutenant Millspaugh's detachment was relieved. The other detachment, however, changed positions before daylight of the 6th, to a point along the Liny road, and at about 8:00 a. m. took up the advance with the infantry and reached the objective near the town of Fontaines, about noon. While digging in at this point, Private Nolen was wounded and Sergeant Rude, Corporal Abercrombie, Privates Carter and Harrington were severely burned with mustard gas.

During the night of the 6th, this detachment was relieved and joined the company headquarters at the canal pontoon bridge at Brieulles.

On the morning of the 7th of November, the entire company worked on roads, one detachment from Brieulles to the canal bridge, and another from the canal bridge northward. Just before noon orders came to proceed to Fontaines and accordingly the company went forward in time to get into camp for the night. On the 8th and 9th the main body of the company did road repair work, and in addition there were several road patrols sent out during this time, and another detail worked on the resistance line near Branderville.

On the morning of the 10th, the company set out in three sections, the 3rd and 4th platoons under Captain Meier, the 1st and 2nd platoons under Lieutenant Gates, and the transportation under 1st Sergeant Miller.

The first detachment was to proceed via Brandeville, Louppy and Remoiville to Jamet at 1:00 p. m. This detachment arrived in the vicinity of Louppy and sent patrols into Louppy and Ramoiville at 1:00 p. m., who reported the route from Louppy to Jametz still in enemy hands. Corporal Warner, who was in charge of one of the patrols, was wounded at this time. Accordingly, the detachment took up a favorable position against the artillery fire which was increasing in intensity. A little later the transportation arrived. Suddenly there came a heavy deluge of artillery fire, killing Cook Glover and David A. Brown, and wounding Privates King, Ross, Lord, Ball, Baird, Cater and Bugler Harvey.

The second detachment proceeded to the railroad embankment along the river bottom, in front of Jametz and arrived there about noon. A patrol which went out and examined the bridging conditions along the canal found that a footbridge at Jametz was necessary, hence a detail went out and by 3:00 p. m. had collected the necessary material under cover of a small clump of trees. Just at dusk, work was started on bridges. The artillery fire was steady and intense in addition to intermittent machine gun fire from the heights above the town. However, the men carried on unhesitatingly. Master Engineer James Sherin rendered most valuable assistance to Lieutenant Gates during this work. About 5:30 p. m. Lieutenant Millspaugh was killed by artillery fire, and a little later Private Lord was severely wounded. The following morning the detachment corduroyed a bad piece of road near this point, and this was its last work before the armistice went into effect. On the 11th the company assembled at Louppy. First Lieutenant Peter Murphy, commanding the Engineer Train, was assigned to command Company "C," relieving Captain Walter H. Meier.

**Company "D."**

On the 27th of October, Company "D" moved to Septsarges woods. After making several reconnoissances, wire entanglements were placed near Brieulles on the 29th, using wire from a captured German dump. Wire was placed east of Cunel on October 30th and 31st. During these operations, the enemy shelled the positions with high explosives and gas, and airplanes dropped bombs nearby, killing one man and severely wounding another. On November 1st the company constructed for drill purposes, a pontoon foot bridge and had everything in readiness to proceed to the selected point along the Meuse river to throw one or more of these bridges across. November 4th the material was carried from Brieulles to a point near Clery-le-Petit. Due to the heavy losses previously sustained in the company, two men were burdened with loads that were more than sufficient for four men, carrying these loads over a road that was shelled and raked at intervals by machine gun fire. Under the most adverse conditions the mission of bridging the Meuse river and Canal de l'Est was carried out. The men stood shoulder-deep in water, repairing the bridge as it was being continually damaged by machine gun fire. Over this bridge, at Clery-le-Petit, the entire 9th Brigade, less reserves, crossed. At 11:00 p. m. the same night, a platoon was sent to Dun-Sur-Meuse to assist in the construction of a wagon bridge over a small stream that runs into the Meuse river, in addition to assisting on the pontoon bridge being constructed over the Meuse at Dun-sur-Meuse and the building of a road across the marshy land from the bridge to the main Dun-Dulcon road.

On November 6th the company acted as infantry, being detailed as support for the 60th and 61st Infantry, and took station at Milly.

November 7th the company dug machine gun emplacements for the infantry, and was in readiness at all times to assist in checking any unexpected counter-attacks. On November 8th the company worked on roads, removing mines in Lion and Murvaux and enroute thereto, also patrols were sent out with the Infantry which reconnoitered behind the enemy lines, securing valuable information as to enemy guns, as well as other vital data. On November 9th the wiring at Lion was completed and the company was working at the edge of Foret de Woevre when orders arrived to proceed to the town of Juvigny. Two platoons were to go by the way of Louppy, and the other two by the way of Mouzay. Both platoons arrived in time to assist in the capture of the aforesaid towns. When the armistice went into effect, the company was established in Louppy and was just completing the building of a bridge at Louppy in place of the destroyed bridge at that point.

**Company "E."**

Company "E" continued the work of building Division Headquarters in the woods near Mountfaucon until November 3rd. While stationed here, on October 21st, Lieutenant Gilbert G. Winnia was assigned to command the company.

On November 3rd, the company moved to the woods near Brieulles, and was held in reserve for such work as might arise. Two platoons were attached to Company "F" to assist in the construction of the foot bridges across the Meuse river and to construct boats to be ued by the infantry in forcing a crossing.

The company marched to Dun-sur-Meuse on the morning of November 6th and was engaged in road and bridge work.

On November 9th word came that Company "E" was to follow as closely behind the infantry as possible, and make whatever repairs were necessary to make the line of communication passable.

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**TRANSFERRED AWAY.**

Capt. Ernest C. Adkins, 29th Infantry, is transferred to the 20th Infantry, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty. You're lucky, Captain, and the editor offers congratulations.

Capt. Geo. R. Wells, 24th Infantry, is relieved from that assignment and transferred to the Philippine Department. He sails from New York City about February 3rd, 1923. You are lucky, Captain, and the editor offers congratulations.

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# History of the 29th Infantry

Article 14.

(1914 Continued.)

Headquarters, Band and Companies B, C, F, G, H, I, M and M. G. Co. proceeded from their respective stations to Albany, N. Y., and by marching en route to Plattsburgh Barracks, N. Y., August 19. Co. E joined Aug. 27 and Co. L at Saratoga Springs Aug. 24.

The entire Regiment (except Co. K) assembled at Plattsburgh Barracks Sept. 2 as part of the First Brigade, First Division, on maneuvers near Plattsburgh, which were completed on Oct. 2 at Burke, N. Y.

The weather was exceedingly cold and several nights the troops found it necessary to huddle about bon-fires all night. This maneuver will always be known to the troops participating as "The North Polar Expedition."

The last camp of the Brigade was at Burke and it was here that the amusing ceremony of erecting a monument to the "theoretically killed" of the Regiment took place amid great pomp and funereal surroundings.

It was while at Burke that a lady living at the edge of our camp stopped the chaplain and asked if he knew where the tent was where "they kept the little dogs." The Padre said he did not know, that he knew a great many dogs had followed us on our march, as dogs always do, but that he had not heard of any particular tent being set aside for their abode. "Well, some soldier told me that they had a tent for the little dogs, and I am very fond of dogs and would like to see them," said the lady. After we had gotten a number of miles from Burke it suddenly occurred to the chaplain that this lady had undoubtedly heard one of the men speak of the "pup tents" of the men.

Companies A, B, C, D, I, L and M marched to Malone, N. Y., Oct. 3, entraining at that point for their respective stations.

Headquarters, Band and Companies E, F, G and H left Burke for Plattsburgh Oct. 3 and then marched to Albany, arriving Oct. 17, and same date left by steamer for New York, arriving at Fort Jay at noon, Oct. 18. Company K returned to Fort Niagara on Oct. 1.

Company I went on a forced march on Oct. 7. Left the post at 7 a. m. and returned at midnight. Distance marched about 42 1-4 miles.

The officers assigned to the Regiment in 1914 were:

Lieut. Col. John P. Finley, Major James E. Normoyle, Captain William S. Neeley, First Lieutenant Avery D. Cummings, Second Lieutenants Frederick G. Dillman and Clinton W. Russell.

## EVEN THE PRISONERS WERE REMEMBERED

### Had Extras for Eats.

The prisoners at the Post Stockade were not forgotten on Christmas by the Chaplains at the Post.

Chaplain Wood conducted Christmas services in the mess hall and early Monday morning Chaplain Lennan said mass.

At the noonday meal each man received fruit, nuts and tobacco. These extras were furnished by the Chaplains of the Post and certainly added to the pleasure of the men in confinement.


## ADVERTISERS' COLUMN

The following business houses of Columbus patronize The News. All things being equal the military personnel should reciprocate by buying from them. This list is slowly growing and new names will be added from time to time:

Coca-Cola Co., 12th St. and 6th Ave., bottled drinks.

Frank D. Giglio, 1025 1st Ave., sea foods.

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W. T. Heard, 1st Ave and 13th St., Dodge Automobiles.

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Everett's, 12th St. and 3rd Ave., cold drinks, smokes.

Walker Electric & Plumbing Co., 112 12th St., everything electrical.

Georgia Grocery Co., 1st Ave. and 12th St. ,groceries.

Waverly Hotel, 13th St.

H. Rothschild, 1228 Broad St., furniture.

Dierks Jewelry Co., 1201 Broad St., jewelry, watch repairs.

J. W. Marchman, 1309 1st Ave., tires.

Davis-Campbell Co., 1st Ave. and 13th St., automobile equipment.

Lee's, 1118 Broad St., fine millinery.

A. C. Chancellor & Co., 1108 Broad St., men's furnishings.

W. W. Perrott, 1201 Broad St., optometrist.

Third National Bank, Broad St., U. S. Depositary.

American Theatre, 1220 Broad St.

Howard Taxi & Bus Co., Tenth St., taxis.

C. Schomburg & Son, 1121 Broad St., jewelers.

Columbus Electric & Power Co., 1151 Broad St., electrical equipment.

Dr. John R. Watson, Chancellor Bldg., dentist.

Miller & Taylor Shoe Co., 1218 Broad St., shoes.

Cricketeria, 1205 Broad St., good things to eat.

Blanchard & Booth, 1126 Broad St., dry goods.

City Drug Store, 1142 Broad St., drugs.

Co-Operative Drug Co., Broad St., drugs.

Wheat Drug Co., 1116 Broad St., drugs, florists.

Hicks & Johnson, 24 12th St., drugs.

Hawkins Piano Co., 1307 Broad St., musical instruments, Edisons.

Motor Sales Co., 1305 Broad St., automobiles.

Hubbard Hardware Co., 1249 Broad St., hardware, athletic equipment.

Humes Music Co., 1141 Broad St., musical instruments, Victrolas.

Freeman Drug Co., 103 12th St., drugs, cigars, tobacco.

Lamar Smith, 1131 Broad St., jeweler.

Lafkowitz Bros., 1129 Broad St., tailors.

Kinsel & Petri, 1105 Broad St., jewelers.

L. H. Davis, 1306 Broad St., athletic goods.

Columbus Hat Co., 9 11th St., hats cleaned.

Shackelford's Drug Store, 5 10th St., drugs, drinks.

Star Pressing Club, 11th 10th St., pressing and cleaning.

F. T. Harmon, 9 10th St., jeweler.

Martin Bros. Auto Company, 1238 1st Ave., autos for rent.

U. S. Cafe, 1023 Broad St., restaurant.

Good Eats Cafe, 1008 Broad St., restaurant.

Joe Gillman, 29th Infantry, tailor.

Columbus Taxi Co., 940 Broad St., taxis.

Dudley-Jenkins Grocery Co., 10th and Broad, wholesale grocers.

Quality Press, 1021½ Broad St., printing.

Standard Tailoring Co., 1031 Broad St., tailors.

First National Bank, Broad and 11th Sts., banking.

Home Savings Bank, Broad and 11th banking.

Chas. M. Woolfolk, 9 W. 12th St. insurance.

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Johnson Battery Company, 11th St., Willard Batteries.

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Mrs. M. B. Nuckolls, Room 3, Chancellor Bldg., Hemstitching.

Max Rosenberg, 1120 Broad St., sporting goods, trunks, etc.

Woman's Exchange, McCollum's Studio, hand-made articles for sale.

The Emporium, 1147 Broad St., ladies' ready-to-wear.

C. L. Torbett, 1114 First Ave., funeral director.

R. P. Spencer, Jr., Phoenix Bank Bldg., fire insurance.

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Singer Sewing Machine Co., 1034 Broad St., sewing machines.

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Mr. Lee, bakery products, 717 Broad St.

White Star Taxi, taxis, phone 464.

Arenowitch Co., department store, 1232 Broad St.

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Herring & McGehee, funeral directors, 1400 Broad St.

Freeman Drug Co., drugs, tobacco, etc., 103 12th St.

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The band was an awe-inspiring sight as they marched past the various quarters with straight line, well polished instruments, and well fitting uniforms. It made everybody feel that Christmas was certainly with us again. The News extends congratulations to you, Colonel Nicklin, for the wonderful band that you have and at your thoughtfulness and generosity of letting others share this excellent music.

## NAMES OF POSTS CHANGED.

The names of two more or less prominent army posts have been renamed. Columbus Barracks, Ohio, has been changed to Fort Hayes, Ohio, in honor of Rutherford B. Hayes, nineteenth president of the United States.

The two reservations known as Camp Travis, Texas, and Fort Sam Houston, Texas, have been combined and the whole reservation called Fort Sam Houston, Texas.


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# MANY CHANGES TAKE PLACE HERE

**MOST OF THE OFFICERS REMAIN AT BENNING.**

The following order shows many changes at this post for this week. The order in full is as follows:

SPECIAL ORDERS No. 299.
WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington,
Dec. 21, 1922.
**Extract.**

7. The following named enlisted men, now students at the Infantry (Tanks) School, Franklin Cantonment, Md., will be returned to the stations indicated after each name, upon the completion of the course on January 15, 1923:

Erhart, Kirshner, Pvt., R-410642, 15th Tank Bn., Ft. Benning Ga.

Hunt, Raymond B., Corp., R-793421, 15th Tank Bn., Ft. Benning, Ga.

McDonald, Holley T., Pvt., 6336-158, 15th Tank Bn., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Ratcliffe, Henry L., Pvt. S-5, R-6336971, 15th Tank Bn., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Rush, George L., Corp., R-1361-501, 15th Tank Bn., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Salter, William L., Pvt., 6334337, 15th Tank Bn., Ft. Benning, Ga.

The journeys are necessary for the Public Service, QM 3730; QM 7433 P 2 A 3. (A. G. 220.63, Tank School, Camp Meade, Md.) (12-16-22)

14. Each of the following named officers of Infantry, now at Fort Benning, Georgia, is relieved from assignment to the regiment indicated after his name and will report in person to the commandant, The Infantry School, Fort Benning, for duty:

Captain George E. Kraul, 24th Infantry.

First Lieut. Samuel L. Buracker, 24th Inf.

First Lieut. William A. Smith, 29th Inf.

First Lieut. Thomas M. Crawford, 29th Inf.

First Lieut. Robert B. Johnston, 29th Inf.

First Lieut. James T. Dismuke, 29th Inf.

(A. G. 210.513, Inf.) (12-13-22)

15. Captain Richard C. Stickney, 29th Infantry, Fort Benning, Georgia, is relieved from assignment to that regiment, is assigned to duty with the Infantry board at that place, and will report in person to the commandant the Infantry School at Fort Benning for duty. (A. G. 210.-313, Inf.) (12-13-22).

16. First Lieutenant James A. Murphey, 29th Infantry, Fort Benning, Georgia, is transferred from that regiment to the 24th Infantry, and will report in person to the commandant the Infantry School, at Fort Benning, for duty. (A. G. 210.313, Inf.) (12-13-22)

17. First Lieutenant Harry W. Barrick, Infantry, now on duty at Fort Benning, Georgia, is assigned to the 15th Tank Battalion, and will report to the commandant, the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga., for duty. (A. G. 210.313, Inf.) (12-13-22)

18. Each of the following named officers of Infantry is relieved from assignment to the 29th Infantry, Fort Benning, Georgia, is assigned to the 15th Tank Battalion, and will report in person to the commandant, the Infantry School, Fort Benning, for duty:

First Lieutenant Frank N. Mallory,

First Lieutenant Jesse T. Harris.

(A. G. 210.313, Inf.) (12-13-22)

19. Each of the following named officers of Infantry, now on duty with the 24th Infantry at Fort Benning, Georgia, is assigned to that regiment, and will report to the commanding officer for duty:

Captain James Sproule,
Captain Charles H. McNair,
Captain Cyril C. Chandler,
First Lieut. Earl Custer.

(A. G. 210.313, Inf.) (12-13-22)

24. Each of the following named Infantry officers is relieved from assignment to the regiment indicated and from duty at the station specified, effective at such time as will enable him to comply with this order, and will proceed at the proper time to New York City and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port on or about February 3, 1923, to the Hawaiian Islands, and upon arrival at Honolulu will report in person to the commanding general Hawaiian Department for temporary duty pending the sailing of the transport scheduled to leave Honolulu on or about March 5, 1923, for the Philippines, will sail on that transport, and upon arrival at Manila, report in person to the commanding general Philippine Department for assignment to duty with the Infantry:

Captain George R. Wells, 24th Infantry, Fort Benning, Georgia.

Each officer named will apply immediately by letter to the Chief, Transportation Service, office of the Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C., for accommodations for so much of the journey as involves transportation by water. The travel directed is necessary in the military service and is chargeable to procurement authority FD 40 P 2451 A 3. (A. G. 210.31.) (11-3-22).

By Order of the Secretary of War:
JOHN J. PERSHING,
General of the Armies, Chief of Staff.
Official:
ROBERT C. DAVIS, The Adjt. Gen.
ls-Distribution: "B"
Recd. Ft. Benning, (12-26-22)

## THERE WAS BIG DOINGS AT SERVICE CLUB NO. 1.

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put on a black face act that was excellent. Pvt. White and Carter put on another black face act which was featured with some very clever dancing.

The eats were managed by Sgt. Green, I. S. D., a member of the committee, assisted by Corp. Mann, 83rd Field Artillery, another member of the committee. Such eats as they got together, which consisted of red and green ice cream, iced marble cake, apples, candy and last but not least, cigarettes.

After the entertainment and eats were over with, the party broke up but everybody had the Christmas spirit and all swore that it was some Christmas.

Great credit is due Miss Roe, the Post Hostess, for if it had not been for her interest in the men, and if the chaplains of the Post had not been financially liberal, this evening of evenings would not have been possible.

**The Children Had a Fine Time.**

The Christmas Tree for the children of the Post on Saturday afternoon was a huge success. The Chaplains of the Post had charge of the affair, assisted by the ladies of the garrison. Saturday afternoon long before the hour for the exercises little people began to gather at the large Service Club building and by 2:30 the place was crowded. Provision had been made for about 450 children, but many living on the Post were away and many from Columbus did not attend. Nearly 300 boys and girls were on hand, however, to give Santa Claus a royal welcome.

An immense cedar tree had been beautifully decorated by the ladies and about this tree the hundreds of gifts were grouped.

A very brief program was rendered consisting of the Christmas carols, "Joy to the World," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," brief prayer by Chaplain Wood and the story of the appearance to the Shepherds, read by Chaplain Reynolds. Chaplain Lennan was present and assisted. The music was furnished by the Chapel Orchestra.

In addition to beautiful gifts each child was given candy and fruit. The officers and men of the garrison provided the funds.

The ladies of the Post, under the leadership of Mrs. Hocker, worked very hard, purchasing the gifts, filling candy boxes, decorating the tree, assisting Santa in distributing presents, etc.

## Holiday Greetings

(Continued from Page 1.)

The Infantry School to the people of the City of Clumbus.

"In sending the season's greetings and sentiments for the New Year, we desire first to express to your our grateful appreciation of the true hospitality and kindness you have always shown to the entire personnel of Fort Benning. We came here as strangers, unknown to you; you accepted us as old friends, and have thus won for yourselves a place of lasting affection and esteem in our hearts.

"As a further wish, if I were asked to express the kindest thought uppermost in my mind at this, the beginning of a New Year, it would be that the ensuing year may hold nothing but the most pleasant relations between these closely united communities and that we may realize our fondest hopes for a greater Columbus and a greater Infantry School."

## MAYOR J. HOMER DIMON RETURNS GREETINGS.

**Remembers Former Personnel of the Post.**

It is with great pleasure that we publish the Holiday Greetings of Mayor Dimon of Columbus. It will be a delight in future years to know that Columbus will think of the personnel of this Post who have been here and are then stationed in all parts of the globe. His message follows:

CITY OF COLUMBUS,
State of Georgia.
December 25, 1922.

General Walter H. Gordon,
Commandant, Fort Benning,
Fort Benning, Georgia.
Dear General:

In behalf of Columbus and her citizens, we have the honor to bring to you on this Christmas day a basket of roses.

Their beauty and fragrance in some measure are expressive of the quality of our love and spirit of interest in you, all officers and your enlisted personnel.

The absent ones, General Farnsworth, Colonel Eames, General Malone and others, are not forgotten. Their memory will always linger with us.

We have said before Benning-Columbus are one, and therefore we have many problems in common. Mutual co-operation will characterize our endeavors during 1923.

We wish you, and each of you, and the absent ones, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Cordially,
Signed: J. HOMER DIMON,
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Walter A. Richards,
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## Mind Your Business

The editor being a constant reader of the Columbus papers, could not help but notice that the people of that community played rather roughly during the holidays.

The editor was the recipient of a nice lot of spare ribs and a nice pork roast and some grapefruit from the Post Athletic and Recreation Officer, Lieutenant John W. Elkins, on Christmas morning.

Miss Roe, the Post Hostess, was a most joyous person during Xmas. She was the recipient of a nice bonus of sixty dollars for the second quarter of the fiscal year. Here's hoping that you receive a bonus of at least sixty eagles each quarter, Miss Roe.

Considerable Christmas Cheer? was presented to Corporal W. T. Cox and Private N. R. Smith, both of the Military Police Company, who happened to be on duty at the Bridge over the week-end. Needless to say the donors did not make the donation through any generosity or a spirit of Yuletide when they left their CHEER with these two men.

The editor is looking for sympathy. He has had eleven punctures since the 13th of December. Yes, tire punctures! Isn't that going some?

Lieut. Jack E. Rycroft and Sgt. Parks recently won a volley ball game. Now then send a challenge to any two-man team in the Post, the State of Georgia, the United States or even the world.

Even Mother Earth must have celebrated Christmas, for she was very foggy the morning after. Cheer up, Old World, the editor bets that you were not alone in your misery.

The Editor went over to Co. "G" 29th with the C. C. on Xmas Day and took a look at the mess hall. It was some "fixed up" for the occasion and so were the turkeys and other "goodies" were in preparation. But what struck the editor as being funny were two signs, one on the mess hall entitled "Don't Knock," another on the orderly room entitled "Knock." Now what is a poor fellow to do?

### RECORDS FOR ENLISTMENTS KEEPS UP.

Dublin, Georgia, Recruiting Station: Sergeant Winn seems determined to move all the young citizens of Dublin and surrounding towns, who are eligible for enlistment en-masse to Fort Benning. He has forwarded twenty-seven applicants since the first of December. This is probably a record for the Fourth Corps Area.

Cordele, Ga.: Private 1st Class, Specialist 5th Class Woods still holds second place for accepted applicants. We look for a big increase in his record.

Macon, Ga.: Sergeant Catron prospects better after first of the year.

Albany, Ga.: Corporal Stewart made quite a spurt with three applicants the other day.

Waycross, Ga.: Private 1st Class Spec. Hood must have a bus load of men in prospect, judging by the way he asked for transportation yesterday.

Columbus, Ga.: Sergeant Higginbotham and Private Noyes are just getting wound up. Watch out.

Sixty-four enlistments have been made this month to date.

### DECEMBER ATTENDANCE AT THE POST SCHOOLS

**School Opens Again on Tuesday, Jan. 2nd, 1923.**

After a week of rest during the holidays school will open again Tuesday morning, January 2nd, 1923. It goes without saying that the young intellectuals took full advantage of the vacation and sure enjoyed themselves.

The following is a list of attendance for the month of December:

**Kindergarten.**

George Cantrell, Betty Jane Milburn, Roger Paye, Bidwell Moore.

**First Grade.**

James Baxter, Jessie May Floyd, Raymond Gasser, Elma Guth, Leonard Moore, Billy Muller, Maryn Manning, Marcus O'Neal, Troy Rayl, Carol Sims, Frieda Wald, Isabel Goldthwaite.

**Second Grade.**

Aileen Gage, Thomas Muller, Maxine Wolf.

**Third Grade.**

Nona Elkins, Bennie Hall, Rosamond Brady.

**Fourth Grade.**

Report not received.

**Fifth Grade.**

Report not received.

**Sixth Grade.**

Manie Graham, Samuel Wald, Rudolph Hall.

**Seventh Grade.**

Ralph Hendricksen, Addie Holleman, George Quinney, Julia Mason.

**Punctuality.**

**Sixth Grade.**

Mannie Graham, Samuel Wald.

**Seventh Grade.**

George Quinney, Julia Mason.

### PERSHING SAYS THAT THE ARMY MULE CAN NEVER BE REPLACED

At a recent address delivered at Chicago, General Pershing said that the army horse and the army mule will never be completely replaced by motor vehicles.

The following is his praise of the horse and mule:

"There will never be anything that can take the place of the horse and the army mule in warfare. If we had had more horses in the World War we might have done a great deal better than we did. There were occasions when the cavalry had opportunities that we know how to take advantage of, but could not becauseo we did not have horses. I believe the horse is coming back into his own.

"It's the old mule that is the most reliable thing in the army. You can pack him, drive him, starve him, beat him and neglect him—do all sorts of things to him that you can't do to an automobile—and he is always there as long as he has four legs to stand on."

### THE RECRUIT CENTER CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS

If it had not been for the thoughtfulness of the Chaplains of the Post it is probable that the one hundred and four men now at the Recruit Center would have received very few if any packages for Christmas.

These men had just recently arrived and a great number had not had time to notify their parents, relatives, and friends of their addresses.

At 3 o'clock on Christmas afternoon these men met with Chaplain Wood at the Protestant Chapel for a Christmas gathering. After a brief talk and the singing of Christmas carols, candy, fruit, and nuts were passed out. The extra eats being the gift of all of the Chaplains of the Post.

## 24th Infantry Notes

**MEDICAL DETACHMENT 24th INF.**

Cpl. Vaughn is expecting to be discharged soon. Poor boy, he knows not what he does.

Pvt. Parker says, "there is nothing like a week-end spent at Shady Rest, Columbus, Georgia."

Pvt. Lewis, Sgt. Gilbert's stenographer, is getting tired of his job.

It is rumored that the detachment is to be transferred to the Station Hospital soon.

Pvt. William Jackson is under the impression that he is above policing a tent, but the writer saw him in Block 23 swinging a door. Jackson, we need a door.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## 1st Battalion 29th Inf. Champion Footballers

### POST CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE WHITE TROOPS WAS PLAYED IN A SEA OF MUD.

The 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry, won the post champion football series on Wednesday afternoon when they defeated the 15th Tank Battalion by a score of 14 to 12.

The Doughboys insisted in playing the game on a very muddy field, while the Tankers said that what was agreeable with the Doughboys would be O. K. with them. The Doughboys were more or less afraid of the open formation of the Tanks and figured that they had the better advantage by getting the Tanks into a muddy field.

This is the second consecutive year that the 1st Battalion has captured the championship banner. Three weeks ago a triple tie existed. The first of this series came when the First Battalion handed a walloping to the Second Battalion, and yesterday's battle brought the 1922 season to a close.

The battle opened with a rush and the Infantrymen put it on ice, as matters finally proved, early in the going. In the first five minutes of play Romploski, scrappy little quarter of the Doughboys, raced through the Tank eleven for 55 yards and a touchdown. Peters kicked goal.

Not to be outdone the Tanks took the oval, following an exchange of punts, and started a march down the field which never ceased until touchdown had been shoved over. This was the bright spot of the Tank offense and although they gained much yardag eon hard line plunging thereafter, they failed to threaten the Infantry goal until Swantic grabbed a pass and raced 75 yards for the last tally in the final minute of play.

Sharp, Arnold and Swantic did most of the line smashing responsible for the first Tank tally. Sullivan bucked over when the oval was on the 4 yard line. Palies missed goal from placement.

The Infantry came back with a mad rush and took the oval straight down the arena from kickoff. Gloekner, Wally and Romploski contributed hugely to the Infantry yardage column and the drive only ceased when the Tanks held for downs on their own one-yard line.

But it was only a brief surcease for the Tanksters. Swantic stood behind the Tank goal line and attempted a punt which was smothered by a rush of the Doughboy forwards. The Infantrymen fell on the oval for the second and final tally and right then and there put the championship on ice for another year. Peters added another placement goal for touchdown.

Hhe first half ended without further serious threat. Both teams battled hard in hte second chapter without dangerously threatening the white line until Swantic uncorked his sensational dash for 75 yards after grabbing down an Infantry pass in the last minute of play. Palies failed to kick another Tank goal and the game ended two plays later.

Due to the sloppy field both teams were forced to resort to straight football and line plunging was very much the order of the day. The Tanks gained more yardage on the rush attack than did the Infantrymen but the Doughboys took the breaks when they came and such is the great grid game.

Gloekner, Wally and Romploski starred in the Infantry backfield while Sharp and Swantic lead in the Tank attack. Parker of the Infantry line and Lee and Lindsey of the Tanksters shared forward honors.

Twenty-five hundred cheering fans saw the championship scrap.

The Line up:

| FIRST BATTALION 14; | | TANKS 12 |
|---|---|---|
| Needham | | Palies |
| | Right End | |
| Parker | | Poling |
| | Right Tackle | |
| Schwald | | Mattingly |
| | Right Guard | |
| Coppock | | Lindsey |
| | Center | |
| Major | | Liberty |
| | Left Guard | |
| McFadden | | Lee |
| | Letf Tackle | |
| Detweiler | | Mabry |
| | Left End | |
| Romploski | | Sullivan |
| | Quarter | |
| Peters | | Swantic |
| | Right Half | |
| Gloekner | | Arnold |
| | Left Half | |
| Wally | | Sharp |
| | Fullback | |

Score by periods:

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| First Battalion | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —14 |
| Tanks | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | —12 |

Scoring touchdowns: Infantry 2; Romploski and Parker. Tanks 2; Sullivan and Swantic.

Goals after touchdown, Infantry 2; by Peters.

Time of Periods, 15 minutes.

Referee: Peckinpaugh, 83rd Field Artillery.

Umpire, Hendrix, G. M. C.

Head Linesman: Hess, Inf. School.

### RIALTO THEATRE'S NEW YEAR PARTY IS ALMOST HERE

Just as you hear the first horn or whistle toot and all the bells begin to ring you will know that the Rialto theatre is staging a real treat to many of its patrons and your friends.

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Among the assortment of souvenirs for the party are confetti of the string and scrap paper type, balloons, tin and paste-board horns, paper hats, do jiggers, hum dingers and also a bunch of what-nots all of which has caused Manager Holloway to stand more or less kidding from his friends.

Bebe Daniels in her very newest picture, "SINGED WINGS," will be shown for those who care to sit thru a picture, but the main idea is AIN'T WE GOT FUN!

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## Makes for Co-operation

The recent formation of an athletic association between Fort Benning and Columbus is just what has been needed for some time and now that it is a fact it will lead to a still better understanding between Columbus and the Infantry School.

We take pleasure in printing the letter of President W. W. Rainey, which is as follows:

COLUMBUS-BENNING ATLETIC ASSOCIATION.
Columbus, Ga., Dec. 14, 1922.

General Walter H. Gordon,
Fort Benning, Ga.

My dear General:—

The Columbus-Benning Athletic Association was recently organized with the purpose to assist athletics in Columbus and Fort Benning and particularly to assist in the promotion of inter-collegiate relations for The Infantry School.

This association has as its charter members many of the directors of the Rotary, Civitan, Kiwanis and Ad Clubs, and in addition various delegates from the American Legion and other civic organizations.

In consideration that The Infantry School shall book at least six (6) football games to be played in Columbus next fall, and also to book basketball and baseball schedules, with members of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association and other colleges, these schedules being such as your representative may determine as the best they can obtain, and the further consideration that The Infantry School Athletic Association shall furnish us with season tickets to be sold or distributed at a price or consideration which we will fix, we will guarantee to raise a minimum of forty-five hundred dollars ($45,000.00) to be paid to The Infantry School Athletic Association for the purpose of carrying on athletic activities during the year 1923.

Very truly yours,
COLUMBUS-BENNING ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION,
Per W. W. Rainey, Pres.

### THE INFANTRY SCHOOL HAS SOME BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

#### The Team Has a Series Away From Home Next Month.

Jan. 3—Georgia at Benning.
Jan. 6—Atlanta Athletic Club at Atlanta.
Jan. 8—University of Chattanooga at Chattanooga.
Jan. 9—Spartenburg at Spartenburg.
Jan. 10—Wofford College at Spartenburg.
Jan. 11—University of Tennessee at Knoxville.
Jan. 12—Carson and Newman College at Jefferson City, Tenn.
Jan. 13—Mercer at Macon.
Jan. 16—Pending, at Benning.
Jan. 19—Mississippi A. & M. at Benning (Pending.)
Jan. 23—Wofford College at Benning.
Jan 26—Albany "Y" at Benning.
Jan. 30—Birmingham G. C. at Birmingham.
Feb. 2—Columbus "Y" at Benning.
Feb. 6—Auburn at Auburn.
Feb. 9—Piedmont College at Benning.
Feb. 13—Columbus "Y" at Columbus.
Feb. 16—Pending at Benning.
Feb. 19—Spring Hill College at Benning.
Feb. 22—Albany "Y" at Albany.
Feb. 27—Pending at Benning.

Beware the fury of a patient man.

### GENERAL GORDON GOES TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

#### Colonel Fassett Also Leaves.

During the week Lieutenant-Colonel Hannah, chief of the Department of General Subjects in the Infantry School, has been in command of the Post due to the fact that the Commandant and Assistant Commandant took a vacaion during the holidays.

General Gordon is spending the holidays in Washington with Mrs. Gordon. It is expected that he will return the latter part of this week.

Colonel Fassett, the Assistant Commandant accompanied his brother, who spent Christmas here, to Florida, leaving here on the evening of the 26th.

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## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Who said that Pvt. Broderson wasn't a sharpshooter? He takes a shot-gun out hunting, but it seems that he can't wait till he gets out to the hunting grounds to fire the piece.

Well, here we are back on the trail of the skunk this week again. We don't know who it is, but someone has made a pet of one of the animals and left it in the Orderly Room, or is it under the building?

That's alright, Ohrvall, we know you never play pinochle, so how can they expect you to get anything but a poker deck, when you go to town.

We have a good place to hold a wooden wedding now. At least we have plenty of lumber laying around.

The mess sergeant sent Pvt. Ottey to the canteen to get him a quarter's worth of cigars and a quarter's worth of chewing gum the other day. After about an hour of waiting, Pvt. Ottey came back and asked the mess sergeant which quarter was for the cigars and which one was for the chewing gum.

We certainly made a fine showing at drill the other day, every man was all dressed up. All two of them.

Any one wanting a new Ford, call on Pvt. Keyes. All the car needs is to jack the front seat up and put a new car under it.

Sgt. Farrell is visiting the number 8 tent quite frequently lately. Some one said that Cpl. Miller had a package of cigarettes and the Sergeant is trying to find out for himself.

Sgt. Stover—"Well, say something, don't stand there looking at me; speak up."

Pvt. Wise—"I can't, Sergeant, my hands are too cold."

We'd like to find out who it was that said that the Swede couldn't talk in his native tongue. At least he can sing in it.

Professor Gazook, the talented mind reader, told most of the company where to head in at the night of the smoker.

Among the notables present at the smoker given by the company on last Thursday were General Gordon, Colonel Fasset, Major Sullivan and Major Atkisson, the Commanding Officer of the First Gas Regiment of Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland.

During the course of the smoker, Pvt. Scharle and Pvt. McCabe gave a successful demonstration of recruiting, wherein Pvt. McCabe had the applicant and the audience nearly convinced that the pay of a Private was two hundred and fifty dollars a month.

After everything else there was a free-for-all fight among the noncoms, Sgt. Ohrvall being very popular with the rest of the men, as it seems that every one of them wanted to get a crack at him. Someone put a bump on him so big that he didn't know whether he was on the bump or the bump was on him.

After the smoker, supper was served, and every one seemed to have a howling good time throughout the evening.

It was certainly a great pleasure to have the General and the other officers with us on this one night of nights.

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## Medical Department Notes

The Medical Department enlisted personnel enjoyed a smoker in the Detachment Mess Hall on Wednesday evening, December 27. The music for the occasion was furnished by the 24th Infantry band. The boxing bouts—four in number—arranged by Sergeant A. N. Mager, were greatly enjoyed by the men, if not by all the contestants. B. Smith won a decision over Cadenhead. The bout between Hanks and Roberts was considered draw. Cullifer greatly outpointed Eddines. Soto and Hester battled four fast rounds the decision going to Soto. The officials for the occasion were Sergeant Mager as referee, Sergeant Cook as timer and Sergeant Bedenbaugh and Pvt. Paciono as judges. Some very promising material in the boxing game showed up. Refreshments were served and a general good time was enjoyed by all until a late hour. The wish of the majority was that in the future more of these smokers would be held.

The Medical Detachment personnel is slowly but surely climbing back to its normal strength, five men, viz.: Privates Oliver, McDonald, Garrey, Windham and Salter joining for duty this week.

The patients in the hospital wish to take this means of thanking the American Legion, the M. P. Company and Captain Henkle for the wonderful Christmas stockings that were delivered to the different wards in the hospital on Christmas morning. They were greatly appreciated and made the men feel as if someone had them in mind on the "One Great Day of the Year."

**"During the Holidays."**

The sick books are blank, I think,
The Surgeons are (not cutting up)
As the records show up;
Dental Officers are not extracting,
As patients are lacking;
The Eye Surgeon is feeling blue,
There seems to be no testing to do.
The Laboratory is on the blink,
As the Methylene Blue is turning pink.
The X-Ray is out of whack,
And will be until the Major gets back.
Medical Supply, the same old story,
Requisition and Inventory.
It may look funny, and I'm sure you'll laugh,
But "Jimmie's" pipe is to get a bath.
Like a six-cylinder car the office did work,
Two were missing, the rest can't shirk.
A Happy New Year and good luck,
Is our greeting to every "Buck."

## Christmas Morning Services At Protestant Chapel

Prelude.
Doxology.
Call to Worship.
Gloria in Excelsis.
The Collect.
General Confession and Prayer.
Lord's Prayer.
Hymn, "While Shepherds Watched," Tune 134.
Apostles' Creed.
Responsive Reading: Selection 31.
Gloria Patri.
Christmas Lesson.
Hymn, "Angels From the Realms of Glory," No. 34.
Prayer.
Hymn, "There's a Beautiful Star," No. 41.
Offertory.
Solo.
Sermon.
Holy Communion.
Prayer.
Hymn, "Silent Night, Holy Night," No. 37.
Benediction.

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## Big Dance At Service Club No. 1

**Everybody Had A Fine Time.**

The dance at Service Club No. 1 last Wednesday evening was a go-getter.

The men wore their uniforms, but the ladies wore costumes representing the Spirit of Christmas. Three judges had considerable difficulty in selecting the winners of the prizes. Little Miss Parsons, who received the first prize, was dressed in a fluffy white gown, suggesting newly fallen snow, all sparkling with tinsel, giving the effect of the sun shining on newly fallen snow. The young lady who received the second prize was Miss King, and in white trimmed scarlet suit made a most fascinating little Santa Claus.

The excellent music was provided by the orchestra of the 29th Infantry.

During the intermission refreshments were served, consisting of hot chocolate and little chocolate cakes.

Judging by comments heard during the evening, everybody had a very good time and enjoyed the night thoroughly.

### CHRISTMAS MESSAGE TO LEGIONNAIRES FROM COMMANDER

Alvin Owsley, national commander of the American Legion, issued the following Christmas greeting to all his legionnaires:

"Merry Christmas, my fellow Legionaires! This season of Christmas is ours to rejoice and be glad. A celebration of the greatet event in the world's history—the birth of the Savior of Men. He was strong, clean and manly, and went about doing good—a friend to all men.

"Following His example, you and I must be the friend and helper of our fellows. While we hang up our stockings and gather merrily around our cheerful Christmas trees, let us pause for a time to remember our comrades who are suffering and those who laid their burdens down.

"Praise the Lord for His goodness. By our good works we may glarify His name upon the earth. He is our King of Glory. Through Him the peace an good will you fought for will come to all men.

"A Merry Christmas to you from my heart."

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# FORT BENNING NEWS

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## Welcome Back Home Gen. and Mrs. Gordon

**Returned Last Wednesday Night.**

General and Mrs. Gordon returned to the Post last Wednesday evening from Washington, D. C., where Mrs. Gordon has been for several months for her health. The General left here just before Christmas, going to Washington to spend the holidays with Mrs. Gordon and friends.

We are certainly glad that Mrs. Gordon has so improved in health so that she can once more reside in our presence.

## Eighty Enlistment For The Post

Despite the natural slump due to the holiday season, eighty enlistments were made at the Recruiting Office, during December. Twenty-one of these are to be credited to Sergeant Winn in charge of the Dublin station and nine to Corporal Stewart in charge of the Albany station.

Sergeant Winn has established a record that it will be hard for any canvasser but himself to equal.

## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100;

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

Chaplain Reynolds and family left the Post on Tuesday for their new station, Fort Sill, Okla.

The evening services on Sunday at the Protestant Chapel will hereafter commence at 6 o'clock, as formerly.

## Army Turning Money Over To The Treasury

**$1,118,000,000 is Realized From Sale of War Department Surplus Property.**

Approximately $1,118,000,000 has been turned into the treasury since the armistice for sales of surplus army and navy supplies, the Senate Military Committee was told last week in opening hearings on a bill by Senator Townsend (Republican Michigan) to distribute remaining surplus supplies among the states. Of the proceeds about $1,000,000,000 came from the army.

The War Department still has surplus supplies worth $218,900,000, Assistant Secretary Wainwright told the committee, adding that reports that it had more than $1,000,000,000 worth were unfounded. Assistant Secretary Roosevelt of the Navy Department said the navy has some surplus clothing, but little else, other than technical supplies.

In the sale of surplus supplies the navy recovered about 25 per cent. of the amount it expended for the supplies, while the army has recovered about 41 per cent to date. The army's percentage of recovery, however, has dropped 13 per cent at less salable supplies are being disposed of.

The recovery from cantonment sales, Mr. Wainwright said, has been only 1 to 6 per cent, covering principally building supplies, with large losses from roads and other permanent but unsalable improvements.

Senator Townsend urged passage of his bill as an economy. He said the government's recoveries were comparatively small and that it would be better to have surplus supplies distributed among the states where their full value could be utilized.

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theatres as follows:

Colored Theatre ..... 6:00 P. M.
Post Theatre ..... 6:45 P. M.
29th Inf. Theatre .... 7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, Jan. 7th.**

"Under Two Flags," 8 reel feature (Priscilla Dean,) "Bright Eyes," 2 reel comedy (Ben Turpin.)

**Monday, Jan. 8th.**

"Bells of San Juan," 5 reel feature (Buck Jones.) "Shocking Idea," 1 reel comedy (Mutt & Jeff.) Fox News.

**Tuesday, Jan. 9th.**

"Cradle Buster," 6 reel feature (Glen Hunter.) "Chicken Parade," 2 reel comedy (J. Aubrey.)

**Wednesday, Jan. 10th.**

"Out of the Silent North," 5 reel feature (Frank Mayo.)
"Horse Sense," 2 reel comedy.

**Thursday, Jan. 11th.**

"Valley of Silent Men," 7 reel feature (All Star.) Fox News.

**Friday, Jan. 12th.**

"Missing Husbands," 5 reel feature (Special Cast.) Roach Comedy. Pathe Review.

**Saturday, Jan. 13th.**

"Pride of Palomar," 8 reel feature (Special Cast.) "Gee Whiskers," 1 reel comedy.

## New Twenty-Five Year Bill Is Introduced

**NEW BILL INTRODUCED.**

Representative Hamilton Fish, of New York, has introduced a new and revised retirement bill in Congress that should improve the conditions wonderfully. At first the impression is received that double time will be forfeited but upon careful reading we find that double time accrued previous to August, 1912, is not forfeited.

The following is the bill as introduced:

H. R. 13418, Mr. Fish.—For retirement of all enlisted men who have served honorably in the U. S. Army as herein provided.

Be it enacted, etc., That hereafter all enlisted men who have served honorably in the U. S. Army may be retired at the expiration of twenty-five years' service, and that the retired pay will be increased $30 above the present rate of retirements; that is, for first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh grade.

In order to create a fund toward this rate of retirement all enlisted men will pay a 1 per cent. deduction from their monthly pay.

Nothing in this bill shall be construed to reduce the retired pay of enlisted men in order to make a twenty-five year retirement law.

Those with service in the Navy and Marine Corps will count their service toward twenty-five year retirement from the Army, but must have at least five years in the Army previous to date of retirement.

Nothing in this bill will take away credit now due enlisted men toward retirement as provided by law.

The Army and Navy Journal has computed the amounts that each grade would receive if the bill would become law:

The pay (including present retired allowances) of the different enlisted grades under the above proposed measure would be as follows:

| | Present | Proposed |
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| 1st Grade (Master Sgt., Regtl. Sgt., etc.) | $133.87 | $163.87 |
| 2d Grade Tech. or 1st Sgts. | 94.50 | 124.50 |
| 3d Grade Staff Sgts. | 83.25 | 113.25 |
| 4th Grade Sgts. | 66.37 | 96.37 |
| 5th Grade Corporals | 55.12 | 86.12 |
| 6th Grade Privates 1st Class | 43.87 | 73.87 |
| 7th Grade Privates | 35.44 | 65.44 |

**NEW POST EXCHANGE OFFICER.**

Now that we have a new Post Exchange Officer, so The News understands, who has cut the payroll somewhere near $500.00 a month, lets give him full support and do away with the friction.

It is also noted that the battery man is in charge of the Service Station, and that the service has improved wonderfully already.

Go to it, Captain Moore, The News extends congratulations for what you have already done. Keep it up. At the same time The News extends to you its sincerest sympathy for the more or less thankless job that you have.

The assistant P. X. O., Lt. Thomas Crawford, is a very courteous gentleman, and should be an asset to the Post Exchange.

## Secretary Denby Reports on Status of Scrapping Treaty

**None of the Nations Have Applied the Treaty.**

It is interesting to note that none of the five powers have scrapped a single ship that is of war value. The United States has cancelled the contracts for building several ships and has stopped the construction of several other ships, while the Colorado and West Virginia are being completed, whereupon the Delaware and North Dakota will be scrapped.

Japan is building cruisers of high speed and it is also interesting to know that her battleships have a greater speed than ours which would give her a big advantage in battle.

France and Italy have so far failed to ratify the treaty and as a result Japan is only removing the movable portions and says that she will not destroy any hulls until all of the five powers ratify the treaty.

The following in the report of the Secretary of the Navy:

**United States.**

Ships required to be scrapped under terms of treaty:

Maine and Missouri have been sold and are being broken up.

All completed battleships required to be scrapped are out of commission, except the Connecticut, which will soon be placed out of commission.

Delaware and North Dakota are not required to be scrapped until the Colorado and West Virginia are completed.

No steps have been taken to comply with Article III, Part 2 (B), of the treaty in the case of the Oregon and Illinois. (These vessels were allowed to be retained for non-combatant purposes, because of their historic records. The section referred to requires that they be rendered unfit for war duty.)

Work has been suspended on vessels under construction.

Ships not defined by the treaty:

Since Feb. 6, 1922, the following ships have been sold or otherwise disposed of: One destroyer, two monitors, one dynamite gun vessel, twenty-five submarines, one gunboat.

The above list does not include vessels stricken from the Navy list since Feb. 6, 1922, but not yet sold.

**Great Britain.**

Ships required to be scrapped under the terms of the treaty (all are battleships except where otherwise noted):

Broken up: St. Vincent; Inflexible, battle cruisers; Temerare.

Sold to be broken up or rendered unfit for war-like purposes under terms of treaty: Bellerophon; Commonwealth; Hercules; Dreadnought; Indomitable; battle cruiser, Neptune; Collingwood.

Sold, not yet completely dismantled: Superb.

Ready for sale, mutilation completed at dock yard: Orion; New Zealand, battle cruiser.

Being prepared for sale, mutilations being carried out at dock yard, with estimated date of completion of mutilation, Monarch, October 14, 1922; Conqueror, November, 1922; Princess Royal, battle

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# Social Notes

Call 146 Post or
Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst,
360 Post.

### MAJOR AND MRS. PER RAMEE ENTERTAIN.

On Saturday night Major and Mrs. Per Ramee entertained at a bridge party at their home at 2913 Eleventh Avenue, Columbus.

Those present were:

Captain and Mrs. John Chase, Mrs. Henry Chase, Miss Chase, Captain and Mrs. Cawthorn, Captain and Mrs. Connelly, Captain and Mrs. Chamberlain, Captain and Mrs. Hendrickson, Captain and Mrs. Dibrell, Captain and Mrs. Inman, Captain and Mrs. Ransom, Captain and Mrs. Mitchell, Captain and Mrs. Tuttle, Major and Mrs. Alcott.

High prizes were given for the high ladies' score and the high men's score, also a consolation prize was given, one for the men and one for the ladies.

After the game refreshments were served, consisting of fruit cake, Waldorf salad and hot grape juice.

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### MISS GERTRUDE MALONE HOSTESS.

Miss Gertrude Malone was a charming hostess at an informal buffet supper given at her home on Friday evening.

After supper the entire party repaired to the Officers' Club Dance. All persons reporting that they enjoyed the supper and dance very much.

Those present were:

Lieut. and Mrs. Kevarik, Miss Peyton, Miss Graham, Miss Kent, Miss Jedilicka, Miss Hardenbergh, Capt. Brown, Capt. Cockran, Capt. Eagles, Capt. Hamilton, Capt. Webb, Capt. Glasgow, Capt. Nichols, Lieut. Graig, Mr. Hardenbergh, Mr. Hansell, and Mr. Fassett.

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Captain and Mrs. Irving H. Engelman returned Friday evening, December 29th, from Gainesville, Ga., where they visited Captain and Mrs. Cunningham.

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Mr. Raymond and Miss Helen, son and daughter of Major and Mrs. R. W. Hardenbergh, left during the week to resume their studies at school. Miss Helen is attending school at Miss Abbott's School, of Andover, Mass., and Mr. Raymond is studying at Shadman's Preparatory School, of Washington, D. C.

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Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton are giving a series of dinner parties the first one being December 28th. After which all enjoyed the New Year's dance at the Officers Club.

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### ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Hannah have announced the engagement of their daughter, Marion, to Lieutenant Reynolds J. Burt, Jr., of Fort DuPont, Delaware, the wedding to take place in the near future.

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### ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Reade, of Fort Valley, Ga., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Edith, to 1st Lieutenant Emery Kutschke.

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Mrs. Henry H. Chase and Miss Katherine Chase, house guests of Captain and Mrs. John H. Chase during the holidays, left during the week for East Orange, N. J.

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Captain H. R. Gaffney, who were spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Colonel and Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, returned to Atlanta last Friday, Dec. 29th.

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On Friday, December 29th, Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton entertained at dinner. Their quarters were artistically decorated with beautiful Christmas trimmings.

After the lovely dinner the entire party went to the Officers' Club for the New Year's Dance.

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### AN IN AND OUT PARTY.

On Sunday night Lieutenant and Mrs. H. W. Brandherst entertained at an In and Out Party.

Bridge was indulged in until about 11:15 p. m., when the guests repaired to the dining room, where all the men guests found a mouth harp beside their place cards and the ladies each found a flute.

Refreshments consisted of sandwiches, fruit salad, olives, spice cake and coffee.

Lieutenant Henry L. Kersh won the men's high prize and Mrs. Henry L. Kersh won the ladies' high prize. Mrs. Frank Mallory won the consolation prize.

Those present were:

Lieutenant and Mrs. H. L. Kersh, Lieutenant and Mrs. L. H. Sims, Lieutenant and Mrs. F. L. Mallory, and Captain R. J. Seyfreid.

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### CHAPEL GUILD.

The Chapel Guild will meet on Monday, January 8th, 1923, at 10:30 a. m., at the Protestant Chapel.

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### MUSIC CLUB.

The Fort Benning Music Club meets every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the Officers' Hop Room.

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### CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.

The Current Events Club will meet Monday afternoon, January 8th, 1923, at 2:00 p. m., at the home of Mrs. John W. Elkins, in Block 40.

If all of the secretaries will call the Editor, phone 146 or 360, and have your club listed, a certain space will be allotted to these activities and the weekly meeting announced from week to week so that all members may know just when and where you will meet from time to time.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Capt. E. G. Chapman and his parents, Doctor and Mrs. E. G. Chapman, toured Georgia and Florida in Captain Chapman's Buick during the Xmas holidays. They report a very pleasant trip.

Captain Elbridge, a former member of the 29th Infantry, has received the degree of Ph. D., from Columbia University.

Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Chapman, who have been visiting their son, Capt. E. G. Chapman, the last four months, left for their home, Denver, Colo., on last Wednesday.

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### FORT BENNING DRAMATIC CLUB.

The Fort Benning Dramatic Club held its regular meeting on Tuesday, January 2nd, at 2:00 p. m., in the Officers' Hop Room. The program for the afternoon was under the direction of Mrs. Leroy Watson, and consisted of a sketch, "For Distinguished Service," in which Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Grant and Miss Peggy Kent took part, followed by recitations by Mrs. Sawkins, after which the usual business was discused.

The Dramatic Club meets every other Tuesday at two o'clock. Mrs. Peyton will have charge of the profram for the next meeting, on January 16th.

Plans are now being perfected for an entertainment to be given under the joint auspices of the Dramatic and Music Clubs, for the benefit of the Army Relief Society, which it is hoped may be given during the latter part of February. For this production it is expected to call largely upon the talent of the entire Fort Benning personnel.

### OFFICERS' CLUB NEW YEAR DANCE.

On Friday, December 29th, the Officers' Club gave a brilliant ball in honor of the coming New Year. The club was most beautifully decorated with pine trees, moss and holly.

Music was furnished by an orchestra from the city, which rendered delightful music, which was enjoyed by all of the dancers.

In an adjoining room card tables were arranged for those who did not care to dance.

Refreshments were served duirng the evening consisting of chicken salad, fruit punch, beaten biscuits, French pastry, ice cream, coffee, nuts and olives.

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### BIRTHS.

Captain and Mrs. Arthur L. Dasher have recruited a new member for their family when on the night of the 30th of December a baby girl was born.

Captain and Mrs. Marvin R. Baer are rejoicing over the birth of a son, Theodore Stevenson, born at Macon, Ga., November 29th. Capt. Baer was a former member of the 29th Inf.

Lieutenant Clarence O'Leary and wife announce the birth of a son, John Clarence, at Walter Reed Hospital on November 16th.


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# 24th Infantry Notes.

**(Received too late for last week's issue.)**

On December 20th, 1922, a banquet and ball were given in honor of 1st Sgt. Cuby Martin, Co. "B," who has been placed on the retired list.

Sgt. Martin was presented with a gold watch and chain as a token of esteem and remembrance of his Company and Regiment.

Addresses were made by Colonel Nicklin, commanding the 24th Inf., Capt. McNair, Capt. Sproule, Capt. Cole, Chaplain Reynolds, 1st Sgt. Bryson, Co. "B," 1st Sgt. Johnson, Co. "A," and 1st Sgt. Simmons, M. T. Co.

HEADQUARTERS 24th INFANTRY,
CHMN. C-BA.
Fort Benning, Georgia.
December 18, 1922.

GENERAL ORDERS,
No. 15.

1. A Regimental Review will be tendered First Sergeant CUBY MARTIN, Company B, 24th Infantry, December 20, 1922, who, under paragraph 34, Special Order No. 291, War Department, dated December 12, 1922, has been placed on the Retired List.

**Record of Service.**

Co. D, 7th U. S. Vol. Inf. July 6, 1898 to Feb. 28, 1899.

Co. D, 25th Inf. June 28, 1899 to June 27, 1902.

Co. M, 25th Inf. July 2, 1902 to July 1, 1905.

Co. B, 24th Inf. July 14, 1905 to July 13, 1908.

Co. D, 24th Inf. July 14, 1908 to July 13, 1911.

Co. D, 24th Inf. July 14, 1911 to July 16, 1914.

Co. D, 24th Inf. July 30, 1914 to Oct. 14, 1917.

1st Lt. Inf. N. A. Oct. 15, 1917 to Apr. 16, 1919.

Co. B, 24th Inf. June 11, 1919 to June 10, 1922.

Co. B, 24th Inf. June 11, 1922 to Dec. 12, 1922.

On date of retirement, Sergeant Martin had in over twenty-three years service and over six years double time. He served over fifteen years in the 24th Infantry and was a non-commissioned officer over fourteen years.

Participated in engagements against insurrectos Northern Luzon, P. I., 1900 to 1901, and against Fanatical Pulajanes on the Islands of Leyte and Samar, P. I., 1906 and 1907.

Served as a member of the Punitive Expedition into Mexico, from April 25, 1916, to February 5, 1917.

During the World's War, he served as First Lieutenant, 366th Infantry, St. Die Sector, Vesgos, August 23, 1918 to Sept. 20, 1918. Argonne Offensive, 1st Army, between Sept. 26 and 30, 1918, Marbache Sector, October 9 to Nov. 11th, 1918. Offensive operations, 2nd Army, Nov. 10th and 11th, 1918.

The good wishes of the entire regiment follow Sergeant Martin into his well earned retirement.

By order of Colonel NICKLIN:
CHAS. H. McNAIR,
Acting Adjutant.

### COMPANY "A."

Pvts. Carr, Davis and Houston returned from Americus, Ga. They seemed very sorry to leave. Wonder what's up there that makes them have such longing for a return trip to Americus?

Pvt. Davis wanted to stop his converted insurance, but a few days ago he received a check for the dividend accrued from the insurance. There is no one that can make him drop his insurance since he found out that it pays to be insured.

Say, boys! Pvt. 1st Class Bell G. must have found something to keep him in bed. He failed to hear 1st call for Revielle, and the 1st Sgt. failed to see him in line, then you know what happened.

Pvt. 1st Class Churchill, Chas. is about to get off the restricted list, and he says that they will not get him again; but I don't believe it he has got to make his words come true because I am from Missouri.

Pvt. Orange talks about getting married in Georgia. I wonder does he think about that girl in Mexico he promised to marry and didn't do it? Shame on you, "Tom." You can fool some of the people sometime, but you can't fool all of the people all the time.

Sgt. Burley, "Trigger," I thought you had an office up where you were Sunday. But I have found out that you are only half interested in the property. Why don't you buy? This half interest business is no good. I like the whole hog or nothing.

Cpl. Adams, "Chick," boys, you ought to see him make his get-away. He is clean on the get-away. You can't imagine his swiftness when it comes to ducking. Run, old boy, I don't blame you, when things get thick thin out; but be sure you thin out in the right way.

### COMPANY "B."

Pvt. George Robinson, better known as the cruel hombre, said that he was making his resolutions for the new year and said that he would not smile at anything but Jumpstudy. That is a bad start for the year, old boy. Wake up, V. V.—that is, the Velvet Vamp.

Cook Payton, better known as the fish,—it is getting close to target season and his shooting eye is not in shape. He said that the Xmas present that his C. O. gave was 6.8.-10.12. Some gift, fish. Look out for the new year.

Cook Freeman, better known as Old Sergeant, said that he was so sorry that the boys have left the camp at Furlong,—that he would not get any more mail until they settled somewhere in Texas.

Sam Hall, better known as the heart breaker, said that the girls were not trying to keep him from marrying but they would not have him for a husband. Don't take it so hard, old boy, sometime you will find a rolling pin handler.

Cpl. Taylor, better known as Kid Red Eye, has bought himself a new suit and it fits him some places. Look out, Kid, for if it happens to rain you will need a good hack saw to get out.

Cpl. Andrews, better known as Bird Breast, said that he was going to get a new phonograph for his tent. Which block is that in, Cus?

### COMPANY "F."

Pvt. 1st Class Clarence O'Neal is enjoying a two months' furlough at his home in Griffin, Ga.

Sgt. Henry Moore has just returned from an extended visit with his wife in Selma, Ala.

Fletcher (the would-be mechanic) has almost completed the good work of O'Neal.

A certain Private in Tent 38 has been wondering what became of his iron men last month. Not mentioning any names, but if Todd don't stay away from Shady Rest he will be wondering many a more pay day.

Pvt. Wright has worked up one file from carpenter to permanent K. P.

Davis says he is glad to be back home. He has worked up to be a postmaster since here.

Cpl. Hightower wants to know if there is any way of getting a transfer from here to Tuskegee, where he spent a very pleasant Xmas.

Cook Cloudy is now convalescent in the hospital.

### COMPANY "K."

It has been said that Co. "I" is the best feeding company in the Regiment, but a certain "Duck" can be seen to visit the mess hall of Co. "K" at each mess call, just looking around? (Look out, Pete Brown.)

You don't have to consult your calendar to note that Christmas is near. Just watch the mail of Co. "K." A certain N. C. O. has received a post card already.

A certain brother was seen standing out in the cold and rain near the post exchange on last Wednesday night, and the way he was inspecting the Benning-Columbus busses upon their arrival in post would have made the Burns agency look like pikers. What was the idea, Mack, a dancing partner?

Sgt. Lay (Andy Gump) hasn't been feeding so well these pre-Christmas days, but the way those Special Duty men can creep upon and devour that hash and duff, you would think it was a turkey dinner.

### COMPANY "L."

Pvt. James Handy, we would like to know why you were late for church Sunday evening. You seem to forget duty with Grandpa Sam comes first of all. 23 block will be your ruin, you will be caught off your balance if you don't watch, you seem to forget the chalk line you are supposed to be walking for Pop Jennings and the C. O. Comdr. Use your head for more than a hat rack, old trombone player.

Pvt. Douglas King has the best volley ball team in Post and issues a challenge to any team that claims they know their stuff, or have a slight idea they know their stuff. (Look out, Star Team, I am afraid this challenge only extends to them

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## SALUTING.

How often is it that we see a mere wave of the hand either right or left hand that is supposed to be the SALUTE that is to be exchanged between persons of the Military Establishment as prescribed by Regulations? Now immediately some of you are saying, "That's right, they won't salute, or if they do, you wouldn't know it as a salute." Now the Editor doesn't have the enlisted men in mind, for they are pretty good at saluting, especially as long as they are in their own areas.

But when it comes to the Officers, it is a different story. Since the Infantry School is here an observer would say that if the school is no better than the salutes it would be some school. But the Editor knows from experience that the school is a good school and therefore it must be the individual Officers that are at fault.

It is not an uncommon sight to see an Officer return a salute with a cigar or cigarette in his mouth or held in the hand that he returns the salute with, which is not always the right hand by any means. You can also see Officers with their hats and especially their caps set well back on their heads to show there wonderfully high foreheads or else the headgear is hung on one ear as a regular "dandy." When the forearm is raised to salute the elbow is in all positions from close to the body to the height of the shoulders, instead of the forearm being at an angle of 45 degrees. The fingers are all bunched together and the arm given a flourish as if the saluter was trying to peck a speck off of his nose. Sometimes we see another person who brings the hand and forearm to a certain height and then brings the head DOWN to meet the hand. Now on top of all of this it is not uncommon to see an Officer neglect to return a salute, or turn the head so as to pretend not to see it, which is a sure sign of laziness, some other Officers have to keep their hands in their pockets and of course it could not reasonably be expected that the offender should be expected to remove his hand from the pocket to return a salute. Such offenses are absolutely inexcusable. Some offenders can't even shut their mouth when returning a salute.

Now all of these offenses have been noted within the last two weeks right here on this Post. It seems that since the salute has been practically abolished between persons of the Military Service except when meeting on a Reservation, that the salute could be rendered in a military manner that would do credit to the saluter and make the person that receives the salute feel that it is a salute worthy of the name. Also the prescribed salute is the prettiest and snappiest salute of all national salutes, so let's keep it that way and make it a salute that is worthy of the name.

## THE CHILKAT POST.

### Its a Clever Get Up.

The News extends congratulations to The CHILKAT POST, of Fort William H. Seward, Alaska. This paper simply shows what can be done along the news line if the people desire it. It is a six-page paper and shows originality. The editor of The News had the idea that all you could do in Alaska during the Winter was shovel snow paths and read, but we note that there is considerable social doings and that indoor athletic sports are not forgotten. Also that a sense of humor prevails as will be noted from some of the following names of the bowling teams: "The Hoochers," "Rustlers," "Grapejuicers," "Homebrewers" and others. It is also noted that "Short-sheeting" is a more or less popular sport among the soldiers in Alaska as well as here in the States.

The News wishes you well, for all the Success and Prosperity that the New Year will surely bring forth to you. Keep her going and let's hear from you each week.

## SECRETARY DENBY REPORTS ON STATUS OF SCRAPPING TREATY

(Continued from Page 1.)

cruiser, November, 1922; Agincourt, November, 1922; Erin, December, 1922; Lion, end of December, 1922 .

The status of the Colossus and Agamemnon is unknown except that the Agamemnon is being used as a target ship. (These vessels were allowed to be retained for non-combatant purposes.)

The Australian government has decided to scrap the battle cruiser Australia.

Following ships have been sunk: One cruiser, one destroyer, one submarine.

Following ships not affected by the treaty have been sold since Feb. 6, 1922: Two cruisers, four light cruisers, six destroyers, two torpedo boats, twenty-four submarines.

This does not include ships on the disposal list but not sold.

**France.**

Ships required to be scrapped under terms of treaty:

France is not required to scrap any completed ships. One of the ships she was permitted to retain, the France, has been wrecked. France had five battleships under construction at the beginning of the war that have not been completed.

It is proposed to complete one of these, the Bearn, as an aircraft carrier. Under the treaty another could be completed to replace the France. No steps, so far as known, have been taken to dispose of these ships.

Ships not defined by treaty:

Since Feb. 6, 1922, the following have been disposed of: One battleship, two armoured cruisers, two light cruisers, second line, and nine torpedoboats.

**Japan.**

Ships required to be scrapped under terms of treaty:

Certain preliminary work of removal of guns and turrets, and in some cases removal of armor and engines, is being done on the battleship Hizen, Ikoma, Ibuki, Mikas, Kashima, Katori and Kuruma.

The battleships Satsuma, Aki and Settsu have been placed in the fourth reserve (instead of being scrapped.) Work has been suspended on the battleships Kaga and Tosa and the battle cruisers Abagi, Akagi and Takoa. No work had been done on these two except to lay the keels. Work on the machinery of the battle cruisers Amagi and Akagi is proceeding, with the evident intention of completing these ships as aircraft carriers as permitted under the treaty.

The Japanese Ministry of Marine has stated that, while work preliminary to scrapping will be done, the hulls will not be broken up or sunk until the treaties have been ratified by all the powers.

The following were removed from the effective list on March 28, 1922: One battleship, one mine layer, three coast defense ships, one cruiser, one gunboat, nine small destroyers, five submarines, thirteen torpedoboats. Of these, only the battleship is definitely known to have been disposed of.

The following has been wrecked: One light cruiser.

The foregoing covers by name all Japanese ships embraced within the terms of the treaty.

**Italy.**

Ships required to be scrapped under terms of treaty:

Italy is not required to scrap any completed ships under the treaty.

The battleship Caracciolo, under construction, has been disposed of, and the contracts for the battleships Colombo, Colonna and Morosini annulled.

The battleship Leonardo da Vinci, which Italy may retain under the treaty, and which was salvaged after sinking, will not be reconstructed.

Ships not defined by treaty:

Italy has not disposed of any vessels of war since the adjustment of the conference.

## SHOT GUN CLUB COMES TO LIFE AGAIN

The Fort Benning Shot Gun Club has acknowledged that the Holidays are a thing of the past now and are going to get down to business. A business meeting will be held in the near future for the election of officials for the Club.

New members who are interested are invited to join.

The following rules will be of interest to old and new members alike:

The Fort Benning Shot Gun Club will resume activities on Wednesday January 3rd, 1923, when it will be open to both old and new members under the following conditions:

1.—Each officer will state on his first signed chit whether he is an old or a new member.

2. Each new member will be charged $1.00 initiation fee.

3. Dues from old and new members will be at the rate of fifty cents per month.

4. A charge of two cents will be made for each bird thrown.

5 Collections will be made through the Infantry Officers' Club.


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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.

Now that our holidays are over, it's time to snap out of it and settle down to hard work. From the effect the lay-off has had on some members of the Company, it will be weeks before hard application will return them to former standards.

To top it all, after our period of ease, comes pay day—well, it is a miracle that we are still going comparatively strong and are on our feet.

Everybody seems to have enjoyed the holiday vacation except the Battalion Clerk. He says his duties kept him from obtaining the full measure of freedom that should have been his. I suppose he was kept busy opening the mail for the Battalion Commander, who received many pleasant answers to his Christmas Greeting cards, which were sent to the relatives of the men in the Battalion.

Conley ain't went to town in uniform!

### COMPANY "E."

Well, well, Lieutenants Gailey and Mehegan are back from their 10 day leaves and looking fine. Only one thing wrong, they both claim their leaves should have been 30 days. That would have been nice, all right.

Another good man gone wrong. Cpl. DeVoe re-enlisted for three more years. Now he is praying that the 25-year bill will go through, so he will only have two years to do. Oh, well, three years isn't long, Bert. Especially when you say it quick.

"G" Company beat us at basketball the other night. They have a very good team, and we sure wish them luck. The score: "G" 33; "E" 12.

Well, Newman, you're a hero now all right. But you would look a lot better with a pitchfork than with a basketball. They may let you blow the whistle again some time.

Roanoke, Ala., is an unknown quantity with us, but we sure would like to know why Sgt. Seabury has to go there so frequently. Is it a girl, or do you just like the climate, Seabury?

Famous sayings of men of "E" Company: Pvt. Hickman, "Who has a cigarette?" Pvt. Gingras, "I didn't lose that game." Cpl. New, "Who wants to play pinochle?" Cpl. Darley, "They wasn't supposed to win that game." Pvt. Bendinelli, "Who's going to the snuff chewers?"

Pvt. Eppard has a new "cheese hound."

Once upon a time there was a bum bugler, but Pvt. Rucker isn't that kind. He is doing guard now, and he is a good bugler, too. Stick to it, Emil.

Listen, Lester, did you sure enough marry that girl when you had that French leave? Or are you just kidding the boys?

Since the Battalion Commander gave our reporter a call for not turning in news, there has been a wonderful improvement. That must be some of Sgt. Julius' "Dip stuff."

We are going to instruct Sgt. Washholz in the art of cooking rimless hot-cakes.

Wonder where Sgt. Wachholz got those 75 one dollar bills he deposited this month. Is it a secret, Paul?

That girl from Wedowee sure does keep Evans busy. Watch your step, Mark. Rings cost money now.

How about that remark about "Further orders," Mike?

### COMPANY "F."

We will soon have a Recreation Room that will rank with any in the Regiment. Our "Skipper," Captain Orr, and Lt. Raaen are doing their utmost to give us a real place for recreation.

Just discovered two human canaries, "Hungry" (Corp. Warner) and "Bill" (Corp. Williams). When it comes to whistling they are the "turtle's antlers." They are the only two that think so.

"Hiram Young is some "Billiardist," I must say, he shoved seven of the little ivories in the holes provided for them, without stopping to chalk up. Hiram wants the universe to get acquainted with this fact.

Private Lupica is right at home now. The 1st Sgt. decided that he was just the man to spread the fertilizer around our "lawn." He has plenty of experience in that line. He isn't satisfied out there, he comes into the Recreation Room and continues to spread "it."

Our esteemed mechanic, Private 1st Class. Spec. 6th Class "Eustace" Trogden, certainly does believe in giving honest and faithful service. He worked last Sunday putting the floor in the recreation room. When it is finished "Eust" insists that he is going to "pitch" a good one. Watch your "apple cart," Trog, two-thirds for six is rather hard to get over.

We have a man who certainly has a sweet tooth. His daily cry in the mess hall is, "Please pass the sugar." First man in the "Chow House" and the last one to come out. I won't mention any names, but I do believe his last name is Frank Philips.

Since the pool shark got transferred, two famous characters have sprung up, namely, Corp. Warner and Corp. Williams. They are the future "champs" of the Co. Better watch your step, Corp. Vallee, they may "spot" you 25 on 50.

When it comes to telling experiences of a thrilling nature, well, Philips sure is entitled to sit at the head of the class. It is very exciting to listen to this distinguished person relate a few of his **escapades (?)** particularly how he managed to dodge his landlady when she pursued him for her monthly "board."

We have on a very short timer in the company. He sure is worried as to what to do. Better take on once more, "Mack," you know it is rather cold up North in this weather.

Derbyshire said he isn't going to take on any more. Don't worry, "Derb," you have plenty of time in which to change your mind.

Trogden is going to give dancing lessons every Saturday night in the recreation room for the benefit of those that are interested. "Eustace" is as graceful on the floor as that bird they call the "hippopotamus."

Our efficient "Slum Sgt.," Sidney Clarke, got mussed up in the basketball game, as usual. "Erb" hasn't played a game without getting knocked out of shape, force of habit, I suppose.

Our Co. Clerk, Sgt. Stephenson, and his moustache are getting along very nicely.

At least a dozen men remarked how pleasant the "Top" was this morning. Maybe "Santa Claus" was good to him.

Battling "Shadow" (Pvt. 1st Class Metzinger) deposited $15.00 pay day. He's a short timer. Better late than never, "Metz." You'll need a lot o' that green stuff to keep that bank roll growing.

### COMPANY "G."

In a hard fought contest at the 29th Infantry gymnasium, last Tuesday night, "G" Company sent "E" Company's hopes for the championship of the 2nd Bn., on the rocks. The first half ended with a score of 12-3 in favor of "G" Company. "Hi" Davis was forced to leave the game at the end of the first half, owing to a goat riding contest. The "G" Company team played a good offensive and defensive game. Franz and Kjelstom leading in scores, not mentioning the splendid work of Parker and Johnson. Brown led for scores in Company "E," capturing six (6) points.

Sgt. Rodgers was seen putting a new coat of paint on the interior of his tent. Wonder what's up now?

### COMPANY "H."

We have a new horseshoer in the company now. He has been commended by a Brigadier General of the Cavalry School and recommended as a Regimental Instructor. All the 29th horseshoers better watch their step or Essex will be hot on their trail.

Our famous basketeers added another victory to their credit. They defeated "F" Co. last Tuesday by the score of 18 to 17. They are more determined than ever to win every game.

Everyone enjoyed the holidays and there doesn't seem to be any bad effects from them, except in two or three persons. They would like to know why they can't have the holidays continued until after next New Year's.

### 1st BATTALION, 29th INFANTRY RECEIVES CONGRATULATIONS

Major Leonard, commanding the 15th Tank Battalion, sent congratulations to the 1st Battalion, 29th Infanry for winning the football pennant.

This is certainly sportsmanlike and will certainly assist to create a feeling of friendly rivalry between the units.

The following is the communication:

**Football.**

Headquarters 15th Tank Battalion,
Office of the Battalion Commander.
In reply to:
353.8 Football.
Fort Benning, Georgia,
December 28th, 1922.

Subject: Football.
To: Commanding Officer 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry.
(Thru Commanding Officer, 29th Infantry.)

1. The entire personnel, commissioned and enlisted, of this unit congratulates the First Battalion, 29th Infantry and its splendid football team, on their victory.

2. We feel that the football season just ended has accomplished a great deal in building up closer relations between your unit and ours.

3. We are sure that the qualities of true sportsmanship that prevailed in the recent games will continue in the future.

Signed: JOHN W. LEONARD.
JOHN W. LEONARD,
Commanding.

## LODGE NOTICES

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## Signal Corps News Items

After several weeks absence we again take our pen in hand and drop a few notes from this organization. Our prolonged absence has not been due to the fact that we had lost interest in the Signal Corps column, but was mainly due to our inability to find time to write our notes due to impressing business at the Signal Office.

At last everything in connection with the Signal Corps activities had got to running smoothly, all sections and branches had become accustomed to their respective duties, and we had breated a long sigh that at last we could sit on an easy seat and everything would run smoothly. But, however, our hopes were shattered last week when we received notification from the Fifth Service Company, from which organization our Signal Corps personnel is furnished, to the effect that the enlisted personnel of the company had been cut forty per cent, and that our local personnel would therefore have to be cut in the near future accordingly, which means that once again new special duty men will have to be trained to take the places of the now skilled Signal Corps men who will eventually be relieved.

Wonders will never cease. At last our handsome dashing Cable Connector, Corporal Seeley, has learned to climb a few feet on a pole. Go to it Corporal, you will soon be able to reach the top.

Anyone having a Dodge car of any type, and any number of cylinders, for sale are requested to communicate with Sergt. Leonard at the Signal Office. Last week about forty Dodge cars from Columbus, some with tires, some without, some hitting on one cylinder, some on two, and some hitting on none, were parked in front of the Signal Office for Sergt. Leonard's inspection. One man from Columbus made three trips to the Signal Office with a car that he could sell for twice as much in town as he was asking Sergt. Leonard for it (so he said), but he would rather sell it to the Sergeant for less. However, Sergt. Leonard has not purchased yet.

Cpl. Mills, one of the star gazers at the Signal Corps Meteorlogical station, has for the past few weeks been pounding the typewriter keys in the Signal Office. The Corporal says he has enjoyed the work but he has only a few more days to pound them.

We have often heard the expression dropped by other personel of the Signal Detachment that the Meteorlogical men were only beating the government out of their money. We are, however, in a position to dispute this. A few weeks ago when it clouded all of a sudden and the impression was that in a very short space of time the heavens would pour forth all the water they contained we proceeded to call the Meteorlogical Station and asked if it was going to storm. The Sergeant in charge, Sergeant Baugh, politely informed us that he believed it was.

We noticed last summer when attending the War Department theatre if the night happened to be cool enough that it was not necessary to run the fans that Pvt. Avera would pile the coal into the furnace but Avera must have quit the job of late as we do not see him shoveling coal.

The hot lunch stand, and the guinea pig farm at the Signal Corps Office has closed. Why? Because Hughes is back on the lines working and the mind of his successor, Pvt. Jones, does not run that way.

Last week Pvt. Jones withdrew his application to take the course at the Signal Corps School at Camp Vail. We know that Jones missed a splendid opportunity. But then it could not be helped. Had the Signal Corps met him half way and agreed to establish radio communication between Vail and Columbus, he would undoubtedly have taken the examination for entrace. But then Love works wondrous things.

## Victim of 1921 Heard From

We have noted in the columns of The News, and also in circulars, etc., where another stay has been granted in the demotion of the non-commissioned officers of the first three grades. No one rejoices any more than the author that these men still have three months longer to hang on. Any man capable of being promoted to the first three grades is deserving of all the credit that can be shown him. As has been said it would be an injustice to those deserving non-commissioned officers to allow them to be thus demoted; but on the other hand while we are pushing for the retention of these non-coms, while we are rejoicing that the date of demotion has again been postponed, what about the demotions of 1921?

At this time many deserving non-commissioned officers of the first three grades were demoted, although surplus men of the same and higher grades, in order to keep them in these grades were transferred the organization of the demoted men. We demoted non-commissioned officers of 1921, were not given any chance to appear before any examining board. We, like the present men of the same grades, had served the army faithfully for many years. Many of us had served in the first three grades, but the hammer dropped on our heads. No tears were shed for us, no stary of demotion was made, no bills were introduced in our behalf, we were simply dropped one file. Like American solders should, we took our defeat. For nearly two years now we have been performing the same duties as before in a lower grade while we see postponement after postponement in the date of the demotions of the present surplus non-commissioned officers. However, we rejoice with them, that fortune is smiling their way, and live in hopes that even yet the victims of 1921 may be remembered.

ONE OF THE VICTIMS OF 1921.

When these demotions took place in 1921, no one ever suspected that the Army would suffer a further cut and therefore it was simply assumed that these demoted NCO would soon be promoted again to the grade that they had held and therefore legislation was thought necessary. But cheer up 1921, you know that old saying, "It's a long road that has no turn," and from present indication it would appear that the turn has been reached.

### BEACH-MOSELY MAKES PRESENTATION.

The Post Athletic and Recreation Officer and the Editor are in receipt of two wonderful calendars for the present year.

They are the prettiest that have been received to date. The calendar is thirty inches wide and 44 inches long. The picture showing an Indian maid in a canoe on a moonlight night, which is 16x22, is entitled "Laughing Waters," has an excellent color effect.

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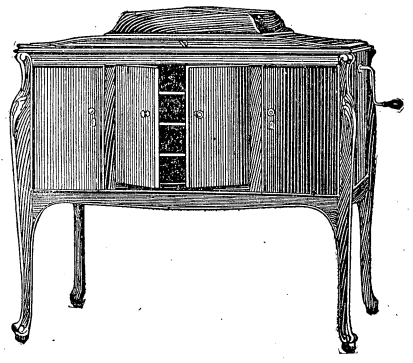

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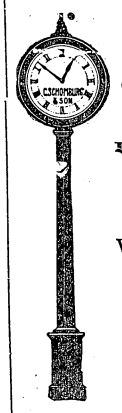

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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 15.**

**1915.**

Headquarters, Band and Staff and the Second Battalion left Fort Jay, the First Battalion left Fort Porter and the Third Battalion left Fort Niagara on March 16 and embarked on the 17th at Weehawken, N. J., on the U. S. A. T. "Buford" for service in Panama. The transport arrived at Cristobal, C. Z., at 7 a. m. of the 25th. The Regiment disembarked on the 26th and proceeded by rail to Camp Gaillard, Culebra, C. Z., for station.

Culebra had formerly been the seat of the Civil Government of the Canal Zone and had not up to the time of the arrival of the 29th been occupied by troops. A very large amount of hard work became necessary to change the place into one suitable for a military post. By the end of the year, however, a remarkable transformation had taken place and troops and families were fairly comfortable and the Regiment settled down to duties, work and privileges of serving together. For over five years the 29th had been split up into three Battalion posts and except for brief maneuver periods had not been together.

Under the skillful management of our beloved Colonel and the faithful co-operation of the entire command, Camp Gaillard became a delightful place, and it is doubtful if at any time in the history of the Regiment if it has ever been happier.

Culebra, situated on the west bank of Culebra Cut, gave all stationed there a full view of everything passing through the Canal.

In July the Fleet passed through. Later in the year the Canal was closed to traffic because of a tremendous slide. For months the dredges worked day and night before traffic was resumed. During this time the 27th Infantry westward bound arrived at Cristobal and remained on the Zone until the Canal was opened.

Officers assigned to the 29th in 1915 were:

Lt. Col. Evan M. Johnson.

Majors J. J. Bradley and Peter Murray.

Captains George S. Goodale, William H. Clendenin, Thomas M. Hunter, Thomas A. Pearce, Ira Fravel and G. Maury Cralle.

First Lieutenants Earle M. Wilson, Joseph A. Atkins, George R. Guild, John L. Jenkins and H. Clay Supplee.

Second Lieutenants Medorem Crawford, Jr., Henry Terrell, Jr., Harray A. Musham, Fred B. Carrithers and Allen S. Boyd, Jr.

**COLUMBUS ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.**

The Columbus Army Bridge Club met at Muscogee Club at 2:30 Thursday afternoon. The hostesses were Mrs. Besse, Mrs. Ennis and Mrs. Heald. There were eventeen tables of players.

There were three prizes given, the first prize being won by Mrs. Cook, the second prize by Miss McLendon, and third prize by Mrs. Mastind.

The hostesses for the next meeting are Mrs. Fountain, Mrs. Gessford and Mrs. Gibson.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

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# History of 7th Engineers

**(Article No. 15.)**

The company moved from Dun-sur-Meuse at 5:00 p. m., November 9th, and arrived at Murvaux at 7:00 p.m. Two platoons were sent forward on the road to Louppy, and the remainder of the company went out on various roads to make reconnaissances. The company left Murvaux on November 10th, and marched to the Bois de Remolville where two platoons were sent forward to Louppy to construct a bridge over the Loisson river. This work was completed at 11:00 p. m. on the night of November 10th, in spite of terrific shell and machine gun fire.

While the detachment was at work, a dud struck the then demolished permanent bridge across the stream just a few yards away. The bridge which Company "E" built was exactly on the same site which the Germans used in 1914. The Germans destroyed this bridge but the abuttments were used by Company "E." This was the last work the company did during the hostilities. On November 11th the company moved to Louppy and worked on a permanent bridge over the Loisson river.

**COMPANY "F."**

On October 27th Company "F" moved from Malancourt to Septsarges Woods, from which point the company worked on roads preparatory for the offensive which was to commence November 1st. The company, on October 31st, proceeded to Madeline Farm to operate in the drive from there, but plans were changed and the company was sent back to Nantillois to prepare for the crossing of the Meuse at Brieulles. Here the best methods of building the light canvas portable pontoon bridge were out by building bridges on dry land. On the night of November 1st the bridge material was moved into Brieulles and concealed in sheds there. The following day a reconnaissance was made to determine the best site for the bridge and in the evening infantry patrols were ferried across the Meuse in canvas boats. Between 4:00 o'clock and 5 o'clock on the morning of November 3rd the first light pontoon bridge was successfully thrown across the river and a company of the 6th Infantry crossed. Just as they left the river bank to cross the marsh to the canal they were met by heavy machine gun fire, but succeeded in gaining the shelter of the canal bank. More could not be done, since by this time it was broad daylight, so Company "F" and the infantry lay under the bank all day, until darkness allowed the work to go on, at which time reinforcements came up and a barrage was laid down. At regular intervals during the entire night, the enemy machine gunners swept the banks of the canal with deadly fire, but before dawn of the following morning, two bridges had been successfully thrown across the water. The damage done to the bridge construction the preceding night was repaired, and the 10th Infantry Brigade crossed to the east banks of the canal, driving the enemy before it.

On the 5th of November, the company broke camp and marched to within about two kilometers of Brieulles and camped for the night. The following day one platoon accompanied the infantry on the advance, while the remainder of the company guarded and kept the Brieulles bridge in repair.

On the morning of the 7th the company broke camp and marched to Dun-sur-Meuse, where it was billeted in the buildings recently abandoned by the enemy. All during the day the music could be heard from pianos abandoned by the Germans. The men were in excellent spirits for it was evident that the war was nearly over. The work here consisted of corduroy road constructions and heavy pontoon bridge maintenance, as well as the regulating of traffic over the congested roads.

On the 10th, the company moved to Murvaux and work on roads between Dun-sur-Meuse and Brandeville, and on the day of the armistice moved from Brandeville.

**ENGINEER TRAIN.**

The Seventh Engineer Train arrived at Esnes on October 6th. A large engineer dump was established there, and all transportation was continually in use hauling necessary supplies to troops then fighting near Mountfaucon.

On the night of October 13th, the night before the initial attack of the 5th Division, the Engineer Train (animal section) hauled the supplies required for the following day to Madeline Ferme, then only a few hundred yards behind the most advanced line. Sergeant Bert Klise, during the entire offensive, remained in charge of advanced engineer dumps and rendered most excellent service.

Under the direction of 1st Lieutenant Peter Murphy and assisted by Lieutenant Earl W. Vinnedge, the 7th Engineer Train demonstrated their efficiency under the most adverse conditions. Had it not been for the untiring energy displayed by the men of the train, much of the work accomplished by the regiment would have been impossible.

During the entire Meuse-Argonne offensive, the men of the 7th Engineer Train were under shell fire and airplane bombing. Although in many tight places and on roads continuously under shell fire, not one truck driver or teamster left his vehicle to seek a safe shelter. For two long days the trucks of the train carried lumber from Cunel and Cuisy forward to Clery-le-Petit, where a corduroy road was being laid across a swamp, making the crossing of the Meuse river at Dun easier. The train supplied the wants of the engineers, who threw the pontoon bridge across the river and canal. The twelve four-line teams were attached to the companies of the regiment and were constantly on the road.

On November 7th the Engineer dumps at Esnes, Cuisy and Cunel were moved forward to Liny and on November 10th the train moved forward to Brandeville. The trucks of the 7th Engineer Train were the first motor vehicles to enter Brandeville. This organization entered Brandeville under a heavy fire, but escaped without a casualty. At the time the armistice went into effect the train was stationed at a large engineer dump taken from the Germans. During the entire active campaign the Engineer Train suffered but one casualty.

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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

The Recruiting Officer was supplied with several of our Thanksgiving menus and he reports that most applicants ask to be enlisted for the I. S. D.

Recently an Officer from Headquarters was inspecting the Detachment Kitchen. Taking a spoon he drank some liquid from a large pot on the stove. "Sergeant," he said, "this tastes like dishwater to me," "It is, sir," replied Sgt. Stewart.

The Finance Detachment asked to be attached to the I. S. D. for rations. They've got the money but know who has the chow.

The Grand Goblin is back from furlough and on the job. Evil doers, beware.

Several re-enlisted men from the Recruit Center are in the Detachment Office, and are making good.

It seems that some Columbus girl has vamped Pvt. Willie J. Green. We expect to hear the wedding bells soon tolling for another victim of matrimony.

Master Sgt. Goodwin is contemplating buying a new car since he sold his buick; no more second-hand cars for him. He swore off when one of his friends backed his buggy into a tree.

A few of the stragglers from the School Division finished record firing the other day and Father Grinstead increased his pay $5.00 more knocking out 305. Not so bad for an old man about ready to retire.

Jazz Magoni still contends that if he hadn't lost his trigger finger, at 200 yards off hand he would at least have made marksman.

Sgt. Brant was the ranking man in the outfit pay-day. After the "Goldbricks" had been paid he was the first one called in, but it seems as though there had been a mistake in the calling of the roll and the error was soon discovered, as Brant was seen making an about face with a few others to take their regular turn.

It is rumored throughout the outfit that one of our Sergeants is well on his way to the grade of Master Sergeant. How come, when we have a lot of old-timers on the verge of retiring.

## Medical Department Notes

The American Red Cross is to be commended on their thoughtfulness at Christmas time, in the gift of Christmas stockings to the patients in the hospital. The stockings were greatly appreciated and the men spoke very warmly of the Red Cross. Thanks is also expressed for the gifts of the trees in Wards One, Three, and Five and in the Detachment Mess Hall. Mrs. Frank Green, acting in the absence of Major Green, is to be especially thanked for her interest in the worthy project that was so successfully carried through by her personal efforts.

The name of Miss Harriette Doughty, former hostess at the Service Club, brought smiles of pleasure to the faces of the patients in Ward One, on Christmas day. The reason being the thoughtful gifts Miss Doughty sent to the patients, which went toward helping to relieve the monotony of spending Christmas in the hospital.

The Medical Department Bridge Club met January 2nd, at the home of Captain and Mrs. Frank Green. Prizes were won by Major Tobias, Mrs. Roby and Mrs. White. After the game a delicious salad course with coffee was served, and all enjoyed a delightful evening.

## Motor Transport Notes

Sgt. Wallace, (Little Willie) and Morris Gray (Kid Swift) of Columbus georgia; played a very interesting game of pool in the Enlisted men Club, M. T. C., before a large and enthusiastic crowd. The game was one of the hardest fought contests of eight ball pool ever staged between two amateurs. This season Sgt. Wallace the winner of the contest challenged open to any of the stick artists in Post.

An interesting letter has been received from Sgt. Wanton (Pickles) says he expects to be back with the boys on or about the 5th, with a new line from the Capital City.

Mack Davis, (the Moon Light) of M. T. C., said to a Sixth Avenue Waitress bold—"Look here girl, My Cocoa's Cold."

You impudent thing, I cannot help that—if your Cocoa's Cold, (Put on your hat.)

Ques.—"Why did (Kid Jones) leave D. C.?

Ans.—He knew there was pleasure to be enjoyed in Georgia.

Kid Campbell (the M. T. C. Vamp) can't be fooled on the carats of Diamonds. (Why?) He made a bet $3.00 to $5.00 that Grays 1-4 Carat Stud was an 1-8 Carat.

Ques.—Why has (Boy Child) closed his shack on Sixth Avenue?

Ans.—Blue carried him down.

Ques. What has happened to onr Flat Brush Artist (Brown)?

Ans.—Made a two day touch down in Columbus scuffling and now he is suffering.

Comrade—Jac, I haven't had it.

Jac. — (Mess Sergeant) Should have had it. Here for you.

### THEY'RE STILL IN USE

The other evening an M. P. ran across a soldier who was steering a rough course up a back street. The M. P. immediately offered his assistance.

"Much obliged," answered Old Pinaud, gratefully. "Just steer me up where you see that light burnin'; I'll be aw-right then."

"Oh, you think that't your company, do you?" snorted the M. P.

"No, no, no," replied Old Pinaud, "but thassa a lamp post."

5th CORPS NEWS

### BETTER ACCOMMODATIONS.

Mr. Crawford, manager of the Howard Bus and Taxi Co., has made arrangements whereby a taxi may now be called at telephone No. 101 Post (Enlisted Men's Service Club).

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### SERVICE CLUB No. 1.

The dance given by Service Club No. 1 on New Year's night was by far the best dance of the season. The Post Hostess is to be commended for the fine class of girls that are now coming to the dances.

Music was furnished by the excellent nine-piece orchestra of the Twenty-ninth Infantry.

Refreshments were served during the intermission consisting of candy, cake and coffee.

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### REMOUNT SERVICE REPORTS PROGRESS

**Country's Horse Supply Has Been Increased by 1,700 Foals During Year.**

The United States Remount Service and its ally, the American Remount Association, have contributed 1,700 husky young foals to the horse supply of the country during the year, according to the report of Major C. L. Scott, Chairman of the Breeding Committee of the American Remount Association. This represents the breeding system of 1921 and half as many more mares have been bred this season to swell next year's statistics. Not even half the number of mares bred are represented among the living foals the succeeding year. With foreign governments the percentage is frequently about 35. As the figures given show 40 per cent. and it is estimated that fully 10 per cent. of the foals are not reported, Major Scott considers the actual percentage as probably 50.

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### LADIES' EQUITATION CLASSES.

**Start Again Jan. 8th and 9th.**

The Ladies' Equitation Classes will start again next week and all members desiring to continue should report at the usual place at the usual time. The class that meets four times a week will hold its first assemblage of the New Year on Monday, Jan. 8th, and the class that meets twice a week will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 9th.

Overheard at the Army-Marine football game in Baltimore when the Army had just kicked the second field goal and the score was 6-0 in favor of the Army:

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Second Reserve Officer (having in mind the reductions in the Army for the past two years: "You had better do it before Congress meets."—Army and Navy Register.


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## National Guard and Reserve Officers Class

(By JAY GEE BEE.)

There is an old saying that a man never knows how many friends he has until he is dead. Last week this column was dead, or at least in a state of coma, and much to the surprise and gratification of yours truly, I have been taken to task by several members of the class for missing an issue of the News.

As the escaping convict said, while running away under a hail of bullets, "I never thought that they would miss me so much."

I promise here that we will be represented every week from this time on, unless we are given another Christmas holiday.

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Everything in bayonet training is at the double.

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The ranks of the bachelors have been augmented by the arrival of Lt. Bob Verhage, of Ohio. Last Saturday he shipped his brand new wife to the land of snow and ice, and took up his residence in Biglerville. The ways of man passeth all understanding.

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Now, Lieut. Hoozit, please explain the action of the gas.

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One of the gay young captains from one of the coldest states in the country has sworn off taking a lady to the weekly hops. "When I do bring a girl, I don't get a chance to dance with her," he complains.

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One of the best things that Lt. Rice does is hunt for the bath house orderly.

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A terrible thing has happened in our area. Some rough officers have stolen a book that explains the approved method of flirting with the handkerchief. The sad part of it is that the Lieutenant that originally bought the useful little book had not learned all the rules before the book was taken. It now appears that he will have to content himself with the common method as approved by the "Society of He-Flappers."

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Have you a little fairy in your home?

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Under threat of exposure, the writer has to tell one on himself. It would remain a dark secret if Capt. Quinn had not been a witness and threatened to spill it if I did not. This is the way it happened. The writer visited the post office one day last week, and as the next formation was to be in Biglerville, he was carrying his rifle with him. He found a pink envelope in his mail box and went out the post office door with the letter clutched tightly in his left hand and the rifle over his right shoulder. With his mind on the writer of the letter, a thousand miles from Benning, he just caught the salute of an enlisted man from the corner of his eye. Forgetting his rifle he nonchalantly answered the salute with a snappy left hander to his hat. Although he caught it right away and tried to beg off, Quinn insisted that it be published, so here it is. At that, I do not believe that Quinn would have seen anything wrong if I had not mentioned it first.

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Form for bayonet training; MOVE.

Here is one turned in by a member of the Machine Gunners. One of their aspiring lieutenants has the sweet little habit of jumping up during a conference and exclaiming, "Question! Uh, now the situation is this——" and then going into a long statement of an obvious fact. Then he has another, "Question, Captain! For the benefit of the rest of the class, I will explain what I did," all of which makes a big hit with the rest of the class and the instructors.

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In assembling and stripping the automatic rifle, do not use force; you will find that everything slips in easily.

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Lt. Morrison is sorely puzzled, according to other machine gunners. It seems that one day last week, that section was out on the range, and the lieutenant was acting as gunner. His cone of fire was landing short of the target and to remedy the matter the Lieut. carefully raised his sights but failed to elevate the gun. Strange as it may seem, the elevation of the sights had absolutely no effect on the range and now the gunner is working every evening with pencil and paper trying to figure it out.

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If some of you gentlemen would do a little studying, you would not have to ask so many foolish questions.

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Captain John Easley, who lives in town with his family, has a good joke on his tailor. The captain purchased a pair of breeches which were finished and delivered to him just before Christmas. When he put them on, he discovered a slight rip in the seam beside the right knee. His wife sewed it up for him and he tried them again, only to find another rip on the other knee. After this was repaired, he decided that they were a fair looking pair of breeches. The captain and his family were invited to spend Christmas day with friends in one of the exclusive parts of town, and to make himself pretty, he donned his new clothes. After spending a pleasant part of the day, the captain thought that he detected a draught whenever anyone opened a nearby door. With a cautious hand he investigated, and much to his surprise, found that the nice new breeches had divided into two equal parts. The very polite captain excused himself from the party and bowed himself gracefully out, backward. He then sent an S. O. S. call to his wife, who performed valiantly with a needle and thread, to allow him to again join the others. The captain is now wondering just how long the breeches had been split before he discovered them. Ain't that a good joke on his tailor?

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I would have explained that movement, but it has absolutely no bearing on the action of the weapon, and you would not understand it anyway.

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From the rumors that are going the rounds, the writer of this column could have picked up quite a bit of material for news during the holidays, but I doubt whether it would have showed good judgment to publish it.

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Captain Quinn's favorite remark: "Now this is not for publication."

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Most of the rifle section members seem to think that twenty hours of bayonet training is nowhere near enough. They think that it ought to be at least one hundred hours, divided into ten-hour periods. Yes, they do.

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I wonder how McCall ever came out with McDowell.

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

We have at least one applicant for the position as farmer next spring. Cpl. Cochran went to town and bought himself some work gloves and he says he wants them to dress up in, but we know better.

Oh; We know you, you little rascal, you come from Baltimore and the rest of the gang are well aware of the fact. But don't let that worry you Welton, we all come from some place.

Pvt. Wise wants to drop Cpl. Adams a letter so he will come back; he says the job as Company clerk is too tough for him. Seems rather queer, he used to like the Orderly room.

Just keep up what you are doing, Stover. You get them and we'll make 'em stand to attention.

Some body give Sgt. Ohrvall a C. N. candle so he can put it under his tent. He don't know what it is, but there is something wrong under the building.

Among the guests present at the dinner given by the company on New Year's day, were Miss June Brown, accompanied by Sgt. and Mrs. Brown. Every one is happy when Miss Brown comes to the company, because she puts life into the outfit every time she is here.

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Since the Old Year went out weeping, we can safely assume that 1922 began to realize the irreparable damage that she did to our Army and Navy. Death-bed repentances should not be permitted, for it gives the wicked a long time to do evil that can be wiped out in a few minutes.

The Editor recently saw a picture of the Mess Hall of Battery "A," 83rd F. A., as it was decorated at Xmas time. Mess Sgt. Huff is to be congratulated for the originality displayed. Also, judging from the expression on the faces of the men while eating, one would say that the feast was entirely satisfactory.

A short time ago the C. O. 1st Bn. Hdqrs. Co. received a letter with a pass enclosed from a man in his company who requested that the pass be extended indefinitely and returned to him. It was!

## 24th Infantry News Notes

(Continued from Page 3.)

that they have a slight idea, of the game and not those who know the game.) Keep them going, Kism.

Pvt. Jesse Hill seems to be very happy since he has two of the girls' pictures he's in love with. Look out, Kid Hill, there's not very much love if you have two of 'em to contend with. My advice to you is to be careful and not marry either of the two because all women are too common these days.

1st Sgt. Jennings (alias Pop Jennings) has invented a new method of carrying his pipes, (T. U. G.-B. O. A. T. S.) one in his hip pocket, one in his mouth, and one in his Overland tool box for reserve, and still has the nerve to give Sgt Adams the job of making a 637 for the spare parts that goes with them. Steady, Pop, the boys in the office say the one you use in your mouth is enough to run Mrs. Jennings and little Jim out of the Post.

Pvt. Sloan Williams (better known as Sgt.) was seen in his best boxing spirit Sunday just before the conductor of the Chicago North Western stew limited opened the door for dinner, illustrating a few of K. O. punches right and left jabs, etc. The K. O. jab consists of a hot hunch on the leg and followed up with a short left jab on the bur of the ear. (Some K. O. system S. A. R. G. T.)

Watch your step, John Bell, you are making your regular tour to Jim Pitt College (Bottom). Wonder if your girl finishes there this term. Be careful, Bell, and stay away.

A certain Corporal bought a watch for a certain young lady valued at $.98. Be careful, Kitchen, and do not pawn it to Cpl. Bradwell for the first payment as he is rearing for such cheap soak bargains.

This Cpl. J. H. K. is too popular for Co. "L"—would like to know if we could trade him for another Cpl. that's not so popular as Cpl. J. H. K. It's a mystery to certain members of the Company how show girls come out here and ask for no one but Cpl. J. H. K. Must have paid a visit recently. (How long did you entertain, Cpl. H.?)

Cpl. Marley has a new method of sleeping, driving old Beck, calling sheep, hunting rabbits, and taming lions, tigers, bears, and S.K.U.N.K.S.

Pvt. Porter Rogers was caught depending on the F. A. I. R ? S. E. X. for transportation from Shady Rest to Co. "L," last seen counting hard rocks from the city to the Fort. (Be careful, Porter, try to range your gun in the lower section of the city, and not in the Blue Ridge Mountains of East Highlands and you will be able to join that jaw bone taxi squad.

Pvt. Chairs Perry, (Old Timer), quits the round house every Saturday and Sunday to give round instructions to Sgt. Scott's stew specializers. Steady, Old Timer; you have 21 weeks of 6.8.10.12.

A special invitation has been granted Walter Bennett to attend the wrestling and boxing class at the Gym. Why not wait until the regular Wednesday night dance? It has been reported that a good many have been suffering from swoolen feet where your number 12s didn't have any heart while they were gassing.

Walk straight, Teddy. You were seen coming out of a certain Corporal's shack. (Be still, Kitchen, it was not yours.)

Pvt. Charlie Vaughn is thinking whether or not he must stay in the army or go to the Millions. His every day talk is, "If I can do this—if I do this, will I succeed? If I just could, or maybe if I do this, I'll be alright." Our advice to you is to stick your left hand up for three more hot ones and you will be finished with. Those if's and and's. (Watch your step, unsettled mind.)

### COMPANY "M."

Cpl. Washington entered the restaurant on Sixth avenue to get something to eat, with the prospect of a fat tip the waiter proceeded to effect a liaison. "Good morning, Captain, what may be your order." After the waiter had returned his order and had gone back to the kitchen she returned again and said, "Anything else for you Lieutenant?" Then as the Corporal was getting ready to leave she said, "Let me help you, General," and as she helped him to put on his coat he put his hands in his pocket and pulled out a dime. With the waiter looking very disappointed, said "Good-bye Private."

Pvt. Garfield Hicks, better known as "Battling Hicks," is recovering from a severe shock of matrimonias influenza, after sitting up all night studying loveology and preparing to make a great '23 proposal. He arrived in the city only to find his little sweetie at the altar of good-bye sweetheart and hello bubby. Hard luck, old boy.

Everybody is singing the jelly roll blues while Sgt. Thompson of Co. L and his Janitors are eating big stick candy and writing the Cinamon Roll news.

Sgt. Henly, mess sergeant, Co. M, has made his resolution to feed hard beans and slum the rest of the year. Look out, Henly, that will never do.

Pvt. Sim Reed is very worried after he saw Sgt. Hill receive a letter from his girl in Virginia. Reed, watch Hill, for he will gas you.

Pvt. Howard D. Jones has been playing quarterback on the N. C. O.'s lines. Never mind, old boy, football season is over and you can't make a touchdown now.

### RECRUITING SERGEANT FOUND TWO DUBLIN CITIZENS HE SERVED WITH IN THE ARMY

Sergeant Aaron M. Winn, of the recruiting office here, is now much pleased to be located at Dublin. Since coming here two weeks ago, he was very much surprised, as well as pleased, to find here living in Dublin, two ex-soldiers that he soldiered with over 20 years ago in the Philippine Islands during the uprising with the natives there. These men are now two of Dublin's best citizens. They are Ben Hurley, electrician with C. F. Ludwig & Co., known all over the city, and Clarence W. Muse, one of the best known meat market proprietors here.

The sergeant and his two old buddies have spent several hours together discussing many incidents that happened during the war 20 years ago.—Dublin Courier-Herald and Dispatch.


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# SPORTING NEWS

## Doughboys Take Fast Game From the Bulldog Five, 25-17

(By Brooke Leman in Enquirer-Sun)

Infantry 25, Georgia 17.

Bulldogs and Doughboys battled across the boards of the Infantry gym last night in a close and exciting melee which sent chills and thrills up the backbones of the biggest house which has graced a Blue cage affair this season. The chills from the closely fought battle were only equalled by the occasional shivers caused by a somewhat low temperature in the Doughboy cage.

The Infantry took an early lead and for a time unloosed the swiftest offense they have shown this season. In the first six minutes of play the tally board read Infantry 8, Georgia 1. But right then and there something happened. Either the Blue looked at the score board and became overconfident or the Christmas holidays have not yet worn off for the Infantry put on the brakes. When the Blue slowed up the Red and Black stepped out and began to fling a few baskets of their own.

From that time on it was nip and tuck and although Georgia could never overtake the Infantry lead they clipped it at one time to a narrow three points margin—decidedly too close for any degree of comfort on the part of many Benning fans who were present. But the Blue proved equal to the occasion and edged out of the tight hole when Harmen tossed two baskets.

The first half ended with the Infantry leading by a 16 to 10 tally. Both teams came back with a decidedly hard fight and guarded air tight in the second chapter. This coupled with inability to connect on long shots in this period by either team cut down the scoring. The Infantry hung up 9 points to 7 for the Red and Black in this frame.

Thus passed one of the hardest fought games ever played on the local floor and the Infantry maintained its undefeated record only by the narrow margin of eight points. Georgia looked worn from the long road trip and when it is considered that this is the fourth melee since Saturday for the Bulldogs this may easily be understood.

All but one point for the Infantry came as a result of field goals. The Infantry had an exceedingly off night when it came to tossing fouls and out of six attempts only rang the gong for one. On the other hand Georgia accumulated but five field baskets and annexed the remaining seven points on free chunks. A smiling young gent by the name of Mr. Gurr had a peculiar penchant for tossing them in whenever a penalty was called.

Honnen and Millard led in the tally making for the Infantry, each connecting with eight points. Millard did most of his scoring in the first half while Honnen came nobly to the rescue in the last chapter when the tally was close—much too close for comfort. Lippincott and Rock played spiendid defensive games.

For Georgia Gurr led in points scored, all coming from free throws, while his partner in a forward berth, Watson, rang up the high percentage of field baskets, annexing three. Joe Bennett played the best defensive game of the Red and Black quint and was all over the floor at one time. To Joe also goes honor for the most sensational shot of the evening which came when he rang up his lone field goal. Bennett alternated with Butler at center in the second frame.

Sam Boney, captain of the Red and Black five, did not arrive with the squad. It was announced that Boney had not joined the team as expected.

The line up:

| Infantry 25; | | Georgia 17 |
|---|---|---|
| Honnen 9 | Forward | Gurr 17 |
| Rock 4 | Forward | Watson 6 |
| Vevia 0 | Forward | Miehrs 0 |
| Millard 8 | Center | Butler 2 |
| Smith 4 | Guard | Bennett 2 |
| Lippincott 0 | Guard | Clark 0 |
| Gayle 0 | Center | |

Score by halves:

| | |
|---|---|
| Infantry | 16 9—25 |
| Georgia | 10 7—17 |

Field goals: Infantry 12; Georgia 5.
Foul goals: Infantry 1; Georgia 7.
Time of periods: 20 minutes.
Referee: Eddy.

## 15th Tank Battalion News

If you are about to join the Benedicts you should not fail to notify your scribe. If for any reason it is a matter of secrecy and you so inform us we will not fail to so state in our column. This will insure as much secrecy as you uusally can expect when you inform some of your best friends "confidentially." Somehow we are impressed with the idea you might fail us and our solicitation would be more acceptable to one of your friends. Therefore, if you are the best friend of one of our members who is contemplating matrimony, do not fail to exhibit your friendly interest. Thusly you will demonstrate your consideration, which will undoubtedly be most appreciable. If you are about to take unto yourself the dearest, sweetest, etc., etc., little girl in the world or if one of your best friends thinks he is about to make such an acquisition, remember our telephone number—123.

Lieut. Phipps, who is absent, sick at Fitzsimmons General Hospital, Denver, sends holiday greetings to the Battalion.

Sgt. Kelly, "The Morgan of the Tank Corps," after clipping coupons all year, has taken a 30-day furlough which he intends to spend on his estate near Columbia, S. C.

Sgt. Lindsey has decided to reenlist and says he will continue to do so if necessary until we beat the 1st Battalion. Liberty also has decided to do likewise.

The sweaters which the log hut committee agreed to give each member of the Battalion who makes a team in major sports have been received and are now in the hands of Arthur, the Battalion Tailor, who is sewing on the insignia. They will be distributed to the football team at a reception given in their honor later in the month.

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## January Booking Chart

Due to the requests made, we have three old favorites included in this month's programs. We believe that any who may have seen them before will enjoy seeing them again as they are pictures that are capable of sustaining interest after having been seen three or four times. The pictures mentioned are: "The Count of Monte Cristo," "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," and "Shoulder Arms."

It would be almost impossible for anyone to secure a more evenly balanced program than the one furnished by the U. S. A. M. P. Service for this month. The program includes subjects that will satisfy all tastes.

Remember that our program changes nightly. We show 365 feature pictures each year. Now look over the list below and if you can offer any suggestions for improvement call 146 and ask for the Theatre Manager.

Other features that have been requested are: Jackie Coogan in "Oliver Twist," "The Kentucky Derby" and "The Queen of Sheba." The first two mentioned pictures have been booked for February. "The Queen of Sheba" was shown here August 24, 1922.

**January Program.**

"God's Country and Law," Jan. 6th, 1923.
"Hurry Up," Jan. 6th.
"Under Two Flags," Jan. 7th.
"Bright Eyes," Jan. 7th.
"Bells of San Juan," Jan. 8th.
"Shocking Idea," Jan. 8th.
Fox News, Jan. 8th.
"Cradle Buster," Jan. 9th.
"Chicken Parade," Jan. 9th.
"Out of the Silent North," Jan. 10.
"Horse Sense," Jan. 10th.
"Valley of Silent Men," Jan. 11th.
Fox News, Jan. 11th.
"Sherlock Brown," Jan. 12th.
Pathe Review, Jan. 12th.
Roach Comedy, Jan. 12th.
Pride of Polomar," Jan. 13th.
"Gee Whiskers," Jan. 13th.
"Manslaughter," Jan. 14th.
"Idle Class," Jan. 14th.
"Arabia," Jan. 15th.
"Touring," Jan. 15th.
Fox News, Jan. 15th.
"Molly-O," Jan. 16th.
"The Agent," Jan. 16th.
"The Wolf Pack," Jan. 17th.
"Leather Pushers," Jan. 17th.
"Above All Law," Jan. 18th.
Fox News, Jan. 18th.
"Infamous Miss Revell," Jan. 19th.
Pathe Review, Jan. 19th.
Roach Comedy, Jan. 19th.
"Double O," Jan. 20th.
"For Lord's Sake," Jan. 20th.
"Monte Cristo," Jan. 21st.
"The Boat," Jan. 21st.
"Connecticut Yankee," Jan. 22nd.
Fox News, Jan. 22nd.
"Dstiny's Isle," Jan. 23rd.
"Tenderfoot Luck," Jan. 23rd.
"The Trap," Jan. 24th.
"One Old Cat," Jan. 24th.
"Burning Sands," Jan. 25th.
Fox News, Jan. 25th.
"Peaceful Peters," Jan. 26th.
Pathe Review, Jan. 26th.
Roach Comedy, Jan. 26th.
"Milky Way," Jan. 27th.
"Upper and Lower," Jan. 27th.
"The Storm," Jan. 28th.
"Shoulder Arms," Jan. 28th.
"Oath Bound," Jan. 29th.
"Darkest Africa," Jan. 29th.
"Mad Bargain," Jan. 30th.
"Golf," Jan. 30th.
"The Young Rajah," Jan. 31st.
"Leather Pushers," Jan. 31st.

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## Did You See the Play?

**MADAME OLGA PETROVA COMES UP TO EXPECTATION.**

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It is seldom that a person of the renown of Olga Petrova will consent to stop at the smaller cities, so Columbus must be attracting attention beyond the state line.

The play itself is not what you would call a "deep play," but still there was considerable food for thought.

The scene is laid in Seville, Spain, and features the blue moonlight, orange blossoms and nightingales. Madame Petrova plays the leading role herself as a disillusioned wife of a Spanish nobleman, whom she leaves, and leads the life of an artist. She is supported by good talent.

All in all, the play was thoroughly enjoyed by all as could be noted by the attention of the crowded opera house, and those who were unfortunate enough to miss the play have something to regret.

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Below you will find a synopsis of some of the pictures for the coming week:

**"UNDER TWO FLAGS."**

What you will see if you visit the War Department Theatre, Sunday, January 7:

Title: "Under Two Flags."

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Previous Successes: Some of the finest artistic and box office successes of the creen, "Outside the Law," "The Virgin of Stamboul," "Reputation," "Conflict," and "Wild Honey."

Supporting Players: Masterly artists: James Kirkwood, a star in his own right, Stuart Holmes, John Davidson, Ethel Grey Terry, Burton Law, W. H. Bainbridge, Fred Cavens, Bobby Mack.

Directed by Todd Browning, who directed Miss Dean in that wonder picture, "Outside the Law."

Story by "Ouida" (Louise de La Ramee), published as a novel, also a stage classic with such stars as Blanche Bates; seen or read by practically everyone.

Scenario by Edward T. Lowe, Jr., and Elliott Clawson.

Photography by William Fildew and a battery of master cameramen.

Time—In a late decade of the nineteenth century.

Locale—Algiers.

**Thumb-Nail Theme.**

Victor, a man of mystery, though evidently of bird and breeding, enters a soldier's cafe in Algiers where a group of French troops are being entertained by "Cigarette," the daughter of the regiment," and a prime favorite with officers and men of the army in Morocco. He is asked to enlist, and with the air of a fatalist declares he does not care whether he joins the French or Arabian forces. Patriotic Cigarette, angered, offers to let the dice decide, and winning, for her beloved France, Victor becomes a soldier under the tri-color. His exclusiveness is against him at first, but he proves to be the bravest of brave in many a skirmish with the enemy. Cigarette is piqued that he of all the soldiers will have nothing to do with her, although he is always most courteous. Enter Ben Ali, an Arabian Shiek, who pretends to side with the French. He attempts to involve Victor in his treachery, but is repulsed and is framed by the Shiek. Nettled by the gallant bearing and evident breeding of "Corporal Victor," the French commandant seeks to humiliate him before a visitor, Lady Corona d'Amague, who through interest in a set of ivory chessmen Victor has carved discovers that she knew him in the old days when he was a British officer and nobleman. Cigarette is at all times suspicious, jealous and alternately wildly happy and depressed. Victor and Lady d'Amague fall in love but Victor swears he cannot return, and Lady d'Amague departs. Suspecting the Shiek Cigarette agrees to go with him to his desert harem in order to learn his treacherous plans. She discovers the frame-up has resulted in Victor being condemned to be shot and that the Shiek plans a night attack on the French barracks. Follows her wild, mad ride to save both her beloved army comrades and the condemned Victor. In one of the greatest scenes ever recorded on the silver screen comes the climax that has made the story of "Under Two Flags" immortal.


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**WHAT YOU WILL SEE ON JAN. 8**

**Jones Coming in Fox "Bells of San Juan."**

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Jones, who is cast in the role of the Sheriff of San Juan, is fast becoming one of the leading screen heroes. His feats of daring are especially noteworthy.

The story is one of wild and Woolly Westerners, in which Jones won his fame. He plays the part of a young Westerner who is elected Sheriff to succed his father who was murdered. He swears to avenge his parent. The keeper of the local dance hall and saloon is suspected and the son of the murdered official brings him to justice.

A pretty love theme is wound through the story. Fritzi Brunette, in the role of a lady doctor, is said to do exceptionally good work.

All in all, "Bells of San Juan" comes to the War Department Theatres with a good box office record and that tells the story. With a goodly amount of praise from press and public in other cities it is bound to please here.

**WHAT YOU WILL SEE ON JAN. 9.**

**This Kid Busted Out of Cradle to Crash Through Manhood.**

Hush-a-bye baby, on the tree top,
When the wind blows the cradle will rock;
When the bough breaks the cradle will fall:
Down will come baby, cradle and all!

That's what happened when Benjamin Franklin Reed broke out in "The Cradle Buster," the season's greatest comedy motion picture, which will be shown on Jan. 9th at the War Department Theatres. It's the best comedy produced since "Twenty-Three and One-Half Hours Leave," and will make you laugh until your sides ache from pain. It is a whirlwind story of a small town youth, gawky and bashful, who has been known as "Sweetie" all his life, but on his twenty-first birthday he breaks out and becomes a regular fellow.

**WHAT YOU WILL SEE ON JAN. 12**

**Lytell at His Best in "Sherlock Brown."**

Bert Lytell, the Metro star, will be seen in his latest photoplay, "Sherlock Brown," at the War Department Theatres on January 12th. This new picture, adapted for the screen by Lenore Coffee from a story by Bayard Veiller, is the story of an earnest, trusting young clerk whose life ambition is to become a detective.

Five dollars sent to a correspondence school brings him a shiny new badge which he proudly displays at his modest boarding house, to the amusement of some of the cynical and unsympathetic lodgers. He is not to be deterred by their ridicule, however, and though engaged in the grinding routine of his job as a clerk, his mind is filled with the ever present possibility that just around the corner may lie his opportunity to win fame and fortune as a sleuth.

And sure enough one day he bumps straight into a mystery which has stirred the entire United States secret service. The secret formula for a powerful exploisve has been stolen from a young lieutenant to whose custody it had been temporarily committed.

Sherlock Brown follows the trail, finds the document, loses it through a trick of the conspirators and ultimately recovers it again after a series of most amusing adventures as a crime hound is revealed.

"Sherlock Brown" is a Bayard Veiler production for Metro. In the cast supporting Mr. Lytell are Ora Carew, Sylvia Breamer, Dewitt Jennings, Theodore Von Eltz, Wilton Taylor, Hardee Kirkland, George Barnum and George Kuwa.

**BIG TIME ACT.**

Lucas and Logan (a Keith Circuit Act) will appear at the Post Theatre January 6th and 7th in a comedy singing, talking and dancing act. There will be a comp'ete change of program nightly. It is an event to see an act of this class in this section of the country.

Sunday night will be the **big** night. Lucas and Logan will appear in "My Gingham Girl." The feature picture will be Priscilla Dean's latest success, "Under Two Flags," There will also be a two-reel Ben Turpin comedy, "Bright Eyes."

Admission, including both vaudeville and pictures: Adults 35 cents, children 20 cents.


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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100;

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## 600 Commissions Waiting

**DESIRABLE COLLEGE MEN ARE NEEDED.**

Now since that the eliminations and demotions of Army officers are completed and things are clearing up we find that there are about 600 vacancies in the grade of second lieutenant.

Last October when an examination for this grade was held nearly 400 men took the examination, out of this number the Army and Navy Register states that only about 85 had successfully passed the examination. A great number that took the examination failed on the physical examination.

Desirable college men who desire the nomad life of an army officer, are willing to work, and have patience, and desire to see the world, will soon have a chance to apply for an examination to determine their fitness. There are nearly 600 vacancies to be filled, and about 400 of these will be filled by persons from civil life who successfully pass the competitive examination.

## Dance At Service Club No. 1

The dance at Service Club No. 1 on last Wednesday evening was a most delightful affair. It is with pleasure that we note that more and more of the married enlisted men are bringing their families.

Delightful refreshments were served during the intermission.

The delightful music was furnished by the 29th Infantry orchestra.

## United States Troops Are Coming Home

**WE LEAVE THE RHINE.**

All of the American Troops, consisting of about 1200 men, now stationed in Germany, have been recalled. They will probably reach Savannah, Ga., the early part of February.

It is not known as yet whether Savannah will be their home station or not.

## The Lausanne Conference Deadlocked

**THREE POINTS LEFT TO DECIDE.**

The conference at Lausanne is nearly deadlocked, and with very slight probability of any of the parties giving any more ground.

The three points that are really the disagreeing points are the Dardanelles, the exchange of citizens and the maintaining of a Greek Church in Constantinople. Turkey and her allies and especially Russia insist that the Straights be fortified and that only a certain limited number of foreign warships be allowed in her waters at one time. England insists that the fortifications of the Straights be removed so that any outside nation who may desire may enter to trade with the new countries around the Black Sea, which have been formed during and since the World War. The exchange of citizens is a peculiar situation and something that has not happened in years. It seems as if the Greeks originated the idea and the Turks have seized it whole heartedly and are forcing Greeks, whom they consider dangerous to Turkey, to leave the Turkish territory. This means a great financial loss to the Greek in Turkey especially since a great many of them have lived in Turkish territory all of their lives and have there homes and business there. The Turk says that they must move, though, so that there will be room for the Turk that is coming from Greece. Also the Turk says that the Turk and Greek never can agree and understand each other so might just as well move each nationality to its own country. If the move was equal to both sides not much could be said but as things stand the Greek gets the worst of the deal especially since the Greek in Turkey prospered while the Turk in Greece has not been nearly as fortunate. Ambassador Childs, the unofficial representative of the United States at the conference, has protested this move on humanitarian grounds. The third point invovlves religion. The Turks demanding that the Greek High Church move out of Constantinople and the Greeks insisting that the Church remain where it is.

The Turks say that they will not consider a compromise on these points. But the conference is still in session and while that lasts there is still hope. However, in the meantime both Greek and Turk are mobilizing there available troops as rapidly as possible.

## France and England Disagree on Reparations

**PREMIER'S CONFERENCE ENDS**

The conference of Premiers of England, France, Belgium and Italy has ended without a compromise with the result that Belgium and Italy supported France. France contended that Germany should pay her reparations as they fell due and England desired to extend the time limit and also reduce the amount of the reparations that Germany should pay. As a result England and France could not agree and both parties admitted that the national interest of each country demanded the steps that they had lain down at the conference.

France is engaged in taking over the Ruhr District in Germany which is probably Germany's richest industrial section. Germany on the other hand is protesting France's invasion claiming that it is a breach of the Versailles Treaty. Apparently Germany does not consider that she had violated the Versailles Treaty by evading it on every possible occasion.

## To Modernize Our Navy

**$6,500,000 ASKED FOR.**

President Harding recently asked Congress to appropriate $6,500,000 so that the Navy can start a program of modernizing our navy. The large battleships are the ones to be gone over and brought up to date, in all thirteen ships. The total outlay that will be required to do this work will amount to about $30,000,000. But as our battleships are behind the time, with the exception of two or three of the newest ones, it is deemed necessary to bring all of our battleships up to date. This is in agreement with the Five Power Treaty and England has already started this work.

Some of our ships will be changed from coal burners to oil burners. The decks will be made bomb proof from the air, and an increase in defensive measures against submarines and mines. Also guns and gun emplacements will be gone over.

As the Five Power Treaty prescribes that the ratio shall be 5-5-3 for England, the United States, and Japan, respectively, it is up to the American Navy to be equal to Great Britain's and Japan should have a Navy of only three-fifths of the power of either the United States or England, but in reality Japan has a navy almost equal to ours while our Navy is considerably below that prescribed by the 5-5-3 ratio. To make the Five Power Treaty a reality each nation concerned must come up to its requirements.

The following is a part of the President's report and which deals with the reports of the Secretary of the Navy:

"This department has heretofore maintained the attitude that it was better, in the interest of efficiency, to construct new capital ships rather than to fully modernize, from time to time, similar but older vessels already in service. The treaty for the limitation of naval armaments,

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## War Secretary Is Encouraged

**MR. WEEKS SAYS OUTLOOK FOR LEGISLATION FOR ARMY IS GOOD.**

Secretary of War John W. Weeks, in a statement to the New York Times of Monday, says that the prospect for favorable legislation for the army during the current year, is good. Mr. Weeks sums the work of the War Department during the past year as follows:

"The opening of the year 1922 found the War Department faced with the double task of completing the transformation of our wartime organization to a peace basis and executing the requirements of the new military policy which was expressed by Congress in the National Defense Act of 1920. The energies of the department have accordingly been occupied, on the one hand with such matters as the disposal of surplus property, war cantonments and camps, the adjustment of war claims, and the reinterment of our fallen soldiers; and on the other with completing the organization and promoting the training of the regular army, pushing both organization and training in the National Guard, beginning the organization of the authorized reserves, and related activities, such as the development of the units of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps and of the citizens' military training camps. The result of the year's activity is that we have practically completed the task of returning to a peace basis, and the initiation of the new policy is well under way and

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## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theaters as follows:

Colored Theater .....6:00 p. m.
Post Theater .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theater.....7:30 p. m.

**Sunday, January 14th.**

"Manslaughter," 10 reels (Thomas Meighan).

"Idle Class," 2 reel comedy (Chas. Chaplain).

**Monday, January 15th.**

"Arabia," 5 reels (Tom Mix).

"Touring," 1 reel comedy (Mutt and Jeff).

Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, January 16th.**

"Molly O," 8 reels (Mabel Normand).

"The Agent," 2 reel comedy (Larry Seamon).

**Wednesday, January 17th.**

"The Wolf Pack," 5 reels (Moore and Sedgewick).

"Leather Pushers," 2 reels.

**Thursday, January 18th.**

"Above All Law," 8 reels (Special Cast).

Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, January 19th.**

"Infamous Miss Revell," 5 reels (Alice Lake).

Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday, January 20th.**

"Double O," 5 reels (Jack Hoxie).

"For Land's Sake," 2 reel comedy (Mermaid).

# History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 16.)

The importance of the work of the 7th Engineers to the success of the operations of the 5th Division is evidenced by the following Brigade report, Division and Corps order, and by Major General H. E. Ely's letter to Colonel Paules, commanding 7th Engineers.

BRIGADIER GENERAL PAUL B. MALONE, commanding the 10th Infantry Brigade, in his report of November 15th, covering the crossing of the Meuse, says:

"These things could not have occurred if it had not been for the perfect co-operation of all arms. It was Captain Beyer, 7th Engineers, who laid down the footbridge in the face of deadly fire; Captain McAdams who put across the pontoons and who, though wounded, stuck to his post and refused evacuation. Thruout the operations of the Engineers working under the personal direction of Colonel Paules, Lieut. Colonel Morton, Major Hoge and their subordinates, rendered invaluable service without which our passage of the Meuse would have been impossible."

General Orders No. 41, Third Army Corps, 1918, is quoted below:

**Headquarters Third Army Corps.**
American Expeditionary Forces.
France, November 9th, 1918.

General Orders—No. 41.

The Corps commander desires to make of record the gallant conduct of the Fifth Division from November 1st to 5th, in forcing against the enemy in position, a crossing of the River Meuse near Dun and near Brieulles, building bridges and swimming the river in the face of machine gun and artillery fire and in advancing some eight kilometers in the enemy's territory to the vicinity of Brandeville. This action not only uncovered the left flank of the 17th French Corps and enabled that Corps to advance, but broke the line of resistance of the German Army and, by turning its position on the east bank of the Meuse, compelled its withdrawal.

J. L. HINES,
Major General, U. S. A.

Official:
David O'Keefe, Adjutant General.

General Orders, 73, Fifth Division, 1918, is as follows:

**Headquarters Fifth Division.**
American Expeditionary Forces.
France, November 11th, 1918.

General Orders—No. 73.

1. It is with pride and pleasure that the Division Commander calls the attention of the division to G. O. 41, 3rd Corps, of November 9th, 1918, wherein the Corps Commander cites the Fifth Division for "Forcing, against the enemy in position, a crossing of the River Meuse near Dun and near Brieulles, building bridges and swimming the river in the face of machine gun and artillery fire and advancing some nine kilometers in the enemy's territory to the vicinity of Brandeville. This action not only uncovered the left flank of the Fifteenth French Corps and enabled that corps to advance, but broke the line of resistance of the German Army, and, by turning its position on the east bank of the Meuse, compelled its withdrawal;" and a letter of November 11th, 1918, from the Chief of Staff, 1st Army, A. E. F., to the Commanding General, 3rd Corps, A. E. F., wherein he states: "The Army Commander has noticed with great pleasure and appreciation the excellent work of your corps in crossing the Meuse River, and clearing the heights to the east of the town of Dun-sur-Meuse. He appreciates fully the difficulties involved in this problem and therefore realizes that the results attained reflect great credit on your corps and the divisions included therein."

2. The 5th Division alone forced the crossing and established the bridge-head. It was afterwards joined for a few days by a regiment of the 32nd Division. For two days and nights the division held a front of twenty kilometers against the enemy on its front and both flanks. Not content with this, it went out of its sector on the north and took the town of Mouzay and turned it over to the 90th Division. On the south, it went out of its sector and took Vilosnes, enabling the French Division on its right to cross the river.

3. In the thirty days preceding the armistice, the division was seriously engaged under shell, rifle and machine gun fire twenty-seven days. In the past two weeks, no day has passed that some town, wood, or hill has not been wrested from the enemy. In succession, the following were captured: Bois-des-Rappes, Aincreville, Bois - de - Babiemont, Clery-le-Grand, Clery-le-Petit, Brieulles, Deulcen, Dun-sur-Meuse, Liny, range of hills east of the Meuse forming the bridgehead, Vilosnes, Milly, Lion, Murvaux, Fontaines, Chateau Charmeis, Mouzay, Brandeville, Foret-de-Woevre, Jametz, Remeiville, Louppy. A penetration of twenty-one kilometers into the enemy's line was made, wresting from him one hundred and ninety square kilometers of territory, and on announcement of the armistice, the division had a front of thirteen kilometers, being five kilometers in advance of troops on its left and two kilometers beyond troops on its right.

4. Thirty-seven cannon, four hundred and sixty-one machine guns, and over nine hundred prisoners were captured. However, what the Division Commander wishes most to congratulate the Division upon is its untiring, uncomplaining tenacity of purpose in its constant driving at the enemy in spite of fatigue and shortage of rations being wet from swimming the river and canal or wading the swamp of the Foret-de-Woevre. This is a brilliant example of what the American soldier can do in an emergency when he must go on to the utmost extent of his power. The Division Commander is proud of the work of the Division. No division could have accomplished more, and every member of the command should be proud to belong to a division which has so brilliantly ended its record in the greatest war the world has known.

H. E. ELY,
Major General, U. S. A.
Commanding.

The Division Commander, Major General Hansen E. Ely, under date of November 17th, wrote to the Regimental Commander as follows:

"The Division Commander has noted with great satisfaction the gallant and soldierly conduct of the 7th Engineers during the recent operations of this division. The bridging of the Meuse River and canal near Dun and Brieulles under severe artillery and machine gun fire was an act of bravery and devotion to duty of which the regiment may justly be proud. The indefatigable energy and fortitude displayed in all work assigned to the regiment will ever be a shining mark in its own annals and those of the division. It is indeed fortuitous that a regiment so ably commanded has formed a part of this division during this greatest war in history."

Later on—May 5th—the following Divisional General Order was issued:

**Headquarters Fifth Division.**
American Expeditionary Forces.
A. P. O. 745.
May 5th, 1919.

General Orders—No. 11.

The Division Commander takes great pleasure in publishing the following letter from the Commander-in-Chief:

**American Expeditionary Forces.**
France, April 20, 1919.

Office of the Commander-in-Chief.
Major General Hansen E. Ely,
Commanding 5th Division,
American Ex. F.

My dear General Ely:

It is the pleasant duty for me to congratulate you and through you the officers and men of the 5th Division on the inspection and review held at Esch on April 30th. The smart appearance of all ranks as well as the fine shape in which I found your horse transport are signs of the high morale which permeates your Division and the individual pride which each man takes in your splendid fighting record.

Arriving in England towards the end of April, 1918, it was sent at once to the area near Bar-sur-Aube for its regular training ccurse. After one month it was hurried into the quiet Anould sector on the Vosges front, where it continued its training until the middle of July. The Commanding General of the Division at that time took command of the St. Die sector on the same front. Towards the end of August the Division joined the 1st Army and September 11th played its part in the successful St. Mihiel offensive. The attack was continued until September 14th, during which time severe fighting was had in the Bois-de-Bonvaux and the Bois-de-Grand Fontaine, which will always be names to be remembered by the Division. Relieved from the line on September 16th, after a total advance of about 7 kilometers, the Division rested until October 12th, when it was thrown into the Meuse-Argonne offensive. It remained in this attack for ten days under constant machine gun and heavy artillery fire from the eastern heights of the Meuse, capturing the ois-de-la-Pultiere and the Bois-de-Rappes. On October 23rd the Division was relieved from the battle. Four days later it returned to the attack, remaining in the battle until the cessation of hostilities on November 11th. During this time it captured among other places, Aincreville, Mouzay, and Vilosnes, advancing 21 kilometers into the enemy's line. **The feat of arms, however, which marks especially the Division's ability as a fighting unit, was the crossing of the Meuse River and the establishment of a bridgehead on the eastern bank. This operation was one of the most brilliant military feats in the history of the American Army in France.**

Since the Armistice the Division has formed a portion of the Army of Occupation, and in its conduct under difficult conditions there, I take especial pride. Every man can rest assured of the gratitude of the American people for his share in the final victory, of my appreciation of his achievements and of the deep interest which I shall take in the future of all ranks.

Sincerely yours,
JOHN J. PERSHING.

By command of Major General Ely:
C. A. Trott, Chief of Staff.

Official:
David P. Wood, Colonel, Inf.,
Division Adjutant.

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

With the season of expectancy and extreme generosity at an end, we are about to turn to the new year, 1923. As we do this the officers and men of the Battalion ask: What has the new year in store for us? That question of course can only be answered by its members individually. It is up to you by your loyalty to see that the coming year not only measures up with the past, but continues on to greater efforts. The resolution then to make this work, for the coming year, as regards your Battalion is to soldier at all times. No hardship is planned on any member, not only do as you are told, but try and do a little more. Attend all special attractions arranged for you, such as entertainments, athletic games, etc., and in every way be a party to one of the first lessons—Unity.

Cpl. Patterson is in seclusion these days, but when he comes forth he hopes to publish a book entitled "Black Jack," and how it is played. Never mind, Corporal, if you do not succeed the first time try again.

If Ponce de Leon was in our midst today and could see the sprightly steps of Capt. Higgins and Lt. Brotherson performing at their weekly play on the Volley Ball Court, it is a certainty that his chase for the "Fountain of Youth" would end.

Have you seen the basketball schedule? Three games a week, all games will be played in the Camp Gymnasium. Lt. Adams, Battalion Athletic Officer, states that the league will be the strongest in camp. Rooters and boosters are especially invited. Admittance free.

Sgt. Boone says the best way to study the American language is to drive past a traffic cop when he has given you the stop signal. Ain't it the truth?

Several of our members went hunting over the holidays. We're glad it was not fishing, so they can't give us any fish stories. Seeing is believing.

The editor received word unofficially that the finance committee completed their audit of the log hut books, and the financial report for the fiscal year was indeed an enviable one. In other words, we are sitting pretty. Of course this does not mean that we are going to rest on our laurels, for we must make the log hut the most attractive day room in camp.

Where are all the hand ball players? We have one of the best courts in the state, yet it has been idle for over three weeks. Hand ball is no doubt the best nerve and tissue builder of allsports. It is one of those wonderful games in which every moment means another thrill. Sgt. Hicks claims the championship, but is willing to defend his title against all comers.

Under the able directorship of Prof. Dennis, our chorus for the next entertainment is developing in fine shape. The strains of the catchy airs are heard two or three evenings a week during rehearsals at the log hut. A prettier, more capable chorus never graced the stage at a Ziegfield Folly or an Annual Review. The star comedians, dancers and singers are fast coming to the front and everything points to a production that will be the envy of the professional stage, when put on in the log hut later in the month.

The editor has been asked if it is necessary to have a glass of water on the table when Sgt. Mason does his stuff.

Ex-Sgt. Colley was seen in our area last Saturday. Colley gets lonesome for our village once in a while, so he has to come back and see the folks.

Herbert shakes a meaner pair of feet than any other cake eater in the Battalion. He gave the girls a treat last Saturday at the snuff-chewers' ball. Yes, he went there alone, but he wasn't singing "All By Myself" coming home. She was the cutest, classiest and prettiest blonde that has so far entered said ball room.

Have you noticed the addition to the M. P. Squad downtown? Cpl. Bridges is showing them the way across the street and bawling out offenders like an old timer. We saw him last week. You had better work fast if your motor goes dead on his beat. All joking aside, he makes a fine appearance and is a fit addition to the Detachment.

Yancy, who has been sick in the hospital for the past several weeks, appeared in the Battalion area the other day with a so-called mustache. Opinion differs in the subject of the mustache, some think it is a football bet, some think he wears it to keep warm in the winter, and others—quite a number—agree that he didn't have the price of a complete shave. We concur in the last opinion.

Company "C" won their first basketball game of the season from Headquarters Company, 22 to 11. Lt. Barrick and Severson starred for "C" Company, while Lt. Searcy and Grantham were Headquarters' best.

We had something to fill this inch and a half, too, but it met with hard and severe censorship, so stuff is off. The editor thought it was very complimentary, but——?

In the first inter-company basketball game, Company "B" defeated Company "A" by the score of 28 to 2. The game was fast and clean throughout, only one foul being called. Mabry, Swantic and Stasko featured for the winners, Mabry leading the scoring by six fields. Stasko was a close second with five, and Swantic scored three.

A certain Sergeant had better beware of a gray auto when he visits the city again. How about it, Maurice?

Not wishing to knock the Post Theater, but the act that was advertised to have played on B. F. Keith's Circuit sure wins the fur-lined bath tub.

The new guard house that is now being built for the Battalion may not be the largest one in the Post, but judging from the length of time it has taken to build it, one can never tell.

Well, we lost two more good men, Sergeants Sullivan and Pallies. The entire company joins in wishing them both the best of luck.

Wonder who will take off "Bow-Wow" Adams, now that Sully has gone.

All that loud rumbling heard around the Battalion Area Saturday and Sunday was not the Drum Corps, but was Company "B" assembling their new wall lockers.

Lost somewhere between Post and City, one petit soldat, on or about Jan. 7th, 1923. He is about 5 ft. and 4 in. in height, weighs about 110 pounds and answers to the name of Bachelder. When last seen he had just finished holding up his right hand and saying, I do. Anyone having any information of him will please get in touch with 1st Sergeant Gardner.

Talk about Mack Sennett bathing beauties, you should see "Red Linsday" in his new basketball togs. The color, which is passionate red, just matches his hair.

Found a new quartette in the company, namely, Sergeants Stone, Hedgecock, Bachelder and Williams, they were singing that old familiar tune, "I got three years to do this in."

"Bugs" DeNapoli is in bad again. How much this month, Nap? Ask Larry, he knows.

Well, Ole Bill is back again. He and Mabry went to Jordan City to church last Sunday night, and by the way that they looked, it sure was some sermon.

The Post Police are looking for the Barney Oldfield who was driving at the scandalous rate of 9 miles per hour and deliberately took the nose dive Tuesday morning near the hospital. Not mentioning any names, but "Nap" had better get some knee pads from "Goof" when he goes for Nap and Head have gone into the motorcycle business. Head breaks them and Nap fixes them. Nap is going to give the Captain a touch this month so he can meet Joe Boruckis' terms for the motorcycle. Look out, Nap, first offense five berries.


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## WAR?

THE CONFERENCE at Lusanne is at a standstill, with Turkey threatening war. The Conference of Premiers is also, speaking in the vernacular, "on the rocks," because the interests of the different nations concerned ran counter to each other.

In the Near East the situation is almost deadlocked. Turkey, backed by Russia, is taking a position of non-compromise and even arrogance and in the meantime she and Greece are mobilizing their troops as fast as possible.

In West Europe the situation is delicate. England and France have come down to bed rock and admitted to each other that they could not agree on the reparation payment of Germany because their national interests are exactly opposite. To France it is exceedingly vital that Germany be made to pay her reparations, for since the war France has spent 40,000,000,000 francs in reconstruction of devastated areas and she still has to spend about twice as much to complete the reconstruction. In the meantime Germany, however, has paid only 4,000,000,000 gold marks or its equivalent. So therefore it is to the interest of France to make Germany pay. England is not in such urgent need of money, and therefore is favorable toward Germany insofar as Germany may have the reparation cut down and also given a longer time to pay. Germany, on the other hand, has done everything in her power to evade payments.

Now the final conference has been held and the different nations divided into two groups, pro-British and pro-French, with France coming out with a majority.

France is marching her troops into the Ruhr District of Germany, which is one of the most valuable industrial sections of Germany. Germany is not at all pleased with France's action and it is not beyond reasonable belief that Germany is going to resist, and if that is the case, the war is started all over again.

What will happen?

Only the future will tell. If Germany, Russia, Turkey and possibly Japan have a Secret Alliance and if they can hold together ten months, we are going to see a war that will make the last World War look like baby play.

Will we enter the war?

While the American people do not want a war it is very probable that we will have to enter it. Why? Simply to preserve our Nationality and our Liberty.

**Summary.**

If Germany fights, which is highly probable, England will have to support France, Italy, Poland, the new Slovak nations and the rest of the Balkan States, all will have to support France to keep their nationality. Present Austria cannot be counted on. The United States will have to support France.

If France is not supported then Germany will do now what she started out to do in 1914, RULE THE WORLD. England would be attacked and defeated as soon as France was out of the way, and when England was out of the way, then the smaller countries that assisted France will be crushed, and then a grand attack will be made on the United States. We fighting all of Europe, a part of Asia, and probably some of the American countries. There will be two reasons for the attack on the United States:

(a) Our wealth.
(b) Revenge.

Our wealth will pay the indebtedness of Europe and Germany figures that if we had not entered the last war she would have won it and be by now ruling the world.

So, therefore, if Germany fights France and is supported by Russia and one of two other powers, it behooves all nations that assisted France in the World War and all other Nations that care to preserve their own nation to come to the assistance of France and that in a HURRY. Why the rush? Well, if Germany and her allies can last until the fall harvest, for there is no doubt that Germany will re-organize Russia, putting her national resources to work and get crops planted this spring and make Russia alone raise sufficient foodstuffs and furnish enough natural resources to supply all of her allies, and causing the most horrible war that man has ever seen. But if Germany and her allies can be crushed before the fall harvest then the war will be short, but that means that all nations friendly to France must get in and get in in a hurry.

But you say the United States will not go to war for France. True, but it's a simple case of looking ahead and fighting Germany and her allies with the help of a part of Europe or fighting Europe alone. Can we fight all of Europe? Well, yes, for a while, but then after a while we would have to submit, acknowledge defeat and PAY TRIBUTE!

Taxes are high now, but what will they amount to if we have to pay TRIBUTE to Germany?

**Conclusion.**

Here is sincerely hoping that war in Europe will be averted, by either foul means or fair, but if it comes, let's get in on the jump and crush Germany and her allies before they have time to organize.

It is said that the Army wants a war. That is far from true. The Army does not want a war because very few people outside of the Army can even realize just what horrors the next war will bring forth, and which no doubt will even exceed our expectation.


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## WAR SECRETARY IS ENCOURAGED

needs only continued support to achieve the purposes of the act.

The Defense Act of 1920 was the result of America's lessons in the World War and offers a solution of the national defense problem which is effective and yet fully in accord with our peaceful democratic ideals. As war-time activities have been concluded the attention given by the department to plans for our future national security has been increased. It has been encouraging to observe the enthusiasm with which the average citizen has co-operated in this work. There are continual fresh indications that a large majority of our citizens approve of this Defense Act, which was enacted after such careful study by Congress and that never again will the public approve of that attitude of rash negligence which characterized our past military policy. In spite of rather stringent economical situation which has faced our country, it is becoming apparent that the average citizen recognizes national defense as a legitimate object for expenditures and that the dangerous legislative cuts into our military establishment which have characterized the past year, are not indicative of a permanent national policy.

"At the opening of the year the regular army had already reached a dangerous point with a total approximate stength of but 13,000 officers and 137,700 enlisted men. Under the pressure of economy this figure has been brought down, at the close of the year, to approximately 12,000 officers and 121,600 enlisted men, which is not much greater than the figure of impotence which was determined by the Allied Powers for Germany. The organization of the National Guard has been correspondingly delayed and the project for the organized reserves handicapped, both by shortage of appropriations and available personnel from the regular army.

"It is to me a considerable encouragement that we ran look ahead into what now seems likely to become a very critical period, with a feeling of assuranre that in this one direction at least, the American people have the intention to support as a continued policy the excellent basic legislation which their representatives have so widely designed."

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# Retirement Bill Favored By Legion

**ENDORSEMENT GIVEN BY CHARLES S. HARRISON POST. SHOW WILL BE PRESENTED HERE. EDDY IS COMMANDER.**

Endorsement of the 25 year army retirement bill with authority given the officers of the post to urge passage of the bill introduced in congress, a decision to present a Legion show at an early date, installation of officials for 1923, appointing of an executive committee and the largest attendance at a business meeting in the history of the local Legion post featured the monthly session of the Charles S. Harrison Post, American Legion, held last night at the Soldiers' Club, 1036 1-2 Broad street. Much interest was manifested in the discussion of securing a home and a committee headed by J. Paul Jones, chairman, and consisting of Legionnaires Woodruff, Richards and Giron was named by Commander M.S. Eddy to study plans and look into the feasibility of securing a home for the Legionnaires.

George C. Woodruff, retiring commander, whose term of office came to a close last night after a year of work which attracted the attention of National Legion officials, was presented with a gold past commander's badge, the presentation for the post being made by J. A. Lynch, first commander the local post. A number of the members had many fine things to say to Mr. Woodruff and the sacrifices he had made for the Legion. A report of the retiring commander will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The officials installed last night include Commander Eddy, Senior Vice-Commander Terrell Hill, Junior Vice-Commander Abe Illges, Historian Walter Lunder and Adjutant J. R. Fitzpatrick. Commander Eddy and the retiring commander made speeches on co-operation, Mr. Woodruff urging the support given him last year be continued for the new commander.

**Army Retirement Bill.**

The army retirement bill, introduced in the lower house of Congress on December 14 by Congressman Fish, New York, is of much interest to all enlisted men. The friends of the soldier maintain that the navy retirement provisions are more liberal and that as a matter of common justice the enlisted man of the army should have something to look forward to and to work toward. The bill of Congressman Fish in no way reduces the retired pay of enlisted men in order to make the 25 year retirement law. Some discussion has arisen as to whether the enlisted men are willing to pay the proposed one per cent. reduction in their monthly pay, but general expressions last night were to the effect that the men were willing to have such deductions.

The local post was instructed to immediately seek support for the passage of the retirement bill, H. R. 13418, this to include telegrams to the Georgia delegation at Washington.

**Big Show Planned.**

The show to be given at as early a date as the Legionnaires can prepare to present a show distinctive in its difference from other shows and in originality is to be handled by a committee headed by Senior Vice-Commander Hill, who will have as committeemen, George C. Woodruff, who was chairman of the committee presenting "Pinafore," Herbert S. Banner and Bill Humes.

The show will include both men and girls and promises to be the snappiest local talent performance ever given at the Springer Opera House.—Columbus Enquirer-Sun.

## Finance Department Notes

The Detachment, Finance Department, has begun the New Year with full determination to make it a banner year for the Finance Department at this Post.

Lieut. W. H. Sutherland, Finance Department, arrived last week to take up his new duties as Assistant Finance Officer and Post Property Auditor. The detachment extends its hearty welcome to Lieut. Sutherland as a member of its personnel.

Sergeant Kenney and wife, accompanied by Sergeants Bennett, Short and Watson, motored to Atlanta to herald the coming of the New Year. Sergeant Kenney says that he certainly had some eats, and that sure made up for the cool ride. Short says that the coffee in Griffin did him more good than all the Atlanta "Joy Water,"—and speaking about Joy Water, Watson certainly made history for Fort Benning in one of Atlanta's leading hostelries, in fact with Watson, Short and Bennett all stopping in this hotel, it was next to impossible to keep any secrets, especially so near the time for new resolutions. All this joy was well earned for the return trip consumed some extra hours, energy, hiring of mules, "jar-heads," etc., and after various mishaps this same bunch landed in Columbus covered with mud, the car minus one wheel and Watson still offers a reward for one shoe, tan, size 14 1-2, that was lost in mud hole No. 3, near Chipley. But through it all it was a good trip, if it's said quick, for all's well that ends well.

Sergeant Dobbie has been absent from the office for several days due to illness in his immediate family.

The ex-president of the Service Club turned over an enormous new leaf on the first. There were many things to be taken into or rather onto this leaf. Not even dancing, playing cards and very little smoking —what's up, Short (? ? ?)

Private Stokes has missed several valuable meals since purchasing for himself a gun. Stokes can be seen each evening taking aim at the Quartermaster Warehouse; says when he gets so he can hit that building he will venture into the woods in search of 'possums.

Zabe Ayers says that Xmas joy, fighting, knives and barrels don't go together. After looking High Pockets over we agree that where there's smoke there must be a little fire.

Yes, Willis just can't help but be in love—he's even getting sticky.

Sergeant Dobbie should be able to partly control his office monologues when Short goes to school, at least it looks that way to the writer. Eh, John?

Orders are coming in for one man to attend the Finance School. Looks like Short is going to learn something after all.

The Finance Detachment can frequently be seen waking up the "Line Organizations," as they are returning from morning's mess with the I. S. D. It is rumored that we are soon to be assigned a Machine Gun Bus to go to and from meals—as it seems to be an impossibility for some of our higher Non-Coms (Sgt. Bennett) to be able to arrive at the Mess Hall in time to secure entrance therein for the early mess. It seems to the writer that the Q. M. C. will soon realize a heavy deficit in their R. & S. account for some of the Finance Detachment are beginning to be very popular as host to that Detachment for breakfast.

Private Miller announces that he is progressing very nicely with the books as he has recently given the Checker Writer permission to date vouchers one month and write checks for same three months later.

The entire detachment is bent with bitter grief as the time draws near for us to lose our proficient Pay Roll, Mileage and Final Statement clerk. He will soon proceed to our Nation's Capitol to pursue a course in Higher Finance. The only consolation we have is, after a period of three months' time we will have the pleasure of welcoming him again into our midst. He takes with him our heartiest wishes for the most successful results from the above mentioned course. The fortunate Corporal is no other than the sole owner of the Famous Fever Glasses (Corp. Short,), Chairman of the Dance Committee, and it is feared that the Service Club No. 1 will have to unearth every means in existence to avail themselves of another such proficient chairman as Corp. Short has proven himself to be.

It is understood that Sergeant Bennett, Chief of the Correspondence Section, and Corporal Short, Chief of the Pay Roll Department, were seen on their way to Columbus last Tuesday night for the sole purpose of attending the Legion meeting and casting their vote on the Twenty-five Year Retirement Bill, but when the facts were brought to light it was found that they had not as yet paid their "1923 Dues," and consequently their vote was not considered. We wonder what the boys do with their earnings? ? ? (Private dancing lessons, eh, Jim?)

## Here You Are, Dancers. All You Married Folks Read This

All married enlisted men and their families are cordially invited to attend a dance to be given by the Infantry School Detachment (W) at 8 p. m., January 20th, 1923, at the Detachment mess hall.

## TO MODERNIZE OUR NAVY.

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which this nation has ratified, definitely stops, for the powers signatory, the construction of new capital ships for many years and therefore imposes on this nation a different policy if our capital ships are to be maintained at a standard of efficiency comparable to that of similar vessels of foreign powers. Careful studies have been made as to the measures to be taken to place this new policy in effect, and this department is now ready to proceed with the modernization of certain capital ships provided funds for the project may be obtained. The program tentatively adopted is necessarily spread over a considerable period. The money requested in this estimate is sufficient to make a beginning on the project and to undertake necessary work on thirteen vessels. That this policy should be inaugurated at the earliest moment is believed by me to be of major and vital importance from the standpoint of efficiency of our national defense. I strongly urge its favorable consideration.

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## 24th Infantry Notes.

### SERVICE COMPANY.

Sgt. Pride Halcott is now on the Auction Block, and is rearing to go. He says that anything under 140 pounds is his choice. Go to it, Pride, we wish you well.

### COMPANY "A."

Sgt. Burley, Old Trigger, is having the best time of his life. The girl is going wild about him. He is the only enlisted man that can go to town and say, "Hello, little girl, come on to papa." Ain't he a treat? But he don't know. Listen, old boy, watch the girls, they will fool you.

Pvt. Orange, the company tailor, is a very fascinating young man. The girls are all wild about him, but when he goes to town he never stays late. Something wrong—can you tell me what it is?

Pvt. Houston has gone to Americus, Ga., in hopes of finding his girl. Sorry, old boy, but must tell you if you want to keep a girl, you must be prompt and always on the job.

Old 98, Pvt. 1st Class Johnson Pearl has found something in Georgia that is making him get about. Thursday evening he waited for a taxi from 12 noon until Reveille. That's something that old 98 don't do, boys, watch him, he is getting loose and you know how he is,—so tell him to watch his step and keep on the right track.

Cpl. Alexander B. is disgusted with the beautiful city of Columbus, Ga. He says the girls don't know their stuff, they can't dance, can't sing, and they don't even know the first art of spooning. I am sorry, Cpl. Alexander takes things so hard but if he follows me, life will be worth while in Ft. Benning. Cheer up, Alex, try again. You may succeed, things change every second.

### COMPANY "D."

"Pick Tom," the sleep admirer, has been sleeping and saving his silver for 13 months. He woke up a few nights ago, got headbent for the city and spent all of his 13 months' savings in 30 minutes. So now he is singing that "He is going back to sleep, and let his silver heap."

Who is the little Corporal that is beginning to dry up here of late? Don't you think his new life is rather teasing? Puff out your jaws, "Pap," you wanted it and you got it, so hold your own.

Grundy! Wake up! You are too old for that. We know you are welcome, but you don't have to carry that old necessary hundred poses every time, do you? We know you are a good sport, but don't be a "Boob."

"Pea Head," the invisible lover, is city struck. Your hats can't be gotten small enough for you now, but if you try your old tricks on Miss ————? then you can't get a hat large enough.

### COMPANY "I."

Sergeant Moore (637), the speed demon, has bought himself some pads as he is as often on the ground as he is on his motorcycle.

SOME PECULIAR FRIENDS.

We often arrive at the conclusion that in our company are some of the most peculiar people in existence. It is so difficult at times to settle on a logical decision as regards osme of those who appear interested in our success and general welfare. Those who claim to be our friends, who pat us on the back and tell us that they admire our performance of duty, our convictions, our punishments, our depos ts and our 6 8 10 and 12, but in many cases will not honor missing Reveille or absent from stable duty, so a hint to the wise is sufficient. This Army is a solemn fact; we are in it; let us understand it, let us think much of its responsibilities, so that we may be guided alright amid its bitters and sweets.

Sergeant Handy (Sweet Sixteen) is trying to join the band. He says he is the only man that knows what to do with the new instrument, and he says the proper name for the carousphone is guano distributor.

VOID.

General Orders, published by Sgt. Russell (poor boy).

1. To take charge of this table and all government chow in view.
2. To walk in the mess hall at double time, keeping always on the alert and observing everything that is in reaching distance, sight or hearing.
3. To report all K. P.'s that don't come by my table.
4. To report all calls from tables more distant from the mess sergeant than my own.

To quit my seat only when appetite has been pleased.

6. To receive, take from and pass on to the K. P. that relieves me all left overs from the mess sergeant, head cook and K. P.'s and members of the chow line only.
7. To talk to no one except about eating.
8. In case of fire or disorder to fill all pockets and my bosom.
9. To allow no one to eat any more than I do.
10. In any case not covered by instructions to eat and explain afterward.
11. To salute all spuds, and all apples and peaches not cased.
12. To be especially watchful at night and during the time watch the mess hall to see that the cooks don't cook nothing without proper donations.

Something we would like to see: Ulont Jenkins (the Chink) use a tooth brush; Sgt. Steger absent from Reveille; Corporal Reeves with his leggins on properly; Joe Lay cook one meal of chicken; Sgt. Moore give a man a square deal; Revere comb his hair; Sgt. Handy stand at attention;the company tailor stay in the shop 1-2 hour; Ambrosia Haskins off the restricted list; Ford Perkins run; hot water in the bath house; Sam Sain eat his own cooking.

### COMPANY "K."

Now that the holidays are over, I want to wish a happy New Year on all. "Let's Go," and make a better record in 1923 than 1922.

Sgt. Garrett and Cpl. Jones, you may start all over again as Xmas has gone, and you can make all the promises of Xmas presents (only to be broken) on or about Dec. 20, 1923. Those kind dn't cost much, providing you use your same strategy of 1922. See?

Sgt. Tolbert (Abe Martin) says that it costs less to make up than to stay up, "with the opposite sex." All right, Jess, you are the doctor.

What ho! we noticed Private Atkinson on his way to Hawk's Pond. What has happened, Pete?

A certain brother was heard talking in his sleep: "Wo-Wo, Mule," and upon being asked what color, replied, "White, of course." Jump, Steady!

Sgt. Belser (Pa Perkins) has bought a new Ford, "and it looks almost like a real car," only they pulled it before it was ripe!

Sgt. McCauley (Happy Hoolagan) might as well take his ponies off the track, "They won't trot," the old boy has gobbled well but lost his strut.

Cpl. and Mrs. Basham have returned to Post after spending the holidays with relatives in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Pvt. McJoseph, our bugler, blew a call last week that even Cpl. Newman hadn't heard, and that's going some. Where did you learn that call, Mac J?—Germany?

### COMPANY "L."

It was on a bright and moony night, the stars were shining bright, on the 24th Infantry parade ground, when there came a dark form across the field. It was tipping lightly, perhaps it was a lover going to tell his sweetheart his love for her, or maybe it was a husband going home to tell his wife his salary had been raised. Oh, but look closer, I say, who was it? I say, who was it? It was 1st Sgt. Julius Jennings looking for his pipe.

There is a certain soldier in "L" Company whom the members have not seen laugh since he has been in the army, until the other day when we met him coming down the road riding a mule without a bridle or saddle, he was laughing and seemed very much at home. Look out, Bennett, the farmers are grieving over you.

We have one soldier in Co. "L" who has more than average sense of horseology, he can tell whether a mule was born in Georgia or Alabama. So all that were interested in it wanted to know how it was done. He says the way he tells is if he was born in Georgia he will bite you, and if he was born in Alabama he will kick you. Go on, Troup, you will soon make good as a horse doctor.

### MILLIONS OF VICTORY MEDALS UNCLAIMED

Less than half of the five million World War fighters have claimed the Victory medal authorized by the Government in recognition of their services overseas and in America, according to the service division of the American Legion.

The Legion is urging that all ex-service men obtain their medals and is also assisting the government through the 11,000 Legion posts to obtain the addresses of thousands of veterans who have applied for the medals and who have since changed their residences. Service officers in the various Legion posts are assisting veterans in obtaining application blanks and in preparing the papers necessary to get the war medals.

Men who served in the army can obtain medals from the following places: Fort Crook, Neb.; Fort Thomas, Ky.; Fort McPherson, Ga.; Fort Bliss, Tex.; 3rd and Olive Sts., St. Louis; Room 270, City Hall, San Francisco; Old Federal building, Detroit; Federal building, Minneapolis; Room 106, Federal building, Los Angeles; Room 201, New Postoffice building, Portland, Ore.; 39 Whitehall St., New York, and at any United States Army Post.

Ex-sailors may obtain their medals at any United States Navy recruiting station or from the Bureau of Navigation at Washington. Nurses are urged to communicate with the Surgeon General, and former field clerks with the Adjutant General of the United States Army, at Washington.

Victory medals may be obtained by all persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the World War, and in case of death, by the person next of kin.

### MISS HANNAH HONORED.

Mrs. J. W. Rumbough and Mrs. J. Wheeler gave a tea and shower on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rumbough, honoring Miss Hannah. The tables were most beautifully appointed. Mrs. J. M. Graham and Mrs. W. O. Smith presided.

### MISS HANNAH ENTERTAINED.

On Saturday, January 13th, Mrs. Frank Milburn and Mrs. Martin are giving a tea dansant from 4 to 6, honoring Miss Hannah. Mrs. Graham and Mrs. McCaskey are to pour.


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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**1st BATTALION HDQ. COMPANY.**

Private Blake of this organization recently returned from a 15 day furlough enjoyably spent with relatives in the great cosmopolitan city of Ogdensburg, New York. Private Blake has displayed an unusual amount of enthusiasm in the poker games since his return, and it is believed that his furlough had a somewhat stimulating effect upon him, although he has the reputation of being a law abiding and sober soldier.

Private Rice, our zoological subject, has ascended to the rank of Specialist 6th Class and declares that he intends to retire from the army. When gazing into Private Rice's ungodly and homely countenance, one at once concedes the truth of the Darwinian theory.

**REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS CO.**

It sure looks as if the Company Basketball Team will, without a doubt, "cop" the "separate unit" championship, for on or about the 8th day of January, 1923, at about 6:20 o'clock p. m., Regimental Headquarters Co. Basketball Team did, wilfully and without exertion, defeat the Howitzer Co. Basketball Team, with a score of 14 to 3. While Hdqrs. team threw 7 field goals and Howitzer Co. threw 3 free goals, this is the appreciation of the company and company commander.

Horseshoer Parvin just received an invitation from the Post dentist. Wonder if "Windy" has made arrangements with the mess sergeant to serve him soup or mush.

Corporal Dunnaway goes to Columbus, Ga., three times a week. That's strange, and "Spike" is a "short timer" too. Maybe a house can be found in the Married Men's area.

There are five reasons why men outside of the company want to transfer to it. WHY?

Corporal went on furlough Jan. 3, 1923, to the "cold parts" of Michigan.

Sergeant Edward Deavers has departed on an emergency furlough on account of sickness in his family. The company extends its heartfelt sympathy, and is wishing for the best.

**COMPANY "A."**

As we all know the 1st Battalion Headquarters Co. stacks up as a favorite over Co. "A" among the cage fans. Tuesday Headquarters Company was handed an unexpected wallop to the tune of 17-6 by this organization. Rivadeneira played a fine guarding game, also Daniels performed his duties at guard like an "old timer." Hampsher annexed 13 of the 17 points at forward, Walker also played a fine game at forward.

There have been several promotions in this organization. Pvts. Major, Rivadeneira, Brewer, Griffiths, Neimeyer and Tiekalak have received the coveted "Single track." Here's hoping they can keep them.

**COMPANY "B."**

Sgt. Humphrey has at last purchased himself a flivver and now he says that he is going to step out. Look out, ladies.

The football players have at last turned their attention to duty but it seems that we are going to lose them again as they all have taken up Soccer ball and if they play Soccer ball like they played football, you can say that there is going to be another championship team.

Cpl. Klein, Cpl. Moen, Cpl. Mintz, and Cpl. Willingham have at last attained the rank of Sergeant, and they all state that they are going to retire. Pvt. Fugate and Pvt. Kruske have been appointed Corporals.

**COMPANY "C."**

Everything is going fine in the company. We are all bucking to make this the best company in the regiment. The company has been getting good percentage on inspections. Mess Sgt. Foster started the ball rolling by 100 percent on the Mess Hall.

Cpl. Luce, who made highest score in riflemanship last year, was a member of this company. We all extend congratulations to Cpl. Luce. Here's hoping some member of the company wins the highest score this year.

Pvts. Coppock and Johnson heard the call back to the farm, and left without announcing their departure. Somebody said Pvt. Coppock had a wonderful pair of eyes, if anybody else could see through them they could see a pair of plow handles, so it must be true.

**COMPANY "D."**

This organization is well on its way to win the basketball championship of the 1st Battalion. On December 28, in the initial game of the season, Company "D" vanquished Company "B" by the overwhelming score of 50 to 10. In the second game against Company "C" this company easily won by the score of 23 to 15. Company "D" has only Company "A" and Headquarters Company to defeat to win the championship. There is no doubt about defeating Company "A," but it is feared the battalion headquarters company has a very strong team and there is much doubt as to the outcome of this game. 2nd Lieut. J. B. Madaris, who is coaching Company "D," has also been selected to coach the championship battalion which will enter the Post series.

1st Lieut. Charles F. Hudson has returned from 10 day leave and again resumed command of the first platoon. While on leave it was bruited about the organization that Lieut. Hudson had gone and committed matrimony. However, as he appears to be quite normal, attending strictly to his duties, especially remaining with the organization from very early in the morning until nightfall every day—the report of his marriage is regarded as greatly exaggerated.

Corporal H. L. Groves, the affable and genial company clerk, has returned from a 30 day furlough spent at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. Corporal Groves reports an excellent season at this famous resort and that practically all the millionaires with whom he played golf were very optimistic as to the future prosperity of the country.

Several members of this organization are anxiously awaiting the results of Captain Pilkington's recommendations for their promotion. If the recommendations go through several of the corporals will become sergeants, and some acting corporals will achieve their chevron. ---- .....

Corporal Willard, the company mess sergeant, known by several names, but particularly as "the law," announces he has reformed. The corporal has been recommended for promotion to sergeant and the shadow of coming additional dignity has considerably sobered this young man. In fact he announces he will remain sober until next Christmas.

**COMPANY "E."**

"Dad" Singleterry has a new card game now. He went to town last Saturday and got a cribbage board. Now he is teaching the boys the game. We are glad to see him get his stripes again, too, and hope he gets another in the near future.

Bucking days are over. Eleven new corporals were made yesterday, which is quite a few, even in this day and time. We are waiting to see how they make it. The lucky, or unlucky men, according to how you look at it, are: Corporals Singleterry, Wiggins, Carpenter, Brown, Bryant, Kozachanko, Hastings, Ognen, Graham, Myers and Clarke. Corporal Pring was appointed Sergeant.

"H" and "E" Companies got tangled up playing basketball last night. The score sounds like a game of pinochle, but everyone claims it was basketball. The score: "H" 30, "E" 47.

Cars are dirt cheap these days. "Tea Hound" Brown and "Snuff Chewer" Bendinelli have purchased an Overland Four, price $80. Brown, why not turn it in to the Supply Sergeant for salvage or to be used for spare parts on the rifles. We refuse to furnish details to push it around the parade ground. Too short of men.

How come, Garcia? What we want to know is, how long are you going to claim you have a sore knee. It isn't sore, just an excuse, isn't that right, Garcia?

That was a fine sign you had the other day, Dadawick, but no one could read it except yourself. All we could make out was: By order of the Company Commander. But what did he order, Dadawick?

Last week dealt "E" Company an awful blow. Our famous comedian, Pvt. Riccardi, was transferred to "H" Company. Now the only thing that will be able to catch his jokes will be those things with the long ears. He said the other day he was a mechanic. They let him wash the gun carts, I guess.

Barber Russo must have a girl in town. He is a very good barber when broke, but when wealth flocks to his door—good night!

Wanted—One reporter. Apply to Sgt. Julius. Wages?

**COMPANY "F."**

Our Platoon Sergeant, Penfound, is visiting Columbus, Ga., quite often. Is it possible that you have matrimonial intentions?

Since our latest Victrola records arrived, we have several would-be dancers. Acting Private Perry sure shakes a mean hoof.

One more man for duty. Private First Class Jones recently discharged from the hospital. Welcome to the company, Archie.

Our famous fish, Private Leonard, is some pool shark. Keep it up, Wayne, by the time your enlistment expires you will have learned to hold the cue properly at least.

Private Freniere wants to know why the 1st Sergeant carries his pencil and paper with him when he comes out to Reveille in the morning. Ask Corp. Heller, he knows.

Here is the lineup for our baseball team for the 1923 season: Privates Solis, Szurkus, Panowski, F. Droun, Leonard, Otalvaro, Soeghian, Hayes, Hines. We have an all-American team this year, managed by Sgt. Vester Jones.

A certain company in the 1st Battalion recently boasted of not having any men in confinement. Why should you, when they are transferred to the 2nd Battalion?

Improvements in our Recreation Room will be announced from time to time for the benefit of the many visitors who always visit the old outfit. Our latest acquisition: New Victrola.

We have a second "Vernon Castle" by the name of Private Briggs.

Our room orderly, Pvt. White, must have an awful roll. He hasn't visited Columbus, Ga., or elsewhere in over twenty months. What is the reason, "Erbert?"

Cpl. Offerman and Private Price would like a little information in regards to the old Army. Cpl. Offerman, in his argument last evening, was right, the world was wrong.

Every time Cpl. Sutton finishes a guard we have to listen to what happened during his tour of guard. He would have us to believe that these are "Wild and Wooly Days."

Our dream boy, Cpl. Rick, is a sure enough "Rodolph Valentino." He admits that he came in the Army with a straw hat, with ear muffs, a violin case on one foot and a gum boot on the other.

Famous Sayings by Famous Men.

Mancusc—How's the fire, Metz?

Trogden—Let's get going on the floor.

Philips—Too early to start to work.

Lupica—(Thirty-one days in the month.) Gimme a butt.

Millard—I'm gonna transfer.

Cartwright—(Five minutes after mail call) Got any for me?

Stotts—Got anything for your Uncle Fudge?

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# 29th Infantry News Notes

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Cpl. Warner—Stew Gootz.

Cpl. Offerman—Let's get a U-Drive-It.

Pvt. Briggs—Got two bits? I wanna go to the Snuff Dippers.

Pvt. Leonard—That game's on me.

Pvt. Capps—Spot me 25 on 50. (Always looking for a "Gravy Train.")

29 INF—CO. F—Continued .....

Pvt. Szurkus—Giff for me one cigarette.

Pvt. Young—I'll shoot you a game.

Sgt. Stephenson—Say, feller\, did you see that shot I just made?

I take pleasure in introducing to you our new pitcher for our 1923 baseball team, Private Jancek. He is trying to figure out when he will have time enough to start his spring training.

Rank certainly does make a change in some people. Philips is Spec. 6th Class now; he doesn't fail to let everyone know it.

Three new corporals in the company. There is plenty of wailing and gnashing of teeth among several of the privates, which is no more than natural.

Cpl. Paxton said he is going to re-enlist. He didn't state what the reason was. But there is a certain blonde girl in Columbus, Ga., perhaps that is the reason.

### COMPANY "G."

The following news items are submitted from this organization for publication in the Fort Benning News:

In a clean fought game at the 29th Infantry Gym, 2nd Bn., Hqrs. Co. went down in defeat to Co. "G's" well built team of basketeers. The final score was 45 to 7, in favor of Co. "G." Each man on the team displayed ability and each and every player played his part. Kjelstrom led in the scoring, tossing a total of 21 points.

We are all glad to see Lt. Cooey's The always present cigar that goes with that face is welcome, too.

All soldiers about to be tried by court martial, see Cpl. Kelly and obtain necessary instructions for being your own defense counsel.

We all hear fellows in the different outfits complaining about the camp and the "Electric City." Some of us in Co. "G" do, but we are like Pollyanna, the little lame girl, who always had something to be thankful for. We are thankful that we are in Co. "G" and in the 2nd Battalion, at least.

Sgt. Hi Davis, alias Daniel Boone II, returned from a hunting trip Saturday afternoon with three quail. How much did they set you back, Hi?

Lt. Privett returned from a two month leave during which time he visited Missouri, via the auto route. He spent a few days on his return trip in Alabama. We are glad to have him back with us and believe that he is glad to be back, too.

Our tailor has run out of thread since the new non-coms were appointed in the company.

Pvt. Cusumamo is still wondering why he wasn't included in the ones that were called upon to be examined for corporals.

There have been a few changes in the "bars" in this company, but Capt. Sims is still Captain to us.

The duty platoon of Co. "G" is now experimenting with some of Sgt. Hallisey's new drill regulations. A few of the new ones are: "Backward march, squads right by the right flank, March. Rear rank right front into line, March. Squads right about, DO IT."

### COMPANY "H."

Our basketeers suffered their first defeat last Tuesday. They lost to "E" Co., by the score of 47 to 30. "E" Company ran away with the first half of the game, gaining a lead that could not be overcome by our team, although in the second half they showed some of their original dash and form. Brady was the outstanding star in the game, while Parris, Daniel and Slaght ably assisted after they got a footing. Lack of practice was the leading cause for the loss of the game. The team came gamely on to the court without a day's practice since the last game. It was a clean game all through, with only one foul being called, and that against our team.

The material for our recreation room is arriving at last. Work will soon be started on it and then we will be able to boast of a good recreation room.

We wonder how some men can go down town on four bits, have a good time, and when they cme back still have money. How do you do it, Cody?

How is it that these men that still have nine or ten months to do claim they are short timers?

We now have with us Johnnie Helms, the famous Knuckle Duster. We're all backing you, Johnnie, the next time you get matched.

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.

It don't take no process of synthesis to figure out how Company "G" took first place in the struggle (?) with our "quint" last Tuesday evening. The score of 45 to 7 is plain enough.

Speaking about quints when referring to a basketball team is a common and unquestionable usage, why can't we casually say "quart" for quartet without arousing suspicion, hey? Anyway, Corporal Hopkinson confidentially announces that as soon as certain parties can get together, a quart,—I mean quartet—will be formed which will beat any combination the past has seen.

Privates Henderson, Jones and Lewis were discharged last week and they all went back to Florida for the winter, not to Palm Beach, of course, as you might be led to think. Henderson and Lewis to the farm, and Jones to the lumber camps. Back to nature and hard work in spite of that song, "How you gonna keep 'em down on the farm, after they've seen Columbus, Georgia."

It's kinda hard for the Company Reporter to ease his conscience these days for it seems that everybody tries to keep all news to themselves, and he has a hard time assuring himself that he isn't loafing on the job. If any member of this company has a bit of news, something he thinks should be published, please whisper into my ever-ready ear and oblige yours truly. The reputation of this paper will be ruined if I am forced to invent the material.

Something else new. Corporal Davis has been recommended for promotion to Sergeant. Congrats.

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# History of the 29th Infantry

**Article 16.**
**1916.**

Co. "A" was in the field from Jan. 26 to the 31st, opening trails at Canea Saddles, Republic of Panama.

Co. "H" was doing the same in the vicinity of Santa Rita mountain from Jan. 18 to 29. The camp established by Co. "H" was named Camp Frank Young, in memory of the late 1st Sergeant of the Company, who died at Plattsburg during the maneuvers of 1914.

Co. "E" relieved Co. "H." The new camp of Co. "E" was known as Camp Comfort.

Co. "B" was in the field from Jan. 27 to Feb. 4, camped in the vicinity of Chagres River, Republic of Panama, improving trails.

Co. "C" was doing the same work in the vicinity of Santa Rita mountain from Jan. 19 to 28.

Co. "D" was in the field from Jan. 10 to 17 opening trails from Mount Hope to Las Minas, C. Z.

Co. "I" was in the field from Feb. 5 to 17 in the vicinity of Gatun engaged in reconnoissance work.

Co. "A" did temporary duty at Corozal from Feb. 14 to 29.

On Feb. 1st one officer and thirty enlisted men of Co. "D" left the Post at Gatun at 7:30 a. m., by boat, and proceeded to Cayuco, C. Z., and established a camp near Signal Hill and opened and improved the Mount Hope-Monte Lirio-Signal trail. Returned to station on Feb. 10th.

Co. "F" was in the field in the vicinity of Santa Rita mountain opening and improving trails from Feb. 10 to 23, at Camp Comfort.

Co. "G" left Camp Gaillard for the field on Feb. 22 for reconnoissance work in the neighborhood of Santa Rita Mt. Returned to station March 4th.

Co. "I" was in the field from Feb. 5 to 17 near Gatun, C. Z., on reconnoissance work.

Co. "L" left Camp Gaillard for duty at Provost Guard Camp, Quarry Heights, Feb. 15. Returned to Camp Gaillard Aug. 1st.

Co. "M" was in the field near Gatun, on the Pina Trail from Feb. 17 to 29, opening and improving trails.

On March the 6th Headquarters, Mounted Orderlies, Machine Gun Co. and a Provisional Battalion composed of Companies E, F, G, I and M proceeded by rail to Panama City, R. de P., and participated in a parade held in that city in connection with the inauguration of the President of the Republic. The parade was reviewed by President Porras from the Presendencia.

March 21 Co. "A" left Camp Gaillard for field service and did reconnaissance work in the vicinity of Cateval, R. P.

Co. "B" was in the field from March 6 to 17 and from the 27th to 31st on the Chagres River performing trail work.

Co. "C" was in the field on Santa Rita Mt. trail from March 2 to 10 and from the 26th to 31st, improving trails.

Co. "D" was in field from March 13 to 24 on reconnoissance duty on Mount Hope-Santa Rita Trail.

Co. "E" left Camp Gaillard March 14 for Camp Comfort, R. P., for reconnoissance work. Returned the 23rd.

Co. "F" was engaged in field training in the vicinity of Santa Rita Mt., R. P., from March 23 to April 1, on Las Minas Bay.

Co. "H" left Camp Gaillard for field service in vicinity of Santa Rita. Returned March 14.

Co. "I" was on field service near Gatun Lake, C. Z., from March 14 to 28.

Co. "K" left Camp Gaillard March 3 for field service at Pina near Gatun Lake. Returned March 15th.

Co. "M" was on field service in camp near Rio del Media, R. de P., from March 29 to April 10th.

Record of 1916 continued next week.

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It has been indicated that Congress will be asked to modify the existing act so as to give the American Debt Commission more liberty and thereby make the best arrangement possible with the debtor nations, subject, of course, to final congressional approval.

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### MISS MARGARET KENT ENTERTAINS MISS MARION HANNAH.

On Friday evening Miss Margaret Kent entertained Miss Marion Hannah at a buffet supper. Miss Hannah is to be married to Lieut. Reynolds J. Burt, on January 17th.

The table decorations were white carnations and white waxen tapers in silver holders, shaded with red.

Mrs. J. W. Barnes and Mrs. W. O. Smith poured.

Those present were:

Miss Marion Hannah, Miss Kathleen Graham, Miss Margaret Kent, Major and Mrs. Rumbough, Major and Mrs. Wheeler, Captain and Mrs. Watson, Captain and Mrs. Evans, Captain Chapman, Captain Allen, Captain Stullken, Lieutenant Reynolds, J. Burt, Jr., Lieutenant Porter, Lieutenant Nichols, Lieutenant George Honnen, Lieut. Craig, Lieut. Curren.

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### MRS. FRED W. BUGBEE ENTERTAINS.

On New Year's evening, Mrs. Fred W. Bugbee, wife of Colonel Bugbee, entertained the members of the 31st Infantry, of which Col. Bugbee was previously in command, at a pretty party, which was in the nature of a surprise to the Colonel.

The table was artistically decorated in poinsettias and holiday suggestions. Toasts were made to Col. Bugbee by members of the regiment and also to his wife, who had so ably assisted him in his work when he was commander.

About thirty members of the 31st Infantry were present.

Col. and Mrs. Noble Wiley and Col. and Mrs. McCaskey, who are not members of the 31st, were also present and were made most welcome by the assembled company.

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### FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB GIVES FIRST JANUARY PARTY

At the Officers' Hop Room on Thursday afternoon, January 4th, the Fort Benning Bridge Club gave their first January party.

The hostesses were Mrs. John T. Dinsmore, Mrs. J. R. Dinsmore, Mrs. Dibrell, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. T. W. Beebe.

The prizes were won as follows: First prize, Mrs. Turner, silver fruit dish; second prize, Mrs. Schoeffel, iridescent vase; consolation, Mrs. Howell.

At the conclusion of the game a dainty salad, sandwiches and tea were served.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, January 18, and the hostesses are to be Mrs. D. C. Campbell, Mrs. J. Chase, Mrs. John Elkins, Mrs. Duval and Mrs. George S. Clark.

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### MAJOR AND MRS. LOUGH HOSTS AT DINNER.

On Friday evening, Major and Mrs. Maxon S. Lough entertained at a beautiful dinner, at their home, 1601 Seventeenth street.

The central decoration was a French basket holding handsome corsages of rosebuds, valley lilies, etc., which afterwards were presented to the ladies. Yellow candles in silver holders and nuts and bon bons in silver dishes were placed at intervals.

Covers were placed for twelve:

Col. and Mrs. McCaskey, Major and Mrs. Elliott, Major and Mrs. Gunner, Major and Mrs. Paschal, Mrs. Maury, Major Waite, Major and Mrs. Lough.

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### CURRENT EVENT CLUB MEETS.

On last Monday afternoon at 2:00 p. m., the Current Event Club met at the home of Mrs. John W. Elkins.

Mrs. Reeve Turner gave a talk on "Conditions Existing in Europe at the Beginning of 1923," Mrs. Hahn gave a talk on "Domestic Current Events," Mrs. Cole gave a short talk on "Women's Progress and Activity end of the program the hostess served delightful refreshments, and all present enjoyed a delightful afternoon.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hahn on January 22nd, 1923. Mrs. Dibrell, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Rycroft and Mrs. Brandhorst will deliver short talks.

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### 15th TANKS BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. H. W. Barrick and Mrs. J. Harris entertained the 15th Tanks Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. Barrick on Wednesday evening. There were five tables in play, each table progressing upon completing a frame.

Lieut. Carl Hanson won the gentlemen's prize and Mrs. Frank Searcy won the ladies' prize.

As a conclusion to the evening's program the hostesses served a delightful salad course.

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### 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. E. C. Callahan entertained the 24th Infantry Bridge Club at her home in Block 23 on last Tuesday afternoon. Three tables were in play, each table progressing upon completing a frame. There were also three tea guests present.

Mrs. Murphy won the first prize, Mrs. Buracker won the second prize, and Mrs. Nicklin won the cut prize.

After the game the hostess served cake and cocoa with whipped cream for refreshments.

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### 29th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Kovarik entertained the 29th Infantry Bridge Club at five tables of bridge on last Tuesday afternoon. Each table progressed after completing a frame. Mrs. Duval won the first prize, consisting of a lovely mayonnaise bowl; Mrs. Pritchett won the consolation prize.

At the conclusion of the game the hostess served refreshments consisting of salad course, cake and coffee.

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Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey are entertaining as their house guest Mrs. F. S. Dunkle, the mother of Capt. Dunkle of the 1st Cavalry.

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### MISS MILDRED VAN DEMAN ENTERTAINED.

On Thursday from 3:30 to 5:30 Mrs. M. G. Brislawn and Mrs. R. H. Chance gave a tea honoring Miss Mildred Van Deman, sister of Col. Van Deman, at the home of Mrs. Brislawn. The Oriental rugs, furniture and other Far East decorations formed a wonderful background.

Delightful refreshments were served during the period.

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Col. and Mrs. E. G. Peyton have just returned to Fort Benning after accompanying their daughter, Miss Helen Peyton, to Columbus, Miss., where she is attending the Mississippi College for Women.

### ANOTHER MAN GLAD THAT HE JOINED THE ARMY

Sgt. Winn recently received a letter from a man that he recruited at Dublin, Ga., a short time ago. It sure makes us feel good to know that the recruits coming in feel well pleased, and we sincerely hope that they will always feel that way about Benning, and at the end of three years when they return home, that they will always keep a soft spot in their heart for the Post and look with pride on the service that they have rendered.

We quote the letter that Sgt. Winn received:

"Fort Benning, Ga.,
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"Sgt. Aaron M. Winn,
"Army Recruiting Station,
"Dublin, Ga.

"Hello there, Sergeant:—

"How many recruits have you gotten since we left Dublin? If you have any more send them on because they can't help but like it. All the recruits that came with me are satisfied here.

"Just thought I would write you a few lines to let you know how well we like the Army. Well, I must say that we like it fine. The recruits drill two to three hours a day except Saturdays and Sundays, under a drill sergeant that knows his business, and all the recruits that came with me will soon be doing a soldier's regular routine of duty, which is a pleasure at this place, and the recruits that came with me say that they wouldn't be back on the outside for five bucks a day. You know that we must be satisfied. Well, Sergeant, to make a long story short, we can honestly say that Fort Benning is one of the nicest and cleanest posts in the United States. It is in a good location, near a good town, and the people in Columbus are just as nice and clever to the soldiers as they can be. I think that it would be a pleasure and a pastime for any young man to spend part of his life in the service and serve his time at Fort Benning, Ga. You don't have to go to town for pleasure or pastime, for we have it at Fort Benning—all kinds of athletics, such as baseball, basket ball, football, billiards, etc., and the Government owns ninety thousand acres of land for the soldiers to hunt and fish on. If you like to hunt squirrels, rabbits, quail, opossum, coon or mink, you can find them at Fort Benning. This is also a desirable place to fish and we also have a fine bathing pool here. My advice to all young men, and especially those who have no trade, would be to enlist and get one free.

"Thanking you for encouraging me to enlist in the Army, I am,

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"John W. Bozeman,
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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

Private Joseph Green, of the Re-Cruit Center, visited the tent of the Mystic Five, New Year's night. After witnessing a few experiments in sleight of hand, he deliberately cut his hat cord in five pieces, and expected the Mystic Five to cause his hat cord to become whole again. When they failed to restore his hat cord together he called them fakers. It's a good thing he did not cut up his breeches.

Joe Bradley, our ex-Sgt. Mechanic, got married Jan. 6, past, and the old outfit has not forgotten Joe of "Athlone and Mother Machree fame," and any time he gets hungry, the boys will welcome him back. The Detachment extends its best wishes to the newly-weds and may the years to come bring joy, peace, prosperity and happiness to Joe and his.

If this balmy weather continues, the champions of the white troops will soon be out tossing the old apple around. Kid McNutt and Old Man Duff will be back in harness again and that means lots of trouble for the 29th, Tanks and whoever happens to be in the league. Let us hope that a real baseball league consisting of the 29th, I. S. D., 24th Inf, 83rd, F. A. Tanks and one other club composed of the remainder of the Post be scheduled for a 80 or 100 game schedule to be divided into halves, and then about October play the Little World's Series, instead of playing it in July, when the baseball season is at its best Of course, the final series will depend on whether or not the same team wins both halves. Also let each outfit have their company ball if they so desire, but what we need is a real league that will furnish some exciting baseball for the men stationed here. Then there will be no yelling to the effect that the I. S. D. and so on were afraid of the 24th Inf. We are all soldiers, so why not a soldier league composed of the best that the Post affords? Let us hear some one else on this question and maybe the powers that be will get together and give us a baseball league that will stand up with any around these parts.

We are all glad to hear that Sgt. Kahler is out of danger in the hospital. For a while he was mighty low and every one was afraid that a good man was "going west."

Master Sergeant Harris was seen around the Detachment after being in the hospital for two months.

The outfit is beginning to make up for many of the recent discharges, and the following have just been assigned: Pvt., Angus Faber, George J. McLeod, William R. Bates, Leslie A. Steinrucken, Everett M. Ferguson, Douglas M. Reichert, Harry T. Strand, Bob Skyfire, Richard Lovell, Fred. Sisk, Louis N. Sibley, James Shelfo, Albert H. Clement, Harold A. Silvers, Dominick Peluso, Floyd E. Glodhill, Claud N. De Sau, Charles R. Gough, James Carroll.

On the Pistol Range."

Lt. Lenow—How are you making out, Sergeant?

Sgt. Courtright—Not very good, Lieutenant, are you going to make it?

Lt. Lenow—Not if I shoot like I did today.

Sgt. Courtright—Better be careful, Lieutenant, cold weather is liable to catch you without a badge.

Did you ever see a man on the range with two guns, a box of ammunition, marking his own target, keeping his own score, and then fail to qualify? Ask "Whitie" Hoffman.

Copass wants to know why "Spud" tried to stand on his head when his pistol snapped.

Sgt. Lyke—Where did that one go? I can't see where it hit.

Sgt. Darby—It hit the paste can.

Sgt. Lyke—More bad ammunition.

Range Sgt.—Who shot up that paste can?

Sgt. Lyke—I don't know. Darby was shooting on that target.

Bilyen (crawling behind Courtright)—Look out, you almost hit my foot that time.

Courtright—Don't worry, I'm going to hit closer this time.

"Garbage" Ellis, one 10, six 3's. I wonder how I ever got that 10 out of the three ring? And he made expert???????

Booth is still wondering why he made a 5 on target L while shooting at the Bobbers.

Goot vun, "Vitie," goot vun, "Spud," total miss.

## Medical Department Notes

Sympathy is expressed for Lieut. Colonel James W. Van Dusen in the loss of his brother at Elyria, Ohio. Ten days extension has been granted the Colonel in addition to his original leave.

Private A. M. Hatcher has been granted ten day extension on furlough, on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Wedding bells have rung merrily in the Medical Detachment the last two weeks, two weddings having occurred, that of Sergeant Herbert W. Oatman and Private Laurence L. Henri. Congratulations, may all your troubles be little ones.

Major T. H. Smith, D. C., has returned for duty after an enjoyable twenty-day leave.

Major H. W. Grady, M. C., has returned for duty after completing an advanced course in X-ray work at the Army Medical School, Washington, D. C.

Captain H. A. Callahan, M. C., has returned from "Bean Town," and reports a most delightful time, especially the trips down the bay on the "King Philip."

Captain C. P. Price, M. C., is on a ten day leave of absence and has been granted a five-day extension. Sympathy is expressed for Captain Price in the loss of his sister at Dallas, Texas.

Corporal C. A. Peters and Private Joe Barrentine left Tuesday morning for Washington with three patients who are to undergo further treatment at Walter Reed General Hospital.

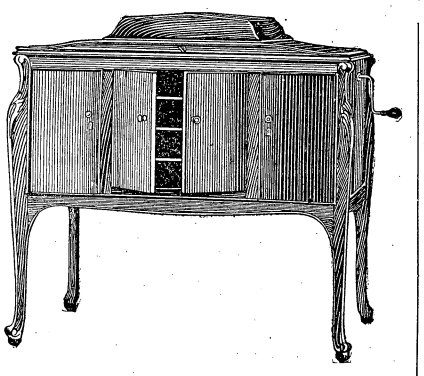
Sergeant James I. Cook had a week-end pass "Somewhere in Georgia." Come on, "Jimmie," and tell us where you went.

The weekly meeting of the Non-Commissioned Club was held Monday, January 8th, at the usual time and meeting place. Chairman P. H. Risley called the meeting to order. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read by Secretary Arthur N. Mager. Something new in the way of entertainment was inaugurated at this meeting. Debate on "Resolved, That the Army be increased above its present strength." The affirmative side of the question was very ably conducted by Sergeant Heatherly and Staff Sergeant Risley. The negative side of the question was handled by Staff Sergeant Rogers and Corporal Moore. Due to the fact that the negative side was not wholly convinced of their own argument, the debate went to the affirmative side. The evening was greatly enjoyed by those present and these debates will continue in the future. The next one should be good, considering the subject, "Resolved, That prohibition is a failure."

Sergeant Lowell D. White is enjoying a three day pass in Atlanta. Sergeant White is accompanied by his wife.

Private John W. Nichols has reenlisted for three years with the Medical Department, and is back on his old job as mail orderly.

The following named men having enlisted for three years are assigned for duty with the Medical Detachment: Privates Carlton Brown and David F. Woodard.

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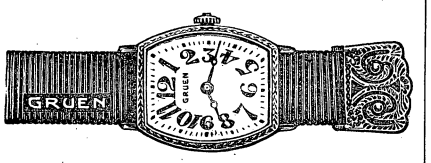


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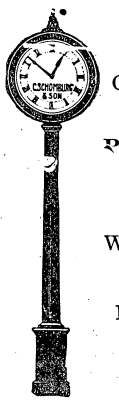

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## National Guard and Reserve Officers Class

(By JAY GEE BEE.)

A great deal of interest is being shown in the game of football that is to be played between the members of the rifle and machine gun sections. The athletes are in hard training and expect to start the game in the well known "pink."

It is a hard job to pick the first string men at this time, for each position on both teams is being fought for by at least a dozen of the best players in the country. At the time of writing there are several well known players of "All American" material working out.

Several of the principal southern cities have already put in bids to stage this memorable contest, which is expected to make history. The officials have not decided where the battle will be fought but it will be awarded to the city which makes the best offer.

Among the players are O'Meara, the fighting Italian, who will play quarterback for the machine gunners. His signals will be in his mother tongue and will be understood only by his team mates, who are taking a course in the language.

For the Riflemen, there is Goldfedder, the giant guard; Van Horn, whose fleetness of foot is expected to gain many yards around the ends; Easley, another speedster, on the other end; Wild Rice, the crashing, tearing, halfback, who can be trusted to remove any spectators from the side lines, and a great many others of like caliber. The betting is about even at this time, although Captain Miller is willing to wager a few francs that the game will never be played.

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If you have dynamite, trojan powder, T. N. T., at your disposal, what will you use?

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Captain Walton says that the proper way to inspect your rifle, when the C. G. is observing, is to take the bolt all the way out and throw it on the ground near your feet. When you are sure that the C. G. is watching, you then step out of ranks and retrieve it.

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It has just been discovered that we have a big game hunter in the ranks of the class. Captain Brown, the Class Proxy, is the man. The captain has a method that is not generally known, for he needs no gun in bringing the vicious animal in. He simply comes out of the door of his quarters and finding Bruin sitting on the door step, he delivers a well placed boot and quickly follows up his advantage. When the bear is prostrate on the ground, the captain pounces on him and dispatches him with his bare hands. Several of his friends are the proud possessors of bear skins as a result of the captain's prowess while his walls are covered with the trophies of the chase. It is said on reliable authority that the captain has killed a great many bears right here on the post.

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In addition to Captain Brown, there is still another hunter of big game. The other night, Lt. Jones, of Virginia, awoke to the sound of a great clatter in his tent. Sitting up, he turned on the lights and found a meeting in progress, attended by several crickets. He was just in time, for one of the smaller crickets was just going out the door with the lieutenant's coat. Picking up a big piece of wood, the lieut. clouted this cricket on the head and stunned him. The others then turned on him and if friends had not been attracted by the lieut.'s cries, it is doubtful how the battle would have ended. Jones says that the crickets in his tent used to be very peaceful, even coming out to sit around his fire, but several nights ago, McGowan carelessly stepped on a cricket's foot, which made them all angry and bloodthirsty. Now, Jones never enters his tent alone for fear of an attack. Since he took bayonet training, he has been better able to hold his own, although the walls of his tent are ripped and torn in a number of places where he has missed his opponent.

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It's me, it's me, it's me, Oh Lord.

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Goldfedder, he was a soldier, but a sword he never drew,
He used to tell me, "Der deuce wid fighting, it's no business for a Jew,
Der butcher, baker and real estater, they are men of great renown,"
When the bugle call would sound, he was nowhere to be found.
Oh, what a fighter was Goldfedder.
(Music upon application.)

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It is with a great deal of reluctance that the writer brings a certain matter to the attention of the class. It is a sad thing that our diry linnen has to be washed in public, but inasmuch as the matters to be discussed here are taking place in public, it may possibly be that it will do a certain amount of good to let the world know that we are taking steps to prevent the recurrence of these indiscretions. The problem under discussion is the seventh squad of the rifle platoon, under command of Corporal Newton.

It appears that there is considerable dissension in the ranks of this particular squad, which is composed of the pewees of our otherwise imposing section.

It is said that the smaller species of animal life are the most quarrelsome and pugnacious and the members of this little squad of men, or, I should say, this squad of little men, does its very best to live up to this reputation.

Never, since it has been formed, has this squad appeared in public with love in its hearts and good will toward men and each other. Sometimes it is Slow-Trigger Bateman in a quarrel with Bull's Eye Garrett, sometimes Jones can't get along with Mosier, or Rushton is being bawled out by Goldfedder. Gordon, who looks like the papa of the gang, quarrels with everybody, while Corporal Newton looks on like an indulgent parent with a lot of spoiled children. He thinks they are cute.

When the rifle section is on the march, with the majority in good spirits, the peace and quiet is suddenly shattered by wrangling from the rear end and upon investigation, this seventh squad is found to be the seat of the trouble.

The sixth squad, which has the misfortune to be in close proximity to the trouble-makers, always does its best to restore peace, but rarely with any success.

It was thought that they would eventually find the way to harmony, but every day the situation becomes more acute, and will probably lead to serious consequences unless steps are taken to remedy it.

The writer has been petitioned to bring his to the attention of the class, and has presented it to the best of his ability. It may be necessary to call a special meeting of the class to adjust the difficulty, but it is hoped to straighten it out without calling for outside help.

There is the proposition, gentlemen, think it over and send all suggestions to the Seventh Squad Trouble Editor, care of this paper.

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## Motor Transport Notes.

Ques.—Is the Top Sgt. still troubled with rheumatism?

Ans.—Yes, but only at certain times.

Ques.—Then why don't you go to the medicine man in Sugartown, Alabama, who advertises to heal by touch?

Ans.—I did.

Ques.—Did he do you any good?

Ans.—Oh, yes, he did me—and he did me good—he touched me for twenty dollars, and thereby healed himself.

Mrs. D—Sergeant Wanton is a great lover of string music, isn't he?

Mrs. W—Yes, indeed, I have seen him get up in the middle of the night and try to compose.

We wonder where you are tonight, Sgt. Ross, and what keeps you so quiet. Maybe you have turned over one more of the many new leaves for the New Year. Any way, the boys miss hearing the song you used to sing entitled "I Know What It Means To Be Lonesome."

Mrs. W—They tell me that brain work is more wearing than any other.

Mrs. D—Yes, I know it's true. Every time Thomas (Sgt. Dogan) is kept late at the office (M. T. Park) he is sure to have a headache the next day.

I understand that Staff Sgt. Williams (Nubbie) has made arrangements to ride the Ft. Benning Special Train and desert the Howard bus line. Why? Answer: Because he can enjoy the ride talking with a certain Miss from the laundry.

Some one while passing the barracks walked away with one of Cook Walburg's (Bill Dooley) horses; now he is way down, now he will have to use a box until he can get another horse.

Ques.—How did Pvt. Massenburg lose sight of the Wynnton vamp?

Ans.—Pvt. Jackson (Big Ben) put dust in his face while he was visiting another place.

Oh, how glad we are to have Miss Peggy to return. During her absence it has been miserable for us, as Pvt. Churchill treated us as if we were a dog.

Pvt. Campbell (the M. T. C. vamp) says he can't lose out now with Miss G as he sprung a $10.00 gold piece and a watch chain on her while visiting a Mr. B. What will the boys say when they see it?

"I lost sight of the world last night."

"How was that, Dunn (Spare Parts)?"

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## Quartermaster Detachment News Notes

Hello, Fort Benning. We're back again. Talk about Service for the Line, say, we are certainly putting it out. That's the Quartermaster all over, service and then some.

By the way, you know our friend Gilliam, the Provost Sgt., better known as the famous Speedy in this vicinity, well our poor little friend came whining to our 1st Sgt. about some Cangaroo Court—what is it, Speedy boy? You tell 'em, you'll get our deepest sympathy.

Looka here, we have our friend, Lt. Wm. Foelsing, in charge of the Q. M. corrals. Wonder what he has to say for himself?

On mules we find
Two legs behind,
Two we find before.
We stand behind
Before we find
What the two behind be for.

Bet he talks from experience. Oh, well, such is life, hard knocks all the way thru.

The following conversation was overheard in the Day Room:

"No, sir, no more pool for me. Yep, $2.50 is too much for one day's enjoyment, especially for a short timer. I'm through, ab-so-lute-ly."

Speedy, boy, wonder what the cue balls have to say being knocked around so much? Use discretion.

Here is a nice game of "Dodge" our Supply Sgt. has invented. He bought a "Dodge" car, and now he is "Dodg-ing" the installments. Question: Who is the "Dodg-iest?"

Our Speed Demon, Goofey Taylor, hasn't been late for "chow" for the past oweek. Why the speed, Leslie? Is the fellow from Girard still after you?

We see that Hq. Fire Dept. has a new gong, and it has caused some excitement among some of the fellows. While testing it a few days ago, a few of the sturdy Fire Eaters were asleep. When it sounded our friends, Roberts and Hicks, forgot where they were and shouted, "Two more cups of tea, Joe."

Listen, friends, this is the honest truth. Leslie Taylor was actually seen with clean hands, after he got a bawling out for dirtying up the pool table. He probably thought he would save the energy of washing, by wiping his hands on the green cloth, imagining he was on the River Shannon.

We have the toughest guy in the U. S. Army. His occupation is fire eater. The other day he took a dose of salts and drank gasoline for a chaser. Good thing there were no fires that day, Wix, old boy, for you would surely blow up.

We have a new member with the personnel of the Property Office in W. O. Haney, formerly of, well, don't know and don't care, but maybe he can't find work for you. Bet he gets results, too. Wish you the best of luck, Mr. Haney.

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

It seems rather queer that Cpl. Cochran has to start his old job as home-breaker again. He had to move out of tent No. 17, and that broke up the home of the happy family, including Pvt. Cockelreas and Pvt. Welton.

This one takes the cake. Cook Roberts went out to shave the other *night*, and shaved all the lather off his face before he found that he had no blade in his razor.

Ah, at last Pvt. McCabe's dreams have come true. He is to be discharged in the near future and he is going to take Pvt. Scharle with him. Pvt. Scharle is going to hand his money over to McCabe to buy his ticket for him. If you hand your money over to McCabe, you can figure on walking home, Scharle.

Theda Bara is trying to beat Andy Gump, lately. He wears no man's collar, but he surely must have got some other man's hat. And he comes from Minnesota, too.

Well, good luck, Scharle, when you're discharged. Only don't go back to the NUT HOUSE and try to get your old job back, or they will think you are an inmate of the HOUSE.

Our recruiting sergeant has returned to the company after a month's vacation in Montgomery, Ala. He isn't going to stay with us long, as he is getting discharged. He might have gotten the recruits alright, but they didn't show up here.

Pvt. Keyes has a little lady friend in Columbus, and he thinks so much of her that he stays from five o'clock in the evening till noon the next day with her. He says she works in a barber shop. In that case, it takes a long time for him to get a hair cut and shave.

The mystery of the company is now, when, where and why does Lucky Miller go to town every night with Sgt. Stover?

Cpl. Leuze has a new song entitled, "Turn backward, turn backward, Oh, Time, in your flight, Make me a Supply Sergeant just for tonight.

It seems that Cpl. Broderson is trying to train his voice, so he can compete with Al McGluck in a singing contest. The best thing for you to do, Broderson, is to get a corn plow and cultivate your voice.

We have a Ben Turpin in this outfit now. The other day Pvt. Shane was out hunting and shot at a rabbit and killed a bird. He should make sharpshooter on the range this year.

Pvt. Althouse—"Norman, why didn't you qualify this year on the range?"

Pvt. Williamson—"I couldn't, because I was an architect."

First Private—"How was that?"

Second Ditto—"I had other plans."

## LODGE NOTICES

Rose Hill Lodge No. 480, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night at 2400 Hamilton Avenue.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

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9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

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## *DOUGHBOY'S TRIPLETS BEING CARED FOR BY GUARDIAN LASSES*

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The Southern Division of Salvation Army, of which Columbus forms a part, maintains a hospital for infants and their mothers at Greenville, S. C. This hospital was built immediately following the world war at a cost of around $300,000. Over 500 girls annually enter its doors for assistance in dire distress, some of them from this vicinity. The names are withheld from publication by orders of the Salvation Army.

## Meeting With New Men Of The 29th Infantry

On Thursday afternoon of last week Colonel Goodale and Chaplain Wood met with the men who had joined the Twenty-ninth Infantry during the last few months. The meeting was held in the Regimental Service Club building. After a selection from the band, Colonel Goodale stated the object of the meeting and asked the Chaplain, who has had over fourteen years' service with the Regiment, to give the men a brief history of the 29th, and also to say a word of welcome.

The Chaplain's talk was followed by an address from the Colonel in which he emphasized the responsibilities and duties that devolve upon the men, and referred to the advantages to be had in the service, giving the men much wholesome advice. The meeting closed with a selection from the band.

**SERVICE CLUB No. 1.**

**All Married Folks Read.**

The Post Hostess, Miss Roe, desires to meet all of the enlisted men's wives on next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Service Club No. 1. She has secured the large room at the south end of the Service Club for your club room. Don't forget the time and date.

On next Friday evening a Casino Tournament will take place at the club. So all of you Casino sharks turn out.

## Gathering Of 29th Inf. Men To Be Discharged

Once each month a meeting is held with the men of the 29th who are to be discharged during that month. The meeting for January was held last Monday evening. Lt. Colonel Hobbs delivered an address on the purposes of the Army and pointing out to the men about to leave for civil life the responsibilities that will fall upon them in their new surroundings. Col. Hobbs was followed by Chaplain Wood, who spoke a few words to the men and distributed cards to them by means of which they may keep in touch with the Regiment and the Post.

## Take a Look at This

**SOME PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES THIS COMING WEEK.**

**War Department Theatre, Sunday, January 21.**

Here's the golden text for today: See "Monte Cristo" if you have to mortgage the old homestead.

You can buy a house any day, but it's only once in a twelvemonth that you have a chance to see a picture like this—one that delivers a succession of dramatic knockouts without mauling your intelligence at the same time.

It's really a little hard to write

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## Russia Starts To Mobilize

**GOING TO AID GERMANY.**

France has occupied the Ruhr Basin, but Germany is protesting, and Russia is preparing to mobilize her troops to assist Germany if Germany is going to offer armed resistance.

France is still hoping that a settlement can still be made and has offered several inducements to Germany, but to date Germany has not accepted. What has induced France to pay Germany for the coal that Germany should deliver is unknown, but Germany has absolutely refused to send any coal to France under any condition.

At present the situation is exceedingly uncertain as to whether Germany will submit or if she will offer armed resistance. It may be said that both nations are moving their pawns to checkmate their opponent.

## Examinations For Commissions in Regular Army

**WILL BE HELD IN JUNE.**

A final examination for appointment of second lieutenants in the Regular Army under the provisions of Army Regulations 605-5, will be held in the United States, and in the Phillipine, Hawaiian and Panama Canal Department, the week commencing June 25th, 1923.

This examination will be open to all classes of eligibles to fill vacancies in the Infantry, Field Artillery, Cavalry, Air Service, Quartermaster Corps, Ordnance Department, Chemical Warfare Service and Finance Department.

Information relative to this examination may be obtained at any military post or station or at the headquarters of the department or corps area in which a candidate resides.

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theaters as follows:

Colored Theater .....6:00 p. m.
Post Theater .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theater.....7:30 p. m.

**January 21st.**

"Monte Christo," 10 reel feature, (Jack Gilbert.) "The Boat," 2 reel comedy, (Buster Keaton.)

**January 22nd.**

"Connecticut Yankee," 8 reel feature (Splendid Cast.) Fox News, one reel.

**January 23rd.**

"Destiny's Isle," 6 reel feature (All Star.) "TenderFoot Luck," 2 reel comedy (Aubrey.)

**January 24th.**

"The Trap," 6 reel feature (Lon Chaney). "One Ole Cat," one reel comedy, (Earl Hurd.)

**January 25th.**

"Burning Sands," 7 feel feature, (Sills & Hawley). Fox News, 1 reel.

**January 26th.**

"Peaceful Peters," 5 reel feature, (Wm. Fairbanks). Roach Comedy, one reel. Fox News, one reel.

**January 27th.**

"Milky Way," 5 reel feature (David Butler.) "Upper and Lower," 2 reel comedy (Lee Moran.)

# 24th Infantry Notes

### SERVICE COMPANY.

The first thing that we see on returning is the band taking on material from Company "L," 24th Infantry. Next is Flashlight Boyd, formerly of Company "E" in the office fighting the typewriter.

Sgt. Pride, better known as Heavy, has started in to train for boxing. He claims he is going to reduce from 297 lbs. to 201 lbs. by February 1st.

Pvt. Lafayette Vontress now claims to be the best dressed soldier in the regiment. It is a fine thing to be a model for some tailor.

### COMPANY "A."

Cpl. Henderson, "Chappy," things look very favorable in Georgia for you, but I advise you to keep your foot on the soft pedal, and don't let it turn one inch.

Cpl. Jackson is expecting to take a trip to Florida soon. He is expecting to find all his gators grown by this time. On his last vacation in 1919 the gators were all small and their tails did not have enough meat on them.

Pvt. Carr, old boy, you are awfully lucky, but try and not get in such a place as that again; things might be a little different and you may get the limit, which is 6, 8, 10 and 12.

Pvt. 1st Class Spud Murphy is sick in the hospital, but he is not forgotten, for somebody sent him a full envelope and came to see him themselves to make sure that he got it.

Pvt. 1st Class Bell is in the hospital. I wonder does she know it? If she doesn't, tell us who she is, "Bell."

### COMPANY "B."

Can you tell me why the speed king (Crp. Taylor) is not showing much speed nowadays?

Yes! Run out of gas.

Oh, well, any old flivver is liable to run down some time.

Mech Robinson, the Cruel Hombre, V. V. (Velvet Vamp) says he wishes the earth concreated so no one could rut. Say, boy, you must have an iron nose.

### COMPANY "C."

Private Brickey's civilian suit is at last laid to rest in his locker. A few drops of rain made a night attack on it, with the following results: The pants retreated up to his knees, while the coat advanced by rushes up his back, and you can bet your bottom dollar Brickey has been a soldier ever since.

Sgt. Williams has just arrived from a ten-day pass. He met so many girls in Macon who wanted to marry that he could hardly resist the temptation.

Private Lewis has been very easy to get along with since his return from Americus. We wonder why.

Private Six Fingers purchased a new pair of Edmond Clapps (shoes) recently. However, he was riding sick report following day of purchase, and it don't take no gypsy to tell why.

Company "C," always the 100 per cent. company of the regiment, has established its high mark. Each member having voluntarily purchased one or more of the regimental histories, which we are all patiently waiting for its delivery from printing office. We are sure the company will occupy a large space in regimental history for its past records show its participation in nearly every engagement the 24th Infantry has ever had an opprtunity to show its real fighting qualifications as a unit.

Weo have at present the Grand Imperial. This is a new lodge formed, and the Grand Duke is Candy Jim. The new order is called the 23rd degree. Before you become a 23rd degree man you must work your way up from No. 1 to 23 (I mean Block 23).

### COMPANY "D."

What's the big idea of a certain fellow buying twenty peso presents here of late? You had better lay close "Pick," the Benning News has its eyes on you.

"Heads," the head butcher, has invented a new tool for barbers. He uses a table fork in lieu of a comb. Better take your patent to Washington, old top, and have it registered.

Pvt. Branch was putting in for clothes a few days ago, and asked for a 40 shirt, a 7-D hat and a 6 7-8 shoe. Wake up, Branch, use your head for something besides a foot.

### COMPANY "I."

Private 1st Class Jackson (Song-Bird) has returned from a furlough enjoyably spent with the flappers of Atlanta, Ga., but all his letters are addressed to R. F. D. Box 1144.

Sergeant Russell (Poor Boy) has eaten so many rabbits until every time he hears a dog bark he runs to the woods.

We take unto urselves the slogan of the reporter of the I. S. D. (W), in last week's issue, to form a real soldier's league. Let everybody in Fort Benning work thru good sportsmanship and try for a real soldier's league, consisting of the I. S. D. (W), 29th Inf., 83rd F. A., Auxiliary team and the 24th Inf.

Sgt. Harrod has a three-day pass to Macon, Ga. He says he is going to find out why Corporal Reeves runs up there every time they say fall out.

### COMPANY "L."

Day by day, in every way, Company "L" is getting better since the Band is transferred.

Private Doc Stroughter and Private Vaughn Charlie were digging a trench over in France. Although not in an especially safe place, for a time they were unconscious of their danger. Then a shell flew over their heads and exploded just beyond. Others followed. At the fifth explosion Doc inquired: "Say, Vaughn, don't you think that it is about time we done got religion?"

"Chuff," replied Vaughn, scornfully, "Doc, you suttenly is tho'ly shiftless, boy. Me, I done got religion when the fust bomb busted."

### COMPANY "M."

Pvt. Dewitt Davis, the vamp proof kid, said that there are two kinds of ladies that you can't trust, and that is the bobbed haired lady and those without any. Oh, well, he must know what he is talking about.

There are two men in Co. "M" that don't seem to get along so well. It's hard to tell just why, but you can always hear one calling the other a recruit.

Private Liddell has just returned from a visit to the Layfield House, on the corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street, Columbus, Georgia, where he spent two days visiting friends of the Jump Steady Club.

Pvt. David Brown give important lectures on married life. Brown says the joys of life is to be married.

Look out, Brown, don't get in the dark at night, for there are many that don't agree with you.

Due to the temporary decrease of The News, Company Notes had to be reduced.


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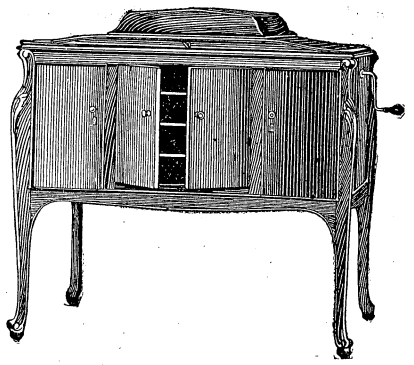

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# Social Notes

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### 83rd F. A. SEWING CLUB MEETS.

On Monday afternoon, Mrs. Henry L. Kersh entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Sewing Club. Mrs. Kiser, of Scottsville, Ky., won the button hole contest, and Mrs. Beiderlinden won the first prize in the needle threading contest, and Mrs. Kiser won the second. Delightful refreshments were served at the close.

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### MRS. JOHN A. PORTER ENTERTAINS NEIGHBORHOOD CARD CLUB.

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. John A. Porter entertained the Neighborhood Card Club at three tables of bridge.

Mrs. Duvall won the first prize, consisting of a Japanese wall vase, and Mrs. Ray Miller won the second prize, consisting of a Japanese incense burner.

Delightful refreshments consisting of a salad course, sandwiches, tea and cake were served.

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### MRS. MARTIN AND MRS. MILBURN ENTERTAIN.

Mrs. Frank Milburn and Mrs. Thomas Martin entertained at a delightful tea-dance on last Saturday afternoon, honoring Miss Hannah.

The decorations were artistic and the tea tables placed toward one side were neatly adorned with roses and smilax.

An excellent orchestra furnished music for dancing.

About 150 invited guests were present.

Mrs. Paul B. Malone and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey poured.

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### MAJOR AND MRS. VERNON EVANS ENTERTAIN FOR BRIDAL PARTY.

On Friday evening, preceding the Officers' Hop, Major and Mrs. Vernon Evans were hosts at a pretty dinner at the Officers' Club Mess, complimenting Miss Marion Hannah, whose marriage to Lieut. Burt took place on Wednesday.

Ward roses in gilt baskets and unshaded white candles made a lovely table decoration.

The invitation list included the members of the bridal party and a few other friends. Covers were placed for twenty-two.

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### MISS HANNAH MARRIED.

On Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock, Miss Marion Hannah was united in marriage to Lieutenant Reynolds Burt, Jr., at the Protestant Chapel.

The bride wearing a lovely gown of ivory satin looked adorable, as she entered on the arm of her father, Lieutenant-Colonel Hannah.

Lieutenant George Honnen was best man and Mrs. Frank Milburn was the matron of honor.

Rev. S. Alston Wragg performed the ceremony.

The groomsmen, consisting of Major Rumbough, Major Wheeler, Capt. Milburn, Capt. Finley, Capt. Van Vliet and Capt. Levin Allen, drew their sabers at the conclusion of the ceremony and the bridal party passed under the arch thus formed.

The bridal party and guests proceeded to the Officers' Hop Room from the Chapel, where Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Hannah held a delightful reception.

The Hop Room, as the Chapel, was prettily decorated with Southern smilax and ferns.

After the reception the Lieutenant and Mrs. Burt left for their honeymoon, which will be concluded when they reach Fort DuPont, Delaware, the station of the groom.

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### HAS A BIRTHDAY.

Capt. Geo. W. Teachout, the Commander of the Military Police Company, had a birthday, and in honor of the occasion Mrs. Teachout gave a delightful buffet supper, at their quarters in Block 23.

Pink carnations, ferns and pines arranged in an artistic manner furnished the decorations. Covers were laid for fifteen.

This was the Captain's 31st birthday. The News hopes that you will celebrate many more healthy birthdays, Captain.

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### MRS. HEYWARD HANSELL ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. Banks Yonge entertained at an informal bridge luncheon on Friday, Jan. 12th, in honor of Mrs. Heyward Hansell, at her home on Chatham Drive.

The attractive decorations consisted of narcissus and ivy. A hot lunch was served, following which bridge was indulged in.

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### MAJ. AND MRS. MOULTON ENTERTAIN COL. AND MRS. BARNES.

On Saturday, Jan. 6th, Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton entertained at dinner, honoring Colonel and Mrs. Barnes, who are leaving Fort Benning for California.

Covers were laid for eight.

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### MAJOR AND MRS. MOULTON ENTERTAIN.

On Friday Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton entertained at dinner at their quarters.

Covers were laid for six.

After the dinner all attended the dance at the Officers' Hop Room.

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### CLUB MEETINGS.

**Chapel Guild.**

The Chapel Guild of Fort Benning will meet Monday morning at 10:30 at the Protestant Chapel.

Mrs. Peyton will preside.

**Current Events Club.**

The Current Events Club will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp at the home of Mrs. J. D. Hahn.

### FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB.

The Fort Benning Bridge Club met on Thursday afternoon at the Hop Room and passed a delightful afternoon. Mrs. Geo. Clark, Mrs. John Chase, Mrs. D. C. Campbell, Mrs. A. R. Duvall and Mrs. J. W. Elkins were the hostesses.

Mrs. C. B. Lenow won the first prize, a pretty cake set. Mrs. Evans won the second prize, a casserole, and Mrs. Middleton won the consolation prize, a quill pen.

The hostesses served delightful refreshments.

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### BORN.

A future charming debutante was born to Lieut. and Mrs. E. M. Peckinpaugh on last Sunday morning. The little miss tipped the scales at seven and one-half pounds. Mother and child are doing nicely and the proud father says that he can't complain.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rycroft, who are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Lieut. and Mrs. Jack Rycroft, recently underwent an operation on their eyes. They are both progressing nicely.

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The Medical Department Bridge Club met at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Haywood Hansell Tuesday evening at 8:00 p. m. There were five tables of players and those winning prizes were Major Tobias, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Campbell. After the game a delicious salad course with coffee was served. The next party will be held at the home of Major and Mrs. Tobias on Tuesday evening, January 30th, at 7:45 p. m.


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### WHY OH WHY???

WHY is it that some people think that they are made from such finer clay that they cannot even as much as peek at other individuals without possible contamination? Also WHY is it that these some self-thought superior persons cannot be civil and courteous instead of expecting the rest of the world to pay homage? Again, also, WHY do these same individuals try to run "rough shod" or try to "boss" everybody that they come in contact with? Then, again, WHY is it that these same SUPERIOR (?) individuals don't care about anything or any object that don't belong to "muh" and if they damage or destroy it, try to hide behind their superior air? Last, but not least, WHY is it that these same conceited persons give those rights that are due other individuals?

True some of us are blessed with a little more intelligence than other unfortunate individuals, but is that any real reason that we should try to "LORD" it over them?

After all this life is but a link in an unknown chain and when we have completed our alloted task on this earth we are called to another place and then our clay body that remains on this earth, whether it be that of the superior haughty individual or of the considerate person or the imbecile, it makes no difference for the ending is exactly the same and the Earth again claims that which it gave up.

Ashes to Ashes and Dust to Dust
And Mother Earth Makes No Distinction.

### WHY NOT FORT BENNING ?

Sometime ago The News suggested that the personnel of this post be authorized to wear some kind of a shoulder insignia. The "Shield, Bayonet" with the words "Follow Me," were suggested.

All other troops have a distinctive shoulder insignia, so why not Fort Benning?

### GOING UP.

The nightly attendance at the Post Theatres for the past week has averaged over one thousand persons per night. If this or even a better attendance continues it means that work on the new theatre will probably commence again in a short time. Won't it be great to go to a movie here with a sloping floor and good ventilation? Oh, man!

## Take a Look At This

(Continued from Page One.)

about "Monte Cristo" without getting maudlin in praise. It is such a relief from the stodgy, unimaginative stuff that makes up our ordinary cinema fare. The same man who directed this—Emmett J. Flynn—has done some mighty good pictures before, but in "Monte Cristo" he has got on a new plane.

We can't tell you all about it between here and the bottom of the page. Let's say, then, that it is superior in every aspect of the celluloid art, and then single out for special attention the two ways in which it most excels—its economy of film and the beauty of its scenes.

As for No. 1:

The moving pictures have too often squandered yards and yards of film on material that required only inches. They have floundered around with lots of inconsequential business which has obscured the real plots and padded and encumbered the weak ones.

But the producer of "Monte Cristo" has got the creation-story idea. He had to have to get Dumas' novel into a moving picture. Every flicker advances the plot. Not six feet of film in the entire production are wasted. And this economy is not effected at the expense of good continuity. Flynn and whoever edited the film have merely shown an extraordinary gift for leaving out the non-essential.

**What the London Daily Mail Had To Say About "The Connecticut Yankee," Which Will Be Shown At the War Department Theatre, Monday, January 22:**

(From the London Daily Mail)

Two new films, one of them as funny as anything that has come here from the United States, were shown to the trade yesterday.

"A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court" has been made by the Fox Film Company from Mark Twain's book. Considerable liberties have been taken with the great American humorist, but the result justifies them. The thing is riotously amusing, more entertaining even than Charles Chaplin.

The basic idea is one of those topsy-turvy inspirations which bubble with humor. A young American goes to sleep and dreams that he is in ancient Britain at the Court of King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table. He proceeds to make the Court "what America will be like when Columbus discovers it."

Machinery, "clocking" in to and out from work, cigarettes, pistols, a new sort of Wild West tournament at which the lasso beats the lance, a motor car, motorcycles, and the telephone are some of the "magic" matters he introduces to A. D. 528.

It is a very long time since one saw anything more fine and fantastic than Sir Lancelot and his knights setting out to the rescue on a Ford car and scores of motorcycles.

## LODGE NOTICES

There will be a call communication of Columbia Lodge No. 7, F. and A. M., on Tuesday, January 23, 1923. The Master's Degree will be conferred.

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## Quartermaster Detachment News Notes

This is your only chance to get acquainted with our galloping motorcycle orderly, who was once christened Michael Evans, and now better known as Flat Tire Mike.

Corporal, as a good soldier, you should know that it is strictly against orders to have dangerous weapons. You being a married man, I advise you to steal and destroy the most effective, the most dangerous of weapons, the rolling pin, from the Storm and Strifes' household effects.

All ye single men take notice:—

The following order was posted on Detachment Bulletin Board:

Det. Order No. 10.

1. All men of this Detachment who contemplate getting married, will obtain permission of Det. Commander.

Signed, Thad C. Knight.

Wonder if the Capt. will relate some of the bliss of married life.

Ever since one of the fair stenographers of the Utilities has moved to Post Hdq., and occupies a desk next to Lady Killer Oosthyuzen, please observe the way he dolls up daily.

We have a Pipe League of our own in the Property Office, whose members consist of Capt. Holland, Sgt. Grindley, Mr. Hothan, Mr. Bussy, Mr. Woolbright, and last, but not least, Pvt. Bracye. If you are homesick and originally from Pittsburgh, Pa., visit the office at any time during business hours, when all pipes are at full blast. Sure cure.

Corporal Harris, a newlywed, reported for work extremely happy one day this week. Upon being questioned the cause of his radiant happiness, the cause of the grin on his handsome features, he replied:

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## National Guard and Reserve Officers Class

(By JAY GEE BEE.)

Just a week ago tonight, the residents of the tent row were awakened by the sound of beautiful music. As they lay in their cots, the sweet sounds swelled until they filled the air. The enraptured listeners hesitated to investigate, for the music was so etherial that it could easily have been the playing of fairies on their lutes, and fairies are easily scared. The hour was midnight, which made the fairy theory all the stronger. All along the row, the listeners gathered in little groups, hushed and awed, with ears strained that they would not miss one little note. Never had they heard such music. It far surpassed the playing of anyone they had ever heard, not even excepting such finished mortal artists as Paderewski or Kreisler. It held a weird unearthly strain and it was the opinion that it could never be the result of human endeavors. Sometimes it sank until it was hardly discernable, then it swelled in increasing volume until it filled the very soul of the hearers. It floated to them on the night air, sometimes near and sometimes far, until it seemed as though they could stand it no longer. Finally some of the more interpred ventured to locate the source and stealthily advanced in the direction from which the sound seemed to come. As they approached, the sound took on a wailing, much as thought the unseen player was in distress. After a great deal of uncertainty, it was found that the sound came from one of the tents, and stealing close, some of the braver souls lifted the canvas sides and peeked in. The mystery was solved, for there before their astonished eyes was Van Horn, playing as though his heart would break upon a cross between a Victrola and a mouth organ. It looked like a saxophone and sounded like —. The enthusiastic audience swarmed into the tent and surrounded the musician who played on as though oblivious to their presence. The assembly, after restraining themselves a short time longer, pronounced him King, and after crowning him, returned to their bunks.

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I'm crazy 'about Drill and Command. (Get Easley to sing it for you.)

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The unofficial class in equitation, composed of Hot Spur McGowan, Flying Bridle Jones, Loose Cinch Wagner, Broken Bit Mosier, Bounding Shaw and many others, make it a point to go riding every Sunday. On these rides a great many things that are not in the book are shown to anyone who cares to observe. Although these gentlemen are finished horsemen, or at least nearly finished, the horses do not seem to meet with the entire approval of the riders. In fact they are off of them most of the time. They are now circulating a petition praying that the mess officer establish a high table in the mess hall where they can eat their meals standing.

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What do you think of a bird that will deliberately run across a field of fire in a musketroy problem? Well, we have one in the rifle section. This young gentleman seems to think that the rifle bullets will bounce off him without doing any damage, and fortunately he had no occasion to change his mind. It seems that he accidentally got mixed up while advancing and found himself in another squad. Then on the next rush he cut across in front of two rifles, which luckily stopped firing, and arrived safely. The thing might have been sad, for this young fellow has a four month's bride in Cincinnati, who is probably waiting anxiously for his return.

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Right at this point I was interrupted by Verhage, who brought me the sad news that the grand old state of Ohio his going to pay its representatives their rental allowance. I had to stop long enough to make out the proper voucher.

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Easley told us a story today. I'll be blamed if I can see anything very funny in it, but it may be that I am particularly dumb. Anyway, I'll pass it on, and maybe some brighter mind will explain the point to me. Here it is:

A rookie was posted on guard and a little later the O. D. came along and asked him if anybody crossed his post. "No sir," answered the guard, "Nobody crossed my post except a couple of mules." "Well," asked the O. D., "What outfit did they belong to?" "I couldn't tell sir, they didn't have any collar ornaments on," said the dumb bell. Maybe that is funny, but if so, it is way over my head. I don't think that this story is quite up to the standard set by Easley in the past.

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I wonder how Dolan and Gilchrist are coming along these days. They have not been in the limelight of late, and I fear that they are growing stagnant.

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Now, Captain Dumbly, please give us the definition of the angle of the trajectory.

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Explain the action of the guide when the squad is executing squad right, column left.

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Are there any questions?? That's all. Move fast.

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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

The boys who wear the Detachment colors on the basketball floor defeated the flashy Company "H" quintet of the 29th Infantry to the tune of 40 to 11. It was a fast, clean game from start to finish, but the Detachment's perfect passing was too deep for the galloping 29th.

The Detachment Rooters were easily counted, anyway "HE" was good. If the boys keep up the present speed there is no doubt as to who will be the champs of the local league. Jazz Magoni says that he has a few berries to lose on his quintet and will take canteen checks or white money.

It is rumored around that a majority of the boys of the ball club are going to try-out with the Officer's Team this season. Well, they should make it easily enough as the same club they played with defeated the Post Team three consecutive games the first part of last year. Let us hope that these players' plans do not interfere with the champions of the Post of the white troop for the I. S. D. expects to put its best team in the field this season and that is saying a lot considering the record of the club for the past four years.

The Detachment has been fortunate enough to secure the services of two very valuable and intelligent Clerks for duty in the Detachment office. These young men are Sergeant Bates and Corporal Steinrucken.

A certain member of the organization came into the orderly room the other night and inquired if Spud was in. Upon being told that Spud was not in just then, he asked: "Will he be in **recently**?"

## Motor Transport Notes.

Corporal Pou, old soldiers talking recruit. Yes, and as I was going to say, what a change since the '90's when a fellow could stand at the Broken-Knockles saloon in Cheyenne and toss of the Prairie schooners with all comers. Private Mosely, yes, and I can remember when bronk riding had to be done with one rein, and without touching the saddle with the hands, the feet also must be kept moving in a kicking position. Private Bates, yes, and I can remember when a recruit, and especially a Buck, it would be of no use of him going to a dance and expect to get one, and a Corporal, he had to set quiet and look on, but oh, you Sergeants, Swing me, Swing me. Any way, those were the happy days, after all.

Private Magager Thornton, of the 9th U. S. Horses, and somewhat of a fancy rope-thrower, says he defeated some of the best, by writing his name with the flying loops of his lariat.

Private Morgan, I am a regular Holmes at unravelling things. I know what makes Staff Sgt. Williams sleep so much. I know who gave Pvt. Wright that black eye. There is hardly a thing that I cannot explain, but there is one thing to me still a riddle, and that is, how Private Roy R. Lee got up the Pole.

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## History of 29th Infantry

**Article 17.**
**(1916 Continued.)**

The Regiment (less Companies A, C, L and Band) participated in maneuvers of the Canal Zone garrison from April 22 to 29, inclusive, in the Southwest area as a part of the Orange forces, under command of Colonel John S. Mallory.

April 22 the Regiment marched from Camp Gaillard to Camp No. 1 at Colonars, R. de P., distance of 12 1-4 miles. April 23 marched to Chorrera, 9 1-4 miles. April 24 marched to Capira, 13 miles. April 25 to Bejuco, 15 miles. April 26 back to Capira. 15 miles. April 27 from Capira to Chorrera by way of the Camino Real and Chorrera trail —20 miles—and participated in main attack on the Blue forces in position covering Chorrera.

The march of 20 miles was a rapid one, over a rough trail and through a terrific downpour of rain. The Orange forces took the Blue forces entirely by surprise.

(Continued Next Week.)

## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Pvt. Robinson has risen to the ranks of C. W. S. cow-puncher. While riding a mule to the stable the other day the mule started to run and Robinson got off and led the mule the rest of the way to the stable.

Pvt. Smith seems to be governed by the old saying, "You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink." The only trouble with him is, he never shows the mules where the water is.

Cpl. Broderson sure has it bad. He goes to town every night with the intention of catching the 12 o'clock bus into camp, but he always misses it. Boy, you sure did fall hard.

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## Field Artillery News Notes

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It may be said here that anyone who depreciates Winters because of his low poundage needn't figure on the international rate of exchange.

## Medical Department Notes

2nd Lieut. Eleanor Grehea, Army Nurse Corps, left Tuesday morning for Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., for duty. It is with regret that we see Miss Grehea go. She has been on duty at this hspital for the last two and one-half years and has made a host of friends throughout the camp. Sincere wishes for a prosperous future go with Miss Grehea to her new field of endeavor.

2nd Lieut. Elizabeth March, Army Nurse Corps, has returned from a thirty-day leave of absence, the greater part of which was spent in the state of Tennessee. If looks speak of a month's rest and enjoyment, Miss March must have had a wonderful time.

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

A "Snoose-hound" and a "Cracker" had a battle the other day in "C" Company. It appears that the "Cracker" got soaked by the "Snoose-juice" and has been showing signs of ill health since.

Company "C" won from Company "A" in a basketball game Monday, the final score being 23-5.

"Spare Parts" Jepsen is displaying great form when he arises these cold mornings. He reaches out and gathers all his clothes together with one hand, and makes a nose-dive from his bunk to a chair near the stove every morning. He claims to be training for the annual "Snowdrift Diving Contest," which is held yearly in Maquoketa, Iowa.

"Pest" Irby is practising very hard these days. He is trying to perfect a supposed dance step, comprising the Highland Fling, Buck and Wing, Double Shuffle and Clog.

Did you ever notice the noise emanating from the Consolidated Mess? For the benefit of those who would like to know the cause, we wish to state that it is only Dean and Webb arguing as to who made the most money on the outside.

Hicks wishes to give "Red" Lindsey fair warning to lay off his boy (Harrell).

Patterson claims to be some sort of great diety, but we are going to put you wise as to the real reason of the trees bowing down before him when he is running. It was just two fellows behind him, each one with a razor apiece.

Kubelle and Adams are using a lot of bus tickets this month. Look out, Scroggins, they will get your Susie.

The miniters of the foreign war will hold a secret meeting in the Log Hut at 8:30 p. m., Saturday night. Trotsue Lysacowski will read the by-laws of the 637.

Sharp tried to break Head into Society. Head said he could drink Joe Brown's tea, but when it comes to eating pickles with a spoon that let's me out at the Bonita.

Boys, boys, boys, don't miss this one. Be at the Log Hut at the next show and hear the lecture on How Skinny Gets His Man, given by Conroy, the Boy Criminologist.

Charlie Reeves will appear as the Sheik accompanied by Whiz Bang, the villain in the new meldrama entitled "Leaning Against the Barber Pole." Jack Saari and Charlie Finholt will furnish the music.

Sgt. Nelson was seen in a rather out of the way place the other night. Don't you think that you are stepping a bit high for a man of your age?

Favorite sayings by the man who was short, both financially and physically:

"Sergeant, can I get a pass from Friday noon to Saturday noon?"

"How about it, Sergeant, do I have to stand this formation?"

"I've got some work to do in the shop."

"Sergeant, how about going to the tailor shop? I will join the Company at the Tank Park."

"Sergeant, when am I going to that school?"

"Sergeant, I gotta go to the dentist."

"Sergeant, when do I have to do that day of extra duty?"

Cpl. Real is an expert on charging batteries. He has graduated from the Short Timers Club, and is singing that tune entitled "Got two years and a butt to do this in." Atta boy, Real.

Familiar sayings around the Company:

When do we ate? What, there ain't no more? Putting out any canteen checks? Gimme a cigarette. Got a match? When is the next show? What about that holiday? Where is that dining room orderly? What about our sweaters? Who said he couldn't do barber work? When do we get paid? How much are you going to deposit this month?

If you could only see Company "A" and Company "C" in their new basketball togs it would drive you color blind. Company "A" has red suits while "C" Company has purple Jerseys with green pants. Some color!

## History of 7th Engineers

(Article No. 17.)

**Period Following the Armistice.**

On November 11th, 1918, the news of the Armistice coming on the morning of November 11th, was hard to believe.

On November 13th the regiment assembled at Liny. Tents were pitched on the hill north of the town and the infantry units of the division formed on the hills south and east of the town. The myriads of tiny camp fires, dotting the landscape on those still, cool November evenings produced a scene so in contrast with that of the preceding evenings that it will never be forgotten by the men who were there.

On the 14th of November, an American train pulled into Dun-sur-Meuse, and was greeted with rousing cheers. Word had come confidentially that the Division was to go to Nice for embarkation to the United States, to be transferred to the Army of Occupation, but this last order was happily revoked at the last minute. Sympathy was expressed for some 25 men from each company who were

Regimental Headquarters and the First Battalion moved to Fontaines on November 17th, while the Second Battalion remained in Liny. Then followed several days of cleaning and overhauling of equipment and replacement of shortages. On November 22nd the regiment was reviewed for the first time by Major General H. E. Ely on a field between Liny and Fontaines, over which the regiment had fought its way but two weeks earlier.

It was while in Fontaines that the 5th Division was assigned to the Army of Occupation, consequently on November 24th, the regiment hiked to Louppy, the first leg of the march to Germany, and on the day following to Longuyon. The entire regiment was quartered there in pre-war French barracks. Thanksgiving day was duly celebrated by most of the regiment and since there was no turkey present, roast beef was substituted for the canned willie and sauer kraut which had been our ration for so long. From Longuyon the companies were sent to different places doing special work, classifying and inventorying German material, in Belgium, France and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg until the middle of December, where it remained until entraining for the United States.

(Continued next week.)

## Here You Are, Dancers. All You Married Folks Read This

All married enlisted men and their families are cordially invited to attend a dance to be given by the Infantry School Detachment (W) at 8 p. m., January 20th, 1923, at the Detachment mess hall.


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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### SERVICE COMPANY.

Gangway there, Mr. Editor, give us plenty of space, never mind the advertisements this time, for we are going to tell the world about a basketball game such as you read about. The game on which we are about to elaborate, was played on Monday night between the Service Company and Regimental Headquarters Company and will long live in the memory of the spectators. With clock-like precision and lightning speed, the Service Company completely overwhelmed the Regimental Headquarters Company team and trounced the latter to the tune of 25 to 9. Rothfarb contributed 10 points to the victory, next came Hardesty, who contributed 6 points. Lotz contributed 5 points, while Duquette and Shaffer each contributed 2 points towards the big end of the score.

### COMPANY "A."

Company "A" defeated Company "D" last Thursday by a score of 25-23. With clock-like precision and lightning speed Company "A" completely overwhelmed the too confident Company "D" and showed them that theirs is not the only basketball team in the Post, as they believed before last Thursday's game.

Here is some advice for "D" Co.: "Don't count your chickens before they hatch."

Things we would like to know:

When are we going to China? Where are the steam heated barracks? If it takes five civilian laborers to do a piece of work, how many soldiers should be detailed to do the same work in the same time? When are they going to start the saw? Who is the best known N. C. O. in Camp?

### COMPANY "B."

Sgt. Humphrey is sure having the time of his young life as he is flivvering around all the time, and believe me, poor Henry sure does show the strain. The hardest part is keeping in gas. Why not see Shroye?

Someone has had the nerve to present Cpl. Curtis with a pair of cast iron chevrons. I wonder who he could have been.

All that you can see is hobnail shoes in the Company, and the boys are stepping high as they want everyone to see what they possess.

For the Battalion inspection the Company has received 100 percent for the 14th, 15th and 16th of this month.

### COMPANY "C."

Nothing of interest has happened in the past week. Five men have been discharged this week.

The basketball team in this Company made 100 percent losing this season. Pretty good. Who can beat it?

### COMPANY "D."

Robinson departed and Baird lingered on. In some manner or other the orderly room work went through without a hitch, although it was plain that Baird was not himself. Finally, after that other disastrous blow, the defeat of his company at basketball by Company "A" settled matters, and he requested a three-day pass. He got it and went to Conyers to look over the situation. And now he is back, sadder than ever—for the gal gave him the air.

Private Arnold Justice has just company bugler. Pvt. Justice is all been promoted to the position of around athlete and in throwing the ivories pay day sent the boys to their tents talking to themselves.

They are already talking baseball in this company. With men like "Slim" Harkey and "Sarge" McGaha for pitchers and Johnston and Bender as infielders, the nucleus of a good team is here. The company has other good players and while it is a little early, the continued sunshine is causing some of the boys to feel of their old soup-bone and start chattering a little diamond talk.

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.

Say, "F" Company, do you believe in luck?

Last Tuesday's basketball game sort of impresses us with the realization that the only luck that claims our acquaintance is tough luck.

Some of the wiser ones went to an entertainment over to the Catholic Chapel two Thursdays ago, knowing that there was something doing. Well, nobody was disappointed in the least.

We took the Second Battalion Quartet with us and were not sorry for it, in fact they performed admirably. Of course, it must be mentioned that the coach, Sgt. Ike Freeman, was along, too, though as a coach his abilities shine in coaching the refreshments.

We have with us for introduction four new additions to the N. C. O. fold, who have risen from the ranks since the last edition: Corporals Roth, Dellinger, Mantel and Phillips. These are worthy soldiers, having held specialist ratings and 1st Class prior to attaining their chevron.

### COMPANY "E."

We have with us, one Sgt. Wyman, late of the recruiting force in Atlanta. Yes, he had a very nice time while there, but wanted to come back to the old outfit. He was getting tired of his stand anyway.

Two more corporals have dropped into our midst during the past week, Corprals Read and Akin. I'll bet they waited so as to have an order published for them alone.

The School for Cooks and Bakers has taken over "E" Company kitchen as a school. If they do as good as they have started, we are in for some good feeds in the future.

Sgts. Mowry and Comeau went to town last night to be initiated into the Modern Woodmen. Poor boys!

Cpl. New has been very sick since he went "set" in the pinochle game the other night. That's all right, New, they may let you win a game sometime.

### COMPANY "F."

A certain day last week there happened to be a mob storming the Company Tailor Shop. Someone said, "My goodness, what is the rush about?" Pvt. Lupica said, "Dat's nutt'n, just the New Corporals bringing in their blouses and shirts to have their two stripes sewn on."

The basketball game between Co. "H" and Co. "F" last week was sure some game. I'll say it sure did look more like a Rugby game.

The Company Commander has been very busy the last few days wishing a few of the boys luck on their ride in the matrimonial sea. Look out, you don't get drowned, "Parrish," and take Millard along with you.

Well, Co. "F" won a basketball game, Old Man Jinx finally broke away from us. 2nd Bn. Hqrs. Company gave us a good game, a little slow but nevertheless fast enough for some of the old men that are mem-members of our team.

Now that the Soccer Football season is about to begin there should be some very good material in the 2nd Bn., come on 2nd Bn., let's go to it. Remember last winter we had a very good Soccer team, the only game we lost was to the 3rd Bn., and at the present time some of the 3rd Bn.'s star Soccer players are now in the 2nd Bn. I think we can cop the cup this year. What say?

### COMPANY "G."

In a fast and interesting game last evening at the 29th Infantry Gym, Co. "G" won from the hard fighting "H" Co. team to the score of 58-2. The winning of this game has placed Co. "G" in the rank of Battalion champions. If the team experiences no hardships it is believed that the Second Battalion is the team that will win the Fourth Corps Area Championship.

Pvt. Crow has just finished preparing his request which he is submitting to Washington for the purpose of having the Fort moved closer to the City of Columbus, as he has just got married, and the distance is so great that he cannot always get back in time for Reveille.

### COMPANY "H."

Our basketeers suffered another defeat last Tuesday at the hands of "G" Co. Although our team played a pretty good game, they were outplayed, outfought and outclassed. Parris shot the only basket we scored. It was about the cleanest game played on this floor. Not a single foul being called on either team. This game ended the basketball season for our quintette.

The three-ring circus demonstration was put on last Tuesday. There was a ground and cover problem, concealment, rough ground drill, gas attack and artillery barrage and a few other problems. A smoke screen was used for gas and TNT bombs were used for the artillery. It was a well planned, interesting and instructive demonstration.

Masenheimer is complaining about his knees being skinned. The secretive part is that is happened during an artificial artillery barrage composed of TNT bombs. Masenheimer couldn't keep his knees apart while going thru it.


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## CHAPEL NOTES

**Religious Services Sunday.**

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100;

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

**"GO TO CHURCH."**

This item is intended as a special appeal to the people of Fort Benning to attend divine worship at one of the Chapel services as listed above.

There are many reasons why everyone who can do so should attend Church. Those who have covenanted to do so should be true to their vows. Those who have been reared to attend the House of God should continue to do so. Those who believe in all that is good and pure and uplifting should go to Church. Those who believe in the power of example should use the privilege of going to Chapel for the sake of those who look to them for an example. Influence is a powerful thing and those who believe that it is should attend Church for the sake of influencing others to do the same. Parents influence children; friends influence friends; comrades influence comrades; officers influence their men. Let us be careful that our influence is toward the Church and not away from it.

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—(Dr. Conrad)

## Everybody Do Your Bit for the Salvation Army Drive, Feb. 1 and 2---Let's Go!

### Salvation Army Lassies of War Fame Recalled

Salvation Army making Doughnuts under Bombardment of German Guns, Front Line, France.

The above represents a picture taken during the world war of the illustrous Salvation Army lassie who endeared herself to the entire world for her self-sacrificing work for the distressed in the front lines.

The campaign for funds always brings advertising that recalls memories of her work of the past.

Because of their friendship for the Army the personnel of Fort Benning is organized to help put over the appeal in Columbus February 1st and 2nd.

## The Upatoie New Bridge Dedicated

**OPENED AT 9 O'CLOCK.**

Last Saturday at 9 o'clock the new double drive bridge over the Upatoie was dedicated with short but appropriate ceremony.

Sharply at the stroke of 9 the General's car bearing General Gordon, Colonel W. H. Fassett and Mayor Dimon of Columbus started up the south approach and broke the tape, and proceeded across the new bridge. Respresentative detachments of all of the troops of the Post followed the General's car, the order of march being as follows:

The 24th Infantry Band.

Company "A" of the 7th Engineers, who constructed the bridge.

A detachment from the 24th Infantry.

A detachment from the 29th Infantry wearing steel helmets.

One motor drawn 75 mm. gun with necessary personnel of the 83rd Artillery.

Five Baby Tanks from the 15th Tank Bn.

One surprising feature was that with all five tanks on the bridge at the same time and moving there was little vibration to the bridge, so we can safely conclude that the bridge is there to stay for many a year.

After the entire procession had passed over the bridge the procession returned in the same order as above and broke the ropes across the right drive and passed over the bridge.

Chaplin Wood offered silent prayer during the ceremony.

Now if we had a good paved road to Columbus, it would make travel to Columbus a pleasure and beside prove very profitable to the merchants of that city.

## BIG DRIVE FOR SALVATION ARMY

**FORT BENNING WILL HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO CONTRIBUTE.**

Fort Benning will be invited to contribute to the raising of a fund to enable the Salvation Army to carry on its activities in this section February 1 and 2. This invitation is connected wth an entirely worthy cause and should receive the support of every officer and man of the garrison. The following letter has been received by The News and is self-explanatory:

Columbus, Ga., Jan. 18, 1923.
Lt. John W. Elkins, Jr.
A. & R. Officer,
Ft. Benning, Ga.
My dear Lt. Elkins:

Receipt is acknowledged of your esteemed letter of the 15th instant in regard to the Salvation Army drive at Ft. Benning.

It is very kind and generous indeed of you to lend us the assistance of your columns until after the drive.

For the various committees in charge, I beg to assure you of our appreciation of any assistance you may render us in this worthy undertaking. Most assuredly the Salvation Army is doing good for the benefit of all and we hope that every individual in the camp will make a donation of around $1.00 each to this worthy cause.

Yours to serve,
COLUMBUS ROBERTS,
President Salvation Army Advisory Board in Columbus, Georgia.

## On or About October 1st, 1923

**AS IT HAPPENED ON THE BENNING PAVED HIGHWAY.**

On or about Oct. 1st, 1923, a train load of recruits arrived at Columbus for Fort Benning. These recruits were a husky as well as spry bunch and refused to ride out to the Post, saying that they had read in the newspapers that there was a paved road to Benning and that they were going to walk. And walk they would and so walk they did. How those men walked! They said to themselves that they must be near the Post as they had walked long, but being determined they kept on and on, and where do you suppose they went? Why, to Cusseta? Why to Cusseta? Why they were good men and read the papers and the papers said that the road to the Post was paved.

Also about this time a lot of student officers arrived in Columbus and, the papers boasting about the paved road to the Post, these gentlemen took the papers literally, and as a great number of them had driven over to Columbus in their autos, they patted themselves on their backs and actually gave wife a smile and said, "At last we are on some real road! Gosh, paved road! Won't it be great after what we have been over!" So these poor deluded officers started for Ft. Benning via the paved highway and they drove and drove and then they drove some more. And where do you suppose that these men reported? Why, they went clear to Cusseta. Why did they go to Cusseta? Why Columbus informed all the world that the road to the Post was paved. What a life!

Cruel Fate was not satisfied in to misguiding the incoming folks it had

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## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theaters as follows:

Colored Theater .....6:00 p. m.
Post Theater .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theater.....7:30 p. m.

**January 28th.**

"The Storm," 8 reel feature (Virginia Valli). "Shoulder Arms," 3 reel comedy (Charlie Chaplin).

**January 29th.**

"On the High Seas," 6 reel feature (Jack Holt). "Darkest Africa," 1 reel comedy (Mutt & Jeff). Fox News, 1 reel.

**January 30th.**

"Mad Bargain," 6 reel feature (Anita Stewart). "Golf," 2 reel comedy (Larry Seamon.)

**January 31st.**

"The Young Rajah," 8 reel feature (Rudolph Valentino). "The Leather-Pushers," 2 reels.

**February 1st.**

"Pink Gods," 7 reel feature (Bebe Daniels). Fox News, 1 reel.

**February 2nd.**

"Silver Spur," 5 reel feature (Lester Cueno). Roach Comedy, 1 reel. Pathe News, 1 reel.

**February 3rd.**

"Old Kentucky," 7 reel feature (All Star). "The Minute Men," 1

## Finance Detachment Notes

The Finance Officer is now the proud owner of an over-grown Sheenie Show-Case Wagon. Well, we admit that a closed Dodge is better than the ventilated ones for this week's weather.

Sergeant Kinney is officially in charge of Corporal Short's Pay Roll and Final Statement Section. Serg't. Kenney—better known as "Rob," certainly robs 'em if remarks are not right. (How about Jones' final statement? Yeah, he's in the 26th Infantry.)

Officers' pay checks should be out of the Finance Office by February 15th, a little late, but considering Private Banda's alleged speed that's pretty good for him or we miss our guess. Private Banda still keeps up to his slogan, "One check an hour or bust."

Private Willis returned Sunday from a five-day furlough spent with his parents in Gay, Georgia, owing to his mother's illness with pneumonia. We are glad to learn that she has improved and is well on the road to recovery.

Watson (IODA) claims great things for the Cave Theory, in fact the writer believes there is something in auto-suggestion, as long as it isn't a trip to Atlanta. For further information call on Sergt. Kenney—how about 't, Robert?

The time is drawing nearer and nearer for the "Employees of the Eagle" to replenish their fellow men with funds again, and the writer fee'ls sure that every soldier on the post looks forward to this event, for he thinks that they are in the same boat with him,—many liabilities that accrued during the past holidays.

The Detachment extends their deepest sympathy to Corporal White, in the loss of his brother, who died January 19 from the results of an accident that happened last summer. Cpl. (Blanco) attended the funeral at Commerce, Ga., and is now back on the job, getting the Officers' Pay ready for distribution.

Master Sgt. J. P. Muse, F. D., was welcomed into our midst last week. We are mighty glad to have the Sgt. with us, for we happen to know that he is very proficient in Finance work. The Detachment also extends a glad hand to Sgt. Muse's family.

Speaking of alibis, Corporal Short possesses one of the best we have heard: "I was in charge of the Pay Rolls last week, but I ain't no more." Better be careful, Short, for somebody will "Fix you right up from Texas."

The Mess Officials are getting to be very considerate towards the Detachment, for they are thinking of starting to serve our breakfast in bed. We had a conference the last part of last week, to decide who we would let have this honor, but due to the many applications on file, we find that it will require a decision from higher authorities, to settle our eating difficulties. Sgt. Bennett is dissatisfied with the Mess, and it is believed that a Non-Coms' Mess would be agreeable, providing that he didn't have to do "K. P."

Miller has decided that he won't retire, now since Congress has refused to pay General Harboard's retirement pay, for he fears that they will do likewise if he retires.

Sgt. Kenney, ex-Chief Clerk, says he likes his new job very much, but he doesn't like the idea of taking over Short's job, for he finds things pretty well messed up.

This detachment has among its prodigious members, a Cpl. Purvis, who wonder of wonders, never has seen the fair and clean city of Columbus, in his six months of presence at Fort Benning. But the other night he dolled himself up in a brand-new uniform and trotted off in the direction of Block 18. Upon investigation, it was discovered that the building he entered was quartering a certain young lady whom he knew in better days. Wish you luck, "Previous," and if the young lady in question knows you as well as the writer, she will not turn you down.

Our ex-Chief Clerk is soon to have a "bronco" to make his daily trips to and from the office and we are wondering if he will have to get a pair of mules to keep him pulled out of the mud as hitherto has been the case with his automobile. We would not dare mention any name but it is thought that a Willys-Knight automobile can be bought very cheap or gotten in exchange for a pinochle deck from a member of our force.

The writer is under the impression that Pvts. Stokes and Barker will become great hunters if they keep going out, and shooting an entire box of cartridges at one measly hare, before said hare can be a captive. The boys certainly must be proud of their new guns as they seem to pass all their spare time in fondling them same as we would our best girl.

All the fellows seem to have made their New Year Resolutions a success, as "roll call" at any time will find every one present. But we fear that some of them who climbed the "pole" climbed a greasy one and are liable to lose their hold most any time, that is, as soon as their financial condition recuperates from the holiday crisis.

## Motor Transport Notes.

Private Douglas Price (War Dog) Quest:—Did you ever use Cranium hair tonis?

Yes; It has an awful flavor.

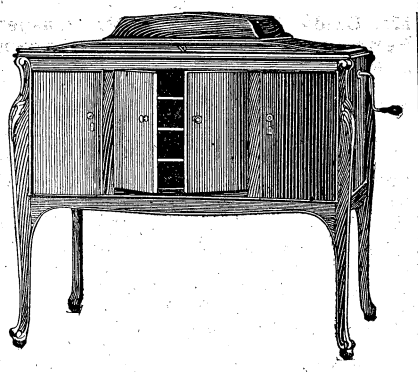
The M. T. C. Bachelor quartet composed of Privates, Jackson (Big Ben)., Washington (Kid Swift), Carter, (Village Blacksmith) and Jones (Ruff house) have composed a song entitled. It may have been an apple that caused Adam to fall. (Coppies on sale at M. T. Barber Shop.)

Private John G. Brown our flat brush artist has left on 30 days furlough for Baltimore, Maryland.

Motor Transport Company 100, gave a very enteresting Radio Program in their Recreation Room Wednesday evening, Jan. 24, 1923, under the direction of 1st Sgt. Richard Simmons, and with the able assistance of Corporal Mitchell our Radio operator. And without a doubt, with the many Stations herd from the hit of the evening was selections rendered by the following stations, WEAF, New York and AWUR Sweeney, Kansas City, Mo.

(The Old Soldiers Daily Prayer, Sgt. George H. Wanton.)

"Our Father who art in Washington please put us wise to the game, give us this day our monthly pay, bring it back to our thirty again, please forgive all our fines and stoppages, you might let our Bonus come through and lead us not in temptation we won the War for you. Father forgive the ones who taken away our 20 per cent. and the rest of our pay, while we do our duty in doubt without fear, for it sure takes a game cock to make (30) years, five cents a mile forget it not when we finish we would love to go home, don't let it be like 25 year Bill for ever and ever to roam. The few of us left father, old and grey, some have been crippled, maimed and others shot. A great many say we will get no relief, can it be father you have forgot, for thine is the Phillippines, Cuba, Panama, the Hawiian Island, United States for ever and E-V-E-R.

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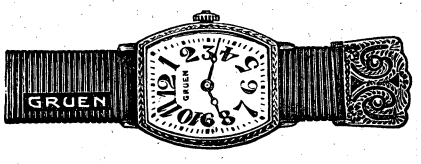


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**ENTERTAINS FOR HER HOUSE GUESTS. ON FRIDAY, DEC. 19.**

Preceding the hop at the Officers' Club on Friday evening, January 19, Mrs. Leroy Watson entertained at a lovely buffet supper in honor of Miss Mary Ludlum and Miss Kathleen McLaughlin, of Long Island, New York.

The tables were artistically decorated with carnations and for-feathers. The dining room was decorated with southern smilax.

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**MRS. RALPH M. CAULKINS HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB.**

Mrs. Ralph M. Caulkins entertained the members of the Ninth Infantry Bridge Club at a pretty party on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Jeanette Drive.

Yellow jasmine made a charming decoration for the tables and a tempting luncheon was served before the game.

Mrs. J. Ralston Lippincolt made high score.

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Misses Mary Ludlum and Kathleen McLaughlin of Long Island are the attractive guests of Major and Mrs. Leroy Watson at Fort Benning.

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**THE ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.**

The Columbus Army Bridge Club met on Thursday, December 18, at the Muscogee Grill.

Mrs. Heileman, Mrs. Fall, and Mrs. Franson were the charming hostesses.

Mrs. Bates won the high score prize, Mrs. Hartman won the second, and Mrs. Lambert won the third.

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**CHAPEL GUILD.**

At the meeting of Chapel Guild on last Monday, Mrs. Peyton presiding, considerable business was accomplished. It was decided to get new drapings for the altar and also to take the flowers from the chapel to the hospital every week.

In addition to the above the usual business was accomplished.

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**DRAMATIC CLUB AND MUSICAL CLUB.**

There is going to be some big doings here about the last of February when the Dramatic and Musical Clubs combine for the purpose of giving a big musical comedy for the benefit of the Army Relief. There are going to be singing, dancing, choruses, solos, reading, wit and a good time in general. Also since this is a worthy cause let's make it go. It really is going to be very good. WATCH FOR THE DATE.

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**MISS KATHLEEN GRAHAM ENTERTAINS.**

On Sunday evening Miss Kathleen Graham, daughter of Colonel Graham, was the charming hostess complimenting Miss McLaughlin and Miss Ludlum at a lovely dinner.

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**83RD FIELD ARTILLERY BRIDGE CLUB.**

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. H. L. Kersh was the delightful hostess for the Bridge Club of the 83rd Field Artillery. Three tables were in play and in addition four tea guests were present.

Mrs. Dunwoody won first prize and Mrs. Webster won the second prize.

Delightful refreshments consisting of a salad, hot rolls and tea were served.

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Hon. and Mrs. Ben M. Caldwell of Florida spent last Saturday at Fort Benning as the guest of their daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. L. B. Hughes. Mr. Caldwell is editor of the Jasper News and is one of the best known newspaper men of Florida.

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**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

The chorus for the musical comedy, "Make It Snappy," that was to rehearse Monday night at 7 o'clock at the Officers' Club, will meet at the Hop Room instead. The other chorus and the rest of the cast will meet at the Hop Room at 8 o'clock. Everyone is requested ot be on time.

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**GOING TO BE SOME PLAY.**

The play, "Make It Snappy," is to be giveon in February for the benefit of the Army Relief, was written by Mrs. Grant. So watch for the date and come and get a good laugh. This play is being put on by the Musical and Dramatic Clubs.

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**29th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.**

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Robert McClure entertained the 29th Infantry Bridge Club at four tables of bridge. Mrs. Macon won the first prize, consisting of a vanity. Mrs. Pritchett won the cut prize, an embroidered handkerchief.

Refreshments consisting of a salad, hot rolls, home-made candy and coffee were served.

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**MRS. NOBLE WILEY'S TEA.**

On Wednesday afternoon at her home on Waverly Terrace, Mrs. Noble Wiley, wife of Major Wiley, entertained at a beautiful tea, complimenting Mrs. F. C. Dunkle, of Philadelphia, the guest of Col. and Mrs. McCaskey, at Fort Benning.

Yellow daffodils were used throughout the house, forming a lovely background. The tea table was adorned with these flowers, and yellow candles in silver holders cast a soft glow. Silver bon-bon dishes held yellow mints.

Mesdames Shaw, Dyesdale, Harvey and Graham presided, and were assisted by Mrs. Orton and Mrs. Ketcham.

About seventy-five friends called between the hours of 3:30 and 5:30.

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**MRS. P. B. ROGERS COMPLIMENTS NINTH INF. CLUB.**

Mrs. P. B. Rogers entertained the members of the Ninth Infantry Bridge Club and a few other friends delightfully on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Lake Drive.

The prizes were won as follows: High score, Mrs. Ellis Bates; consolation, Mrs. Hirschfelter; guest prize, Mrs. Eberle.

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Lieut. and Mrs. Moffat entertained informally Tuesday evening at their Fort Benning quarters at a "Beefsteak Supper." The honor guests were Miss Ludlum and Miss McLaughlin, of Long Island, who are the guests of Major and Mrs. Leroy Watson.

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**MISS MARGARET KENT ENTERTAINS.**

On Thursday afternoon Miss Margaret Kent entertained at five tables of bridge complimenting Miss Ludlum and Miss McLaughlin, of Long Island.

Delightful refreshments consisting of salad, hot rolls, tea and coffee were served. Candy was on the tables during the afternoon.

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**MRS. W. O. SMITH ENTERTAINS.**

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. W. O. Smith entertained the Quartermasters Corps Sewing Club.

Delightful refreshments consisting of a salad course, sandwiches, tea and olives were served. About fifteen guests were present.

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**MRS. CUSTER ENTERTAINS 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.**

The 24th Infantry Bridge Club was entertained on Tuesday by Mrs. J. Earl Custer at her cottage on Zuckerman Avenue.

The club had as its guest Mrs. F. C. Moore, of Philadelphia, Pa., who is visiting her son, Captain C. H. Moore, Jr., 24th Infantry.

Two tables of players and four tea guests were present. The first prize, a casserole, was won by Mrs. C. H. Moore and the second prize, a flower bowl, was won by Mrs. L. V. Jones. The cut prize, a hand-painted service tray, was won by Mrs. Sproule.

The party was served with coffee and sandwiches after a most pleasant afternoon.

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### LETS GO!

Those of the military who were overseas at any time between March, 1918, and November 11th, 1918, no doubt saw in certain little villages large tents in which were congregated, at times, certain members of the A. E. F. who appeared to be enjoying themselves consuming large quantities of doughnuts and coffee. Incidentally, these doughnuts and this coffee were not sold but were handed out with a smile and same pleasant remark by some attractive miss who seemed to be "cock of the walk" in that vicinity.

Those who were not so fortunate as to take a personal part in the late unpleasantness overseas saw, and have seen since, in certain cities and towns small groups of people gathered on some street corner and conducting religious services in the open. These groups may have been passed by with a smile and some of us may have experienced a slight feeling of annoyance at having an individual approach us with an inverted tambourine with the invitation to deposit therein such small change as we could conveniently spare at that particular time.

All of us have seen old Santa Claus standing near an iron kettle slung between the legs of a tripod before Christmas and those of us who thought about it concluded that the man who had the fortitude to stand on that cold, windy corner—these corners are always that way—must be somewhat interested in what he was doing. Usually we dropped anything from a dime to a dollar in the kettle to help buy the local destitute a good dinner.

All of this is what we have SEEN the Salvation Army do? They have done far more to relieve the physical and mental sufferings of mankind than we realize because such things are kept secret. A great many former "under dogs" will testify to such.

In the last issue of The News we carried a front page picture showing triplets born to the mother of a veteran of the World War. Unfortunately the mother died at the birth of the youngsters but the Salvation Army is taking care of them. Immediately after the war the Salvation Army erected a large hospital at a cost of over $300,000.00 so that persons in dire distress might find a place wherein to regain their health and strength. This is another thing the Salvation Army has accomplished.

During the early part of February the Salvation Army is going to put on a big drive for funds with which to continue their activities in this section of the country. There is not a member of the garrison who will materially feel the loss of a dollar donated to this cause and the mental feeling of having done your "bit" will be worth more than a dollar. Several thousand dollars should be donated by Fort Benning, because, primarily, of the fact that such a proportionately large number of officers are stationed here. This drive has the sanction of higher authority and this fact, together with the actual construcive work made possible for the Salvation Army by the raising of sufficient funds, puts it "up to us." The exact date of the drive will be announced in a later issue.

## On or About October 1st, 1923

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to even beguile the unfortunate residence at the Post. Why? Why they read in the Columbus papers that the road to Benning was being paved and they all held their breath in joyful expectation of riding to Columbus without wrecking their car over the MISERABLE road that had been and when the news was spread that THE PAVED ROAD TO BENNING IS OPEN they all pulled their cars out of storage, got them washed up and cleaned up and started for Columbus via the way of the paved road. Well, these poor devils drove and drove and drove but not a bit of paved road did they see. But these folks were patient and said, "Well, I guess they haven't gotten this far yet (oh, how true!) and continued on and soon they saw a big sign with a newly painted arrow and this sign read "TO COLUMBUS." What an expectation of joy filled these people for they said, "Oh, here is where the pavement must start." But alas, these poor folks were fooled again for there was no pavement, for all that they found was some more bum-um-ty road that wrecks your car, blows out your tires, makes you use more gas than you should, makes your back ache, gives you a headache and gets you all out of sorts. But, as was said before, these were patient people and had suffered a lot so they continued on and on and pretty soon they saw another sign as above, and BEHOLD, they turned and were on an asphalt road. Oh, what a joy! The first thing they knew they were in Columbus and here they looked at their speedometer and, behold, they read ELEVEN MILES. Oh, what a fate! They had to go over nine miles of rough, muddy or dusty, car-wrecking road to travel two miles on pavement, and before they paved it, it was only nine miles to Columbus. AND WE READ THAT THE ROAD TO BENNING HAD BEEN PAVED.

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## U. S. Senator Sings Praise of Salvation Army

Washington, D. C.—Former Senator Kenyon of Iowa, who recently was appointed to a place on the federal bench, in a speech made in the Senate during the debate on the bonus bill, shortly before he left that body, said that "if there is an institution on the face of the earth that following the teachings of the Nazarene, it is the Salvation Army."

The senator was relating to his colleagues the plight of some of the former service men, and in illustration told them of this incident:

"I was called to the anteroom of the senate the other day. There was a man who said he had been a soldier from my state. He was a veteran of the Rainbow Division and he had gone overseas.

"He was sitting out in the anteroom with 23 cents in his pocket. He had a sick wife and baby whom he had brought from New York. He had not a cent on earth outside of this 35 cents, and he was hungry.

"Our office went to work on the case. He had 17 shrapnel wounds upon his body, but was recovered from them. He got no help from other organizations, because, they said, they had so many other cases they could not handle his.

"In desperation he turned to The Salvation Army, and those good people took that wife, that poor, emaciated, hungry little woman, and that baby, took them to the hotel and fed them, and raised the money to send them out to Iowa.

"That was a picture I cannot get out of my mind. The Salvation Army—God bless the Salvation Army—if there is an institution on the face of this earth that follows the teachings of the Nazarene, it is The Salvation Army, and that came home to me in this case above everything else I have ever seen of the great work of The Salvation Army, not only at the front in time of war, but at the front in time of peace."


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## 24TH INFANTRY HONORS MASTER SERGEANT STONE UPON HIS RETIREMENT WITH REGIMENTAL REVIEW.

### General Gordon and Members of His Staff Were Present.

On Wednesday, January 24th a regimental review was tendered Master Sergeant Laxarus Stone in honor of his retirement announced in General Orders.

The Commanding General, the Executive Officer and G-4 were guests of Colonel Nicklin and witnessed the regimental review which was given to Sergeant Stone.

General Orders follow:

Headquarters 24th Infantry.
CHM-BA.
Fort Benning, Georgia.
January 23, 1923.

General Orders No. 1.

The regimental Commander desires to bring to the attention of the officers and enlisted men of the regiment the record of the long, honorable and faithful service of Master Sergeant LAZARUS STONE. Service Company, 24th Infantry, who was placed on the retired list per paragraph 5, Special Order No. 12, War Department, January 15, 1923, and a regimental review will be tendered him on Wednesday, January 24th, 1923.

Master Sergeant Stone entered the United States Army, July 20, 1898. He served 24 years, 1 month and 29 days and has a credit of 5 years, 10 months and 1 day double time.

He has been a non-commissioned officer since September 22, 1900. He was appointed Master Sergeant (Personnel Sergeant Major, 24th Infantry) June 1, 1918, and was the first to have the distinction of holding that position in the regiment, having been appointed when is was created in 1918.

Master Sergeant Stone participated in engagements during the Phillipine Insurrection, August 1, 1899 to April 14, 1902 and various skirmishes as follows:

San Mateo, Rizal, P. I. August 12, 1899.
otolan, P. I. December 8, 1899.
Yba, P. I. January 5 to 9, 1900.
Against Joaquen Sonano, July 2, 1901.

He later took part in the Punitive Exposition in Merico, from March 28, 1916 to February 5, 1917. In action against Villistas, Jurez Mexico, June 15th and 16th, 1919.

This Non-Commissioned Officer has served loyally, efficiently and honorably and the record of his service is that of which any man might be justly proud.

The very best wishes of all officers and enlisted men follow him into his well earned retirement from active service.

(200-8)
By order of Colonel NICKLIN.
CHAS. H. McNAIR, Adjutant.

## COMPANY "A" 7th ENGINEERS

The opening of the new highway bridge over the Upatoi Creek, has settled the question, "Will the old bridge wash away tonight?"

As the following remark was heard as the Engineer Company approached the bridge. "Oh, look the Engineers are carrying rifles, the same as the other soldiers." Yes Madame we not only carry them, but there is only 3 men in the company who did not qualify last year.

The Engineers are not only bridge builders during peace time, but also build bridges during war time. The Seventh Engineers built pontoon bridges across the Meuse River which saved the Americans heavy losses at times during the World War.

## THE 24th INFANTRY AND 15th TANKS HAVE GORY SESSION ON VOLLEY BALL COURT.

In a recent issue the officers of the 24th Infantry invited any ambitious group of officers to a friendly contest for honors on the volley ball court. In a trial bout with the 15th Tanks some weeks ago, the right to accept any challengers for title was established in a 4 to 1 by the 24th aggregation.

As a return ticket the Tanks again tried their luck on January 19th with no better success. The Tankers came full of "wim and winiger" with vengeance teeming in their veins. Riding on their high hopes they topped the score of 15 to 10 in the first frame. In the second game the proverbial blood began to tell. A 15 to 6 score followed by 15 to 5 in the third game established fire superiority, and the 24th crew began to maneuver for annihilation. In the fourth game the second stringers went in and held the visitors to a 15 to 12 score, making a tally of games 3 to 1 in favor of the Infantry. The final game of the series was made up of substitutes getting a warming up and some practice against the energetic Tankers. This resulted in a 15 to 3 victory for the Tanks. The series stood 3 to 2 in favor of the 24th Infantry.

The general interest that seems manifest on the various courts throughout the post in late afternoons should produce some contentious teams to combat either of the above teams. If you think you have a better team than the Tanks, arrangements can be made with the 24th Infantry team. Or, if you think you have the makin's of a runner-up team, make arrangements with Captain Leonard and try your mettle. The present chmpions will consider any legitimate challenge.

**Tanks.**

Captains Leonard, Taylor, and Lieuts. Adams, Mallory, Hanson, Searcy, Garvin, Jaynes, and J. T. Harris.

**24th Infantry.**

Col. Nicklin, Capts. Clarke, Wilson, Callahan, Bresnahan, McNair, Lyons, Farnsworth, and Lieuts. Jones, Carter, Schas, Maling, Custer, Whitesides, Stetler, and Chandler.

## Finance Department Notes

Private Stokes, alias "Mary Garden Willie" claims to have found a sunburn lotion thats wonderful. As Stokes is too frail and fragile to venture out in the open, we presume that he uses it at night to prevent 40 watts from harming his delicate features.

Sergeant Bennett can be seen most any evening at the Service Club playing Flinch with Mrs. Stevenson. It was learned the other evening why Sgs. Bennett comes into the barracks at times with such a long face—well Jim, the best of players get flinched occasionally.

Private Barker has joined the ranks of huntsmen here and hereafter, and the Canteen is doing a thriving business in Gun Oil, as Barker (better known as hayseed, Cordwood, Corn shucks or Alfalfa) burns the midnight oil in cleaning and polishing his "jawbone" shooting sticks, and it's a pity he neglects his neck so.

No, Ayers, the "Volstead Act" is not a troupe of Acrobats playing vaudeville, but most any evening you can enjoy the wrestling matches in the F. D. barracks. Watson and Miller are very adept in throwing the "Bull" and its hard to say which is the best, Watson, Miller or the Bull, however, day by day in every way they're getting better and better.

Corporal Short returned Sunday from a five day furlough spent among the hills of Alabama chasing coons. We always thought Willard was a "Coon-Jigger."

"Jew" Friedenthal is still on the job when it comes to talking and is continually horning in on conversations.

Tillerson (with his mulish laughter) still claims undernurishment, at that though the Army comes closer to "Feeding Him" than anyone could possibly do in Marble Hill.

### Two "CC'S"

New K. O.—"Sergeant, what kind of a soldier is Pvt. Abraham Washington?"

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

Bugs De Napoli is up to his old tricks again. He was overheard asking a Sergeant Major if he was going to take a furlough next May and drive through to Pennsylvania. The answer was "no," so Bugs said, "Hurry, Henry, and drop your prices again, and if you go down enough I may have enough on my finals to buy one.

Did anyone think the camp bugler was blowing "Call to Arms" last Thursday night? No, gentle readers, that was only Pvt. Head staggering through "Fire Call."

Sugar has driven up and stopped. After a three months' furlough, he looked as if he had been abstaining from the necessities of life, and Oh, boy, he sure eats like it.

Trotsue, our Supply Sergeant, delivered a lecture on the art of hand decorating. Following is an extract from his address: "All men will turn in their tin hats at once, for the purpose of having a new insignia painted on them by the Commanding Officer.

Wonder what drove our 1st Sergeant into Joe Brown's Tea Room. He said it was his new cap that was the reason.

All together now, every man who enjoys his glass of good cold beer, let's try out old man Coue's cure to this tune: Every day in every way we pray and pray, bring back our beer, bring back our beer.

Reeves never gets a night off. Sharp had him playing the piano the other night. Sharp was rehearsing is new song, "He Was Caught With the Dog Catcher's Daughter."

Company "B" defeated Company "C" in one of the fastest and cleanest basketball games seen in the league, by the score of 12 to 11. Mabry, Kane and Swantic featured for the winners and Barrick and Cain for the losers.

Sgt. Lysacowski entertained 1st Sgt. Gardner in his quarters the night of the rain.

Day by day in every way our 1st Sergeant is getting better and better in the art of writing discharges. He has written out eighty in the past four months. Attaboy, Gardner.

Company "B" lost one of its first class dog robbers, one Pvt. R. F. Woods, who has served three years as a faithful and efficient bootblack and gold bricker. On the day of his discharge he was awarded the medal of "First Class Duty Dodger and Gold Bricker." If Doug Fairbanks could have cast his eyes on Woods' wardrobe when he left he would have turned green with envy—5 wardrobe trunks, 6 suitcases, and 4 handbags, and over $100 saved on clothing allowance. Such are the savings of a dog robber.

Wonder what a certain petite sergeant has bothering his mind for the last few days? It's alright, Ray, Celeste will still remain faithful to you.

For Sale—One O. D. Dayton bicycle. Has two good tires and every thing. Anyone wishing to buy address all communications to Company Clerk, Co. "B," 15th Tanks. If you are in doubt about the condition of said bicycle, ask Gardner. He knows.

The battalion's representatives at the Tank School at Franklin Cantonment, Camp Meade, Maryland, have returned home. They must have fed pretty well up there, as they are all heavyweights now. Welcome home.

It is recommended that a board of non-coms be appointed to ascertain why it is that Cpl. Worth always sits half on and half off a chair these nice days. He claims it is due to a cactus plant, but who ever saw a cactus in Georgia.

The Chrysanthemum Gardens, which has been operating under the direction of Patterson and Worth for the last few months, has been sold to Scroggins, who has closed the place for a short time in order that extensive repairs may be made to the place. Scroggins expects to carry the same high brand of goods and maintain the excellent service that has been rendered heretofore.

Pvt. Dudley got to feeling real hard the other day. He claims to have a brother who is so hard that no one is afraid of him.

"Spark Plug" Wade is the original hard luck guy. He has a sore front foot now. Goldbricks may come and goldbricks may go, but Sparkey goes on forever.

Headquarters won a closely contested basketball game from "C" Company at the gymnasium Tuesday night, the final score being 6-4.

Company "C" will put on a play entitled "Justice in Columbus" at the show to be given in the Log Hut this week.

Liberty and Irby will now sing the duet made famous by Faust and Aida. It is said to be a carol taken from the Bathtub scene in "Pinochle."

(NOTE—We have saved your poem and it will be printed as soon as we go back to a 12-page paper again, which will be soon. Editor.)

A Lassee in wartime Uniform who greeted you with a smile, doughnuts and coffee as you came out of the trenches. Who else could it be but the Salvation Army.

## Medical Department Notes

Captain J. R. Sands, Sergeant Cook, Corporal Moore and Private Gregory left Tuesday morning with the convoy going to Americus, Ga. The medical property at Souther Field has been transferred to this station, the Air Service Depot at that place is to be abandoned. The convoy returned Wednesday and the men reported a good trip.

After completing one enlistment, Private William J. Grubbs was discharged Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1923. Not being able to see the advantage in re-enlisting, Mr. Grubbs decided to return to his home in Griffin, Ga.

2nd Lieut. Beatrice Dare, Army Nurse Corps, has reported for duty at the hospital, coming from Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Captain H. W. S. Hays, attending surgeon, has returned from a thirty day leave of absence.

Lieut. Col. James W. Van Dusen, Post Surgeon, has returned from a thirty day leave of absence.

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# 24th Infantry Notes

### COMPANY "A"

Company "A" has had and still has a record that is very hard to beat, and a first Sgt. who is a hard nut to crack partiality with him has no favor and everything runs smooth. We are only 22 in strength today, but our 100 percentage still holds good. Each man has pledged himself to buy a history of our regiment so dear.

Charles W. Churchill, Co. "A" is shouting because he will be discharged in April 1923. He says when he gets that paper, there will be no more stewed heart for dinner. He is going to civil life and live in luxury. It's funny he just knows there is luxury where 5c beer and free lunches are where five cents and free lunches are served and your luxury will be awfully slim. Don't let our stewed hearts call you back.

Pvt. Orange is telling every-body that he is married, but to produce the stuff he can't. So it's no use telling us until you get proof. Wake up old boy, we know you, if tales were money, "Lord"! The millions you would have.

### COMPANY "C."

Company "C" has a fast company, they have always been first in everything and as the world is getting faster and faster these days, Company "C" must do likewise, so keep up with the rest. Why not get a Radio outfit. Just watch our step.

As was remarked by an ex-member of the 24th, "If the neck is too big for the collar put a string in the collar and make the collar big enough for the neck."

Another member. What! no, not Col. Barnett. Yes he was seen talking to the 23rd degree wizard the other day and it couldn't mean but one thing and that is he must be getting a shack in block 23. Look out Company "C", the whole company is slipping.

Private Rufus Williams hasn't been himself lately. We are wondering what could be wrong. Never mind Rufus you are still a full fledged 23rd degreer, and as soon as her vacation is up you can resume command.

### COMPANY "D"

"Pea Head" having established a Fort of his own, is hereby relieved from assignment to "Fort Chubby." Being the founder of the said Fort he will be named the Commander in Chief" and will proceed without delay to his new station for duty. The "Clubbing Departmeot" at Fort Chubby will furnish him with as many as 20 knots on his head to accompany him to his new station.

Booker the "Wood Butcher" is quite disagreeable after failing to get discharged by reason of dependents, after such a hard struggle. Keep a cool head Booker, it only takes forty blams to buy the paper that it takes to discharge you.

Pvt. Felder, better known as "Kid Quong" says there is one thing that makes me like "L" Company's Mess Hall, and that is they feed um much swamp seed, with no sweetum.

### COMPANY "E"

Say Corporal "Hog Eye", why did you slap her? The spider had to talk about the man she loved, and you didn't happen to be the lick guy.

If Winfred Brown would miss a meal it would kill him. Have you ever heard him say "did you hear me?"

For the time being Sgt. Fisher is known as "the trooper" of Company "E". He sings some wicked blues, and everybody has to dance to his tune. Oh, while you are so powerful in the orderly room, do use discretion.

### COMPANY "G"

Well the dope that the 24th Infantry was going to get another chance of station, went out like a light. They say soldiers can talk their regiment into a move, but if they can talk this regiment out of Georgia, they have to quit talking and start singing.

When target season was mentioned a few days ago "G" company's morale was raised another notch, because we know that it means more money for all of "G" Company. Last year we qualified all but one man, and with Capt. C. M. Lyons, Commanding the Company this year we are sure to lead the regiment.

Heard around Camp Benning (24th Infantry area) Are we going to fire on the range with rifles? When do we go on the range?

### COMPANY "I"

Doctor Coue, has a very nice patient at this station, in the person of the first sergeant. "Every day and every way he is getting better and better. Reveille is getting harder and harder. Restricted list is getting larger and larger, Ford Hillery is getting uglie and uglier and the 1st Sgt. visits block 23 more and more.

Please don't forget that Keiffer and Pat are going to give an exhibition in trick and fancy riding with the 8 day wonder, known as the put-put machine, as soon as Keiffer pulls off Pat's leg.

Sgt. Green, was seen around the mess hall last Monday at noon he was singing the "M" Company blues "Company I Sure got nice chow" nuff sed.

Pvt. Slim (Long Distance) says that the drinks are on him the very first Wednesday afternoon that the weather will keep him off the parade ground.

Pvt. Washington (Shorty) says the recruiting officer told him to join the army and see the world. All that he has ever seen was what he dug up at Fort Benning.

Sgt. Sessions (Shady Rest) says cars may come and cars may go, but he will drive the wonderful One Hoss Shay until she falls to pieces.

Sergeant Loyd (Corral King) says that a horse comes before a soldier, so watch out when on mounted pass that he don't make the horse ride you instead of letting you ride the horse.

### COMPANY "K"

Corporal Patterson of Company 'I' was on the witness stand a few days ago and upon being asked whether the accused was in military service replied, "I don't know he is in the guard house now."

Since our last writing another member of the Run and Jump Club has passed in review. How did it happen Merch?

Look out Jesse you will be passing in review soon, watch your steps. (nuff sed.)

Sgt. Wood showed some speed the other night. Oh Boy, we are thinking of making you a 26 degree member of the Dun and Jump Steady Club since you set that pace.

Sergeant Lay, (The 100 per cent. Mess Sgt. and will wear any man's collar) is certainly on the job when he thinks he has something nice to eat by issuing a lot of unnecessary noise in the mess hall, but when he has nothing you can't find him with the Scotland Yards Force.

### COMPANY "M"

Pvt. Mack Cumming (Vampire Kid) seems to enjoy the off and on society. He is back from a "make 'em yourself" pass. He is now on the restricted list.

Sgt. Singer Green (Speed King) was in the city the other day where he met one of Mr. Love's Show girls. He took her for a ride in the country where he tried a little speed. And reveille, mess call, fatigue call and retreat and tried to put on the brakes in the orderly room, where he skidded right up on the book for one month, and now you will find him trying to speed up those 6-8-10 and 12 checks.

Any man that is not satisfied with the chow in the future may go over the hill and get a full meal, providing he don't miss any calls, especially fatigue call.

Our Supply Sgt. (Squire Coleman) as been instructed to put on another pair of breeches, at least a pair that fits him, somewhat better than the ones he is now wearing, so he will not have to be called "Squire" but Joe Coleman.

Pvt. Emmitt Holland (Aide-de-Camp to the 1st Sgt.) seems to have his office at the Post Laundry as he is seen going to and from there most of the day.

Our Cook ((Newsom) is now spending a week trying to learn to fire a Government Stove. As a matter of fact he seems to have trouble with the doors and can't get the habit of opening them without letting them drop with all their weight.

### CONCERT 24th INFANTRY BAND

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5. Selection—Chin-Chin.
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# 29th Infantry News Notes

### SERVICE COMPANY.

Privates Poore and Freeman, following their last "serious" argument, have signed an armistice. Private Patton, however, suspects that this armistice will only last until the question of who shall climb up on top of the tent to clean the spark arrestor comes up.

"Officer" O'Leary, the Manhattan Kid, is all smiles these days. He and the redoubtable Sergeant Harry Storm, of "Monyana Club" fame, have recently completed repairs to their tent, till it's one of the best in the row—if not the best. We suggest a Block Party to celebrate the event—minus "Irish Confetti" and breaking window panes.

Private Collins has come to the conclusion that it's much more convenient to dump a pair of muddy shoes in the barracks bag than to shine 'em for inspection.

### 1st BATTALION HDQ. COMPANY.

Dear Friends:

In our frequent conversations we have learned to know each other; we have learned to care, the one for the other; we realize our mutual need of and lack of an education or special training in some particular profession or vocation, and each of us are aware of the ambition that each has for the accomplishment of good, the attainment of a superior and true success, and the reaching of a goal that, as yet, looms afar in the distance.

We are at the beginning of manhood. Because of our poor training, it is evident that our implements, unless the hand be trained to use them and the mind to direct them, are not sufficient to carve success upon the record of our careers. We realize that if one would achieve success that he must put his shoulder to the wheel, his eye upon a distant goal and strive always, fight eternally and push forever onward toward the individual attainment that he has set about to accomplish.

In some way, each individual pays a price for whatever amount of success he enjoys. Perhaps, it is in money, in work and toil, or in study. It is my opinion that each of us are willing to pay the price necessary for the acquiring of knowledge. Are you not willing to burn mid-night oil, to exert every effort and to study and fight if, thereby, you are better fitting yourself to face the mystery of life and conquer it?

Cleveland has said: "It is decreed that we can surely exact our dues from the world and at the same time can achieve a success that will be glorious. To do this it is only required of us to be true to ourselves, true to our duty to humanity, obedient to the divine law, and submissive to the will of God."

We see on every day of our lives that ignorance is the emblem of failure, poverty, misery and defeat. Success, on the other hand, is the twin brother of knowledge.

With view to these things, I have decided to concentrate my mind and devote my every effort to something which will be beneficial to me upon my return to civilian life. Allow me the pleasure of extending to you my best regards and the sincere hope that each and every one of you have derived some pleasure and amusement from the column which I have contributed to the News as representative of this organization. In conclusion, fellow soldiers, I know of no body of men who are more loyal and worthy of commendation in every respect than you, and it is my sincere hope that I may sometime have the pleasure of lending assistance to any one of you, and you can come and cast a tear and catch a cold upon the last resting place of,

Yours cordially,
RICHARD L. WOODRUFF.

### COMPANY "B."

Tiger Romploskie has turned into a star basketeer and now that he is devoting some of his time to the ball and basket, we are in hopes that we (the 1st Battalion) will win the championship of the Post, and there seems to be no reason why it can't be done, assisted by such stars as Pvt. Pinchawsky, Frye and Lawson. Now we about forgot the outstanding star (as a water carrier), Cpl. Robillard, he usually carries a bathtub in order to receive the ball properly.

Sgt. Humphrey enjoys our column, but mostly the publicity he receives thru the efforts of the reporter. Some fellows had the nerve to say that Sgt. Humphrey asked a couple of the fair sex to take a ride in his brand-new Tin Lizzie, and he also stated that they could go along on his trip to the moon, and the young damsel replied, "Gladly, I would go for a ride in your CAR, but your feet seem to have all the room."

The next shall be a piece of "Anything." (Eh, boys?)

All through this life I jog along,
And every place I go I sing a song;
I have no name for the songs I sing,
So I will call this one, Most Anything.

As I was out on a stroll the other day
Down by a house I chanced to stray;
I saw a maiden in the swing,
And it made me think of most anything.

Now, kind friends, don't think me wrong,
For you all asked me to sing a song,
I asked you what song should I sing
And you replied, Sing most anything.

Now, at last, my song is complete,
And I do think it is your turn to treat;
My favorite drink is Coco-Cola Fling,
But tonight I'll drink most anything.

### COMPANY "C."

Things are dull in the Company now, everybody is mildewed since the rain began.

1st Sgt. Barton growls because he has to wade water all the way home. It's a good thing he is web-footed or he would get drowned.

Pvt. Budzisz, the great hunter, is killing all the rabbits on the reservation. He serves rabbit hash every Sunday night.

Twenty recruits fired on the range last week for the first time; the score was from 29 to 47 on the 200 yard range. Bright prospects for a number of experts this next season.

Sergeant Mansfield has gone on recruiting service. All the companies can begin making room for more recruits.

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BAT.

Another thing we need at Fort Benning is a school for reporters.

Pvt. Duke was discharged January 17, 1923, tho' this piece of news was not printed in last week's issue. Going to reside at Peachtree Place, Atlanta, for the winter, where we learn that it snowed.

Not that we haven't got other things to worry about, but they should fight the next war in a warm climate, Palm Beach, for instance.

### COMPANY "E."

We want to know who it was that got Cpl. Nelson up at 4 a. m. the other morning and told him that First Call had gone, and then laughed at him for waiting in the Company street from 4:15 until 6:00 a. m. for reveille.

Hard luck has fallen to the Gold Bricks of Company "E." The Company Tailor, Barber and Supply Room orderlies have found it more convenient to drill than gold brick lately. And they are not doing it by request either.

The best soldier in the army, namely Cpl. Payne, has after almost 17 months of special duty returned to the company for duty. We are sure glad of it, for the army hasn't been much good since he has been away.

Our hero, Pvt. Newman, leaves us the 31st. After 12 months of vacation in the Service, he has decided to retire. But, Arieless, did you ever think about that appetite of yours? If not, don't be too hasty in quitting the Army.

The "Dead - Beats," otherwise known as the Minor Talotic Platoon, have been working real hard (so they claim) pulling demonstrations the past two weeks. Cpl. Darley is the main go, though.

Our auto mechanics, Cpl. Garcia and Pvt. St. George, have finally found what the trouble is with their pushmobile. St. George claims that the wheels won't turn, and Garcia says that the engine won't run. Now we are in doubt, but we will compromise, and admit that they are both right.

### COMPANY "F."

Our Company farmer has taken up boxing in addition to his other duties. Look out for your hand, Dorsey, we want you to be able to shake a wicked plow this spring.

As long as "Erb," our Mess Sgt., has four bits in his jeans he's off to town. You should have the price of the movies at least, Clarke, you know any girl will tire of listening to the same old stuff night after night.

The following is a list of names of men who have become famous, as "Moppers Up" in the mess hall after every meal. They may be seen scouting around for all the pie that is left over: Philips, Trogden, Otalvaro, Williams, C.

It is now raining at the writing of this paragraph, the reason is, Private Leonard has at last sent his laundry to the Post Laundry to be done up.

Corp. Metzinger has just been turned to duty and he starts off with a parade. We wish you luck, Metz.

Our Co. Clerk, Sgt. Stephenson, has recently done away with his famous moustache. It has taken ten years off his thirty-three years of age. Some chicken, "Steve."

Last week in the City of Columbus, Corps, Madura and Marcattili could not get back to the post fast enough, so they went into the office of the Howard Taxi Co., and asked just what they would want for one of their busses. Someone asked who the Colonel was, they were referring to Patsy Marcattili.

Our promising pugilisht, Ed Broussard, has taken over the Recreation Room. He sure is a "Dime Assassinator" from the way he "murders those pool tickets." Keep it up, "Ed," every one means a thin one for you.

Our Latrine Orderly, "Cadillac" Graham, sure wins the "Steam Heated Cuff Links" when it comes to "chin music." He owns more land than any fifty men, that is to listen to him tell it.

Corp. Holmes, our very busy Squad Leader, has all the girls in and around Columbus, Ga., crazy about him. I wonder what it is that attracts the fair sex. I believe it is his personality along with the charm of his "misplaced eyebrow."

Our Co. Bugler, "Chicken" Bruch, finishes his three-year enlistment this coming Saturday, three years of honest and faithful service. We wish you luck on your return to civilian life, Dodge.

Private Lingel may be seen posing at the buss station quite often. Wonder what brings him there, does any one know?

Private Szurkus is conducting a school of Stenography and Shorthand. He has a few intelligent pupils to start off with, namely, Acting Privates Leonard, Pankowski, F. Hayes, Williams, C., and Jacobs. Although Privates Pintos, Lazerovitz, Booth and a few others have been transferred they are still continuing their course. Szurkus predicts that within the next ten years they will be able to understand what he is talking about.

Since our famous little boy, Corp. Price, has been drawing the extra few dollars in his pay he is quickly spending it on the U-Driv-It of Columbus.

Cook Derbyshire would remind one of a junk man. He is always visiting the tents of others inquiring whether they have any books or magazines. What do you do with them, "Derb," look at the pretty pictures?

Pvt. Peckus could not get fat after two years in the kitchen. Let's see what the line will do for you, Pete. Pvt. Schwab is having a hard time making the grade, especially in close order. It seems that they are all out of step except him.

Sgt. Hockemeyer is back and is no doubt glad to be with us again.

This company would like to get a Volley Ball game with some company in the regiment. Call around.

Lt. Farley is back with us again and we are all glad to see his smiling ace. He reports that he had a wonderful vacation among the land of snow and ice.

We have our Soccer team going strong and here's hoping that we win our games.

The battalion basketball team is practicing hard every day and wait until the first game, you'll see who's champs in this regiment.

We may not be prophets, but we can almost see who is going to win the camp championship. The various companies in the battalion are contributing some good material for the team.

### COMPANY "H."

Now that the basket ball season is over, the men are turning to soccer. We have a few applicants for the batallion team whom we hope will make good.

There is another new Corporal with us now. He's a hard working man ever since he came to the Company and he deserves all the laurels he has won. Congratulations, Taylor.

Johnnie Helms lost the decision in his fight at Macon last week. From all reports he made a plucky fight and some claim that he should have received the decision. We happen to know though that he is going to win his next fight.

Chisel's got a weenie dump located somewhere in the vicinity ot 6th Ave. and 14th St. Everybody who has at least jitney left after taking the usual detour through the cemetery, is cordially invited to patronize said dump. Positively no jawbone.

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## National Guard and Reserve Officers Class

(By JAY GEE BEE.)

The first thing that enters my mind is the party given to our class by the officers of the Advanced Class last Saturday night at the Hop Hall. It was a peach and anybody that missed it sure missed something worth while. Almost the entire memberships of both classes were there, and there was something doing every minute.

Colonel Heavey, President of the Advanced Class, gave a short address of welcome, and this was all the speech making of the evening. In my humble opinion, any party that has no speeches is a wonderful success.

Anybody that saw Major Ganoe put his stuff across at the party can easily understand how he was able to give us such an interesting conference several weeks ago. The writer has spent a good many francs for entertainment and has yet to get more laughs from the efforts of one man than he got from the major's performance.

A couple of Hula dancers (male) added to the gaity of the evening, as did the singers and orchestra from the 24th Infantry.

A fine buffet lunch and plenty of almost beer made up the refreshments and got an awful play. Personally, I saw Singletary in the mess line four different times.

An effort was made to get a bunch together to sing the class song, "Drill & Command," but there was no quorum and it had to be passed up. After the scheduled program was completed, a gang of extemporaneous singers took up the task of amusing themselves and the rest of the party and were very successful. They sang a lot of the old songs, such as "If You Want the Officers, We Know Where They Are," and "Hinkey Dinkey, Parley Vous." The party broke up about midnight and the guests left with the feeling of being a little closer to the Regulars than they had even felt before. The National Guard and Reserve Officers thank you, gentlemen, for a very pleasant evening.

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Old Man Dignity was sure missing at that party.

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Hopf was heard to say as he handed in his examination paper to the Scouting and Patrolling instructor: "Gee whiz, when I have to think so hard, it always gives me a headache." At that, he does not complain much. He also was the recipient of a terrible blow one day last week. The new order, abolishing the date bars for Expert Rifleman medals was read to him and when he had it interpreted he found that he would have to discontinue the wearing of that ten-foot ladder on his manly chest.

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It may be news to a great number of the class, but it is my duty to inform you that one of our members was seriously ill last week. He was compelled to miss classes all of one day and was, in fact, so seriously ill that an ambulance was sent to take him to the hospital. However, it did not get to his quarters until evening and by that time, he had a hard time remembering that he had been sick.

Here is the best one of the week: Bateman says that if he could have his legs straightened, he would belong to the first squad instead of the seventh.

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McGowan saw a picture of Annette Kellerman at one of the local movie houses, and forthwith proceeded to emulate the famous diver by doing a flying jacknife into one of the numerous ditches, while on a tactical walk.

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Well, kind readers, the time has come when the conductor of this foolish column, together with the foolish readers thereof, must transfer his labors to other fields. This will be the last issue of the News that we will appear in, for we finish here next week, and will be on our way.

The writer has had a lot of fun out of this paper, and if he has furnished any amusement to the members of the class, he is satisfied. There have probably been times when I have been in grave danger, but luckily, if I have been in danger, I didn't know it. I have tried to avoid being too personal and if, by any chance, anybody has been offended by anything in the paper, I will assure him that it was all in fun, and I hereby publicly apologize.

It is with a real regret that the writer sees the class broken up and scattered for it has been a pretty good war, after all. So long, boys, and take good care of yourselves.

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The News offers Jay Gee Bee sincerest thanks for the good work that he has been doing for the News. It was clever work and from favorable comment made from time to time we know that the notes were enjoyed by all readers of the News.

## "Cat and the Canary" At Springer Saturday

"The Cat and the Canary," the most thrilling mystery play New York has enjoyed in many years, has just passed its one hundred and fiftieth performance at the National Theatre in that city.

John Willard, author of many famous sketches, wrote "The Cat and the Canary" originally for a one-act play for the Lambs Gambol, but decided, after reading it to a few friends, that it had greater possibilities. He incorporated almost the whole sketch into a second act, wrote a first and third act to round it out —and won fame and fortune.

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## 83rd Field Artillery

Sgt. Jack Samlavich visited from Headquarters Battery to try out the wares of Corporal George Mann, both lightweights. Both were kept interested. The finals found Charles Mixwa, of Battery "A," and "Tanks" Grantham, Corps Area welter champion, entertaining each other for four three minute periods.

Sgt. Reuben Cofer acted as toastmaster and managed to embarrass the Commanding Officer, Major Joseph W. Rumbough, 1st Lieut. Chalmers Dale, the adjutant, and Captain William B. Dunwoody, his battery commander, in conventional style.

The remainder of the battery was divided into squads of story tellers, dancers and singers. The dancers won, but the singers were executed promptly at sunrise Thursday morning, two-thirds of the members of the battery present at the time the vote was taken concurring in both state that it is only Dean and Webb

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## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Keyes, you had better let that little girl alone in the future, she's only playing you for fish. We think she comes from the West, at least she must be a gold-digger.

Pvt. Danis has a new name for the outfit now. He says that C. W. S. stands for Chemical Woodpile Society.

Overheard in the recreation room: Why is a Northern Irishman so much different from prohibition? Because the Irishman COMES from Bel-fast, while prohibition GOES to H—— fast.

The celebrated pool shark Williamson, challenges anyone of his size and weight to a spud picking contest. We certainly believe you could easily win Jamesy, because we have seen you pick them off your plate.

Will some one kindly tell us what kind of a wagon Sgt. Brown drove before he came to the C. W. S.? When trying to stop a steam of mules he tried to get hold of the brake on the left side of the wagon, and then got mad because he couldn't find it.

This is a new kind of demonstration for us. We don't know who it was, but some one tried to take a Stokes' Mortar out and fire it with out the use of a base plate.

Pvt. Welton has a new way of hunting rabbits. He goes out to a demonstration and after the guns are fired he tries to run the rabbits out of the brush piles with a club.

### A WISE GUY STUMPED

**By S. Omar Baker**

(That Alphabetical Army—Can Yau Read 'Em )

Oh, I done my bit in the A. E. F.
As a G. H. Q., M. P.
But I learned squads right and could do squads left
Like an L. T. O. R. C.

My C. O. was an A. M. P.,
Who had been in the M. T. C.
He'd give K. P.'s what was comin' to them,
But he left all the thinkin' to me.

A. W. O. L.'s with their passes false,
Use to come from the Z. of A.
To the old P. C. I'd make 'em waltz,
And figure 'em out on the way.

When I got my glims on an R. S. O.
I was better than A. G. D.
At figgerin' 'em out so the C. O.'d know.
What the meanin' was aimed to be.

I compreed G. O.'s and the I. D.
Found lodgin' in my bean.
From a PVT to the C.in C.
I could figger what letter'd mean,

Now, the M. D. S. and the A. P. O.'s in the A. S., S. O. S.
Mixed B H. mail with the R. T. O.'s—
I'd 'a done a heap better, I guess,

I was some wise guy when I wore O. D.——
Compreed all the high signs well—
But to understand R. S. V. P.—
Why, I'm natcherly S. O. L.

Red Diamond (5th Division)

### It's a Hard World.

Soldier, to Inspector hearing complaints.—"Suh, they wont let me live with my wife!"

Inspector.—"When were you married?"

Solider.—"We aint."

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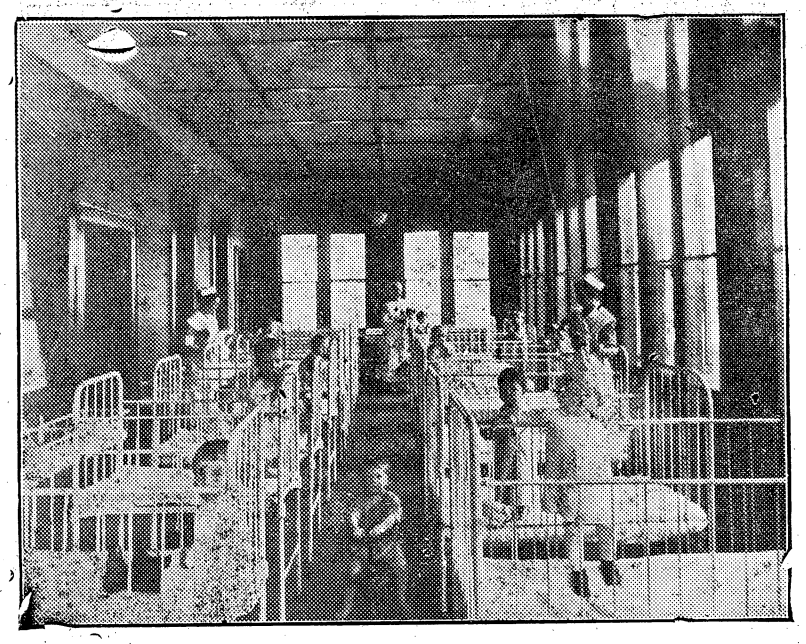

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### HISTORY

Adam was the first man, and Eve, she was his spouse;
She let a little garden and started keeping house.
Everything went quiet and peaceful in the main
Till they got things a-goin' and started raising Cain.

ABram was an ancient Jew of an investigatin' turn—
Stuck Ikey in the fire to see if Ikey'd burn.
But Ikey was a lucky kid and got off with his skin.
For just as he was cookin', a ram came buttin' in.

Essau was a cowboy of wild and wooly make—
His father gave him half the farm and half to brother Jake.
But Essau said the title to the farm it wasn't clear
So he sold it to his brother for a sandwich and a beer.

Joseph was the favorite son and he was very zealous,
His dad gave him a golf coat and it made his brothers jealous;
So they sold him to Egypt for a small consideration,
Where he made a million dollars on big grain speculation.

Samson was the fighter of the John L. Sullivan school,
He licked the mighty Philistines with the jawbone of a mule,
But a woman named Delilah got him filled with gin—

Along came the barbers and the sappers roped him in.
Jonah was an imigrant, so runs the Bible tale;
He booked a steerage passage in a trans-atlantic whale.
But Jonah down inside "got very much depressed.
So he just pushed a button and the whale he did the rest.

Daniel he got sassy and wouldn't mind the king,
The king said he'd d—d if he would stand for such a thing.
So he put old Danny with the lions away down underneath.
But Daniel was a dentist and he pulled the lion's teeth.

### Give Him the Bloody Shirt.

Marker, in the Pit. A five, five, a four, a three, an'—he went awaay.

### GREAT NUMBER OF OFFICERS GO ON FOREIGN SERVICE

A great number of infantry officers here will leave at the end of the school year for Foreign service. The below list does not include the 29th Infantry nor the 15th Tank Bn.

The list follows:

**24th Infantry**

1st Lieut. Cyril C. Chandler.
1st Lieut. William D. Schas.
2nd Lieut. Edwin G. Maling.
2nd Lt. Sterling E. Whiteside,, Jr.

**Per Pers. Infantry School**

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Captain Peter G. Marshall, Jr.
Captain Walter C. Rathbone.
1st Lt. Ralph E. Alexander.
1st Lt. Francis G. Brink.
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1st Lt. George F. Herbert.
1st Lt. Guy. M. Kinman.
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1st Lt. Oliver H. Prizer.
1st Lt. Fay Smith.
1st Lt. John H. Whayne.
1st Lt. Arthur N. Zeigler.
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2nd Lt. Joseph Billo.
2nd Lt. William R. Brewster.
2nd Yt. William E. Crist.
2nd Lt. Tracy E. Davis.
2nd Lt. James T. Dismuke.
2nd Lt. Frank N. Roberts.
2nd Lt. Edgar H. Snodgrass.
2nd Lt. Dwight L. Adams.
2nd Lt. Thomas M. Crawford.

### PRUNES AND QUARTERS.

Sir:

In the old days there was a common expression in the Regular Army about the manner in which prunes were served, viz.:

7 Prunes to a 1st Sergeant,
5 Prunes to a Duty Sergeant,
3 Prunes to a Corporal, and the Private gets the JUICE.

Well, here is a brand new one which actually occurred:

At a certain Army Post two buildings were being remodeled into four sets of official quarters—one for the C. O., a colonel, one for a major and the other two for company officers. The Utilities Officer in charge was directed to purchase three bath tubs for these quarters, but as there were to be four sets, he naturally asked the C. O. if he shouldn't procure one tub for each set of quarters. The C. O. replied as follows:

"Two of the three tubs will be installed in my quarters; the third one is for Major B; officers below that rank are not entitled to bath tubs."

What next?

—Army and Navy Register.

The Editor of the News believes that this is an excellent example of "Imitation Hardboiled Injustice."

## History of 7th Engineers

Rumelange, Luxembourg, proved to be the best billeting area the regiment had had since leaving Fort Leavenworth. The men all knew how fortunate they were to be living in the Grand Duchy, the tiny land, which organized by Siegfried in 963, and having been under the vassalage of most of the crowned heads of Europe, had marvelously retained its political autonomy to the present time. The troops farther back in France were still living in dugouts, while east of the narrow confines of the Grand Duchy the troops were in enemy territory.

For eight months the regiment was destined to remain in this little town. The civilian and military authorities always maintained the best of relations, and as a result all comforts available were had.

A more detailed account of the movements of the individual organizations of the regiment after leaving Longuyon follows:

Regimental Headquarters moved to Hollerich, a suberb of the city of Luxembourg, on December 4th, and remained there until December 12th, when it moved a few miles east of St. Hubert Chateau. On December 17th Headquarters moved to Rumelange, Luxembourg, where the entire regiment was being assembled.

Company "A" arrived at Longwy on November 26th. Longwy (Haut) was one of the French frontier fortifications in 1914. The Germans at that time over-estimated the strength of the French in this fort and shelled it some seven days before it fell. It is maintained that the Germans lost 20,000 men in the taking of Lengwy.

Some time was spent in taking over a German supply depot and it was here that they celebrated. The next station was at the St. Piedmont mine near Mancieulles, where a large German ammunition dump was located. From this point, detachments were sent to guard the Lorraine frontier at Neuf Chef, Fontey, Benvellers, Algrange and Cathernom.

On December 11th the company moved to Esch, Luxembourg, and on December 17th to Rumelange, where it made its first home since leaving Leavenworth. Fairly comfortable billets were secured and the company settled down to routine duties.

On November 25th Company "B" left Longuyon by rail for Longwy. On November 28th two platoons proceeded by truck to Steinfort, Luxembourg, to guard the Eisen and Stahlwerk. The remainder of the company was engaged in the operation of delousing plants at Longwy. On December 8th the company was reassembled at Sandweiler, Luxembourg, and remained there until December 17th, when it was moved to Rumelange.

(Continued next week.)

# Big Smoker At Community Club

On Saturday night, February 10th, 1923, the biggest smoker of the season will be held at the Soldier's Club in Columbus.

It will be one of the biggest "blowouts" of its kind. All the best talent of Fort Benning, which has for such a long time been unavailable at the Community Club, will be there to furnish entertainment for the large crowd of soldiers who are expected to be there.

The best talent in Camp would make the best stock company on the road go out of business. It consists of the best singers in this part of Georgia. The program thus far has been arranged to consist of a great many amusements for the soldiers of the Fort. The famous Twenty-ninth Infantry Quartet has offered its services in helping to entertain. They are absolutely the best to be had around and their harmony of voice has been more than once entertained at the Fort and Elsewhere. This will be their first appearance in town. There will be sereval solos by the best soloists in camp. All of you know one little sergeant from the I. S. D. whose tenor voice could long since have relieved him from Army service. He will be there and at his best with the songs that all soldiers love to hear.

Miss Johnson of Columbus will play the piano for the singers, besides giving us some of her best in several piano solos. She is an accomplished pianist, and her services will be more than appreciated.

An orchestra consisting of every make of string instrument has been working together, and what they can't do just naturally can't be done.

Did someone say something about dancers? The ones who will perform would make "Boys of the Flappers of 1923" look like his feet were tied with a ball and chain.

Everything is free — absolutely free. There will be cigars, plenty of cigarets, sandwiches, cake and coffee, and plenty of it will be served for lunch.

Now if you soldiers like to eat, and a darned good time, be sure to be there.

General Gordon will give us a few words at the smoker. Also, several prominent men of Columbus will give short addresses, in order to help our smoker along, and show they are interested in us.

A big crowd is expected, and Mrs. Pascoag, the hostess, is doing everything in her power to bring back the old crowd that used to go down there and spend their time at the club.

It is thru her this entertainment has been available, and she wishes to get all the boys together so that other entertainments comprising of a series of dances, parties, smokers and socials of every kind may be arranged for the futrue.

Everything is being done to get the better crowd of young people at the Club, and we believe that before long the best class of people in Columbus will be entertained at the Club.

So come to the smoker, It is our one chance of keeping up community service in tow.

Every man in the Post has been asked to be there, and there is absolutely no reason why the greater part of them cannot be there.

The best of entertainments and plenty of refreshments and smokes. So make this the greatest success of the season, and let's all be there at the Smoker on Saturday night, February 10th, 1923. Come one; Come ALL. FREE.

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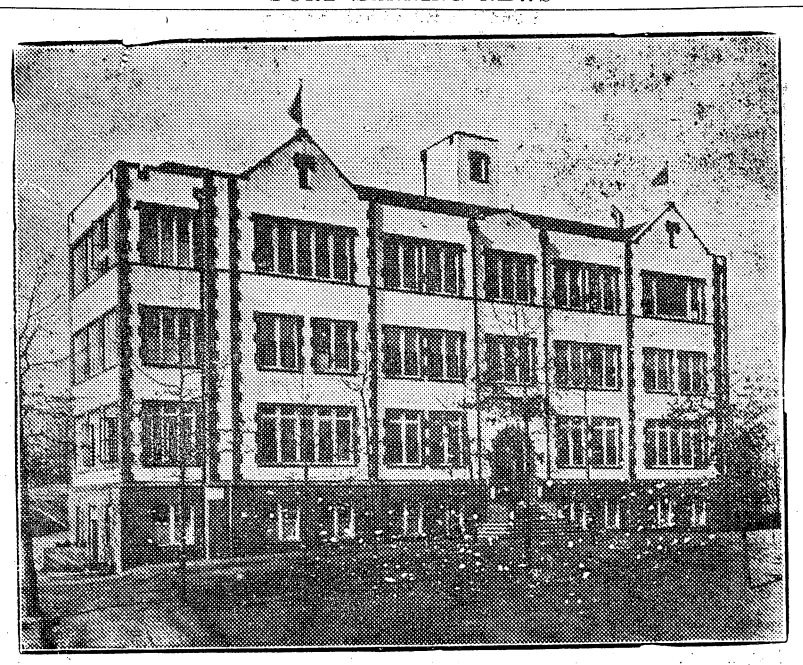

The great Southern Division Rescue Home at Vardry Hights, Greenville, S. C., where 500 girls entered last year for the same motherly care as given the boys over seas.

# Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

Probably the largest number of Non-Commissioned Officers ever made in one organization at one time were presented their warrants last week. Most of these are on their first "hitch" and have made a good start on their army careers. The following are sporting their new stripes; Sergeants Fitzgerald, Seybold Lestcher, Lowder, Zimmerman and Bates. Corporals Fuller, Roberts Pettit, Mathews, Dobson, Owens, Crawson, Ezell, Green, Goney, Sanders, Morris, Pell Ferguson, Hice, Phillips, Curry, Willis, Hamel, Moon, Coventry, Mourning, Steinrucken, Prymok, Follendore, Mathis, Nelson, Saickomw, Coates, Hudgins, Dill, Pruitt, Dotson, Dickenson, Burch, Roziarek, Vettenburg.

Master Sgt. Frank Bennett, our dimunitive shortstop, sent out an S. O. S. the other day; his typewriter was printing only Capitals and the Supply Officer of the first section, M. A., remedied same much to the satisfaction and surprise of Bennett. And to think that Bennett owns a Ford and not being able to make a small Underwood behave doesn't sound logical.

Jazz Magoni talking over telephone "Alright then, we will take action." A certain resident of Girard then took out an additional $5,000.00 Life Insurance Policy.

Since when have they moved Camp to town. (Call Information.)

The Finance Department wants to know when the Mess Sergeant is going to Issue Nut Crackers. Tuesday and Saturday's ONLY.

The dance given by the Detachment on last Saturday evening was pronounced by all to be a great success and every one present seemed to enjoy it very much.

Well we see that Corporal Sanders of the Secretary's Office has taken his initiation in the Modern Woodmen and we guess he has had the pleasure if kissing the Golden Bowl. How about it Humbre?

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# History of 29th Infantry

April 28 the Regiment rested at Chorrera and on the 29th marched from Chorrera to Camp Gaillard, a distance of 21 1-2 miles. Total distance marched was about 106 miles.

Upon the return to the garrison, Colonel Mallory addressed the following letter to the Regiment:

Headquarters 29th Infantry,
Camp Gaillard, Canal Zone.
May 1, 1916.

**To the Officers and Men of the 29th Infantry:**

As Commander of the Orange forces in the recent maneuvers the undersigned desires to thank all officers and enlisted men belonging to, or attached to the 29th Infantry, who stayed with the command until the termination of the maneuvers, for the loyal support given him and for the material ocntribution they made to the victory attained. Especially does he desire to express his appreciation to the magnificent response made to his personal appeals to officers and men to push forward and to consolidate the position seized by the Advance Guard by extending the line to the left and cutting the enemy's line of communication to the Canal. When that appeal was made the 29th Infantry had been marching for some twelve hours through the jungle, and for the last three hours practically witout a halt over an extremely difficult mountain trail. Naturally the limit of human endurance had been nearly reached. Nevertheless when officers and men realized that a decision in favor of the Orange forces depended upon their getting into action without delay an almost superhuman effort was made. The exhausted troops pressed forward, often at the double time and arrived in position in time to clench the advantage gained and to force a decision in favor of the Orange.

As remarked in a letter of appreciation to Colonel Miller, who commanded the Advance Guard, the maneuvers, because of the season of the year, the difficult nature of the terrain and the very limited amount of transportation available, constituted a test of human endurance even for troops seasoned to tropical service and to exercises in the jungle, and the long march of the 27th of April terminating in an action begun in a tropical rain storm, called for almost superhuman efforts, but the way in which the troops responded to the demands made on them shows what the American soldier is capable of in any emergency.

To Major E. R. Chrisman, 29th Infantry, who commanded the regiment throughout the maneuvers and who handled it with most commendable judgment and skill, and to the members of my staff all of whom gave me loyal and efficient support, I wish to express my thanks and appreciation, particularly to Captain W. H. Waldron, Adjutant, 29th Infantry, Adjutant Orange Forces, for his assistance in putting supporting troops into position and indicating their objectives as they arrived at the critical time when the Commanding Officer was engaged in hurrying re-enforcements to the front.

I understand from Major Chrisman that all the members of his staff acquitted themselves most creditably and that the sanitary troops attached to the regiment, both officers and men, rendered most valuable service on the march, caring for injured and exhausted men, and in this connection all reports indicate that the absence of wheel transportation was a most difficult one, were indefatigable in the discharge of their duty and are entitled to great credit for the success which resulted from their intelligent work.

This letter will be read to the men and organization commanders will explain to them the maneuvers in general and the lessons to be learned from them.

JOHN S. MALLORY,
Colonel, 29th Infantry.

# Field Artillery News Notes

**RECENT ARRIVALS ON THE POST.**

Born to Captain and Mrs. John S. Moore, on January 20, 1923, a daughter, Dorothy.

Born to Captain and Mrs. Ben-Hur Chastaine, on January 19, 1923, a son, oRbert Hamilton.

Born to Lieut. and Mrs. Francis A. McKeon, on January 19, a daughter, Mary Rose.

Born to Sergeant and Mrs. George C. Hutto, on January 17, 1923, a daughter, Lorene.

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# Take a Look at This

**"The Young Rajah" Is Tale of Many Thrills.**

Never before, it is said, has the colorful Rodolph Valentino been given as great an opportunity to demonstrate his versatility and peculiar acting genius as in his latest Paramount vehicle, "The Young Rajah," which comes Wednesday, January 31, to the War Department Theatre.

In this picture, adapted from the play and novel, "Amos Judd," by June Mathis, Valentino is first seen as a college hero at Harvard. At the crew race, in which "Amos Judd," Valentino's name in the story, pulls a winning stroke oar for Harvard against Yale, he meets "Molly Cabot" and falls in love with her. "Amos" has a past. He is an Indian prince of royal blood who was left mysteriously, as a child, with an old New England couple and adopted and reared by them.

"Amos" has the mysterious faculty of being able to read the future. He foresees that happiness with "Molly" will be beset with difficulties. Sure enough, their romance goes on the rocks, despite his ardent love-making, and "Amos" is kidnapped and taken back to India. There his duty to his original people asserts itself. He feels called upon to oust a usurper from the throne—and does so. In the end, "Molly" comes back to him and, unlike its predecessor, "Blood and Sand," the picture ends happily.

**Great Kentucky Handicap Is Shown, With Its Thousands of Cheering Spectators.**

An actual horse race, with all its thrills, is shown in the First National special feature, "In Old Kentucky," the great American classic, presenting Anita Stewart. This picture will be screened at the War Department Theatre on Saturday, February 3.

It is the great Kentucky handicap race, and you see it from start to finish. There is shown the gigantic grandstands in which thousands upon thousands of persons are crowded, all cheering wildly for their favorites.

You get a flash of the stables where the jockeys are rubbing their mounts in preparation for the great event and then the jockeys coming one by one onto the track to be greeted by cheers by the spectators.

Finally you see Miss Stewart, come on the track at the last minute dressed as a jockey, to ride for one of the jockeys who has been drugged, in order to frame the race.

Then comes the call for the start from the judges' stand and a score of mounts are off in the great race. The camera follows the horses practically from the start to the finish, as one forges ahead and another drops gradually behind.

Miss Stewart, who is an expert horsewoman, rides in a mad gallop, at first far behind, but gradually working her way to the front, until at the end she goes under the wire a nose ahead, winning the race.

There is all the wild enthusiasm of the most exciting race, and it grips with the same dramatic intensity those who watch the picture.

**Tremendous Punch Scene in Film "On the High Seas."**

One of the most thrilling depictions of fire at sea ever filmed forms but one of the many punch incidents of the Paramount picturization of "On the High Seas," which will be shown at the War Department Theatre next Monday, January 29.

This is practically the opening incident, and from thence onward the action builds up thrillingly until there comes a veritable cyclone of a climax, and then suddenly an unexpected finish follows.

Dorothy Dalton and Jack Holt are the featured players and Mitchell Lewis is the leading member of the supporting cast. Irvin V. Willat directed the picture, which was the first original screen story of Edward Sheldon, noted American playwright.

If you believe that diamonds known as "pink gods" have no power over weak women, you are in error. One can go further and assert that they exert their power over all mankind; and they have been responsible for more crime than may be attributed to any other agency.

In "Pink Gods," a new Paramount picture featuring Bebe Daniels, James Kirkwood, Anna Q. Nilsson and Raymond Hatton, which will be seen at the War Department Theatre on Thursday, February 1, next, the baleful influence of these beautiful gems is admirably depicted. It is a picturization of Cynthia Stockley's South African romance, "Pink Gods and Blue Demons," and every scene of the picture is vibrant with emotion and thrill. The story deals with two young women who fall under the sway of the little pink gods and one of whom, the character portrayed by Bebe Daniels, falls into serious difficulty when she resorts to theft to indulge her craving for the gems. How the other woman is misled by circumstances and ultimately finds happiness, is excellently shown.

Lester Cuneo, often called "the smiling daredevil," will be seen Friday, February 2, at the War Department Theatre in his newest picture, "Silver Spurs," a colorful melodrama of California written by Henry McCarty and Leo Meehan.

Cuneo is cast as a writer of Western stories and general all-around adventurer. He deserts his New York club friends to seek romance in California.

In the West Cuneo meets a type of adventure he had not bargained for. He has to fight for his life numerous times to say nothing of having to battle all over again to save a beautiful Spanish girl.

There is a well defined plot with vital characters in "Silver Spurs," and the action is laid in the shadow of one of the historic missions.

## RECRUITING OFFICE

Mr. Sgt. Benjamin F. Harris is rapidly recovering from his recent illness. He may be seen almost any time between the hours of sunrise and sunset strolling up and down Red Row. If the sun doesn't rise he stays in bed. Don't blame you, Sgt., we'd do it ourselves if we could, but here's hoping you hurry up and get well; we need you.

Recruiting business is good these days, just come up and look 'em over. Short ones and tall ones, big ones and small ones, we take 'em either way if they qualify. Even the poor boys that are rejected want to stick around so bad, we can't hardly run 'em out.

Hurrah, our assistant Recruiting Officer has been promoted. We notice he is sporting a brand new pair of Corporal Chevrons on his dress uniform. Look out, Cpl., the girls of Columbus are just naturally crazy about good looking boys with two stripes. Here's luck to you any way.

Sixty-six enlistments have been made at Fort Benning to date. We are trying to make Fort Benning head the list for Star Recruiters, in this Corps Area during the month of January. For the month of January. For the month of December, Fort Benning was third on the list.

Sergeant Aaron Winn, now operating at Dublin, Ga., was the Star Recruited in this Corps Area for the month of December. Here's hoping that the names of all the canvassers operating from this section will appear among the names of Star Recruiters for January.

Three men have been added to the List of Recruiters operating from this Post, Sgt. Mansfield, Sgt. Finney and Pvt. Morrison. Now we know that the Post will be filled up soon.

Had an additional to the Employment force recently, Sgt. Thomas W. Howell, erstwhile payroll clerk of the I. S. D. Well, the employment desk is a good job if you don't run out of maids to exclude from the reservation. Sgt. Howell says it looks to him more like a firing job than a hiring job.

Ask Fairchilds what he would rather do than to take a shot in the arm and then have to re-write a letter four times.

Say, one thing more we want you to know just which dept. in Headquarters runs with the least fuss and noise and which is the neatest section. Just take a look into our little cubby hole sometime and see for yourself. (Finance, please note. Sgt. Dobby.) Copy to Post Personnel. Sgt. Weinberg.

Say, can anyone inform Pvt. 1st Cl. Fairchilds, as to what kind of a disease "Hostesses" is?


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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100;

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theaters as follows:

24th Inf. Theater ....6:00 p. m.
Post Theater .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theater.....7:30 p. m.

**February 4th.**

"Face in the Fog," 6 reel feature (Lionel Barrymore.)
"Pay Day," 2 reel comedy (Chas. Chaplin).

**February 5th.**

"Man Who saw Tomorrow" 7 reel feature (Thomas Meighan.)
"Not Wedded But a Wife", 1 reel comedy, (Mutt and Jeff.)
"Fox News", 1 reel.

**Feruary 6th.**

"Seventh Day", 6 reel feature, (Barthelmess.)
"Crash" 1 reel comedy.

**February 7th**

"The Bear Cat," 5 reel feature (H. Gibson).
"Tis the Bull," 2 reel comedy, (Christie).

**February 8th.**

"The Ghost Breaker," 5 reel feature, (Wallace Reid.)
"Educational Comedy" 2 reels.
"Fox News" 1 reel.

**February 9th**

"Woman's Hate," 5 reel feature, (Alice Lake.)
"Roach Comedy" 1 reel.
"Pathe Review," 1 reel.

**February 10th**

"Broken Silence," 6 reel feature, (J. O. Curwood Story.)
"Fresh Fish," 1 reel comedy (Earl Hurd.)

## General Farnsworth Arrives At Benning

**THE CHIEF OF INFANTRY TO MAKE INSPECTION.**

Major General Farnsworth, the Chief of the Infantry arrived at Fort Benning late Monday evening.

The General is down so that he can be present at the graduating exercises of the National Guard and Reserve Officers Classes and while here will make an inspection of the Post that will probably keep him here the rest of the week. The Cihef will be at Savannah to greet the returning American Doughboys when they reach that port from Germany.

## Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Hobbs Decorated

**RECEIVED THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS.**

On Friday morning at 10 o'clock Lieutenant Colonel H. P. Hobbs, Executive Officer of the 29th Infantry, was decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross.

The entire 29th Infantry was formed on their parade ground and when General Gordon took his post, the flourish was sounded, followed by The Star Spangled Banner.

When the band ceased playing The Star Spangled Banner, the Colors and Color Guard moved forward proceeded by Colonel Hobbs until they were five paces from the General when they halted. The citation confering the D. S. C. upon Colonel Hobbs was read by Capt. Betts, Adjutant of the 29th Infantry. Upon the conclusion of the reading of the citation the General stepped forward and pinned the much coveted medal on Colonel Hobbs' left breast and then shook hands. The General then stepped back a few paces accompanied by Colonel Hobbs and the Colors joined the Color Company and then the 29th Infantry passed in riview.

When the review was completed all of the officers of the 29th and the spectators gathered around Colonel Hobbs and gave him their heartiest congratulations.

The following is the citation for which Colonel Hobbs received the D. S. C.

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS CITATION.**

Horace P. Hobbs, Lieutenant-Colonel, Infantry, then First Lieutenant, 17th Infantry, United States Army. For extraordinary heroism in action at Pala's Cotta, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, May 5, 1905, where with his company (Provisional Company, 17th Infantry) he held his command in a position under heavy hostile fire at a range of from ten to one hundred yards from a strong enemy position for more than four hours and gained valuable information as to the enemy's position by fearlessly exposing himself in climbing a tree to make observations.

The Distinguished Service Cross can only be won by performing some exceptional and hazardous feat in the presence of an armed enemy.

In the recent World War Colonel Hobbs again showed the metal that

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LIEUTENANT-COLONEL HOBBS

## Review Of Troops Of The Post

**HELD IN HONOR OF GENERAL FARNSWORTH.**

A review of all Combatant Troops of the Fort was held on last Tuesday morning in honor of the Chief of Infantry.

Sharply at eleven o'clock General Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry, General Gordon, Commandant of the Infantry School and Commander of the Post accompanied by their aides, Colonel Fassett, assistant commandant of the Infantry School and Colonel Kerth, director of the Infantry Board took their positions on the reviewing stand. Just then Mayor Dimon of Columbus accompanied by A. F. Kunze, W. E. Page, J. B. Key, Homer R. McClatchey, S. B. Hatcher, and Judge A. W. Cozart, joined the Generals in the reviewing stand and the bands of the 29th and 24th In-

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## Guard and Reserve Officers Get Diplomas

**98 DIPLOMAS AWARDED.**

The class of National Guard and Reserve Officers have now completed their three months course at the Infantry School and were graduated on Wednesday morning.

98 of these officers received their diplomas, 82 going to the National Guard Class and 18 to the Reserve Officers.

The graduating exercises were attended by General Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry, General Gordon, Commandant of the Infantry School, and Colonel Baltzell, who represented the Chief of the Militia Bureau.

The sum and substance of General Farnsworth's address was that these officers had received their instruction in the Infantry School and therefore they would speak a common training language. He also told

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## Take A Look At This

### MEIGHAN MAN'S MAN IN THRILLING PICTURE

**"The Man Who Saw Tomorrow" Star Fights His Way Through Big Photoplay.**

Viceroy of India! This is one of the public offices that Thomas Meigh an holds in "The Man Who Saw Tomorrow," his new Paramount picture which will be shown Monday at the Post Theatre.

In addition, he's a hard hitting well energetic young scientist and explorer; also he has three love affairs.

He fights his way through the picture, and at the finish—— Well, that must be left out until the picture is exhibited, otherwise the punch is lost. But it ends happily.

One of the best casts that could have been assembled has been provided by Director Alfred Green. Leatrice Joy is leading woman; Eva Novak and June Elvidge have important role; Albert Roscoe is the villian; Laurence Wheat has a good part, and a venerable psychologist is portrayed by John Miltern. Alec Francis, Robert Brower, Edward Patrick, Jacqueline Dyris and other are well cast.

And a modern, smooth-talking, slick trader captain of the South Seas is portrayed by Theodore Roberts, who, with his inevitable cigar, is a host in himself. Perley Poore Sheehan and Frank Condon wrote the story, and it was adapted by the latter and M. Ritchey.

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If all the motion pictures produced were like "The Broken Silence," the screen version of James Oliver Curwood's story which will be shown at the War Department Theatre on Saturday February 10, there would be no agitation for censorship or no call for "better pictures." The Broken Silence," is as clean as the wind that blows over the silent places that James Oliver Curwood knows so well and writes about so entertainingly.

The story tells of the love of Cameron Bruce, an officer in the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, for Jeanne Marat. Jeanne, by the way, is more than ably played by beautiful little Zena Keefe, one of the most talented artist before the camera today, while the role of Bruce is in the capable hands of Robert Elliott. The balance of the cast includes, J. Barney Sherry, known for his work in many Marshall Neilan productions, Gypsy O'Brien, whose dark beauty vividly animates the role of Marie Beauvias, Roy Gordon, and a truly remarkably child player, Master Joseph DePew.

We want to say in conclusion that we strongly recommend "The Broken Silence" to your attention. We consider it a really extraordinary picture production and feel confident that after seeing it you will agree with us.

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### NO CHILD'S PLAY WAS THIS BATTLE

**Realistic Fist Fight Shown in "The Face in The Fog."**

What's a fight between friends? some might ask when told of the battle between Lionel Barrymore as "Boston Blackie," and Louis Wolheim as the Russian "Red" terrorist in "The Face in the Fog," a big Paramount - Cosmopolitan picture which will be on view at the Post Theatre next Sunday, "Some FIGHT" would be the answer of Director Alan Crosland and members of the company who saw this scrap staged at the Cosmopolitan studio.

The friendship between the two principals and the fact that Louis Wolheim regards Lionel Barrymore as his greatest benefactor, did not interfere before the camera. While Wolheim had rather take a beating himself than raise a hand against the friend who first recognized his talents and brought them before the public, Barrymore himself coached this fight and would permit no "stalling.

"He made me fight my darndest," declares, Wolheim. "Since every other member of the Cornell football team walked across my face, I am immune from any more disfigurement and do not mind a punch in the map; but I didn't want to hit Barrymore. But "Blackie Dawson" made me fight the battle of my life—because he bullied me into it.

Like his father before him, Lionel Barrymore is master of "the manly art of self-defense," while Wolheim is an all-round athelete. When the two went at it hammer and tongs, it was such a contest between brute srength and sheer skill as has seldom been seen even in the prize ring. All the spectators of that scrap declare:

"If 'The Face in the Fog' had nothing else, that fight would make it."

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## Col. Hobbs Decorated

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he is made of, when as a Colonel of Infantry his work in action was so conspicuous that he was cited for valor in action.

The following is the citation:

**Citation.**

Colonel H. P. Hobbs, 101st Infantry, 26th Division, for Distinguished and Exceptional Gallantry at Beaumont on Nov. 9, 1918, in the operation of the American Expeditionary Forces, in Testimony Thereof, and as an Expression of Appreciation of His Valor, I award Him This Citation.

Awarded on August 26, 1920.

(Signed)
JOHN J. PERSHING,
Commander-in-Chief.

The awarding of a citation authorizes such person to wear a silver star on the service ribbon of that campaign and an additional star for each subsequent citation.

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## Review of Troops

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fantry sounded the flourishers and the review was on.

The Commandant of troops, Colonel Goodale, rode past the reviewing stand and then joined the reviewing officer. Then next came the 29th Infantry band, followed by the entire 29th Infantry then came the 24th Infantry lead by their excellent band, then the 83rd Field Artillery (dismounted) then the animal drawn transportation and motor transportation. While the transportation was passing in review an aeroplane hovered above and looked down on the crowd. The 15th Tank Batallion followed the transportation. The baby tanks lead the tank procession followed by the heavy tanks. After the roar of the tanks had passed and the deafing roar had ceased a peaceful quietness reigned and the review was over.

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### BENNING TO GET NEW HOSPITAL

**To Cost $275,000.00.**

The House added $275,000.00 to the Army Appropriation Bill for the purpose of constructing a new hospital. It is believed that there will be no objection to this in the Senate.

The hospital facilities at this Post have been anything but desirable and with conditions existing here as they do, it is really remarkable that the doctors are able to do the wonderful work that they are doing.

Also the accommodations are not nearly large enough to take the proper care of the patients and the present hospital is a huge fire trap should fire ever happen to break out.

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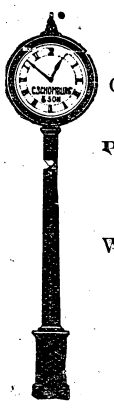

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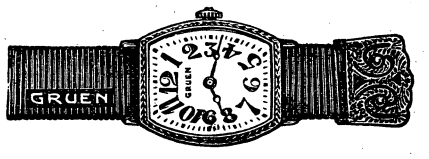


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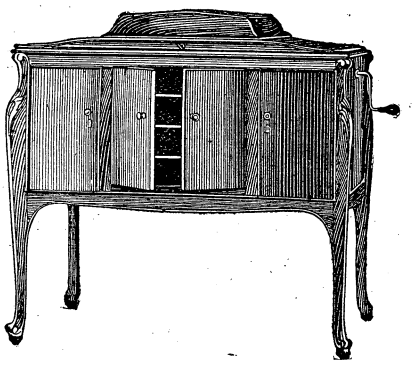

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# Social Notes

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**PERSONAL MENTION**

Capt. Robert Joerg detailed as an instructor with the Alabama National Guard with station at Gadsden, Ala., is spending a few days at Benning. He has been inspecting several organizations of the Georgia National Guard and says that he found a couple of outfits that were excellent and away above the average.

Major and Mrs. Goldthwaite returned from a ten day leave on January 27th.

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**MRS. CUSTER ENTERTAINS 24TH INFANTRY CLUB.**

Mrs. J. E .Custer was hostess to the 24th Infantry Bridge Club entertaining Tuesday afternoon at her home.

The honor guest was Mrs. F. C. Moore, of Philadelphia, who is visiting her son, Capt. C. H. Moore.

The top score prize a casserole, was won by Mrs. C. H. Moore, and Mrs. Buracker won second prize, a flower vase.

Mrs. Sproule cut the consolation, a pretty hand-painted service tray.

After the game the guests were served with coffee and sandwiches.

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**ARMY BRIDGE CLUB OF COLUMBUS.**

Mesdames Hatie, Hickox and Beber were hostesses for the Army Bridge Club of the city which had a delightful party at the Muscogee Grill on Thursday afternoon.

Strawberry ice cream and cake were served after the game was over.

The prizes were won as follows:

First prize, Mrs. Archie Falls.

Second prize, Mrs. Eugene McLendon.

Third prize, Mrs. Joseph Hatie.

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**MRS. DAN ELLIS HOSTESS**

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Ellis entertained at seven tables of bridge at the Palm Room of the Ralston Hotel honoring Mrs. William Wrenn of Lexington, Ky.

A delightful salad course was served as refreshments.

Mrs. Merritt Olmstead won the top prize, a hand embroidered luncheon set and Mrs. A. A. Fall won the second a card table cover.

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**MRS. LeGETTE ENTERTAINS**

On Friday afternoon, January 26, Mrs. Ashley LeGette entertained at Bridge at her home.

Excellent refreshments consisting of aspic salad and strawberries with cake were served.

Mrs. M. B. Mabas won the first prize ,a vanity case. Mrs. L. N. Allen won the second prize, a Dorin and Mrs. H. Murray won the booby, a deck of Lord Fountelroy Cards.

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**COL. AND MRS. ANDING GIVE A BUFFET SUPPER.**

On Saturday evening Col. and Mrs S. Anding gave a delightful buffet supper.

In the dining room a large table was handsomely decorated in a motif of orange color. Orange colored calendula and ferns formed the center piece, and orange colored candles glowed in silver holders. The guests were seated at quartet tables.

Thirty-five guests enjoyed their hospitality.

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**MRS. JOHN A. CHASE GIVES A TEA.**

On Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 Mrs. J. A. Chase entertained at tea, complimenting her mother, Mrs. W. S. Richardson, of Baltimore, Md.

Her home was beautifully decorated with a great number of cut flowers and the living room was adorned with lillies, narcissus, and snap dragons.

The tea table was covered with a handsome embroidered cloth. Pink tapers glowed in silver holders.

Mrs. Thomas Doyle poured coffee and Mrs. P. L. Ransom presided at the tea table. Mrs. Dodd and Mrs. Inman assisted.

Fruit, salad, sandwiches, salted nuts and mints were served.

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**MRS. CLIFTON BUTLER ENTERTAINS.**

On Friday evening, January 26th, Mrs. Clifton Butler entertained the popular house guests of Major and Mrs. Watson, Miss Ludlum and Miss McLaughkin.

A delightful supper was served at the Officers Club Mess. The tables were decorated with hyacinths, narcisses and white candles in silver holders.

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The Medical Department Bridge Club met on the evening of January 30th, at the home of Major and Mrs. R. B. Tobias. Those attending were Lt. Colonel and Mrs. Hansell, Lt. Colonel and Mrs. Brown, Major and Mrs. Moulton, Captain and Mrs. Campbell, Captain and Mrs. Green, Captain and Mrs. Smith, Captain and Mrs. Arnest, Captain and Mrs. Roby, Captain and Mrs. Turner and Captain and Mrs. White. Prizes were won by Captain Green, Lieut. Colonel Hansell and Mrs. Turner.

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**MRS. SIMS ENTERTAINS THE 29th INF. BRIDGE CLUB.**

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Leonard Sims entertained the 29th Infantry Bridge Club. There were six tables of players.

Mrs. Scales won the first prize, two lovely embroidered handkerchiefs, and Mrs. Stickney won the cut prize, a lovely embroidered handkerchief.

Delightful refreshments consisting of chicken salad, hot rolls, coffee and olives were served.

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**MAJOR AND MRS. TABIAS ENTERTAIN THE MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.**

On Tuesday evening Major and Mrs. Tabias entertained the Medical Department Bridge Club. There were five tables of players.

Captain Philip Green won the first prize, Colonel Hayward Hansell the second, and Mrs. Reeve Turner the consolation.

After the game refreshments were served and all enjoyed a delightful evening.

The club will meet on Feb. 13th with Capt. and Mrs. Dan Campbell at their quarters 23-15 at 7:45 o'clock.

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**RESERVE AND NATIONAL GUARD OFFICERS ENTERTAIN AT SUPPER AND DANCE.**

On Tuesday evening at 8:30 p. m., the graduating National Guard and Reserve Officers class gave a dinner honoring the instructor of the Infantry School.

An excellent five course dinner was given that was thoroughly enjoyed by everybody.

Between courses short but excellent talks were given by Major General Farnsworth, Brigadier General Gordon, Colonel Fassett and Major McMurry. Capt. Brown, president of the class, acted as toast master.

Excellent music was furnished by the orchestra during the meal.

After supper dancing was in order and in the wee small hours of the morning the guests departed, tired but happy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Gallagher, from Uhrichsville, Ohio, were visiting Warrant Officer and Mrs. Robert O. Dickson for a few days. Mrs. Dickson is a niece of Mrs. Gallagher.

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Miss Dorothy Kneeland, of Battle Creek, Mich., is the house guest of Lieut. and Mrs. Hess.

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**MRS. B. A. BYRNE COMPLIMENTS MISS KNEELAND.**

A pretty bridge party was given on Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. B. A. Byrne entertained at her Fort Benning home, complimenting Miss Dorothy Kneeland, of Battle Creek, Mich., the house guest of Mrs. John Bartlett Hess.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Hess and the honoree was also presented a souvenir.

Pink and white flowers adorned the living room and at the conclusion of the game a salad course, tea and coffee were served.

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**CHAPEL GUILD.**

The Chapel Guild will meet at 10:30 a. m. Monday in the Protestant Chapel.

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**THE CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.**

The Current Events Club will meet next Monday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Jack Rycroft.

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**THE MUSICAL CLUB.**

The Music Club will meet in the Officers Hop Room at 7 o'clock Monday evening for rehearsal.

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## THE BENNING PAVED HIGHWAY.

Columbus is very generously paying half of the cost of paving the road to Cusseta and then trying to make the people out at Fort Benning believe that it is the Benning or Lumpkin road that is being paved. Well, maybe the inhabitants of the Post believe it and maybe they DO NOT.

Columbus is probably trying to induce tourists to come to or via Columbus because they have TWO MILES of pavement outside of the city. SOME INDUCEMENT. Why not induce Fort Benning people to come to town more often?

About how much money will these tourists bring to Columbus? About $5,000.00 a year. Now what would be the result if the road to the Post was paved? People living in the Fort would take a trip to Columbus just for the ride, and every time that people go to town they spend something, but it is a sure proposition that no one is going to town on the present road until he has to.

Now just what does this Post mean to Columbus? Well, it is more than you could guess. The monthly payroll at this Post is almost $440,000.00 ($439,413.99) A MONTH! Mind you, over $5,270,000.00 A YEAR. Mind you, now this is only for the PAYROLL! The payroll does not include supplies purchased by the Government or for construction going on under contract.

Now this money is here, so why not get more of it by making inducement to come to Columbus oftener. We can safely guess that Columbus gets about 70 percent or 75 percent of this amount, and still a possible few thousand dollars from possible tourists is a greater inducement than a few millions of dollars from the Post. It cannot be said that Columbus will get greater advertising from the tourist than from the Army. Just think until about four years ago only a very few people in the Army and a very few people in the North and West and East had ever heard of Columbus, Ga. What is known about Columbus, Ga., now? Ask any Infantry-man. It is the Infantry that has gained the publicity that Columbus has gained in the last few years. Now we need not confine ourselves to the Infantry entirely but there are some Cavalry and Artillery Officers, Signal and Engineer troops and the Quartermaster Corps that know about Columbus, Ga. Yes, and the Medical Corps knows something about it, too.

The people of Columbus say that if they wait long enough that the Government will pave the whole thing. Well, maybe so, but in view of the building project going on here and with that which is contemplated it is very improbable that the Government will pave any road for the benefit of Columbus for several years to come.

The people of Columbus say that they cannot afford to pave the road to Benning. But what do they do? Why, they go ahead and pay for half of the cost of the paving on the road to Cusseta, and what good is that road to this Post?

Now here is a simple question: If Columbus can't afford to pave the road to the Post, how can they afford to pave the road for two miles toward Cusseta? Doesn't Columbus derive more revenue from the road going to and from Benning than from the Cusseta road?

Another thing: Do the people of Columbus really beileve that the people of this Post would appreciate going over about the same number of miles of this excellent auto-bursting ROAD as they do now plus two miles of pavement to get to Columbus?

Here are several questions:

Who is going to build the auto-bursting clay road that will connect the Benning and the Cusseta pavement?

Who will have to pay for the upkeep of this proposed road? Probably the Government.

Another thing: How much is it going to cost to contsruct, that is grade, fill and build, this new auto-bursting clay road? If it is not filled the new road will probably be impassable at every high water.

Why not pave the road to the Fort and be done with it?

## RELIGION—ITS VALUE

Religion puts before a man the highest and best motives that effect human nature. All the really great men of history have realized this fact and so proclaimed it. Pagan as well as Chirstian writers have always proclaimed religion, whether false or true, to be the foundation of human society. Zenophon says: "That the most pious cities and nations have been the wisest and the most lasting,' Plutarch says, "That it is easier to build a city in the air than to constitute a society without belief in the Gods." Rousseau observes, "that there never was a state formed without a religion serving as a foundation." Voltaire maintained, "That wherever there is a society religion is absolutely necessary. Napoleon used to say "without religion men will kill one another for an apple or a pretty woman."

"Let us lay the foundation of our morality in GOD, no nation has ever yet ventured to socialize atheism," said Robespierre. "Laws only control the arm, religion rules the heart' said Patrolis. "Let us learn to see things as they are, the true, the good the ancient, the authoritative morality, needs the absolute, aspires to the transcendental, and finds mainstay in God alone. Conscience, like the heart, demands a future. Duty is nothing if not sublime, and life would be a comedy but for its relation to eternity," said Sherer. Bunzen stated "Culture of intellect without religion in the heart, is only civilized barbarism and disguised animalism.

General Washington called religion and morality the "two great pillars of human happiness,' and the firmest props of the duties of men and citizens," that reason and experience both forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail in exclusion of religious principle. Therefore, to swerve from religion is to endanger the life of a nation.

Every serious minded man recognizes the truth of the above statements. Many, however, seldom think along this line for the reason principally that they fail to attend divine services where such ideas are expounded. "Remember thou keep holy the Sabbath day," is not a request, its a command. To spend one hour a week with God is not too much to expect of any man, and its the only way that this religious sentiment, natural to man, can be kept alive in the heart.

To neglect the practice of a religion or to attend only occasionally, tends to make us forget God entirely; and to forget Him is to cease to listen to his voice speaking within us—the voice of Conscience. Attend divine services not through sentiment, but through a sense of duty to God, yourself, and likewise to your neighbor, who may be induced thereby to follow your example.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7, F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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**Darley Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons.**
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E. P. COULTER, Sec.

## National Guard Reserve Officers Get Diplomas

(Continued from Page One.)

them that fifty-two percent of the regular army officers now on duty were graduates of the Infantry School, and further that an additional sixteen percent were graduates of the Leavenworth School and the Army War College. Also that with each year there is a better chance for a greater number of National Guard and Reserve units to receive instruction.

General Gordon implored each graduate to sum up what he had learned and then go forth with renewed zeal and vigor and impart their professional knowledge to their organizations and brother officers that had not had the chance to attend the Infantry School. He also called attention to the existing social, political, economic and religious unrest throughout the world with little, if any, guarantees of a satisfactory settlement in the near future.

The following is the program that was carried out:

Assembly—Twenty-Ninth Infantry Band.

Invocation—Chaplain Stephen R. Wood.

Address—Brigadier-General W. H. Gordon, Commandant.

Address—Colonel Baltzell.

Address—Major-General C. S. Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry.

Presentation of Marksmanship Badges—The Commandant.

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National Anthem—Twenty-Ninth Infantry Band.

Benediction—Chaplain Thomas J. Lennan.


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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

Last Thursday afternoon, January 25th, a Women's Club was organized at Service Club No. 1, by the ladies of the post and the following officers elected: Mrs. W. N. Parsons, president; Mrs. G. A. McCallum, vice-president, Mrs. W. B. Allen, secretary Miss, C. M. Roe, treasurer. The club will meet in the room in the south end of Service Club No. 1 every Thursday evening at 2:00 P. M. The name of the club will be announced in the next issue of the Fort Benning News.

A Casino Tournament was held last Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock in the south room of Service Club No. 1. Thirteen tables were arranged for the players and after a hard fought battle with other Casino sharks, Privates U. L. Taylor, Co. 'G' 29th Infantry and F. M. Randolph, Co. "D" 29th Infantry, came out winners of the prize which consisted of a wonderful Maple-nut cake made by one of the ladies of the post. Every participant thoroughly enjoyed the game (even Corporal Myers) and voted for another one in the very near future.

A Men's Chorus was started last Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock in the south room of Service Club, under the able directions of Miss Roe and Mrs. McCollum, about forty men taking part in the singing. It is believed, that with the number of good singers in the post, it will only be a matter of a little practice before a real worth-while chorus will be formed. The chorus will meet each Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock in the south room of Service Club No. 1. All singers sit up and take notice.

The dance last Wednesday evening was a real success and enjoyed by all present. The room was well filled with ladies, both of the Post and Columbus, which proves that they are realizing what good dances we are having at the Service Club. Our refreshments committee is right on the job when it comes to preparing refreshments that all like—last Wednesday night they consisted of Iced Lemonade and Cake.

The Dance Committee met last Monday evening at 7:15 in the south room of Service Club No. 1, where a number of unfinished business items was brought before the committee and disposed of. It was rather a hard matter for the President to call the meeting to order owing to the fact that Sergeant Giron had BEEF STEAK on his mind and refused to talk about anything else.

A dance is held at the Service Club every Wednesday evening at 8:30, rain or shine, and the Camp Buss will call for any lady on the post who desire to come, and will give her name and address to any member of the committee or to Miss Roe.

THE DANCE COMMITTEE,

## Finance Detachment Notes

Well here we are again but with very little to say due to the fact that everyone in the office is busy getting things in readiness for "Pay Day."

The detachment as a whole voiced the opinion that we were the bookworms for the simple reason that we do not exercise enough. "One day of exercise every 6 months or bust" was the slogan—now it is "3 games of volley ball every morning and don't think about the office," Boys I want to tell you that we have one grand team look at the line-up and smile:

**Booze Hounds.**

"Beauty" Bennett ..... Net
"Neo" Shorte ..... Center
"Ioda" Watson ..... Net
"H. A. F." White ..... Serving
"Clarice" Friedenthal ..... Backfield

**Boobs.**

"Zabe" Ayers ..... Net
"Stacomb" Kilpatrick (our golden locked Signal corps player), Net
"Shamoy-skin" Tillerson ..... Center
"Hayseed" Baker ..... Serving
"Oh" Previous ..... Backfield

WANTED—One wooden Pinchole Deck to practice with—Phone or notify Sgt. John Dobbie (alias Heinnie). Take our advice John and swap your ice wagon for a deck or two.

Yees, eet ees complete for one hour, I have write one check all right but eet ees too much work, yeah Banda we agree with you, check writing is too much of a job, better try something else.

The monthly session will commence promptly at 5:30 P. M. Wednesday evening and continue every evening until all lessons are taught—apply to Watson—(Signal Corps please note.)

The following Special Order shows how military the Finance Detachment is getting to be:

SPECIAL ORDERS, No. 9,999,999.
January 23rd, 1923,

EXTRACT

Par. 5,555, A Kangaroo Court will be convened this 29th day of January, 1923, to try the Honorable Superlative King Jehosaphate Willis, for Mopery, Dopery and Attempt to Gawk.

**Detailed for the Board.**

John Dobbie, The Pennsylvania Dutchman.
Bob, Kenney, Ex-Top Kick.
Neo D. Short, The Alabama Apple-Knocker.
Verona Miller, Mother of the Detachment.
Zabe Ayers, Our Country Boy.
Ioda Watson, Pigsknuckles Chump.
H. A. F. White, Our Lady Killer.

By direction of CITY SLICKER, Friedenthalheimer,
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The Pinochle committee wishes to announce that Corporal Shorte and Bookkeeper Miller was visited by "lady luck" this week and enabled them to win a game against Tech. Sgt. Kenney and Private Watson by an awfully small margin.

**An Imaginary—**

Lieut.—Corporal, what is a contour?"

Corporal.—"A chalk mark around the crown of a campaign hat."

**So It Does (Or Did)**

Sergeant; holding up before the recruits under instruction a Bacon can.—"What goes in this?"

Crute—"The condiment can."

**"SOLDIERING"**

**By Sgt. H. L. Fink**

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Everyone in the service and those to
be,
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is free;
And if on any one day, you feel that
you should
Not partake of maneuvers although
you could,
Complain of a headache and get a
pill,
And you'll be considered as having
filled the bill.
You'll find some old timer's in the
Army who usually think,
Have one foot in the grave with the
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But these are the men whose time
will be devoted,
To instruct you in manner so that
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# General Lanses H. Beach Writes to General Gordon

**CHIEF OF ENGINEERS IS PLEASED WITH CO. "A" 7th ENGINEERS.**

Generla Gordon recently received a letter from General Beach, Chief of the Engineers, in which the Chief thanked the Commandant of the Infantry School for the letter of appreciation that was sent to General Fawnsworth in regard to the excellent work being done here by Co. "A", 7th Engineers in constructing the new bridge over the Upatoi.

The following letter was received:

WAR DEPARTMENT
office of the Chief of Engineers.
Washington.
January 26th, 1923.

General W. H. Gordon,
Fort Benning, Georgia.
My Dear Gordon:—

General Farnsworth has written me in regard to the completion of the bridge over Upatoi Creek, and in his letter has quoted from a communication sent by you to him in regard to this matter. I wish to thank you personally for the expression of appreciation of the manner in which this construction was done by Captain Rothwell and his Engineers and the Infantry as was illustrated in the work on this bridge will tend to bring these two branches more closely together, as they must be if each is to render the most efficient services in time of emergency.

With the kindest regards to all, I am,

Very truly yours,
(Sgd.) LANSING H. BEACH
Chief of Engineers

## 83rd Field Artillery

The business of reporting the activities of the First Battalion, 83rd Field Artillery, is made simple this week. There is very little, if anything, to report. The athletes of the outfit have been idle. The basketball team has not yet entered on its schedule. The boxers have taken out their energy on nothing but the bag. Sgt. Donelly, Corps Area heavy champ, has not been challenged by anyone. No one seems anxious to try his luck at pinning LaPine's shoulders to the mat. None of the batteries have held smokers.

A little two-handed eating, three times a day, has been indulged in; over two thousand rounds of perfectly good 75 ammunition have been thrown around the reservation, and the office statistician computes 7,891,483 steps, each 30 inches in length, were taken by the battalion in marching past the reviewing stand Tuesday morning. The polo team played a tie with the Blues, its last game, and Lieut. Peckinpaugh's crack volleyball squad lost three games in a row.

Those readers who noticed on a previous occasion that, due to a combination of late copy, and lack of space, this column was amputated two weeks ago right in the middle of a round of boxing, and resumed where the story left off, a week later, will note that this account can be stopped at the end of each paragraph without breaking up anybody's summer.

The last two stories that emanated from these headquarters looked like one of those "Way Down East" affairs where twenty years is supposed to elapse between the first and second acts.

General Farnsworth looked over the artillery material, of which there is nothing that we are prouder of, Tuesday afternoon. Fortunately, the enthusiast who, several weeks ago, armed with a brush and a pot of paint, painted the spark plug on a tractor, and short circuited the ignition, was absent from the formation.

**RUTH ST. DENIS, TED SHAWN AND THE DENISHAWN DANCERS AT SPRINGER**

**Ruth St. Denis Chosen to Present Loving Cut to Pavlowa.**

When Anna Pavlowa made her farewell appearance in America at the Metropolitn Opera House last Spring, prior to her departure for a tour of Japan and the Orient, a group of American dancers honored the Russian artist by making her a presentation and gift in the form of a loving cup, as a token of the love and appreciation which they had for her. At the same time a signal honor was paid to an incomparable American dancer, Miss Ruth St. Denis, when she was chosen to make the speech of presentation.

The reason why the choice fell on Miss St. Denis was because her compatriots were unanimously of the opinion that she among them all stood first in having made the greatest contribution to the art of original dancing in America. In fact, Miss St. Denis was the first among the present great dancers of the world to arouse the interest of Occidental publics in the dances of India, Egypt, China and other parts of the Orient.

When Miss St. Denis, Mr. Shawn and their company of dancers from Denishawn appear here at Springer Opera House on Friday night, Feb. 9th, one of the most interesting features of the program will be the final part called "Orientalia," devoted to the interpretation of the native dances of China, Crete, India, Siam, Japan, Java and Egypt.

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## News Notes From Co. F, First Gas Regiment

Cpl. Miller seems to have turned over a new leaf. While in town the other night he was seen coming out of Joe Brown's tea room. Some tea hound, you'd make Miller. You had better start going across the ninth street bridge.

Our official pen pusher, Adams, is back with us again after a month's furlough in Pennsy. Lyte you would not have been here with us so soon if that lucky quarter had only fallen with the tails up.

Who is the young man in the outfit that says the Colors of the 24th Infantry look like the Colors of the 29th Infantry? And he has almost two month's service in, too.

Cpl. Leuze went to town the other day and asked for some smoked hams and said he wanted four of them. He told the butcher that he would like to have them all off of the same pig.

You can't get the best of an Irishman. Cpl. Cochran heard of the frog that spreads the poisonous gas to protect himself and Terry is now going to start a skunk farm to try and beat the frog out of a job.

Will some one kindly tell us why all the boys hang around number 5 tent so much? Sgt. Stover must be the company canteen for the boys around the last of the month. The first thing that is spoken when anyone gets near the tent is, "gimme a cigarette."

Our two most famous movie actors, Ford Sterling and Rudolph Valentino, came near to clashing in the mess hall the other morning. Wilson told Robinson that he looked like Rudolph, and Robinson thought that it was a curse word in some foreign lingo and started in to make Wilson look like a two-cent piece.

Lookout shipmates, the detectives are thick around these vicinities. Our Columbus vamp, Sergeant Stover, is now in the detective business, so beware as he might catch the guilty party. What's wrong, Stover? Has some one got a better heaving line than you have? Buckle up, kid, there are a lot of street cars coming, so don't be afraid to miss this one. We advise that you take your badge and throw it away for a good girl is hard to find.

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## SOCIAL NOTES

Tuesday noon General Gordon gave a luncheon honoring General Farnsworth. Besides the army official, Mayor Dimon and other leading men of Columbus were present.

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**COLONEL AND MRS. SCHOEFFEL ENTERTAIN GENERAL FARNSWORTH.**

On Wednesday evening Colonel and Mrs. John B. Schoeffel entertained General Farnsworth at dinner .

A lovely bowl of pink roses and yellow candles in silver holders were attractively placed on the table, which was overlaid with a filet lace cloth.

Covers were laid for ten.

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**ARMY BRIDGE PARTY OF COLUMBUS.**

The weekly party of the Army Bridge Club was given at the Muscogee Club Grill on Thursday afternoon.

There were seventeen tables of players and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent, at the conclusion of which there were delicious refreshments.

The hostesses were Mesdames Hervey, Hedges and Eggers.

The prizes were won as follows: first prize, Mrs. Hinkle; second prize, Mrs. Hebert; third prize, Mrs. Hartmann.

## *JOKES By MACK*

Old Timer—What beat did the editor give you, son?

Fledliing — Coroners, physicians and undertakers.

"Oh, the dead beat."

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Old Man—Say, where are you going with the hammer?

Fresh—To geology class. I want to knock 'em cold.

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Fair One—You remember that you told me that you hunted tigers in West Africa. Well, I read there are no tigers there.

Notzo Fair—Quite right, quite right, I killed them all.

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Woman—Now, if you don't leave at once, I'll call my husband, and he used to play football at Harvard.

Tramp—Lady, if youse love yer husband, don't; because I used to play wid Yale.

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Mistress—Nora, I won't have that husky milkman in my kitchen.

Nora—All right, mum, I know a smaller one.

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Did you ever take her to a dance, and, after paying at the door, find that you have only seventeen cents left? Then, after a rotten evening of worry, have the dear young thing suggest, "Let's eat." And while you are wondering how to break the news have a friend come up and say: "Hello, old man! Here's that ten dollars I borrowed last month!"

**NEITHER DID I.**

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If you save your money you're a grouch; if you spend it you're a rounder; if you keep it you're a miser; if you get it you're a grafter; if you don't get it you're a bum—so what the hell's the use?

**THE GILA MONSTER ROUTE.**

The lingering sunset across the plain
Kissed the rear end door of an east-bound train,
And shone on a passing track, near by,
Where a Dingbat sat on a rotting tie.

He'd been ditched by a shack, a cruel fate,
The "con" higs-balled a manifest freight,
Pulled out on the stem behind the mail,
And hit the ball on the sanded rail.

As she pulled away in the falling night,
He could see the gleam of a red tail light;
The moon arose and the stars came out,
He was ditched on the Gila Monster Route.

Nothing in sight but sand and space,
No place for a gink to feed his face,
Not even a shack to bum for a lump,
Nor a hen-house to frisk for a single gump.

When he looked upon the solitude,
He dropped his head and began to brood,
He thought of the time that he lost his mate
In a hostile burg on the Nickel-Plate.

They mooched the stem and throwed their feet,
And speared four bits on which to eat,
But deprived themselves of their daily bread,
And sluffed their coin for dago red,

Then down by the tracks in the jungle glade,
On the cool green grass in the welcome shade,
They pulled off their coats and ditched their shoes
And filled up full on that colored booze.

Then they took a flop with their skins plumb full,
And didn't hear the harness bull,
Till he shook them out of their boozy nap,
With a husky voice and a loaded sap.

They were charged with vag, for they had no kale,
The judge said sixty days in jail.
But old John had a bundle, and a worker's plea,
So they gave him a floater and set him free.

They turned him up, but ditched his mate,
And he grabbed the guts of a west-bound freight,
He threw his form on a rusty rod,
Till he heard the shack say, "Hit the sod."

The bo piled off, he was in the ditch,
With two switch lamps and a rusty switch,
Poor, old seedy, half starved bo,
In a hostile pike without a show.

Just then from somewhere out in the dark,
Came the sharp, short note of a coyote's bark,
The bo looked 'round and quickly arose,
And brushed the dust from his thread-bare clothes.

As he gazed out west through the moonlit night,
He could see the gleam of a big headlight,
It was a fast stock train humming the rail,
She was due at the switch to clear the mail.

As she pulled up close, the head end shack
Threw the switch to the passing track,
The stock rolled in from off the main,
The track was clear for the east-bound train.

She hove in sight far up the track,
She was working steam with her brake shoes slack.
She whistled once at the whistle post
Then flitted by like a frightened ghost.

You could hear the roar of the big six wheels,
And the drivers pound on the polished steel,
And the shriek of the flange upon the rail
As she beat it east o'er the desert trail.

The old John got busy and took the risk,
He climbed aboard and began to frisk.
He reached up high and began to feel
For an end door pin and he cracked the seal.

It was a double decked stock car filled with sheep,
Old John crawled in and went to sleep.
She whistled one and high-balled out,
They were off on the Gila Monster Route.

—Anon.

**FRECKLED SCREEN STAR ENTERTAINS ORPHANS**

Wesley Barry, the boy screen star, recently entertained several hundred orphans at Los Angeles, and gave them their fill of candy and ice cream.

Now Wes is telling his kid friends of a quarrel he heard between two of the orphans.

"Aw, you ain't got no real father or mother!" one said.

The other came back quick as a flash:

"Maybe I ain't, but mine picked me out of a hundred other babies and yours had to take what they could get."

Wesley Barry is to be seen at the Grand theatre beginning Monday in his latest picture, "Heroes of the Street," a Warner Brothers production.

An Englishman and a Frenchman were arguing over a friend's nationality.

"He's English," said the Englishman, "he was born in England."

"Oui, oui, Monsieur, but if a cat should have kittens in the oven, would you call them biscuits?" asked the Englishman.—Red Diamond.

**A Substitute**

The druggist didn't keep the Sabbath,
But he wished it understood
That he was so enterprising
He kept something just as good.

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## RECRUITING OFFICE

Eighty-four men were enlisted at the Post Recruiting Office during the past month which is the high water work for nearly a year.

Three canvassers will make the Corps Area Star Recruiters' List this month:

Corporal Grover C. Woods, who by the way is a brand new non-commissioned officer because of his excellent work, Cordele station—15 enlistments.

Sergeant Howard S. Catron, Macon station—14 enlistments.

Sergeant Aaron M. Winn (We can not keep the sergeant off the list, his name has had a place on it since it was first published), Dublin station—11 enlistments.

Altogether, fifty-nine enlistments were made through applicants forwarded from sub-stations while the remainder are due mostly to re-enlistments.

The Infantry Journal, The Field Artillery Journals and the Military Engineers are each offering a cash prize of $20.00 to the canvasser who succeeds in securing the most enlistments for its branch during February and it looks as thought at least one of these prizes will come to Fort Benning.

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Following is a parody on the late song hit, "Dancing at That Moving Picture Ball." composed by Pvt. Red Head and Bugs DeNapoli.

1.
Dancing at the old snuff-chewers Ball.
All the Tank Drivers, they were running round the hall.
Old Jim Dennis was with his girl.
And Howard Sharp with the artificial curl.
They were all dressed up pretty neat.
But the girls didn't like Sgt. Nelson's feet.

2.
Sgt. Suirrell was smoking a big cigar.
He wanted "Little Eva" to go out riding in his car.
Bow Wow Adams came waltzing along.
With Fanny Wilson hanging on his arm.
And Sgt. Sherrard, he was standing near,
Trying to whisper in Massey's tin ear.
And all the gang got up and sang.
Bang him on the tin ear, Bang, Bang, Bang.

3
Sgt. Short picked up an old banjo,
But just like his tank, he couldn't make it go.
And "Ole Bill Swantic" was chewing snoose,
And he spit all over Mabry's shoose,
And back from his furlough came Sugar Sweat,
And told the top kick, "For Three months I haven't et."
(To be continued next week.)

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### CONSTANCE TALMADGE AT GRAND IN "EAST IS WEST"

Slant-eyed Chinese kiddies by the score, no less lovable than other children because of their little pigtails and glittering black eyes, will be seen next week at the Grand theatre where "East Is West," the First National attraction, starring Constance Talmadge in the role of Ming Toy is being shown to crowded houses.

Constance Talmadge herself is the shepherdess of a flock of Chinese kiddies, well over a dozen in number, her little brothers and sisters of the story. She is the shield and buffer between them and the august beatings administered by their honorable father.

It is when Ming Toy takes on herself the blame for a childish prank that the father decides to put her on the auction block of the "Love Boat." From that time on the action of the photoplay is fact and thrilling.

But one of the most touching episodes of the picture shows the farewell of Ming Toy when she bids her favorite little sister good-bye.

Children are children the world over and the little Chinese in "East Is West" will win the heart of any spectator.

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### WORK

1
Work is a drudge
and a task-Master stern.
Serves as a judge
Who compells us to earn
The wages he pays;
He is pitiless, too,
And harsh in his ways
As he bosses the crew.

2
Why should I be feeling thankful?
Let me give the matter thought;
There is money by the bankful.
But it's little I've got:
I have always earned my living;
I must labor, rain or shine.
Still, I've reason to be giving
Thanks because I'm fit and fine."

3
Work is a king
That forever Commands,
His whip lashes sting
As above us he stands.
He piles on the loads
and drives us ahead
Over terrible roads
Till daylight is sped.

4
Work isn't as fine
As his half brother play
His eyes seldom shine
In so merry a way
There are pleasanter things
Than the task you must do.
But none of them brings
The real glories to you.

5
Life's a game; I'm not a winner;
Still I'm not inclined to whine;
I've an appetite for dinner
Always when it's time to dine;
I am thankful to be living
Thankful for the joys I've had,
Thankful too I'm not giving
Others reason to be sad.

6
Work is a drudge
A driver by day.
As a stern as a judge,
But there's no other way
Of rising to fame.
Or of serving your need
In life's daily game—
It's by work you succeed.

7
To every man upon this earth
Death cometh soon or late
And how can man die better
Than facing fearful odds;
For the ashes of his fathers
And temples of his gods?"

By C. F. GOODE
1st Sgt. Co. "H" 24th Infantry,

## *The Handy Engineers*

By Private Steuart M. Emery.

"Colonel, we pull a raid to-night
Into the Prussian Beers.
It looks like a gutty little fight,
Chewing of legs and ears.
We'll need a party to cut the wire,
They must run the ring of the Boche's fire,
It's a dirty business of muck and mire."
"Send for the Engineers!"

The Engineers they will slice a path,
That's what they signed to do.
They will take the rip of the M. G.'s wrath
Snipping and worming through.
The barbs may cut and the mud may stick,
And the star flares splash and the shots crack thick,
But they'll hop the top and they'll turn the trick.
"Send for the Engineers!"

"Colonel, the bridge is hit and gone,
Never a plank appears.
Yet the regiment must cross at dawn,
Hardly a case for cheers.
The place where it was is swept and sprayed,
For the Boche has got it in enfilade,
But we can't hang back on a plan that's made."
"Send for the Engineers!"

The Engineers they will bridge the stream,
Anything wet that flows.
Whether the big ones bust and scream,
Whether it rains or snows.
They'll fling pontoons and they'll hammer stakes,
Though the water foams as the lead hail rakes,
And they'll lead the show when the Yank charge breaks.
"Send for the Engineers!"

"Colonel, the roads are blown to hell."
That's what the P. C. hears.
"Crated and gashed where the Jeries fell,
Nothing but holes and smears.
They're well in range of the house of Krupp,
But the boys don't shoot and the boys don't sup
And the whole drive stops while supplies hold up."
"Send for the Engineers!"

The Engineers they will mend the pike,
Out in the broad daylight.
Where a blind Boche cannoneer could strike,
Labor, this time, not fight.
They'll set their teeth and they'll curse each blast,
And they'll toil and sweat and they'll thirst and fast
Till the chow and the ammo trains jam past.
"Send for the Engineers!"

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## Motor Transport News

Private Morgan has finished the first act of his photoplay entitled, "One Exciting Night." The hero ((Pvt. Seymour Williams) is engaged in a first fight with the villian (Pvt. John Massenburg,) seemly the hero is getting the worst of it, in steps the law (Private Ben Jackson) and crown the villian with a paper black jack, to be continued next week, and as yet Private Morgan has received no vengeful brick.

Along the Radio lines, entitled whispering wires, accept my dear R. R. L. my cordial assurance of my faith in your most opposite undertaking and let me again express my ernest thanks for your kind letter, I am etc., until March.

Private Sandy Crawley has started to take the memory course, why. so he won't forget that he is on separate mess.

Corporal McCloud M. T. C. (fashion plate) was discharged per E. T. S., on February 2nd. Transportation to place of enlistment, (Manila, P I.). Re-enlisted the 3rd, and without a doubt his next Transportation will be from the Barracks to Recruiting office, Fort Benning, Ga.

Sergeant Dave Riggins was discharged January 25th, per E. T. S., and takens on (3) new ones.

## Medical Department Notes

2nd Lieut. Beatrice Quin, Army Nurse Corps, recently returned from a thirty day leave of absence enjoyably spent in the state of New York.

Mrs. A. N. Mager, wife of Sergeant Arthur N. Mager, arrived last week from Baltimore, Md. They are residing in Columbus.

Mrs. Susie Blue, the colored maid of the Women's Ward, passed away on January 27th. Mrs. Blue will be remembered by a good many of the ladies of the command who have been patients in Ward 6.

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**Orderly.**

"What outfit is Jones with now?"
"He's water tender on a Submarine down to the Hospital."

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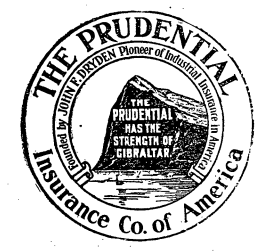


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# 24th Infantry Notes

### COMPANY "B."

Pvt. Louis R. Murray says he thinks that he will settle down and quit his wild and wooly ways. A good resolution, kid, if you can live up to it.

Corp. Taylor (the Slow Kid). We've been watching you and now we don't know what you mean by being so fast. Suppose we will have to call you Kid Swiftie, or would the "Slow Vamp" be suitable?

Pvt. William Brown. About two months ago we heard Pvt. Wm. Brown say: "Wait until I get my discharge, I'll show you people what I'm going to do." Don't talk too much, Brown; you were heard boosting Fort Benning, so we are quite sure of you.

Cook Payton (the Fish), why did you stop singing the song, "There will be a change made?" Ha, ha! you didn't think it would be made so soon?

Poor Ben Frager seems to be disgusted. Cheer up, old boy, Benning, you can only blame yourself; you had a chance and it might not have been.

### COMPANY "C."

Corporal Barnett and Private Worsham wish the company to purchase a Radiophone so they can hear the grand echo of Spanish songs of old, sung by Chili Queens across the border.

Corporal Dewitt, who receives eleven (11) letters daily from unknown girls, is the latest wonder of the camp. And still he says he loves all of them. But if he should get the grand opportunity of meeting all, probably some of the girls in Block 23 would have a chance at him.

Private Williams is still fishing for another girl; after a costly catch, then to try for a new one, after she got away.

### COMPANY "I."

1st Sgt. and Sgt. Moore tells the company that they are going hunting every Sunday morning, but they only go home to dinner. Steady; Nobody said you live right across the river.

Everybody is wondering why Bill Williams (Fatty) has stopped speaking to James Golden. Easy, easy, he caught James Golden shaving himself.

Doc Williams, the cook, has learned to camouflage. He can take a fatigue hat and make it look just like a fried porter house steak.

Sol Winn (Dinkey's Pal) says that as soon as pay day comes he is going to town and buy Jack love out. He is now willing to "Honor and obey."

At last the boys have found out about Corporal Reeves. At the barn dance Monday night he got so homesick that he liked to have cried. He was heard talking in his sleep. He told Spud Miller to go by the house and get the replants while he got the plow.

Corporal Lynch is having school in Tent No. 13. The 1st Squad will be lots of help to the Government, after he has completed his course of lectures and instruction.

Look out, Madry, Old Hill Owen has never told you anything wrong yet. If you had listened to him your little suit wouldn't look like a sifter this morning. It looks like it was run through a sausage grinder.

### COMPANY "K."

Since our last report, Cpl. Overstreet (Slim Jim) has been listed among those wounded in action. What's the matter, Corporal, been leading a lion around?

Sgt. Belser (Pa Perkins) has started a new way of collecting fares on his Henry, "WITH A BILLY." Does it pay? Ask Belser.

Not that we are inquisitive, but isn't it awful to pass in review before the Chief of Infantry, and then go to Columbus, only to find that you've got to pass again, and that the reviewing officer is one of the opposite sex? What say, Garrett?

Wonder why Sgt. Lloyd (Mr. Jiggs) went rabbit hunting last Sunday, instead of going to Columbus?

### COMPANY "L."

It isn't the things you do, my dear,
It's the things you leave undone
Which gives you a bit of a heartache
At the setting of the sun.

The tender words forgotten,
The letter you did not write,
The flowers you might have sent, dear,
Are your haunting ghosts tonight.

1st Sgt. Julius Jennings: A wife's place is in the home.

His wife: Maybe, but home's where the heart is, and my heart is at the picture show.

Corp. Levi M. Thornhill: Remember, the hand that rocks the cradle rules the world, my dear, don't you forget that.

His wife: Well, come home early tonight and rule the world, I am tired.

Private William Troup, entering the kitchen during the Mess Sergeant's absence, wanted to know how to spell HELL. After being asked why he wanted to know, his reply was that he was writing a letter to his girl and wanted to say "Hello" the first thing.

Sgt. Foster and Pvt. Washington were treating themselves to a dinner in the Post Exchange restaurant. Presently the observant Washington said, "Foster, man, drink from the cup; if you keep on drinking from the saucer they'll be thinking we're a couple of rubes."

Ah, whist, Teddy, many's the time I've tried that, but always the spoon sticks in my eye."

"Did you break this dish, Vaughn?"

No, sir, I only dropped it."

Mrs. Thornhill was admiring Mrs. Jennings baby.

"Oh, what a darling!"

"Da-da," replied the baby.

"The dear!" exclaimed Mrs. Thornhill, "he is trying so hard to talk."

"Yes, he talks that way all day, but he doesn't say anything."

(The baby is so much like his father.)

Corporal Jackson has gone back to warfare again, only he has changed his line of attack. He advanced on a shack on the Glade road in battle formation, but had to retreat in rushes. Look out, old top, don't let that wood hit you next time.

Day by day Company "L" is getting better and better. Private William Troup returned from a 5-day pass without turning in to the Quartermaster at Fort McPherson.

1st Lieut. L. V. Jones, of Company "L," has asked himself the question why at times his coal bin holds seven tons, but the Quartermaster teamsters can make it hold ten (there are other officers wondering the same thing). Don't worry, Lieutenant, there is a phoney trick in doing it that you will never catch on to.


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# SPORTING NEWS

## All-Post Football Team [White]

Lieutenant Box, the coach of the 1st Bn. 29th Inf. Football team, has prepared an All-Post Football team. He says that it was a most difficult task to select the best players and believes that the list as given below is as fair as it could be under the difficult circumstances. He says that each team thinks that they have better players than has been selected, but that he has tried to be impartial:

| Name—team. | Position. |
|---|---|
| Coppock, 1st Bn. 29th Inf. | Center |
| Swall, 1st Bn. 29th Inf. | Guard |
| Wallagurski, 2nd Bn. 29th Inf. | Guard |
| Parker, 1st Bn. 29th Inf. | Tackle |
| Donnelly, 83rd F. A. | Tackle |
| Detweiler, 1st Bn. 29th Inf. | End |
| Davis (Capt.) 2nd Bn. 29th Inf. | End |
| Payne, 2nd Bn. 29th Inf. | Quarter |
| Sharpe, 15th Tanks | Halfback |
| Romploski, 1st Bn. 29th Inf. | Halfb'k |
| Swantic, 15th Tanks | Fullback |

## Col. Fassett Sends Greeting to the Infantry Football Team

Colonel Fassett, the Assistant Commander of the Infantry School, recently sent a letter to the Infantry School Football team, complementing them on the work that they did for the football team.

His letter follows:

1. The Assistant Commandant desires to express his appreciation of the hard work performed, and the loyalty to the Infantry School displayed by members of the football squad during the past football season.

2. In many cases officers worked for places on the squad at a considerable personal sacrifice and gave freely nd willingly of their time and splendid energy toward developing a winning team at our school. Unfortunately this condition is not always appreciated because the great majority is interested only in "games won."

The games proper, however, represent only a small part of the actual work performed. The hardest and least appreciated phase is the daily grind of training and practice.

Whether one makes a regular position on the team or not is immaterial from the point of view of loyalty and esprit. It must be borne in mind that the success of any regular team is often due to the self sacrificing of those players who voluntarily subordinate their presonal desires to the success of the team and who loyally serve in whatsoever capacity the coaches may determine for them.

To these players in particular is due the thanks of the Infantry School.

3. All athletics in general and football in particular bespeak the aggressive spirit of the Doughboy. The past season was a most successful one from every viewpoint. Such success was made possible only by the splendid spirit evidenced by the members of the squad and by the student body.

## Basketball Season Opens With a Rush

### THE CHAMPION FOOTBALLERS ARE DOWNED.

In the first basketball game which opened the inter-battalion series that will be played here, the 1st Battalion 29th Infantry were swamped by the 2nd Battalion of the 29th Infantry to the tune of 38 to 7.

The 2nd.. Battalion clearly outplayed the 1st Bn. from speed to science and from team work to heard work.

Line-up:

| 1ST BN. | Position | 2ND BN. |
|---|---|---|
| Peters | Center | Sgt. Davis |
| Harris | Forward | Corp. Kjelstrom |
| Cloekner | Forward | Corp. Brown |
| Detwiller | Guard | Pvt. Frenz |
| Rivadeneira | Guard | Corp. Burt |

Morrow substituted for Peters; Cody for Harris; Walker for Detwiller; Fitch for Rivadeneira.

Corp. Johnson was substituted for Frenz in the 2nd half.

### 15TH TANKS DEFEAT THE FREEBOOTERS

In a very slow game the 15th Tanks defeated the Freebooters of the 29th Infantry in a basketball game at the Post gym on last Wednesday night.

Both teams need more work within the teams to insure better team work and co-operation.

| Score: | Points. |
|---|---|
| 15th TANKS | 24 |
| FREEBOOTERS | 14 |

Officials: Referee, Capt. Moore. Time keeper, Lt. Broedlow. Scorer, Sgt. Johnson.

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## History of 29th Infantry

**Article 19.**
**1917.**

In January, February and March the Regiment saw field service, by Battalions, in the Northeast area, the Third Battalion was also in the field in the vicinity of Fort Grant, C. Z.

In February companies of the Regiment began to do guard duty at the locks of the Canal and at Cristobal docks.

Feb. 28 eighty recruits arrived from Fort Slocum and on March 29 eighty-nine more arrived.

April 12 Company C was sent to Taboga Island, R. de P., to guard interned German prisoners.

Various companies were sent out on lock and dock guard duty at Balboa, Mira Flores, Pedro Miguel, Cristobel, Rarien, Mt. Hope, Gamboa and De Lesseps and as support for the Coast Artillery at Fort Randolph.

May 6th 210 recruits were reassigned to the 29th from the 10th Infantry and were placed in quarantine camp on the parade ground. June 3rd 250 recruits arrived from Fort Slocum and went into quarantine.

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Target practice was held from July 16 to September 7.

In October Company C returned from Taboga Is., having been relieved by a company of the Porto Rico regiment.

The following second lieutenants were assigned to the Regiment in 1917:

Second Lieutenants (provisional) Curtis T. Huff, George Teachout, Lawrence L. J. Barrett, Roy Sparks, Madison E. Walker, Floyd H. Banta and Joseph P. Kiley.

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### THE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR JANUARY.

From the below list that we received from the Post School, we can readily see that the school is doing nicely.

The fifth grade is to be especially commended for the number of punctualities.

The list of all grades follow:

**January Honor Roll.**

**Attendance.**

Kindergarten: Frances Lussier, Gury Malcolm Kinman, Betty Jane Milburn, Bidwell Moore.

First Grade: Billie Elkins, Billy Floyd, Jessie May Floyd, Elma Guth, Charlie Hildreth, Leonard Moore, Mary Manning, Carol Sims, Sara Mae Cheet.

Second Grade: Josephine Leon, Maxine Wolf.

Third Grade: Rosamond Brady, Nona Elkins, Bennie Hall, Couchita Leon, Buster Walker, Carlene Murphy.

**Punctuality.**

Second Grade: Josephine Leon, Maxine Wolf.

Third Grade: Nona Elkins, Bennie Hall, Couchita Leon, Buster Walker, Carleen Murphy.

**Attendance.**

Fourth Grade: Edward Hobbs, Margaret Goodale, Angela Guth, Israel Wald.

Fifth Grade: Gertie Mae Duncanson, Charles Elliott, Stephen Hendrickson, Carol Mitchell, Louise Siebeneichen, Frank Vogt, Mary Jeanette Symons.

**Punctuality.**

Fourth Grade: Tommy Musgrove, Israel Wald.

Fifth Grade: Mary Jeanette Symons, Louise Siebeneichen, Carol Mitchell, Gertie Mae Duncanson, Charles Elliott, Rosabel Elliott.

Sixth Grade—Marie Graham, Rudolph Hall, Samuel Wald.

**Attendance.**

Marie Graham, Rudolph Hall, Samuel Wald.

Seventh Grade: Helen Hendricksen, Ralph Hendricksen, George Quinney.

**Punctuality.**

Helen Hendricksen, Ralph Hendricksen, George Quinney.

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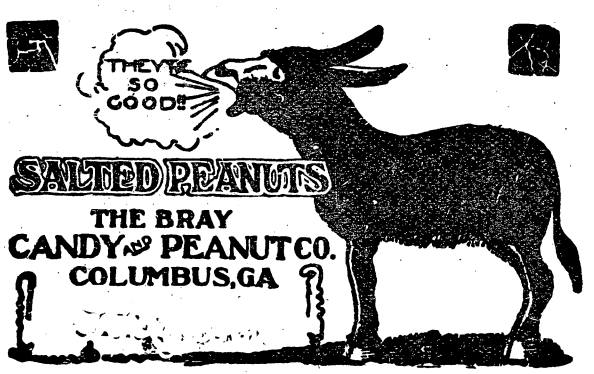


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## History of 7th Engineers

On the 26th of November, Company "C" left Longuyon by train for Rehon, where it took over a large German dump. On the 8th of December the company embussed for Sandweiler, Luxembourg, and on the 17th marched to Rumelange.

At Longuyon, Company "E" was employed operating bath houses and did some electrical work. On December 4, the company left by truck for the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and took quarters at Schleifuhle. Until the 17th, the time was spent in drill and training.

Company "F" remained at Longuyon until after Thanksgiving. General camp duties were resumed and infantry drill was held. On December 3rd the company went by truck to Bouligny, twenty-five kilometers distant.

From here guards were established at various points where abandoned German material was located, namely: Audun, Barrencourt, Bouligny, Eton, Piemes, Mercy-le-Haut, Gondrecourt, Etain, Laundres.

These guards were maintained until December 11th, when the company was relieved by pioneer infantry, and marched seventeen kilometers to Andun-le-Romains. The next morning the march was resumed, and with Company "A" the company marched to Esch, eighteen kilometers, billeting that night and the six days following in a school building. On the 17th, the company marched to Rumelange and joined the rest of the regiment.

The Seventh Engineers contributed largely to the comfort of the other units of the division by the construction of mess halls, bunks, barracks, and bath houses. During the eight months at Rumelange the regiment was employed constructing warehouses, sentry boxes, airplane hangars, repairing roads and constructing of roads, erecting light plants, dissembling a large German lithographic plant, inspecting ammunition dumps, inspection of machinery seized by the Germans, guarding ammunition dumps, salvaging German artillery, invoicing engineer dumps, operating saw mills, intensive drill, and firing of preliminaries on the target range.

Company "C" was for a month divided into five detachments, guarding German property, one being stationed at each of the following towns: Rumelange, Sanem (Luxembourg), Athus, Aubange, Musson (Belgium).

On February 4 th the regiment was inspected at Rumelange by the Sixth Corps Inspector.

On December 3rd, 1918, the 311th Engineer Band was assigned to the 7th Engineers, and joined on January 9th, 1919. Notwithstanding the fact that many units of their division were on their way back to the States, these men under Lieutenant A. E. Smith, cheerfully joined this organization, knowing that their return to the States was thereby indefinitely postponed, and they have contrib-
their various demobilizing centers.
uted largely to the happiness and contentment of the regiment. The 7th Engineer Band was known throughout the division as the best band in the division and the consolidated band, led by Lieutenant Smith and composed principally of the 7th Engineer bandmen, won the Blue Ribbon at the Third Army Carnival at Coblenz from April 15th to May 2nd. The Division Band, again led by Lieutenant Smith, was recently sent to Belgium to play for President Wilson. This was the first American band to play officially for Albert, King of the Belgians.

The Fifth Division was again reviewed on March 17th at Esch, preparatory to the review by the Commander-in-Chief.

The Sixth Corps Horse Show was held at Luxembourg City on March 20th. For this occasion Company "D" erected a grandstand and several bandstands of saplings, trimming them with pine boughs. The stands and fence were very artistic and rustic; the beauty of Giacis Park was increased so much that the city authorities have decided to retain the structures.

Efforts were made during the last few months at Rumelange to entertain the men. A commissary was established. A reading room was maintained by Mr. Kearns. The regiment felt a loss when Mr. Kearns left, having been promoted and sent to Coblenz. Finally the regiment was fortunate in getting the services of Mrs. Keller, wife of the former Captain Walter S. Keller, of Company "D," who devoted her entire energies to the end that the men might be as happy as possible, and her efforts were very successful.

Athletics of all kinds were encouraged. Corporal Krebs, of Company "C," was selected for the Divisional Football Team. Private Donnelly, also of Company "C," battled his way to the divisional championship in the welterweight class. Horse Shoer Max Policow, Company "D," won the divisional championship in the light-heavyweight class, but lost the decision at Toul, at the 2nd Army Tournament held, due to a fractured rib received in a previous bout.

The 7th Engineers organized a show, "The 7th Engineer Minstrels," which toured the corps area. Many letters of commendation have been received from organizations for whom the show has played.

On April 30th the division was reviewed by General John J. Pershing. The Commander-in-Chief congratulated the men of the division for the splendid review, and then thanked them personally for the excellent work done during active operations. In closing, he said, "The reasonably early return of the 5th Division to the United States is within the realm of possibility."

True enough, a few weeks later came the word that the division would start entraining on May 21st. However, on account of the uncertainty of the peace negotiations, the return was delayed indefinitely.

On May 30th the regiment fittingly observed Decoration Day, paying tribute to the comrades who fell on the field of battle. An excellent address was delivered by Lieutenant-Colonel Cosgrave, Division Judge Advocate.

One of the last undertakings of the regiment was the erection of permanent monuments in the divisional area showing where the division entered the line, where the Meuse was crossed, and where the division stood on the memorable 11th day of November.

Finally, following the signing of the Peace Treaty, came orders relieving the 5th Division. On July 8th the last units of the 7th Engineers left Rumelange for Brest, arriving there on July 11th.

At Brest it was necessary to undergo the usual inspections, records were gotten in order and the regiment was assigned to sail on the S. S. Radnor on July 14th.

Consequently by noon of the 14th all men were on board and ready to go. The 9th Field Signal Bn. (5th Division), the 5th Division Salvage Company and one casual company were also asigned to this boat, making a total of 1908 men and 65 officers aboard.

At 4 p. m., the Radnor sailed from Brest and before dusk we had lost sight of the shores of France. With the exception of one night, the sea was very calm.

The band played two concerts daily, one at noon and the other at six o'clock, and everyone lounged about the deck and thoroughly enjoyed the trip.

About ten o'clock the night of July 27th, the lights along the Jersey coast began to show. Everyone was up early the next morning, all anxious to see again "God's Country," after their absence of a year and a half. At ten o'clock we docked at Hoboken, were fed by the Red Cross, given candy, cigarettes, handkerchiefs and smoking tobacco by the Salvation Army, the K. of C.'s and the Y. M. C. A., then ferried across the river and at last arrived in Camp Merritt Regimental Headquarters was assigned to the same building they had occupied while passing through on the way across.

Several days of delousing, inspections, turning in of clothing and excess property followed. Tuesday night, July 29th, the regiment was called together for the last time and Colonel Paules spoke a few minutes regarding the duties of the returning soldier to his community. The following afternoon the regiment was split up into camp detachments, and on Thursday, July 31st, entrained for


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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### 1st BN. HQ. CO.

The members of the Communications Platoon of this organization were delightfully entertained at a seance on the south slope of Rivet Ridge Monday morning. Private Huber G. Rood, alias "Dead Eye Dick," unwound his six feet of stature and gave himself up to his wild whims with a perfect abandon. Observing him in this mood, I immediately dropped into the nonchalence of a nonagenarian as he commenced to discourse. At this juncture the medium after communicating with the spirits informed us that he was a direct descendant of the late Professor La Trousis, the famous zoological explorer, and that he had been smuggled into this country in two cigar boxes from the wilds of jungle Africa. "Dead Eye Dick" is a young man of uncultured temperament, romantic hair, pearly eyes, dreamy teeth, prominent ears, a Roman nose and has numerous feminine habits and traits of character concealed under a masculine exterior which accounts for his social achievements among the feminine portion of creation of Columbus, Ga.

In conclusion, I beg pardon for the brevity of these lengthy notes. I will write more when time is unavailable, however, because of the preponderance of the availability of time at the present, I am in a conflagration of thought, and because of the availability of time I will have to close in order to fail to pursue my duties as non-efficiency expert over this organization through which I preside.

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.

**Why Not A School For Reporters?**

The news notes of this organization have for the past three weeks, from the time of composition to date of printing, dwindled to about half the original quantity submitted. Don't know where to look for sufficient encouragement to write the news this week, not knowing when and where the unknown censor will leave his mark and the why or wherefore of it all, now how to overcome the difficulty.

The reporter for this Company handles the contributions of four other organizations in this Battalion each week, and has never noticed the slightest change having been made when the notes come forth in print.

Taking the above into consideration, also the reduced space limit of the current 8-page issue, the news of this organization was first written in pencil. Approximately one-half of the items were then struck out( in this manner it is hoped to save someone the inconvenience of making the usual alterations) the remainder appearing below.

(Looked it up in the CMM but could find nothing preventing free speech.)

**News Notes.**

Our Company always has been a trifle modest and retiring. Even at last Tuesday's review they affected a disguise by marching so well that it was impossible to distinguish them from the rifle companies.

Incidentally, Conley was out with the Company and was in no small degree responsible for the splendid appearance of our outfit.

We didn't know that we had any fatalists in our midst but now that a certain Corporal, and perhaps also a Sergeant, who lately have run short of extra chevrons, don't seem to be in any hurry about replenishing their store, we can't help but wonder—why is a $21 soldier?

The Private Herbert Roth whose name appeared in the Columbus daily as a prominent factor of the Salvation Army activities in the post is a member of Hq. Co. 2nd Bn., 29th Infantry. He is also famous for his ability as a K. P.

### COMPANY "E."

Cpl. Nelson was seriously hurt the other day while taking a bath. He forgot to wear his spurs, and fell down while under the showers. But like all good men, he couldn't be kept down.

"Gob" has a noble head, so has a tack. What would you do if you could see Army Regulations? You wouldn't know what they were. "NO" is the opposite of "YES." Now don't forget that, Chester.

Sgt. Guilford has joined the Salvation Army. He says that he can't seem to keep away from anything that has ARMY in it. Poor fellow!

Say, you don't know who I am, do you? Weel, I'm Cpl. Carpenter, don't fool with me. You win the radio operated rifle, son.

Pick it up. Set it down. Pick it up. Set it down. Sit on it. Stand up. Pull in your chin. Does anyone remember when that happened? I think it was somewhere along the Hudson river.

Company "E" society hounds, Bendinelli and Robarge. They don't think the "Snuff Chewers" have enough dances. Since they have entered society they like to strut their mess.

Tea Hound Teddy is a mean basketball player. He sure started a riot the other night while playing the First Battalion when he made three baskets in as many seconds.

Daniel Boone is a mean hunter. He went to bed the other night at 4:30, intending to get up at 4 a. m. to go hunting. But he didn't get up until 8 o'clock. There goes your dinner, "Horse."

By the shades of the great horn spoon. Sgt. Comeau turned out for baseball practice the other day.

We like opera, but if those birds in Tent 16 like to sing in the mornings, we wish they would go to darkest Africa. We like it, but the farther off the better.

### COMPANY "F."

In compliance with existing orders report is made that there is no news for the Fort Benning Weekly News from this organization.

### COMPANY "G."

The following is the news submitted from this organization for publication in the Fort Benning News:

2nd Bn. 29th Inf., defeats 1st Bn. twice and Special Units once during past week. There can be no doubt in anybody's mind, who witnessed any of the contests of the past week, as to where the winning teams of soccer and basketball are coming from this season. Lt. Raaen's eleven met and defeated with ease the 1st Battalion aggregation of soccer players on Jan. 24th, 1923. Only twice was the 2nd Battalion's goal threatened and then star goal keeper Clinkenbeard decided to take off his overcoat for a few minutes and go to work. Owing to the fact that the 1st Battalion was late to arrive on the field, the score was only 3-0, the game being played with fifteen minute periods.

Equally easy was the defeat of the Special Units on January 31st, the score in this case being 7-0. The team as a whole is an excellent team. There are few forwards of the calibre of Clarke, Stevenson, Yensen and Nault, and as for fullbacks, Lucas and Lehman are hard to beat, while halfbacks Araya, Crane and Otalvaro were always where most needed. In picking Clinkenbeard for goalkeeper, Lt. Raaen made a wise pick, and it is the case of the man fitting the shoes. For the special units, Barrick and Reilly were the best players and played an excellent game. The next game will be between the 1st and 2nd Battalions on Sunday, Feb. 4th, at 2:00 p. m.

**1st Battalion Quintet Swamped.**

Monday night saw the 2nd Battalion basketball team in action for the first time, when they trampled on the famous 1st Battalion basketeers to the tune of 38 to 7. To say it wasn't a good game would be wrong, for the 1st Battalion fought hard, but they were no match for Lt. Sims' warriors. The 1st Battalion was clearly outplayed in every respect. At no time during the game was there any question as to who would win, although the 2nd Battalion did not play up to the standard in the first half, the half ending with a score of 14 to 2. Both teams did much better work in the second half and some very fine team work was witnessed. The outstanding players were Kjelstrom, Brown, and Davis. Franz, although playing a good game, was not up to his usual form.

### COMPANY "H."

Johnnie Helms was knocked out by Boots Antley last week at Columbus. He is now at the Post hospital as the result of it. It is not known yet whether he has a broken rib or not. We hope it isn't anything serious. John fought a good fight and if Boots hadn't had such long arms and superior altitude, the result would have been different.

There's a question we would like someone to enlighten us on. We'd like to know what two men it is that go down-town right atfer pay day, and get a room at a certain hotel, and what their mission is.

The demonstration that this Company took part in last week was a success. The men showed what good training will do for a Company.

Work will be started on the recreation room in a week or so. The books and papers are being ordered and should be here about the time it is finished.

The Company Commander is contemplating on putting in a radio outfit if it meets with the approval of the men. It will cost a fraction over a hundred dollars. This has a distinct advantage over a phonograph, as no records need to be bought for it. Concerts can be heard from all parts of the country. It will take up no more room than a phonograph and all that it needs is an antenna put up on the roof.


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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100;

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## Compliments From Brazil

The Secretary of war is in receipt of the following cable from General Stembrino de Carvalro, Minister of War of Brazil:

"On the occasion of visiting the exposition pavilion at which your friendly nation has honored my country, I have the honor to compliment and facilitate you as Minister of War and to express my most sincere homage of the valiant American Army.

The Secretary of War has cabled the following reply:

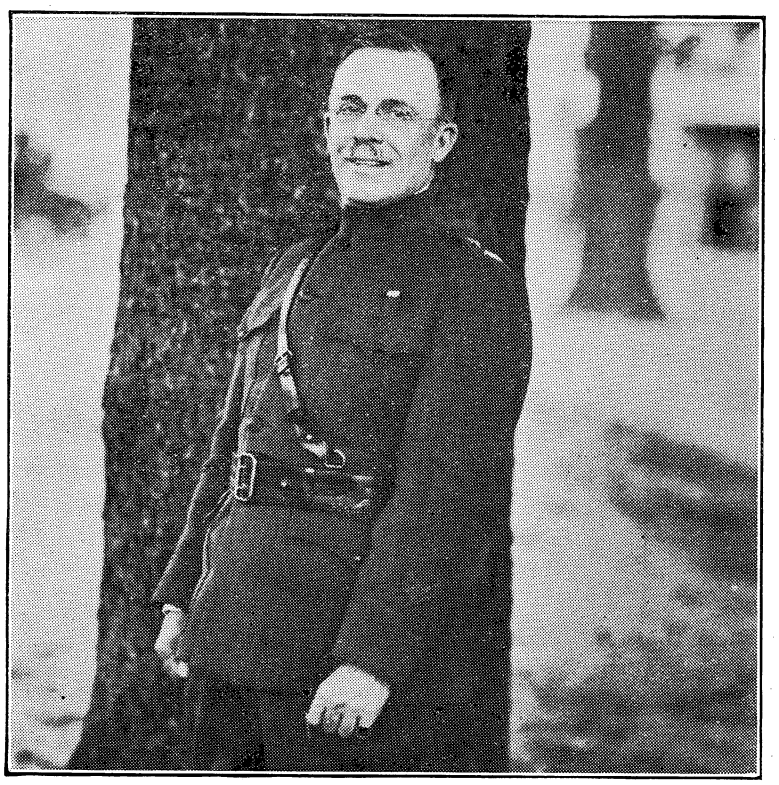
"The Secretary of War and the American Army extend cordial greetings to the Minister of War and the Brazilian Army and sincerely thank them for the friendly expression of appreciation inspired by the American exhibit at the great Brazilian exposition which is promoting such mutual esteem between our countries.'

## Civil Service Examination

Such persons as believe that they are qualified for the position of CONTACT REPRESENTATIVE should apply to the United States Civil Service Commission, or the Postoffice at Atlanta, for Information. All applications must be on file not later than March 13th, 1923.

The duties of a contract representative are principally to establish contact with ex-service men entitled to privilages under the War Risk or Rehabilitation Acts or the Acts creating the Veterans Bureau.

The pay ranges from $1,800 to $2,400.



THE GENERAL IS SMILING BECAUSE OF THE MANY COMPLIMENTS WHICH THE CHIEF OF INFANTRY PAID FT. BENNING ON HIS RECENT VISIT.

## Col. Munro C. Kerth Is Decorated

**GETS THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.**

While General Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry, was here, he took the occasion to decorate Colonel Monroe C. Kerth with the Distinguished Service Medal. The decorating took place at Post Headquarters in the presence of nearly all of the officers of the Post, who afterwards complimented the Colonel on his award.

The citation follows:

**Distinguished Service Medal Citation.**

"Monroe C. Kerth, Colonel, Infantry, then Colonel, General Staff Corps, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service, as Military Attache at Petrograd, Russia, from September 1, 1917, to February 1, 1918. He performed his exacting duties with marked ability under most trying circumstances, as Director of the Army General Staff College, American Expeditionary Forces. By his high professional attainments and unfaling energy, he rendered service of inestimable worth in connection with the instruction and training of officers for General Staff duty. Later as a member of the Training and Instruction Branch, War Plans Division, General Staff, he demonstrated sound judgment, great breadth of vision and keen foresight in the solution of the various difficult problems with which he was confronted."

Now it can readily be seen from the above citation that a man can do exceptional service for his country that may be far more hazardous than service in the presence of an armed enemy.

The following is a brief history of Colonel Kerth during the World War:

From November, 1916, to May, 1917, Military Observer with the Ru-

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## General Gordon Receives Letter Of Commendation From the Surgeon General

General Gordon recently received a letter from the Surgeon General of the Army (Thru Channels) commending this Post for the excellent progress made in sanitation and disease control.

General Gordon states that this this would have been impossible had it not been for the whole-hearted co-operation of every individual working under the direction of the Medical Staff of this Post.

We take great pleasure in quoting the Surgeon General, W. M. Ireland:

. I desire, through your office, to express to the Commanding General, Fort Benning, Ga., and to the officers under his command., my great appreciation of the excellent constructive work being done at that station in sanitation and disease control, more particularly their accomplishments in the control of venereal diseases.

.2 Prior to the spring of 1921, the venereal situation at Fort Benning was a most serious one. As a result of energetically attacking this problem in a comprehensive manner, annual rate of admission for venereal diseases at Fort Benning has been reduced from a ratio of 138.2 per 1,000 men to ratio of 53.2 per 1,000 men in 1922. The rate for 1922 is less than the rate for the Army as a whole for the same period. Equally good results have been accomplished in the control of malarial fever.

## Gen. Farnsworth Leaves

**WELL SATISFIED WITH THE POST.**

General Farnsworth, the Chief of the Infantry, completed his inspection here last Monday, and departed Monday night for Savannah.

The Chief expressed himself as being well satisfied with the condition of the personnel of the Post and with the Post itself.

On Monday morning he gave a short talk to all of the officers of the Post and related how the Infantry was co-operating with the other branches of the Service and thereby saving considerable money for the Government.

The Chief also mentioned briefly some of the improvements that had been accomplished by the Infantry for the Infantry.

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

Opening hours for the three theaters as follows:

24th Inf. Theater ....6:00 p. m.
Post Theater .....6:45 p. m.
29th Inf. Theater.....7:30 p. m.

**February 11th.**

"Prisoners of Zenda," 10 reel feature (Special cast). "Pitter Patter," 1 reel comedy (Cameo).

**February 12th.**

"Moonshine Valley," 6 reel feature (Wm. Farnum). "Crows and Scare Crows," 1 reel comedy (Mutt & Jeff). Fox News, 1 reel.

**February 13th.**

"Fools of Fortune," 6 reel feature (All star). "The Advisor," 2 reel comedy (Mermaid).

**February 14th.**

"The Long Chance," 5 reel feature, (H. Walthall). "Leather Pushers," 2 reels.

**February 15th.**

"Cowboy and Lady," 5 reel feature (Moore and Minter). "Once Over," 1 reel comedy (Cameo). Fox News, 1 reel.

**February 16th.**

"Impossible Mrs. Bellew," 7 reel feature (Gloria Swanson). "Roach Comedy," 1 reel. Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**February 17th.**

"When Danger Smiles," 5 reel feature (Duncan). Torchy's Ghost," 2 reel comedy.

## Men Get Chance For West Point

During the past week several Georgia men have been designated for the Military Academy entrance examination. These examination will be held commencing March 6th 1923, and the successful candidates will be admitted on July 2nd, 1923.

The following are the lucky men:

Nathan Alton McLamb, Atlanta.

Barney Avant Doughtry, Register,

James McDonald Allen 1st Alt., Zebulon.

John Campbell Butt, Jr, 2nd Alt., Buena Vista.

Among the enlisted men, Corp, Cyril J. McGloughlin of Co. "A" 7th Engineers of this Post is one of the lucky one. Go to it Corp and the News wishes you success.

## 15th Tank Battalion News

It is enough to recall the two and a half hours we spent, dreamily gazing at the passing panorama of the program presented, but all too soon came to an end. Those who honored us with their presence at the stag and smoker January 25th smiled with contentment. What is so rare as an evening well spent. Ask the poet? No! Ask the scribe and he will surely reply "Home Talent Night."

Chairman Sgt. Dennis welcomed us with a warmth altogether consistent with his full gentlemanly rearing, and kept us well informed as to what came next.

General Gordon, when called upon for a few remarks, very kindly came forth and spoke on the good work done and accomplished by the battallion. He was accorded a wonderfu reception and at the conclusion of the talk received an inspiring note of thanks.

But Garrison, of Co. "C" possessing the ability of an orator gave a reading of "Love." Sgt. Hicks, Rollins, and several other members of Co. "C" presented a sketch entitled "Justice in Columbus," They did not surprise us with their art. Judging from the applause the number proved a wonderful success.

Hunt and Segrist, of Co. "A", with a song and stories, gave us the opportune and gifted calibre. We all appreciated the swell selection of music and good sounding stories, and therefore were not disappointed.

Lieut. Gallagher in the "Tin Soldier," received round after round of applause. As far as the scribe knows it was his first appearance for the Tank Battalion. Let us all hepo that it will not be his last.

Sarri and Flavio, well known entertainers, in their number created an atmosphere of pure delight, and one could hardly help keep their feet from getting into motion in rhythm to their music.

DeNapoli and Head, the old time ministrels, in songs and stories known from coast to coast, did not lag behind, but came forth with their rapid fire fully equipped machine gun of jokes and smiles from all corners of the globe. They surely are Johnny on the Spot to lift the lid and put pep and spice into life.

Sgt. Mason, and old standby dancer was at his best, and we sincerely hope to see more of him.

And at last, but not least, Reeves-pianist-hushed the sombre gray of the evening,

Sgt. Kelly then took charge, chow call was blown and all lined up for their guaranteed "ros biff" and hot puppie sandwiches.

Not knocking the efforts of previous committees, but Sgt., Dennis chairman of the Log Hut committee has announced a policy of entertainment for the next year which makes Andy Gumps pre-election promise sound like an undertakers trade journat. Sgt. Dennis appreciates the importance of his position and wants to make it of utmost benefit to the batallion.

EXTRA! EXTRA! EXTRA!

You may have attended high class entertainments and felt that you had the time of your uneventful life; you may have attended some wonderful shows of the past few years in our large cities and felt that they were the codfish's cravat, the elephant earmuffs (what ever they or any of them may be), but brothers, in the words of the famous classical poet, Al Jolson, "You aint heard nothin' yet," or heard it either to encompass everything possible to occur. The show to be staged the first week in March, and what happens on that never to be forgotten night, will turn Al Jolson, Eddie Cantor, Ed Wynn, Will Rogers, Jim Hicks, Red Head and the rest of the entetainment manipulators so green with envy that we fear they will all go out en-masse and commit hari-kari (that Japanest thing, you know what I mean) evacuating yoursel ffrom the mortal coil, as our deceased brother William Hasenpheffer Shakespear, Esquire, would very facetiously remark.

We most respectfully admit that it will be the most magnificentier, magnificentiest congregation and assemblage of reknowned stars ever unleshed in our time.

The cast as they appear:

The Cowboys Sheriff—Jim Hicks.
You Kee (Chink—Spark Plug Mason.
Fawn Afraid (Young Indian—DeNapoli.
Young Uu (orphan girl)—Red Head.
Mrs. Bragg—Thomas.
Charlie Blackshear—Garrison.
Nonage (Indian Chief)—Squirrell.
Duke Black Shear (Villian—Baltzell.
Grizzly (Cattle Thief)—Gardner.
Mr. Bragg (Liar)—Hunt.

## Status of Fort Benning Children's School Fund

**January 1st to February 3rd, 1923.**

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|---|---|
| Balance on hand Jan. 1st | $426.42 |
| Received during January | 547.35 |
| Total | $973.77 |
| Expended during January | 553.15 |
| Balance on hand Jan. 31st | $420.62 |

NOTE: Expenditures during January:

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|---|---|
| Pay of regular and substitute teachers | $524.00 |
| Purchase of maps, pencils, etc., from Equipment Fund | 29.15 |
| | $553.15 |
| Balance brought forward Feb. 1st | $420.62 |
| Received Feb. 1st to 3rd | 199.85 |
| Total | $620.47 |
| Expended Feb. 2nd from Equipment Fund for 12 chairs | 18.00 |
| Balance on hand Feb. 2nd | $602.47 |

NOTE: This balance on hand Feb. 3rd is accounted for as follows:

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|---|---|
| Tuition Fund | $136.25 |
| Reduction Fund | 388.53 |
| Equipment Fund | 77.69 |
| Total | $602.47 |

To include February 3rd, $475.83 had been received from the gate receipts of football games. This $475.53 is known as the Reduction Fund and has greatly reduced the burden of enlisted men whose children attend the school.

The regular monthly tuition for each child is $5.50. For December this was reduced to $4.50 for each child of enlisted men, and for January and February it was further reduced to $3.50.

Further reduction of the amount of tuition for the children of enlisted men for the latter part of the school year is assured.

The uition fo children of officers and civilians remains $5.50 for each child per month.

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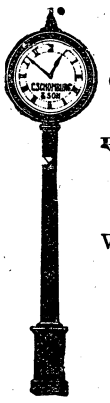
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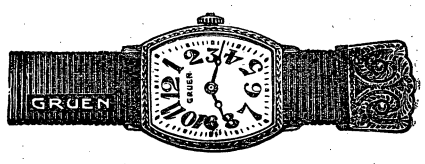

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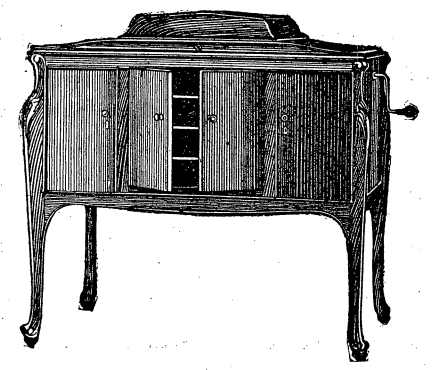
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# Social Notes

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### STUDY CLUB MEETS

On Monday afternoon the regularly scheduled meeting of The Fort Benning Study Club was held at the home of Mrs. Chad. Elliot. After a most interesting program which included papers by Mesdames Graham and Musgrave and a descriptive lecture by Mrs. Hedt, delicious refreshments were served.

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### MRS. PAUL B. MALONE HONOREE AT DINNER PARTY.

At a delicious dinner party given at the Officers Mess last Friday evening as a compliment to Mrs. Paul B. Malone who is soon leaving to join her husband in Texas. Major and Mrs. Chas. Elliott hosts. Among those enjoying this hospitality were:

Mrs. Paul B. Malone, Gen. Chas. S. Farnsworth, Gen. W. H. Gordon, Col. and Mrs. Hocker, Col. and Mrs. Kent, Col. and Mrs. Hannah, Col. and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey, Mrs. F. S. Dunkle, Col. and Mrs. W. O. Smith, Major and Mrs. Mason, Major and Mrs. Watson, Major Waite, Miss McLaughlin, Capt. Shoemaker, Major and Mrs. Hardenburg.

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### LT. AND MRS. L. H. SIMS ENTERTAIN.

On Monday evening Lt. and Mrs. L. H. Sims entertained at a delightful buffet dinner at their home in honor of Mrs. Erie Scales, wife of the Adjutant General of Mississippi, and Mrs. O. Humphies, who is leaving for California.

The dining room was artistically decorated with cut flowers in vases. The table was decorated with a silver bowl containing jonquils and yellow candles glowed in silver holders.

Covers were laid for twelve. After the dinner bridge and various other games were indulged in.

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### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Minnie V. Mallory, the mother of Lieut. Frank Mallory, is visiting her son, Lieut. Frank Mallory, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Mallory. She expects to stay for a couple of weeks.

Lieut. Frank Mallory and his mother are spending the week-end in Atlanta and vicinity.

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### MRS. ISAACS WINS GRAND THEATRE PRIZE.

The Grand Theatre recently held a contest and offered a five dollar cash prize to the person who submitted the best "Pithy Paragraphs."

Many paragraphs were submitted but the management has decided that the one submitted by Mrs. Isaacs was the best, and she was awarded the $5.00.

The following is the pragraph submitted by Mrs. Isaacs:

"BENNING IS READY TO MAKE UP TO MISS COLUMBUS, BUT SHE MUST PAVE THE WAY."

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### 83rd FIELD ARTILLERY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. S. L. Maines entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club on last Tuesday afternoon, at three tables of bridge.

Besides the players there were several tea guests present.

Jonquils were used as the main decoration with yellow candles burning in silver holders.

At the end of play an excellent salad course was served for refreshments.

Mrs. Reed won the first prize and Mrs. Dasher the second. Mrs. Bricker cut the consolation.

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### BIRTHDAY PARTY OF LIEUT. AND MRS. BRANDHORST.

On Wednesday evening Lieut. and Mrs. Brandhorst entertained at a buffet supper and bridge party.

Three tables were in play and one non-playing guest was present.

All present wore a fool's cap with a red heart-shaped Valentine on it. The house was decorated with red heart Valentines and red candles in silver holders.

This was Mrs. Brandhorst's ??? birthday and the Lieutenant's thirty-first.

Mrs. Mallory won the ladies' high prize and Lieut. Kersh the men's high prize. Mrs. Brier won the consolation.

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### MEETING OF FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB.

Last Thursday at the Officers' Hop Room a most enjoyable meeting of the Fort Benning Bridge Club took place. The hostesses were, Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. S. L. Buracker, Mrs. Vernon Evans, Mrs. George the playing and the distribution of prizes a tempting salad course was served

### IN HONOR OF GENERAL FARNSWORTH.

Among other military and civilian affairs given in honor of General Farnsworth on his latest visit, special notice should be given the reception and dance tendered our distinguished guest on last Friday evening at the Biglerville hall. Higher officers of the post and representative citizens of Columbus formed the receiving line and nothing was omitted which might add either to the compliment so rendered the visiting General or to the enjoyment of the guests. Music was furnished by the 29th Infantry band and fruit punch and salad was served during the course of the evening. The assemblage was the largest and most brilliant this post has offered for some time and General Farnsworth most graciously expressed his appreciation of our effort to do him honor.

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### HARD TIMES PARTY

On Friday, February 16th, the Officers Club will throw a Hard Times party at the Hophouse, festivities opening at nine dongs of the cowbell. Anyone that comes with any decent looking clothes on will be asked to hang him or herself on a hatrack and watch the fun from afar. The first intimation of this gala occasion appeared in a special bulletin originating with the Entertainment Committee of the Club, which read, in part: "Get out your old duds and air 'em." Many loud guffaws greeted this announcement. What, with recent reversals suffered by most of us at the calloused hands of ole lady Feight, we don't have to get out any ole duds to air 'em. Weve been airing 'em all the time, wearing 'em every day in every. At last we can go to a party without sinking no small sum in a few tonsorial improvements and a visit to Jawn the Tailor. We can go jest as is, thank hevings. The oldest clothes, longest whiskers, frowziest hair and worst appearances will be the vogue. Some of us are even considering arriving at the scene of the blow out in an old rickety escort wagon we've heard squeaking around these parts. A handsome loving cup will be presented to the worst looking individual at the shin dig. A committee of eagle eyed ogres has already been appointed to sit in judgement and present this elegant token to the winner. Heaps of eats will be served thru out the evenings entertainment. Apples, doughnuts, cider, pretzels, pickles, all the grub incident to a poverty stricken affair will be served. In the receiving line will be six of Fort Benning's most handsome and eligible, of course young bachelors. So come on folks, the most the wilder.

### MRS. McCASKEY AND MRS. LOCKWOOD ENTERTAIN.

Last Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Mrs. W. B. McCaskey and Mrs. B. C. Lockwood entertained at a delightful bridge luncheon at the Officers' Club Mess.

The entertainment was given as a honor to Mrs. P. B. Malone, who is leaving soon for Texas, where she will join her husband, General Malone, Mrs. Dunkle, who is the house guest of Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey, and Mrs. Muecke, the mother of Mrs. Butler.

After the excellent luncheon consisting of creamed chicken, potato chips, green peas, hot rolls, olives, ice cream, cake and coffee, four frames of bridge were indulged in.

Mrs. Garrison won the high prize, consisting of one-half dozen Madeira napkins, and the second prize, a gold Eversharp pencil, was won by Mrs. Schoeffel. Mrs. Lawrence drew the consolation prize, a Lady Baltimore cake. Each of the honor guests received a lovely box of correspondence cards.

Artistically arranged decorations, consisting of pine branches around the wall and small groups of white streamers with red hearts suspending from the various chandeliers, were used.

One hundred ladies were present.

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Mrs. Frank Dunkle, who has been the guest of Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey for the past few weeks, will leave Monday for Marfa, Texas, to join her son.


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## OUR DISAPPOINTMENT.

The entire post was elated last week when news came of the promotion of the Commanding Officer to the well deserved grade of Major-General. The ovation which greeted General Gordon on the receipt of these tidings was most spontaneous and the congratulations he received came deep from the hearts of us all. Each felt then a personal triumph in his promotion as each feels now a personal loss that the good news was not true. We criticize no one and we make no comparisons—we do know, however, that no mistake could be *made by his promotion* and we all hope that his nomination will soon be submitted.

## DID YOU EVER THINK OF IT THIS WAY?

"The poetry of earth is never dead". So wrote Keats in kindling phrase of lyric beauty, reflecting that always, night and day, some of earth's creatures are singing in the sheer joy of existence. The poet's thought could be well paraphrased and applied to that equally wakeful spirit of "patriotic service which prevades Fort Benning—this spirit, likewise," is never dead."

Reveille sounds and the air is alive with the vibrant murmur of the waking camp—the day wears on and the song of the service swells ever louder and more intense. From the surrounding hills the staccato of the machine gun; from the air, always inspiring, the winged rush of mighty motors; from the highways, the tramp of busy men, who, tho they be heavy-laden are in spirit as cheerful as the lilting tunes they whistle at their toil—all these sounds and many more blend daily into one fine harmony, our hymn of helpfulness to that republic we are so proud to help.

The day dies away in the sky, the bugles sweetly bid it God-Speed for the service it has rendered and, like a cloud of descending glory, the flag comes down. Darkness settles and in a little while all seems at rest. Yet some there are who sleep not and all night long beneath the silent star the guardian tread of sentries prolongs, till a new day dawns, the keynote of the camp "Service." Truly may it be said of Fort Benning and its atmosphere of patriotic endeavor. "The poetry of this post is never dead."

## HOW GOSSIP GROWS AND SCANDAL SPREADS.

"I hear' or 'They say' becomes by the time it has passed over a few lips a full-fledged indictment, garnished and trimmed with imaginary circumstances. A story that began 'I wonder' or 'perhaps' takes the shape of 'Everybody says' or 'It is the common report,' or 'It is understood now;' the second says 'I heard;' the the first gossip says, I wonder third says, 'It is reported'; the fourth says, 'People are saying;' the fifth asks with surprise, 'Did you hear?' Oh, yes, everyone says so'; the sixth says, 'It is so.' Long before the victim of the charge has a chance to deny, it, if he ever gets such a chance the thing is settled. Someone ventures to suggest that perhaps there is no truth in it and mildly asks for some proof. He is laughed at. It is hinted to him that he is soft, credulous easily deceived. A dozen reasons are produced, founded on nothing, why the charge is probably true. One objects that nothing was ever said against this person. The others pounce him; 'that is always the way; the sly ones are the worst. But I always had my doubts about that person,' etc. etc., etc. Do you recognize the procedure? Of course, you do. It is as familiar as breakfast, dinner or supper, almost as common as the wearing of shoes."

## COL. MUNRO C. KERTH IS DECORATED

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manian Armies.

From May, 1917, to Feb. 1918, on duty with the Military Mission in Russia.

In March, 1918, he went to General Headquarters in France.

He was one month with the 26th Division in the Mont Sec Sector.

From June, 1918, to Jan. 1919, on duty at the Army General Staff College at Langres.

This certainly shows a variety of duties, and he made good on all of them.

At present Colonel Kerth is a member of the Infantry Board here at Benning.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7, F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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## SONGS OF THE PAST.

I remember, I remember, the day day they "swore me in"
I don't know yet what 'twas they read, amid the office din,
They weighed each toe and finger and measured both my ears.
And then I signed the dotted line for three (.3.) eternal years.
Signed A JOHN RECRUIT, (Seal)

I remember, I remember, the tent in which i Flopped,
The rain came down in torrents and filtered thru the top;
The pillow bruised my head and scant, my mattress was, of hay,
O, the floor beneath was softer than the bunk on which I lay!

I remember, I remeber, the first day of K. P.
The salt fell in the coffee and the pepper in the tea,
I spilt ketchup in the gravy and, when the sergeant called,
I got so scared I stumbled in the can where dishes scald.

I remember, I remember, the first salute I gave,
I thought it was an officer so dignified and grave;
First with one hand, then the other, I guess he thought me daft—
I've hated field clerks ever since—I still can hear him laugh.

I remember, I remember, the rifle that I drew.
'Twas thick with Ordance marmalade in beads of yellow dew,
The more I cleaned, the more there was. Instead of "oil", I ween,
What the widow's famous cruise contained was Ordance Cosmolene.

I remember, I remember, the first time I did guard,
"Two hours on and four hours off," that didn't seem so hard;
Until I started to walk post when the Corporal said "Now Kid"
Instead of walking; **double time** to get it over with!"

Now you have the idea, gentle reader. To any old timer who kin "remember" any similar experiences and sends us a verse like the above **we will give one salvaged waist belt,** complete with spare parts. Think of it! On account of the fact that salvage will so soon be discontinued and the supply curtailed we must limit this offer by awarding only one to each contributor, no matter how many verses he submits.—**The News.**

## SHOULDER INSIGNIA FOR FORT BENNING PERSONNEL

A shipment of the attractive shoulder insignia now authorized for wear by Fort Benning's permanent personnel has recently arrived and is now on sale at the Post Exchange at a most reasonable price. This device which is a replica of the official "coat of arms" of the Infantry School represents a bayonet, white, on a shield-shaped field of blue. To start us off right and for the benefit of those tailors who may be unacquainted with the regulations concerning the proper location of these insignia on the sleeve, we shall reprint from the uniform regulations: "Shoulder insignia will be worn on the upper part of the left sleeve of the service coat or overcoat, the top of the insignia to be one-half inch below the top of the seam joining the sleeve to the coat or overcoat."

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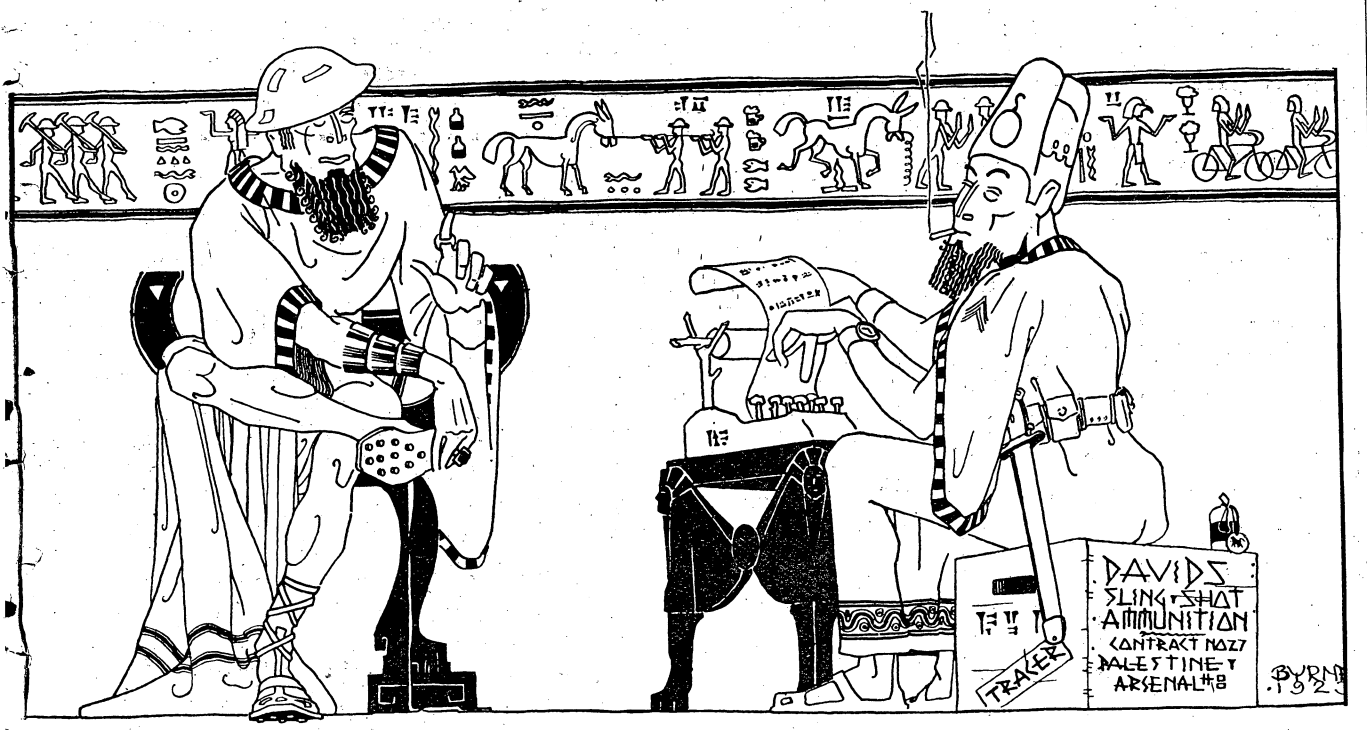
# *Ancient Manuscript Unearthed at Fort Benning!*

## IMPORTANT FIND HAS JUST BEEN TRANSLATED.

The Archaeological Department of The News takes pleasure in announcing that recent excavations at the Upatoie Bridge by a delegation from the 24th Infantry Antiquarian Society were recently rewarded by the discovery of an age-old bottle, most securely corked. The exterior of this vessel bearing, as it did, the figure of an antique raven so aroused the curiosity of the excavting committee that they proceeded immediately to pull the stopper, not even pausing to inquire if Capt. Teachout were coming. Imagine then their surprise and disappointment when all they found therein was a manuscript, tightly rolled and inscribed in Hebraic characters. This on being translated proved to be "The Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon." These, the manuscript avers, were dictated to the Company Clerk by Pvt. Solomon, "In the 83rd year of his enlistment, when the day of his discharge was already close at hand," and so astute are the observations contained therein that we publish them, tho in installments, for the information and guidance of all concerned.




## *Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon*

### CHAPTER I.

**(Translated by J. B. S.)**

On ne'er-do-wells: the recording of their misdeeds: the effect of infra: the effect of supra: the manner of their service: their discharge.

1. Some soldiers there be who drill not nor prosper but labor by persuasion of armed men.

2. The days of their service seem endless and are full of trouble; the entries in the records of their service are in number as the sands of the sea.

3. Yea, their goings and comings are without number and their service records wax in bulk as dictionaries yet is the half not told and the 1st sergeants wearieth from oft recording of their misdemeanors.

4. All manner of misdoing is theirs and tho they drill it is with a gun rust-corrupted and tho they parade it is with blouse half-buttoned.

5. In the twilight, in the evening, in the black and dark night do they gird up their loins, binding also their sandals upon their feet and depart in their stealth to the nearby city for they have no pass to depart openly.

6. Where they affront all by their manner and bring contempt upon us who seek to wear the uniform aright.

7. They become drunken and are cast into prison with civilians of low repute; reville cometh and their voice answereth not to roll call nor can any man say where they have spent the night.

8. Then doth the wrath of the captain enkindle mightily against them yet on their return he preferreth no charges for that it is too much work in these days; moreover he hath at hand no plate of wrought silver on which such must be duly served to those accused.

9. So he admonisheth them greatly and doth menace them with many words: they smile in their hearts thereat and even up their sleeves do they laugh without stint or limit.

10. For an angry captain is a funny sight.

11. So are their days spent in company punishment and their nights in town and this manner of service cometh throuout the length of their enlistment.

12. At length the day of their discharge cometh and the captain is rejoiced, the company clerk whistleth as he prepareth the papers and the heart of the first sergeant is made glad at inscribing their exit on the morning report.

13. For of all things beneath the sun which cause travail and labor to better men the worst is a soldier who hath no pride having enlisted to avoid work. Selah!

(Continued next week.)

## Field Artillery News Notes

An extra five minutes perior was necessary in order to decide the relative merits of the I. S. D. and Artillery Bsketball teams who met last Saturday night, and parted, with the I. S. D. towing the longer end of 21 to 18 score.

Assuming that the praises of the slightly better team will be sung in another corner of this publication, as they deserve to be, this account will deal only with the cannoneers, among whom, Pieffer with three field goals, Mann with an equal number, and Goldberg with the same, and two foul throws in addition, divided the honors. Owens, substituting for Goldberg tossed a neat foul throw, and the guards, Mizwa and Piazza, held their opponents to a reasonable number of counters. Reckcastle, subbing at center for Peiffer, and Piazza, are both from B Battery, while the rest hale from Battery 'A'.

Odd organizations run to favorite sports. Headquarters is a baseball outfit, "A" and "B" run to football and basketball. "C" Battery has its representatives on most teams, but favors boxing. Apropes of which, and of the bataiion's prominence in fistic arts, the writer has attempted leave the "r" out of "First" in the "First Batallion of the 83rd Field Artillery," on several occasions, but an alert copyreader has always inserted it.

The same copyreader went in over his head on this column last week. The copy read; "Than which we are prouder of nothing." when it appeared in print, the copy reader had fixed it as follows: "of which there is nothing that we are prouder of," thus laboriously crawling right back into the same hole from which he had just extricated himself.

Distinctive regimental insignia will be a feature of the uniform of this unit in the near future, if plans being submitted to the Chief of Field Artillery for such a design are approved. The details of the designs are a military secret at this time, but it may be added that the Latin Motto; "Chase Me" is NOT a feature of the insignia.

This Column Closes with a note of warning. Misguided individuals inclined to bet their wearing apparel against the artillery pole team are advised not to do so; this in the interest of public decorum.

## AN ODE TO THE SOCIETY EDITOR.

"**Charming**" functions ,and tiresome, too.
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A condescending and"**genial**" host,
and the "**beautiful**" solos that please him most,
"**Aristically rendered,**' in every case
"**Entrancing**", etc., is commonplace!

The "**Army Contingent**"—the "**nuptialball**"
The rare "**old families**" that line the hall.
The "**excellent music**" where are the laws
'Gianst "**brilliant**" speeches and "**lound**" applause?

"**Sumptuous**" collations, served with care,
(The caterer sends in his bill with a prayer.)
"**Gallant**" young officer—I hate to be tellin'
But" **gallantry oft times is sold by gallons!**"

**L'Envoi**

The Society Editor has a cinch
He and the bull together clinch,
Then over and over he throws the bull.
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## THE CRICKET

## 29th Infantry News Notes

**HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.**

Sergeant Harvey has had his little hard luck again. This time it was a soccer game. Wonder if he plays baseball.

Corporal Hopkinson is still popular in town. But it was postponed because a dozen prominent citizens want to meet him.

Corporal Quinley is thinking of leaving us to try and improve the Army by giving the embryo soldiers the right steer in the soldiering game at the Recruit Center.

It is so prophesied that there shall come a time, when there shall be no Light, and there will be a great destruction of cattle, and the Regimental Exchange will sell tallow candles and men will literally burn the midnight oil for their card games. And so shall they be afflicted until an Authority of the land shall rise and proclaim another Appropriation, whereby there shall again be Light.

**COMPANY "C."**

News is scarce in the Company at present, very little has been done this week on account of the rough weather.

Cpls. Bell and Corley are back for duty, after a week or 10 days in the hospital.

Private Hames returned Saturdy fom his long extended fulough and AWOL. He looked like he had walked back, pehaps that's why he was 27 days late.

**COMPANY "E."**

What's the matter with Tent 43? Smoke was seen issuing from the stove pipe on the morning of Feb. 7 for the first time this winter. Was it a case of cold feet or just a question as to who should chop the wood?

Privates Crane and Lucas are certainly playing a fine game of soccer with the 2nd Battalion team.

Two of our prominent members, Cpl. DeRose and Cook Denison joined the Modern Woodmen, Feb. 6th, and from all accounts the initiation was very interesting—that is, to those who witnesed it.

Pvt. Russo states that being a member of the demonstration platoon is much more pleasant than barbering.

Five new phonograph records were added to our collection last week, and they are certainly good.

**COMPANY "F."**

At this writing the 2nd Battalion Soccer Team has won three of its four games, the first game between 1st Bn., 29th Inf. and 2nd Bn., 29th Inf., was won by the 2nd Bn., score 4 to 0; the second game, Special Units vs. 2nd Bn., won by 2nd Bn., score 7 to 0; third game, 1st Bn. vs. 2nd Bn., won by 2nd Bn., score 5 to 0. Of course, this means that we have won the championship although we have another game to play Wednesday Feb. 7th, but without a doubt the score will be something similar to the above three scores. It is the belief of the writer that there is not a Soccer Team in the South that can beat the present 2nd Bn., 29th Infantry Soccer Team.

We wondered what the trouble was with Otalvaro, one of our star Soccer players, in last Sunday's game. He did not seem to be able to kick the ball straight at all. Suddenly I discovered from the side line that he had two left shoes on. After a very short time he was able to borrow a right shoe from one of the Subs. How can you be so absent-minded, Otalvaro?

Pvt. Nicolella has recently been placed in charge of the Company Recreation Room. Of course, "Nick," you will now be able to increase that monthly deposit, with the Finance.

Cpl. Sikes is somewhat of a checker and domino player. Look out, George Washington, there are a lot of dark horses that know those games.

By the looks of things, one would think that Co. "G," 29th Infantry, has gone into the dog catching business; any time during the day one can see dogs of all description keeping the boys busy in all ways, such as separating fights, throwing stones, using a wicked right toe, etc.

Sgt. Jones will be discharged on Feb. 13th. He is not going to re-up, nope, he is going back to the farm in Carolina, after 6 years of absence. We wish you luck, "Vester."

I wonder why Pvt. Perry takes that walk down the track every now and then. Are you practicing up, Francis? That "Weary Willie" stuff is the bunk. We thought you were not going back on the road. If you are, take it from me, buddie, go North for the freights are far and few between down in this part of the country.

Cpl. Williams is now ready to play any one person in the Post a game of pool, no one barred. Sometime in the near future we expect to see the name of Williams ranking with Willie Hoppe, the pool expert, also Wayne E. Leonard, the billiardist.

We have three men who will soon be discharged. They have hopes of signing up for 60 weeks with Keith's Circuit on the Vaudeville Stage. Any Company desiring the service of this famous trio may apply to Cooks Derbyshire and Mancuso and Mech. Trogden.

Mech. Trogden without a doubt is the best tenor singer in Tent No. 3. (Yep, Trogden, is the only occupant of Tent No. 3.)

A famous saying by a famous man (Cpl. Metzinger). "If it's not arskin too much, Judge, will you put the Dago in the same cell wid me."

"Pop," our company tailor, offered any man in the company 10 cents for a load of wood the other day, stop kidding us, "Pop," but come again about the latter part of the month. 10 cents is a whole lot of money at that time.

Cpl. Warner, your name is now Werner, don't forget that.

Cpl. Lance, can you play Carom??

The reason that our company did not submit any material for the "News" last week, our Company Reporter had to try and learn to soldier duing the time that the "News" should have been submitted. Second, my time was occupied trying to locate Private Pawlak's laundry (SOCK) if he was to lose two socks, I suppose he would tear down the Quartermaster Laundry. You're good, Pawlak, the world's wrong.

As was mentioned in the News a few weeks ago about Private Lingel going to town and posing at the bus station—well, he is off again. Just now came in the Orderly Room after his pass. Why don't you buy a "Henry?" You would save quite a lot of money.

Private First Class Allen Parrish, who was to be married next month, met with a very serious accident. The jug broke, and of course, his future better half was present at the time, so it was all off for Allen. He was posing as a Prohibition Officer. Do you realize how lucky you are, Allen?

**COMPANY "H."**

Our model platoon is being highly praised by officers and student officers every day. Captain Allen has said that it is the best Machine Gun Platoon in the Army.

All men are asked to donate some news to the Company Reporter.

"Who" were the chocolates for, Mac?

Sgt. Parris beat us making up his bed this morning. Why all the ambition?

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# History of 7th Engineers

**CITATIONS AND DECORATIONS.**
**ADDENDA.**
**Decoration Received.**

**Distinguished Service Medal.**
Colonel E. G. Paules.
**Distinguished Service Cross.**
Major William M. Hoge.
Major W. R. Swan.
Captain H. R. McAdams.
Captain Charles J. Moore.
1st Lieutenant Fred D. Mendenhall.
1st Lieutenant James W. Gray.
1st Lieutenant Morgan B. McDermott.
Master Engineer Richard J. Tobin, Co. "C."
Sergeant 1st Class Eugene P. Walker, Co. "D."
Sergeant 1st Class John T. Baker, Co. "F."
Sergeant 1st Class Hubert VerMehren, Medical Detachment.
Sergeant Elmer W. Highley, Medical Detachment.
Sergeant Harry W. Campbell, Co. "A."
Sergeant Patrick P. Higgins, Co. "B."
Sergeant David Oliphant, Co. "A."
Sergeant Otis C. Scoby, Co. "F."
Corporal Robert E. Crawford, Co. "D."
Private 1st Class Irvin B. Horn, Co. 'D."
Private 1st Class Noah L. Gump, Co. "D."
Private 1st Class Stanley T. Murname, Co. "D."
Private 1st Class Julius D. Larson, Co. "F."
Private John Hoggle, Co. "D."
Private Mody A. Weeks, Co. "F."
Private Fred A. Crowe, Co. "D."
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Captain Frank O. Mercer.
**Croix de Guerre a L'Ordre Du G. A.**
Major W. R. Swan.
Captain Howard R. McAdams.
Sergeant 1st Class Eugene P. Walker, Co. "D."
Sergeant Patrick P. Higgins, Co. "B."
Sergeant Otis C. Scoby, Co. "E."
Sergeant Harry W. Campbell, Co. 'A."
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Private 1st Class Noah L. Gump, Co. "D."
Private Mody A. Weeks, Co. "F."
Private John Hoggle, Co. "D."
Private Irvin B. Horn, Co. "D."
**Medailles Militaire.**
Sergeant Harry W. Campbell, Co. "A."
Sergeant Beach.
Private 1st Class Noah L. Gump, Co. "D."

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS.
**Personnel Division.**
**Decoration Section.**

1. Under the provisions of Cablegram No. 2830, received from the War Department, March 1st, 1919, the Commander-in-Chief, in the name of the President, has awarded the Distinguished Service Medal to you for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished services as set forth below:

Colonel Earl G. Paules, U. S. A.

For exceptionally meritorious and distinguished services.

As a member of the American Military Commission in Italy from April to July, 1918, he displayed tact and diplomacy in making a preliminary investigation of the Czecho-Slovak situation. Later, as Commanding Officer of the 7th Engineers, he participated creditably in the St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne offensive, materially aiding in the operations of the Fifth Division by his skill in constructing bridges across the Meuse River in the face of desperate hostile resistance.

WAR DEPARTMENT.
Washington, January 30, 1919.
General Orders
No. 20.

VI—Awards, psothumous, of the distinguished service cross—By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved July 9, 1918 (Bul. No. 43, W. D., 1918), the distinguished service cross was awarded posthumously by the Commanding General, American Expeditionary Forces, for extraordinary heroism in action in Europe, to the following named officers and enlisted men of the American Expeditionary Forces.

CHARLES J. MOORE, Captain, 7th Regiment of Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action on the Andon River, France. Capt. Moore went forward under heavy artillery fire, reorganized his men, who were in scattered units, after they had laid bridges across the Andon River. After being severely wounded he gave instructions to his subordinates for carrying out the work.

(Continued next week.)

**CAMP BRAGG RECREATION OFFICER WIRES RECOMMENDATION "SHUFFLE ALONG."**

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

The ladies of the post held their second meeting last Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock when plans were completed for the dinner to be given the Husbands next Thursday evening, February 8th. The recently acquired kitchen will be used in the preparation of the dinner and the husbands are asked to be on hand early to "shovel col".

Last Friday evening the prize poems were read aloud before the open fire in the south room of the Service Club and the prize was awarded a man calling himself Charlie Chumley but no one hs been able to locate this Charlie. Nevertheless, we wish to say that a perfectly good prize is awaiting him—Step forward Charlie and reveal your identity.

Last Sunday evening the men who chanced to be at the Service Club enjoyed a Marshmellow roast in front of the big open fire place in the south end of Service Club. Boys it will pay you to stick around the club as there is always something of interest going on.

Last Sunday evening the Service Club Committee enjoyed a Beefsteak Spread in their club room in the south of the Service Club. Everything was going good until Corp. Myers put six mints in his coffee thinking it was sugar and Corp. Mann stepped on Sgt. Sigmund's foot and made him swallow a piece of steak whole.

Immediately following the spread and while enjoying the after-dinner mints the Committee transacted the business of the evening with vice-Pres. Mann presiding in the absence of Pres. Bjonstol.

Tuesday evening at seven o'clock the second meeting of the men's chorus was held and it was decided to turn it into a Soldiers Glee Club. This club will organize next Tuesday evening at seven o'clcok and any man capable of carrying a tune will plese be there.

The Box-Dance last Wednesday evening was a decided success. The room was packed with ladies both of the post and Columbus and a total of twenty-four nice delicious boxes were sold. The committee appreciates the interest that the ladies taken in making this one of the best enjoyed dances that we have had so Far.

## I. S. D. (White) News Notes

The I. S. D. Basketball team has started out right, winning their first tournement game from the 83rd F. A. Score 21-18. The I. S. D. rooters could easily be counted. Let's all see the game this Saturday.

Detachment dance Saturday night, February 10th, 1923. Place I. S. D. Mess Hall. Time 8 P. M. Let's go. Married men are cordially invited to bring their families.

The baseball fans and players of the Detachment held a rousing meeting in the Recreation room Wednesday, and from what the writer heard the other Post teams better be up to snuff.

Where was Private First class Otis R. Glenn Wednesday night?

Don't you know a Non-Commissioned Officer when you see one, wipe that smile off your face. Don't you know a Corporal. What Sergeant got this balling out last week.

Spud Murphy is lose again, take out some insurance.

Bob Skyfire seems to be setting pretty with his new Special Duty Job.

Well boys things do look as if we are going to lose Frankie Smith (the Jaw Bone Clerk.) Do believe he is going to get married.

Jazz Magoni, shipped another chicken Wednesday, this one had feathers.

## Medical Department Notes

Sergeant George F. Orr, Medical Department, received his discharge Saturday, February 3rd. Believing that the Army offered more advantages than civil life, he re-enlisted the following day. He is now enjoying a thirty-day furlough in Massachusetts.

Captain R. T. Arnest, M. C., left Wednesday on a seven-day leave of absence, being called home on account of illness in his family.

Sgt. V. E. Thompson and Private Hunt recently returned from acting as attendants for patients going to Walter Reed General Hospital. Thompson thinks that men going on trips involving train travel should be instructed before starting, as one of them went for a cup of water and brought back a cup of liquid soap.

Staff Sergeant and Mrs. P. H. Risley spent the week-end with the latter's parents at Hawkinsville, Ga.

## Motor Transport News

**Market Outlook.**

America Mussel Shoals or shells cheaper, Ladies' Skirts coming down, North Pole Fly Swatters, Roller Skates and B. V. D. cheaper, Panama Exchange ladies' sealskin coat, value $125.00, for 100 lbs. of ice.

**Corn Market.**

Day by day, P. O. say no corn liquor in Post can stay; Booze Hounds reply, day by day, if we get paid, we put our share of corn away, out of sight, out of mind, jest get it in you, and you will feel fine (?)

**Valuable Information.**

Two soldiers caught with a quart of Red Rum, Officer released said soldiers with a reprimand, as there was no par, in Army Regulation, covering a 9th degree offense. Read Red Rum backwards and see what they got away with.

**Terrible Windstorm.**

Jan. 31th, 9:00 p. m. A married man heard the wind blowing, dust arizing, he began to close doors and windows of his pleasure dugout; his better half inquired, Why are you closing up everything? His answer: Don't you see the dust, and hear the wind blowing. That's not the wind, darling, that's the soldiers' wives turning the leaves in their new Catalogue; you know tomorrow is pay day.

Lost or left somewhere between the City and Fort Benning, a lady's silk parasol, black handle with white ring attached. Finder please return to Private Roy R. Lee and receive liberal reward. No quest. asked. Mum the word.

To be discharged in a few months, will trade new serge uniform for something snappier, preferably a pinch-back suit. For further information see Private Campbell.

Questionnaire for Pvt. Mack S. Davis:

1. How many set on the Kangaroo Court?
2. If you only could have gotten in touch with $2, what would have happened?
3. What did happen?
4. What difference will it make to you when we find out?

Last evening Cook Walburg (Bill Duley) and Pvt. Morgan entertained at two tables at the Ash Can Inn. Ham sandwicks with pickle in the middle were served. Guests departed about 2 G. M., after spending a very pleasant evening.

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### RENTAL ALLOWANCE.

1. The following information relative to rental allowance, received from the Chief of Finance, is published for the information of all concerned:

"1. Under decisions of the Comptroller General, interpreting the Joint Pay Act of June 10, 1922, Finance Officers are authorized to make payments carrying rental allowance when the facts in the case conform to the requirements as set forth below. While the conditions set forth do not fully cover all cases where, in the opinion of this office, officers are entitled to the rental allowance, **no payments other than those described herein may properly be made** until such time as the Comptroller General may modify or amend existing decisions:—

**a.—On Leave.**

(1). Relieved from duty, granted leave, no future station being designated. (Dec. Comp. Genl. Dec. 26, 1922.)

(2). Relieved from duty, granted leave, at the termination of which, officer is to report to another station. (Dec. Comp. Genl, Jan. 2, 1923).

(3). On rental allowance status, granted leave, at the termination of which, officer returns to same duty station. (Decs. Comp. Genl., Aug. 30, 1922, and Dec. 26, 1922).

(4). On rental allowance status, granted leave, during which officer is relieved from duty and ordered to another station. (Dec. Comp. Genl. Jan. 10, 1923.)

**b.—Sick Leave.**

(1). Relieved from duty, granted sick leave (Decs. Comp. Genl. Jan. 2 and 9, 1923).

(2). Relieved from duty, ordered to hospital, and later granted sick leave. Decs. Comp. Genl., Jan. 2 and 9, 1923).

(3). On rental allowance status, granted sick leave without change of status. (Dec. Comp. Genl., Dec. 26, 1922).

(4). On rental allowance status, granted sick leave, and subsequently relieved from duty. (Dec. Comp. Genl., Jan. 10, 1923).

**c.—Sick in Hospital.**

(1). Relieved from duty, ordered to hospital for observation and treatment. (Dec. Comp. Genl., Jan. 9, 1923).

(2). On rental allowance status, ordered to hospital for observation and treatment, without change of status. (Dec. Comp. Genl., Dec. 26, 1922).

**d.—Field Duty.**

(1). The law grants rental allowance to an officer having dependents, if they are not occupying public quarters. It expressly denies rental allowance if the officer on field duty has no dependents. (Dec. Comp. Genl., Dec. 26, 1922.)

**e.—Temporary Duty Away From Permanent Station.**

(1). On a rental allowance status, ordered to temporary duty away from permanent station where personal shelter only is furnished officer. (Dec. Comp. Genl., Dec. 26, 1922).

(2). On rental allowance status, ordered to temporary duty away from permanent station, where personal shelter only is furnished officer, later relieved from permanent station. (Decs. Comp. Genl., Jan. 10 and 12, 1923).

(3). On duty at station where public quarters in kind are furnished, ordered to temporary duty away therefrom at a place where no quarters are available. Entitled rental allowance provided quarters are absolutely and unconditionally relinquished at permanent station. (Dec. Comp. Genl., Dec. 26, 1922, in connection with 20 Comp. Dec., 518.)

**f.—Duty At Station Where Public Quarters Are Not Available.**

"2. It should be understood that rental allowance does not acrue under any conditions cited above if the officer's dependents are occupying public quarters."

2. Officers who have been on leave of absence, sick leave, sick in hospital or on temporary duty and whose cases come **clearly** under any of the conditions above cited, may now submit proper claims for rental allowance, supported by certified copies of orders, in duplicate, to the local finance officer.

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## Take A Look At This

### SPLENDID ROMANCE IS "THE PRISONER OF ZENDA"

"The Prisoner of Zenda", which has thrilled thousands who have read the book or seen the play, has been made into a photoplay by Rex Ingram the man who leaped into the front rank of motion picture directors by his production of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse". This Metro picture, which comes to the war Department theatre on Sunday February 11, preserves all those elements which made the Edward Rose stage version of the novel by Anthony Hope, on which the photoplay is based, so popular.

It is a story of the adventures of Rudolf Rassendyll, a young Englishman who for a time became the king of the mythical country of Ruritania and who won the love of the Princess Flavia, after a series of plots and counterplots during which he is compelled to fight for his very life. Beautiful settings, gorgeous costumes and an exceptional cast contributes to make this romance one which will be talked about by all lovers of good pictures.

In the cast are Lewis Stone, Robert Edeson, Alice Terry, Stuart Holmes, Ramon Navarro, Barbara La Marr, Malcolm McGregor, Edward Connelly and Lois Lee. The adaption was done by Mary O'Hara and the photography by John F. Seitz.

### LAUGHS IN NEW FILM DUE TO NOVELTY OF PLOT AND ACTION

The day of the hackneyed motion-picture plot is passing, according to the critical New York newspaper reviewers. Originality is what is demanded over everything else by present-day audiences; and if the story of a picture does not measure up to that standard the fact is quickly known to all who follow the printed criticisms, if, indeed, it has not already become known through word of mouth.

Coming to the War Department Theatre, Tuesday, February 13, is a photoplay which has received high praise on the score of its very uncommon originality of story content. Simple, unpretentious with no bizarre costumes or gilded settings, "Fools of Fortune," is nevertheless an outstanding attraction purely on the strength of the originality of its story. To this merit should be added the the capital acting of Marguerite De La Motte and Jack Dill in the principal roles, with the able assistance of those screen veterans, Tully Marshall, Frank Brownlee and Russell Simpson.

The story involves four amusing cowboy characters. One of their number decides to present himself to a wealthy Eastern family as its long missing heir, on the strength of a newspaper story he has read. This serious impulse is, however, begun in a spirit of harmless fun. The attitude of the three who are forced into the deception adds materially to the hilarious complications ahead of them. How this situation leads to other more serious ones; finally to reach a dramatic climax, unlooked for and amazing, will, it is expected, repeat the New York success of the picture.

### "THE COWBOY AND THE LADY" FOUNDED ON CLYDE FITCH'S BIG SUCCESS

With a famous play by Clyde Fitch as a foundation, and featuring Mary Miles Minter and Tom Moore, "The Cowboy and the Lady" has been screened by Paramount. Supporting the featured players is a cast of popular players, prominent among whom are Robert Schable, Viora Daniel and Patricia Palmer. Charles Maigne was the director.

The story tells of a wife who remains faithful to her cad of a husband until fate points the way to a finer love. Jessica Weston, sickened by her husband's escapades, goes to her ranch in Wyoming. Releuctantly her husband accompanies her. Out there, however, he has an affair with another woman, while a neighboring gentlemanly rancher, Teddy North, falls in love with Jessica. Interesting developements follow, and there is a murder mystery which threatens to shatter the happiness of all concerned. But at the last moment justice and happiness prevail.

"The Cowboy and the Lady" which was filmed in Wyoming, comes to the War Department Theatre on Thursday, February 15.

### 100 BATHING GIRLS IN SUPERB PICTURE

**Will Be Seen in Beach Scenes of "The Impossible Mrs. Bellew."**

Swimming scenes in "The impossible Mrs. Bellew," the new Gloria Swanson Paramaount picture coming to the War Department Theatre next Friday, February 16, are said to have been given added realism because of the fact that one hundred beautiful bathing girls appearing therin were specially coached for the sequence by Duke Kahanomoku world's champion speed swimmer.

The Duke, then on a tour of the United States, visited the Paramount studio in Hollywood, Cal., just as Director Sam Wood was entering upon the task of training Miss Lura nson and the bevy of bathing girls she heads in scenes about Miss Swanson, whose own particular bathing suits are said to be the latest word in beach attire. The locale of the scenes is Deauville, France, home of the one-piece bathing suit and the liveliest and most publicized beach in the world.

When Director Wood found Kahanomoku was in the studio, the noted Hawaiian was pressed into service for several hours' intenseive instruction of the bathing contingent.

"The Impossible Mrs. Bellew" is said to offer a real novelty in the Deauville scenes. Monte Carlo, a winter resort, has been "shot" many times, but this is believed to be one of the first occasions for the use of the world's most famous summer watering place. Conrad Nagel is leading man.

### "MOONSHINE VALLEY" WITH FARNUM COMING SOON

William Farnum, the noted Fox star, will be seen at the War Department Theatre next Monday, February 12, in a story of the foothills called "Moonshine Valley," from the pen of Mary Murrillo. It is said to be a picture with many thrilling incidents and striking photoplays.

During the picture Farnum stages two thrilling fights with Holmes Herbert, an old screen favorite, who is a member of the excellent supporting cast.

Dawn O'Day, a tiny three-year-old commedienne, and Sadie Mullen, who is playing her first leading role, are prominent members of the cast. Jean the famous moving picture dog, shows off to a good advantage.

The fact that Herbert Brenon directed the picture is the best assurance that "Moonshine Valley" is a photoplay out of the ordinary run by moving pictures, this director being noted for his human touches and startling effects.

### CAPT. ELLIS RETURNS.

Capt. W. A. Ellis, Post Personnel Adjutant, returned Wednesday from a leave of absence spent for the most part in Illinois, and has resumed his duties at the Headquarters Building. Mrs. Ellis, who accompanied Capt. Ellis, will return about March 1.


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# SPORTING NEWS

## SECOND BATALLION ATHLETIC NEWS

### Second Batallion Again Victor in Basketball and Soccer.

Monday night saw the overwhelming victory of the Freebooters basketball team at the hands of the second battalion, 29th Infantry. The first half ended with a score of 42-2, so Lt. Sims decided to let his second stringmen play the second half. The final score was 48-7. It looked as if the 2nd Bn. is going to the top of the ladder with little opposition.

The next fray will be between the second battalion and the Tanks on next Wednesday.

## SECOND BATTALION SOCCER CHAMPIONS

By beating the 1st Bn. last Sunday by the score of 5-0, the 2nd Bn. became the champions of the post in Soccer football. Just to put on the finishing touches, the Freebooters were also defeated by exactly the same score last Wednesday. This was the only game that the Second Battalion's goal was actully threatened, when the Freebooters missed making a goal by a few inches. However, a miss is as good as a mile, and the 2nd Bats emerged from a triumphant season with four straight games won, and have never been scored on. It is sorrowful that other units in this post did not place a team in the field this season, as it would have given the Second Battalion Champions great pleasure in winning from both the 83rd and Tanks. As it is, the basketshooters will have to do the winning from these organizations for the soccer boys. The present plan is to play the Student Officers at an early date, possibly next Wednesday. This certainly will be a most interesting game.

The turnouts at both basketball and soccer have been altogether too small, possibly caused by the inclement weather, but it is hoped that a record crown will support the team hereafter.

## I. S. D. DEFEATS THE 83rd F. A.

On Saturday night the Infantry School Detachment (white) and the 83rd F. A. met in a basketball game that was an excellent imitation of a good football. Roughness was a distinct feature of the game. Team work and science were conspicuous by their absence. However, it was a good game, and to finally decide who the winners were an additional five minutes of play were necessary. This additional five minutes showed that the powers that be favored the I. S. D., and the final score stood 21 to 18.

**Line-Up.**

| 83rd F. A. | Pos. | I. S. D. (W) |
|---|---|---|
| | Forward | |
| Goldberg | | Highland |
| | Forward | |
| Mann | | Carroll |
| | Guard | |
| Mizwa | | Ellis |
| | Guard | |
| Peazza | | Valentine |
| | Center | |
| Peiffer | | Collins |

Rockcastle substituted for Peiffer in the last five minutes of play. I. S. D. substituted Kato for Ellis, Bays for Kato, Ellis for Bays.

Kid Suby , the middle weight champion of the fourth corps area adds another victory to his credit by the K. O. route. This was the outcome of a scheduled ten round bout in Burlington, Vermont.

## 2ND BATTALION 29TH INF. DEFEATS FREEBOOTERS, 29TH

In a one sided game in which the Freebooters never even got an excellent start, the 2nd Battalion Basketball team gave Freebooters of the 29th an awful walloping to the tune of 48 to 7.

However, the Freebooters have some excellent material and with a little more hard work for condition and more playing together to develop team work the Freebooters could develop a team that would be the par of any on the Post.

| Freebooters | Position | 2nd Bn. |
|---|---|---|
| Duqdtte | Guard | Frantz |
| Rothfarb | Guard | Burt |
| Harrison | Center | Davis |
| Lotz | Forward | Kjelstrom |
| Hardesty | Forward | Brown |

Shaffer substituted for Harrison.

2nd Bn. Sub. Johnson for Frantz; McCord for Burt; Akers for McCord; Brady for Brown.

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## "THE FIRST YEAR AT THE SPRINGER OPERA HOUSE TWO NIGHTS AND MATINEE

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In this delicious "comedy-tragedy" of married life, produced by John Golden and staged by Winchell Smith Tommy Tucker, Grace's husband, invites a business man and his wife to dinner. Poor Grace has been having a hard time of it. She is a small-town girl who had never been away from home and mother before in her life. Here she is, in a strange town that she doesn't like, although her longing for chance had urged her to compel Tommy to bring her to it. The weather is hot. The cook fails to appear, said cook being a temperamental colored woman who cannot always be counted on. And she has to dress, as well as prepare the dinner.

Then Tommy comes home and makes matter worse in his well-meaning, but clumsy, attempts to help. When finally he picks up a glass of water that Grace had just filled and put on the table, and drains it, Grace goes to pieces. It looks like a little thing, but young housewives on a hot day and under such circumstances know how the little thing counts.

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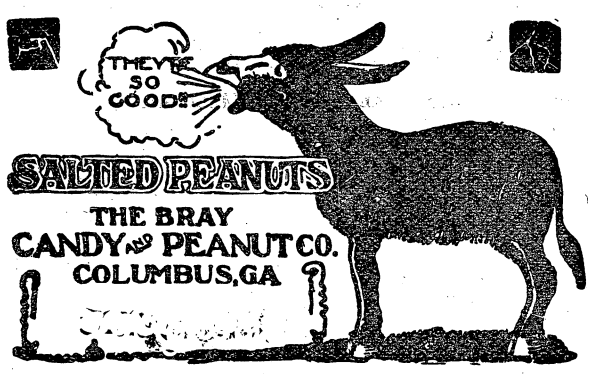


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## 24th Infantry Notes

### COMPANY "A."

The Company Clerk, Co. "A," has the writing fever. He is forever writing up the doings of other people, but I notice he overlooks himself. Be careful, Corporal, the boys are looking you up. Where there is smoke there is fire somewhere, and I think you are in the midst of the blaze.

Pvt. Churchill went to town last night with the expectation of meeting his new loved one, but his old love met him and turned him shortly around. Poor Church, it's hard but it is fair. We were lucky just the same, for he caught an automobile on the fly that was going 30 miles an hour. Oh, boy, you sure are swift.

### COMPANY "B."

Bugler Hall, you seem to be undecided. You had better hurry and decide what you intend to do, as you are getting to be a short timer. We heard you say sometime ago that you were going out in the life, get married to a wife, and settle down. We advise you to stay in the army and settle up.

Robinson (the Cruel Hombre) says that he is going to crush a man bright and early Sunday morning.

Happy Rollins, we advise you to stay at home all day next Sunday.

Well, Sergt. Freeman, you got a letter at last! What did she have to say?

Willie P.—You lost your last battle and you are promised a return bout. Say, boy, you had better get "Do Belly" to train you for the big fight.

### COMPANY "D."

Company "D" has just begun to prepare for the coming Target Season. We intend to break all previous high qualification records. Not only Co. "D's" high record, but the high record of the Army; and with Captain E. C. Callahan, our Commander, one of the best Machine Gun officers in the entire Army, we can, and are going to qualify 100 percent Experts.

Willie Felder, better known as "Kid Quong," went to the city Thursday night and lost his head, and he has been going back every night since trying to find it.

Henry T. Day, better known as "Sweet Papa Long Legs," is trying to change his name to "Dressing Kid." He is mad at Law because he can't get a suit with blue, yellow, green, white, gray, silver and red stripes in it. Keep a cool head, "Long Legs," Law will find that pretty suit for you.

Gee, what is the matter with "Boo Reese"? He hasn't been to the city in two months. Poor "Boo Reese!" We know you got stung the last time you were up there, but all the yellow jackets are gone now, so you can go back without getting stung.

### POEM.

It was on a Sunday morning,
In a little village town,
Lived one Robert B. McAdams,
Who was old and bent in age.

He was somewhat over eighty,
But each Sunday at 9:00 A. M.,
You could see him, bent and trembling,
On his way to morning prayer.

From his cabin to the church house
It was three miles or more,
So he always started early,
To be there to join the choir.

But upon this Sunday morning
When he reached the church house door,
There he found the church was empty,
But a sign was on the door.

In large letters roughly printed,
Robert B. McAdams read,
Preacher Absent On Vacation,
Church Is Closed Till His Return.

While lingering there in wonder,
This sad vision crossed his mind,
If when he arrived in heaven
Would he find it written there—

CHRIST IS ABSENT ON VACATION,
HEAVEN CLOSED TILL HIS RETURN.

Then the old man, broken-hearted,
Re-read the sign upon the door:
PREACHER ABSENT ON VACATION,
CHURCH IS CLOSED TILL HIS RETURN.

By C. F. Goode, 1st Sergeant, Co. "H," 24th Infantry.

### COMPANY "K."

Cpl. Jones (He Vamp) had a slight collision with a mirror a few Sundays ago, "just thru playing," and the only damages reported thus far was a broken mirror. That's alright, Johnny, she didn't mean to hurt you—"MUCH."

A certain brother came in last Sunday night all cold, muddy, and wet, and upon being asked what was the idea, replied: "Oh, boy!" (Deep stuff, deep stuff.) Nuff sed.

Sgt. Garrett (Tailor-Made) has passed in review again but what was the idea of sticking around the cop, after the review? "Afraid to go home in the dark?"

Sgt. McCauley (Happy Hooligan) was asked, "Who was responsible for the cadence of the Platoon?" replied, "The Platoon Commander." Atta boy, Mack.

### COMPANY "L."

The members of Company "L" would like to know very much what has become of the Jolly Four since it was announced that the Williams Singers will appear at the Service Club on Saturday, February 10th, 1923.

Private Carter Smyers, of Company "L," bought his girl a pair of bedroom slippers for a Xmas present, and upon finding that same was too small, he has been seen wearing them himself.


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Born to Sergeant and Mrs. W. J. Highsaw, on January 25th, 1923, a son, William J., Jr.

Born to Sergeant and Mrs. D. W. Parks, on January 29th, 1923, a son, Francis William.

Born to Lieut. and Mrs. R. J. Caperton, on January 29th, 1923, a son, William Jesse.

Born to Lt. Colonel and Mrs. R. T. Hooker, on February 4th, 1923, a daughter, Dorothy.

Born to Major and Mrs. Stickney, on Feb. 7th, 1923, an eight and one-third pound daughter, Marion Goddard.

### RECRUITING OFFICE.

All canvassers are hustling these days trying to win one of the $20.00 prizes offered by the Infantry Journal and the Field Artillery Journal. Corporal Woods, in charge of the sub-station at Cordele, is in the lead.

Twenty-one enlistments were made during the past week.

The Star Recruiters' List published by the Fourth Corps Area contains the following names for January:

Corporal Woods, 15 enlistments.
Sergeant Catron, 14 enlistments.
Sergeant Winn, 11 enlistments.

Fort Benning ranked third among the ten stations in the Corps Area reporting enlistments for January.


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## History of 29th Infantry

**Article 20.**

**1918.**

The first four months of the year was spent by Co. "H" at Fort Randolph as support for the Coast Artillery.

Companies E, F, G and the M. G. Co. were on field service at Coco Solo and the North East area from Jan. 12 to 26.

The Regiment (less Co. H) participated in maneuvers, under command of Major E. H. Wagner, from Feb. 9 to 23 in the South West area Republic of Panama. Feb. 9 marched from Camp Gaillard, C. Z. to the "Frenchman's," R. P., 11 miles; Feb. 10 to Chorrera, 14 miles; left Chorrera Feb. 23 and marched to Camp Gaillard that day, 25 miles. On the night of the 22nd, "Taps" sounded at 7:30 and reveille at 1:30 a. m. of the 23rd. The Regiment was on the march as soon as breakfast was eaten and arrived in Empire just as the Camp was entering on the activities of the day. It was with difficulty that the men of the Fifth at Empire were convinced that the 29th had left Chorrera that morning.

The First Battalion left in two days for field service in the North East area. The Second and Third Battalions went on Lock Guard in March.

Brigadier General Blatchford inspected the Regiment on June 10.

Colonel John S. Mallory was relieved of assignment to the Regiment on March 25, to the great regret of the 29th. This loss was compensated for, however, in the promotion of Colonel Mallory to the grade of Brigadier General.

The Regiment was on lock guard again from June 12 to August 13, being relieved at that time to prepare for transfer to the United States.

In July all men (470 in number) having a year or more to serve were transferred to the 33rd Infantry and the 29th received from 33rd a like number of men with short period of service to complete. The same transfers were effected in the case of officers in respect to length of foreign service.

The 29th received from the 33rd: Major L. T. Byrne; Captains R. R. Long, W. B. Smith, O. L. Garrett, T. McHale, Geo. Harris, H. B. Miller, G. W. Teagarden and Lieutenants E. Black, Jno. Boggs, S. R. Morse, F. W. Winkles, W. B. Lindle and Chas. Palmer From the M. & P. Co., Lt. W. C. Bryant.

In addition to above named officers, the regiment had assigned to it while still in Panama the following:

Colonels Chas. B. Hagadorn and James A. Irons.

Lt. Col. Edwin J. Bracken. Col. Bracken died at Ancon on June 16.

Majors Frederick C. Test and James M. Churchill.

First Lieutenants Pierce Butler, Jr., Elbridge Colby, Hugo J. Enders and Elmer L. Mott.

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## Large Reduction of Civilian Employees

Since the beginning of the present administration the force of civilian employees of the War Department the district of Columbia has been reduced more than one-half. On March 3, 1921, this force numbered 9,548, and on this date the number is 4,609 This is a reduction of nearly 52 per cent. in less than two years. The pre-war strength in Washington was 2,911. When the armistice was signed the strength was 37,406.

During approximately the same period (March 3, 1921—December 31, 1922, the date of the latest report of the number of civilian employees in the field), the entire force of civilian employees of the War Department in Washington and elsewhere was reduced from 90,106 to 47,387. This is a reduction of 42,719 or over 47 per cent. The annual saving effected by these reductions amounts to more than $51,000,000.

The pre-war strength of civilian employees of the War Department, wherever employed, was 45,911; so that the total on December 31, 1922, was only 1,476 in excess of the pre-war strength. During the war, however, two new services were developed. These two services, Air and Chemical Warfare have today a total of 4,007 employees (Air, 3,331; Chemical, 676), which number should be deducted in making a comparison with the present and pre-war strength of War Department employees. Making this deduction, the total civilian strength of the War Department wherever employed in the District of Columbia or elsewhere is today less than it was before the war.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100;

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

**Lenten Services.**

Special Lenten services will be held at the Post Protestant Chapel, by Chaplain Wood, every Wednesday morning at 10:30. All other services at the Chapel will be in keeping with the Lenten season.

At the Catholic Chapel the special Lenten services conducted by Chaplain Lennan will consist of Stations of the Cross followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, every Friday night at 7 o'clock. On Sunday nights at 7 there will be the Rosary, Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. At the Sunday night services the series of Lenten sermons will be preached by the Rev. Father Moylan, of Columbus.

**Boy Scout Service.**

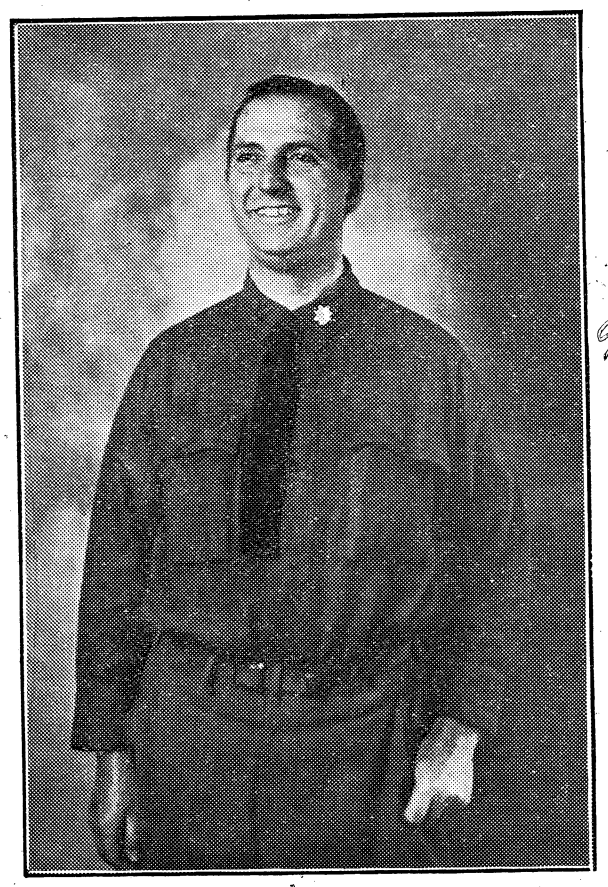
Last Sunday, "Boy Scout Sunday," Chaplain Wood preached a special sermon at the morning service at the Protestant Chapel. Members of the Fort Benning Troop occupied special seats in the congregation.

**Lincoln's Birthday.**

In addition to the exercises at the three theatres at the Post when he three Chaplains addressed the audiences on the life of Abraham Lincoln, the Twenty-Ninth Infantry followed its yearly custom of observance of the day. At the Regimental Library at 6 p. m., Chaplain Wood spoke on the life of Lincoln.

**Washington's Birthday.**

The Chaplains of the Post, cooperating with the A. & R. Officer, are arranging for special observance of Washington's birthday.



ONE OF THE CHIEF DUTIES OF AN ADJUTANT IS TO KEEP SMILING. OUR ADJUTANT, AS YOU SEE, PAYS STRICT ATTENTION TO DUTY.

## General Winans Arrives

**WILL TAKE REFRESHER COURSE.**

General Edwin B. Winans has arrived at Fort Benning to take the Refresher Course. He has taken quarters in block 21, occupying rooms 7 and 8 in Building 212513. His aid, 1st Lieut. Loren F. Parmley, is in room 15 of the same building.

**LIEUT COL. M. C. MUMMA WILL HEAD RIFE MATCHES AT PERRY**

**(5th Corps News.)**

Lieut. Col. Morton C. Mumma, cavalry, has been designated again by the Assistant Secretary of War as his executive officer at the National Rifle Matches to be held this coming September at Camp Perry, Ohio. It is anticipated that in addition to our own matches rifle shooters from all over the world will attend. The matches last year were considered the most successful of the matches ever held and the major part of the success was attributed to Colonel Mumma and the efficient staff which he appointed. It has been rumored that Colonel Mumma has been and is now being considered by the General Staff for promotion to the grade of brigadier general because of his efficient handling of the National Matches which he has headed for a number of years. It is felt in all arms that this promotion is justly earned and if finally made will be heralded with much rejoicing by the Navy and Marine Corps as well as the Army.

## American Legion Upholds France

When the National Executive Committee of the American Legion held its January meeting in Indianapolis on January 23rd, 1923, they adopted a resolution upholding the French Invasion of the Ruhr Valley. After reciting those terms of the Peace Treaty which affected the situation the resolution continued:

Whereas, for the purpose of securing compliance with the terms of the Peace Treaty, France has now occupied certain territory in the Ruhr valley; therefor be it

Resolved by the National Executive Committee of The American Legion, in session in the City of Indianapolis, U. S. A., this 15th day of January, 1923, that the action of France in so occupying said terrtory was and is justified; that she is endeavoring by the only effective means to collect a debt which the majority of the nations of the earth have decreed she is justly and properly entitled to; that we approve her course in the premises and wish her success to the end that the wrongs endured and the damages suffered by her may to some extent be compensated, the fruits of victory enjoyed, and the war stay won.

**IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.**

**If for any reason persons living on the Post don't get their copy of the Fort Benning News by eleven o'clock Saturday morning, they will be doing us a favor by calling 146, Fort Benning. We will send you a copy Post Haste.**

## Captains B. R. Legge and C. R. Huebner Decorated

**BOTH RECEIVED DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.**

The News just recently learned that two officers, both students at the Infantry School, received the Distinguished Service Medal, Captain Barnwell (Bonnie) R. Legge and Captain Clarence R. Huebner.

Both of these officers left the United States in June, 1917, for France with the first forces that went overseas and both were a part of the First Division. Both Captain Huebner and Captain Legge remained with the First Division during all of its operations and fate decided that they both return to the United States at the same time, September, 1919. Upon their return to the States both came to the Infantry School and both were instructors at the School until May, 1922. Now both of the officers are student officers in the Field Officers' class.

Overseas both officers started as company commanders. Capt. Barnwell Legge was recommended for and received the rank of Major as a result of his actions in the Aisne-Marne Offensive, then as a result of his action in the Argonne-Meuse Offensive he was recommended and received the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Captain Huebner received the rank of Major on July 3rd, 1918, and

**(Continued on Page 4.)**

## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

**For the Week Ending Feb. 24, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre.....6:00 p. m.
Post Theatre .....6:45 p. m.
29th Infantry Theatre.....7:30 p.m.

**February 18th, 1923.**

"The Old Homestead," 8 reel feature (Theodore Roberts).

"Play House," 2 reel comedy (Buster Keaton).

**February 19th, 1923.**

"California Romance," 5 reel feature (John Gilbert).

"Painter's Frolic," 1 reel comedy (Mutt and Jeff).

"Fox News," 1 reel.

**February 20th, 1923.**

"Trouble," 5 reel feature (Jackie Coogan).

'Educational Comedy," 2 reel comedy.

**February 21st, 1923.**

"Afraid to Fight," 5 reel feature (Frank Mayo).

"Educational," 2 reel comedy.

**February 22nd, 1923.**

"The Beauty Shop," 7 reel feature (Hitchcock).

"Fox News," 1 reel.

**February 23rd, 1923.**

"Sheriff of Sun Dog," 5 reel feature (Wm. Fairbanks).

"Roach Comedy," 1 reel.

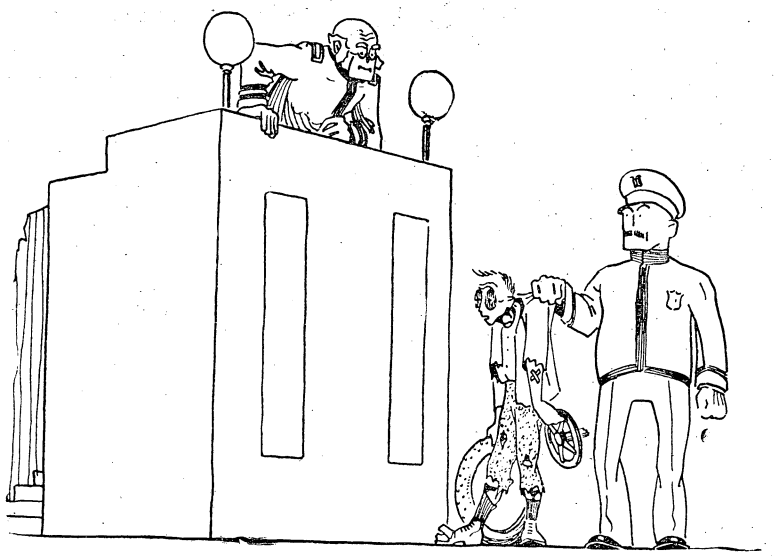
"Pathe Review," 1 reel.

**February 24th, 1923.**

"Kazan," 7 reel feature (Curwood).

"Danger," 2 reel feature (Mermaid).

## "THE WAY OF THE TRANSGRESSOR IS HARD."



JUDGE—(To prisoner arrested on suspicion) "You certainly are a disreputable looking object. What have you got to say for yourself?"
PRISONER—"Well, your Honor, I just drove in over the Fort Benning road and—
JUDGE—'Case Dissmissed.—

## The Corporal Who Didn't Mean It

Once there was a Corporal who answered "Here" when the First Sergeant called the name of Muggins at Revielle. He was full of snap and ginger and Energy, and wanted the Boys to consider him a Good Fellow. He was a kidder. He liked to Joke with the boys just to show them that he was not stuck up because he wore two stripes.

When the First Sergeant put him in charge of a Squad Room, Muggins was very careful to find a fitting Nickname for all the boys.

To keep them from ever imagining that there was anything Puffed up about him, whenever he gave any of them an order he would do it with a smile and a slap on the back.

As he was no larger than the smallest man in the room, he thought it a fine joke to threaten to beat up any man who hesitated to obey his order. Sometimes they obeyed it.

One morning First Call for Reveille broke into the Quiet Peacefulness of the night. Corporal Muggins bounded out of Bed into his clothes and in his customary Breezy manner announced to the world at large:

"Arise and shine. Up and at 'em Gang."

Now, the only man in the Squad who was smaller than Muggins was Private Kazamewski, who had spent the first eighteen years of his checkered young life not more than five minutes from Fifth Avenue, but a Thousand miles from it in Standards of Etiquette.

Kazamewski had shown the Boys the night before how the Africans play Dominos, and First Call failed to Register. It meant Nothing to Him.

Muggins, in his most Kittenish manner lifted Kazzy's bunk and dropped it with a Thud and announced to One and All that if he did not get up Toot Sweet then he, as Corporal, would have to Chastise him severely.

But it was much too soon after the Other Game for Kazzy to play a new one and he rolled over to sleep on his Other Ear.

In the very height of playfulness Muggins laced his Fingers in Kazzy's Hair and Kazzy came up Fighting.

When Muggins returned from the Hospital he was called as a Witness before a Court Martial where Kazamewski was being tried for Disobedience of Orders.

Private Muggins is now trying to find the Solution to a couple of Perplexing Questions.

Why is it that Corporal Kazamewski, who never smiles when he gives an Order, but Barks it Out as if he were the Captain, gets so much Work out of the Squad?

Why is it that in Spite of this, the Men seem to like him so well Off Duty?

Moral: If you don't mean it don't say it.—Infantry Journal.

### ECCLESIASTICAL NOTICE

The NEWS regrets to announce that Pvt. Solomon was taken with acute neuritis in the ring finger this week and unable to assume that philosophical attitude so necessary to the writing of "Proverbs." (To those who demand a more prosaic and less painful explanation we'll admit that they got lost somewhere around the office and that we hope to find them in time for next week's NEWS.)

### A CORRECTION.

Through an error the News last week printed that Sgt. and Mrs. Dale D. Parks had a brand new baby boy, when it should have read, Born to Sgt. and Mrs. D. W. Parks, a baby GIRL, Frances Willene.

While we are talking about Mrs. Parks and the baby, we might add that Sgt. Parks came into the office Wednesday afternoon and stated that Mrs. Parks was doing considerble entertaining as on Tuesday evening she had to feed that little girl two times and then the dog came in, and as he indicted that food was desirable he was served with a DELICIOUS COURSE consisting on bone, meat, potatoes with gravy, and bread in milk. The cat called during the period that refreshments were being served and as she was a little late lost out on the course consisting of bones, but she said that there was so much of everything else that she would be able to get along nicely.

An enjoyable time was had by all.

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### TWO RADIO BUGS

In the last issue of the Fort Benning News we noticed under the Motor Transport Corps notes that they gave an interesting radio program on Wednesday evening, January 24, 1923 and that thy got in touch with station AWUR, Sweeney Automobile School, Kansas, City, Mo. the writers of this article would like to know since when they changed from WHB to AWUR. Better get another radio receiving set or try it again and see if you can't get better results.

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Laugh and you're called a fool;
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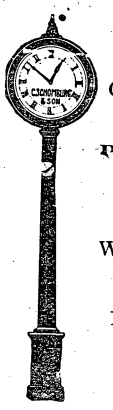

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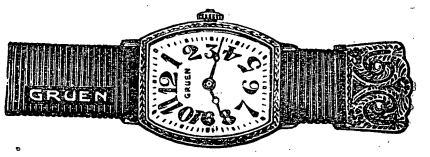


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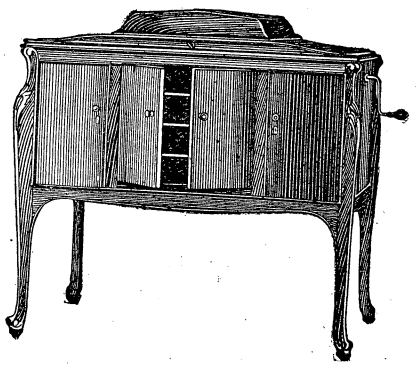

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### COLONEL AND MRS. PEYTON ENTERTAIN

On Friday evening, February 9th, Colonel and Mrs. E. G. Peyton at a dinner at the Officer's Club Mess in honor of Mrs. Eric Scales, wife of Adjutant General Scales of Mississippi, who is visiting Capt. and Mrs. Howard Scales.

The table, with covers laid for fifty-two was in the shape of a horseshoe adorned with a profusion of carnations and decorations appropriate to the Valentine season.

Covers were placed for:

Colonel Fassett, the Misses Fassett Colonel and Mrs. Smith, Colonel and Mrs. Browne, Colonel and Mrs. Goodale, Col. and Mrs. Hocker, Col. Van Dusen and Mrs. Hobbs, Col. and Mrs. Peyton, Mrs. Butler, wife of Colonel Butler, Maj. and Mrs. John Wheeler, Maj. and Mrs. Koehler, Col. and Mrs. Williams, Maj, and Mrs. W. Wheeler Maj. Blockenberry, Maj. and Mrs. Elliott, Maj. and Mrs. Musgrave, Maj. and Mrs. Greene, Maj, and Mrs. McMurray, Maj. and Mrs. Tobais, Capt. and Mrs. Hanna, Capt. and Mrs. Watson, Capt. Legge and Miss Legge Capt. and Mrs. Dinsmore, Capt. and Mrs. Scales, Mrs. Eric Scales, Capt. and Mrs. Wing, Capt. and Mrs. Hayne.

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### MRS. T. L. SMITH ENTERTAINS.

Last Saturday Mrs. T. L. Smith entertained at five tables of bridge at her home. The party was given in honor of Colonel and Mrs. F. Bloonhart, who left for the Philippine Islands last Wednesday.

Mrs. Hansell won the ladies' high prize and Capt. Turner won the men's high prize. Mrs. Dibrell won the consolation. Mrs. Bloonhart received a delightful guest prize.

Delicious lobster salad was served for refreshment.

Jonquils and violets were delightfully intermingled and formed the decorations.

### SONGS OF THE PAST.

I remember, I remember, once I got
a three-day pass,
I planned to stay in town awhile, but
then I met a lass!
She was so good at spending coin
that with the next day's sun,
I sneaked back to camp for breakfast with the pass two days to
run.

I remember, I remember, my first
shot in the arm,
The needle broke when half way in,
the doctor said, "No harm,
You'll find that needle's point quite
beneficial to your wing
And iron injections, for the blood,
are quite the latest thing."

I remember, I remember, the first
pay day I met—
I stuck out both my hands at once
that 30 beans to get.
The officer looked at the roll, he
said, to my dismay,
"The clerk has spelled your last
name wrong—you get no pay
today!"

I remember, I remember, my first
trip to the mill,
I feared myself at sunrise shot and
lying cold and still!
A guard house lawyer staying there
fixed up a likely tale—
I learned it and stuck to it and I
soon was out of jail!

I remember, I remember, the first
pack that I rolled,
I asked the sergeant how 'twas done
and did as I was told;
But when I at attention stood and
dared not move a speck,
The shaving brush stuck out the top
and tickled round my neck!

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### THE CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.

The Current Events Club will meet at 2:00 o'clock on next Monday afternoon, Feb. 19th, at the home of Mrs. H. W. Brandhorst, Quarters 232511-D.

Mrs. O. G. Brown, Mrs. Frank Green and Mrs. E. W. Peach will have charge of the program, which promises to be an interesting one.

### MRS. W. O. SMITH ENTERTAINS.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. W. O. Smith entertained at five tables of bridge, in honor of Mrs. N. C. Butler, widow of Lieutenant Colonel Butler (Cav.) Excellent refreshments were served and decorations appropriate to the season were used.

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### MEDICAL DEPARTMENT BRIDGE CLUB.

Captain and Mrs. Dan Campbell entertained the Medical Department Bridge Club at their home on Tuesday evening, Feb. 13th. Major R. B. Tobias won the first prize, Capt. P. P. Green won the second prize, Major S. Moulton drew the consolation.

Delicious refreshments were served and artistic decorations appropriate to the Valentine season were used.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Captain and Mrs. A. A. Ruby on Tuesday evening at seven-forty-five on Feb. 27th.

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### AN OYSTER ROAST.

Colonel W. O. Smith, Capt. J. Porter, Capt. G. Kraul and Lieut. J. W. Elkins received invitations from Rhodes Browne, President of the First National Bank, to attend an oyster roast that the Business Men's Club was putting on last Friday night

It is needless to say that they all accepted and attended, and from all reports a very enjoyable time was had, and as there were more oysters than they could possibly eat, everybody claimed that they were well filled up for once.

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### THE CATS!

The office cat entertained several of his friends last Friday night at an impromptu musicale on the roof of the Camp Theatre. During the evening several beautiful solos were rendered, etc., etc.

### CAPTAIN JOHN CLAUSSEN ENTERTAINS

Captain John Claussen entertained at a four course dinner at the Muscogee Grill on last Tuesday evening.

All of the guests, thirteen in umbet were seated at one large table.

The table was decorated with a large bodl of pink rose buds, favors for each of the ladies were vanity boxes of face powder.

After the excellent dinner, dancing was indulged in.

### TENNIS DANCE FEB. 21st.

In order to raise sufficient funds to defray the local expenses of visiting college tennis teams this spring the tennis committee will hold a sport dance on Wednesday evening, February 21st at 8:30 P. M. in the Officers Hop Room.

Tickets can be purchased from the Officers Club for fifty cents per ticket.

If sufficient funds are raised, the people of the post will witness matches between the best college players in the state and the local players and thereby make this year the banner tennis year for Fort Benning.

It is hoped that many will turn out for this dance and a good team is promised for all.

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## ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

Since the last issue of The Fort Benning News there has occurred the 114th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. The occasion has been generally observed by the press and people of all nations where free men dwell, and Americans in particular have dwelt with pride upon the countless commendable characteristics of his genius. Tho the date of that anniversary be now past it is no anti-climax that we refer to it now. It is well for one to reflect even more than once a year on such a man, who combined, as no other ever did, the manly attributes of power and benevolence, of courage and tenderness.

The recent anniversary focussed the attention of the world on that sublime memorial in Washington, which was built to express, as well as the outward works of man ever can express, the gratitude of this greatest nation. From those who had gone before him he received the stars and stripes unconquered, to those who came after him he bequeathed them unconquerable; to the patriotic man Lincoln has become more than an ideal—he has become religion. Those who designed the Lincoln Memorial had as their inspiration the grandeur of the man himself and thus it was that they did more than rear a monument—they builded a temple where all who love their fellow men might in spirit enter and be at peace.

"It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this." On the other hand not all the quarried marble of the world could render deathless the name of one who hath not within himself deserved immortality. We should realize that Lincoln himself first built the Lincoln Memorial —its foundations deep in the secret places of the heart where love of man for brother man exists—a monument more precious than marble and more enduring than bronze—a monument of great and kindly deeds. Just as long as men believe that caste is wrong, that privilege is wrong, that the outworn superstitions of feudalism are wrong, so long will the name of Lincoln live—an undying inspiration to the world's oppressed and an eternal reproach to the world's oppressors.

### Agricultural Note.

A farmer down in Georgia
Doped out a brilliant scheme—
He put his cow in the ice house,
And thus he got ice cream!

## FIVE O'CLOCK DEAFNESS

Comes now the Post Surgeon who deposes and says that, during the recent physical examination of officers at Fort Benning, he discovered in our commissioned personnel not the slightest indication of auricular defect or weakness. It would be high presumption for us to fly in the face of such a postive statement made by medical personnel of such rank and attainment, yet duty compels us to venture our observation of one sadly palpable fact. Some of the officers' no doubt those who nightly hear the faintest call of the cricket; yea, perchance those very ones who frightened the nurse by the startling promptness of their bellowing echo to her most softly sibilant 'Sixty-Six'—those very ones, we have noticed, are seemingly unable at 5 P. M. to hear three leather-lunged and lusty buglers blow "To The Colors."

This auditory failing, while not in itself important as it lasts by a short time, during which the hearing even then seems normal in its reaction to all other stimuli, has nevertheless one deplorable result. It gives onlookers the impression that officers so afflicted are lacking in proper respect to the flag they are sworn to defend and, be it here truly stated, the flag they would die to defend. Let us hope that a little reflection will cause them to see the error of their ways and also the flag at retreat—but deafness is our theme, let us then hope that in the future they may hear a little more distinctly at 5 P. M. We mean no disrespect at course when we feign deafness or even when startled we rush for shelter but let us "avoid all appearance of evil."

## A LAME JOKE

Pvt. File—"If your girl broke her knees where would you take her to get a new pair?"

Cpl. Rank.—" I know that one. I'd take her to Jerusalam where the she-knees grow."

## CAPTAINS B. R. LEGGE AND C. R. HUEBNER DECORATED

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after the Battle of Cantigny he was recommended and received the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Both officers received many decorations. Captain Huebner received the following:

Distinguished Service Cross with Oak Leaf,
French Legion of Honor,
French Croix de Guerre,
Italian Croix de Guerre and two citations.

Captain Legge received the following decorations:

Distinguished Service Cross,
French Legion of Honor,
French Croix de Guerre with two palms, and three citations.

These officers received the Distinguished Service Medal here at the Infantry School, the medals were presented to these officers by General Gordon at a ceremony at the Post Theatre.

The citations for the Distinguished Service Medal follow:

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# Social Notes

**MRS. ROBY ENTERTAINS.**

Last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. A. A. Roby entertained at six tables of bridge at her home.

Mrs. Arnest won the first prize, Mrs. Sawkins the second prize, and Mrs. Medaris the consolation.

Delicious refreshments consisting of individual cakes, ice cream and strawberries with whipped cream were served. Heart-shaped mints were placed on the tables.

Red carnations and Valentine decorations were used in an artistic manner.

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**MRS. T. KNIGHT ENTERTAINS.**

On Friday, Feb. 9th, Mrs. T. Knight entertained the Quartermaster Corps Ladies Sewing Club at her home. Besides the members there were two visiting ladies present, Mrs. Butler, who is visiting Mrs. Carl Smith, and Mrs. Hudeson,, mother of Mrs. Hahn.

Before the club adjourned delicious refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held on Feb. 20th at the home of Mrs. Geo. Wald.

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**ARMY RELIEF**

The Membership Committee of the Army Relief will please send in the membership names and dues within the week to Mrs. John Schoeffel care of Colonel Schoeffel, Fort Benning.

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**DRAMATIC AND MUSICAL CLUBS' ANNOUNCEMENT.**

Preparations for the forthcoming production of "Make It Snappy," the musical comedy which is to be given under the auspices of the Dramatic and Musical Clubs of Fort Benning, for the benefit of the Army Relief Society, are now in full swing, and rehearsals are well under way.

On next Monday night, Feb. 19th, at eight o'clock in the Officers' Hop Room, a very important meeting will be held, at which it is expected that a professional director will take charge. All members of the cast should be present on this occasion, as it is the wish of the producers that the play be pushed on rapidly to a successful conclusion.

At 8:45 p. m. the meeting will adjourn to the Post Theatre, where the regular rehearsal will be held. All those who are in any way assisting in the production of "Make It Snappy" are urged to be present and punctual.

**A GOOD SUBSTITUTE.**

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# Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

We wonder what's the matter with the Recruiting in Columbus as we are getting very few recruits, nowadays, since "Oil Can" Higginbotham has been relieved from recruiting service and placed on Special Duty with the Recruit Center to begin all over again with the other recruits.

One of our Master Sergeants was coming from work the other day with a friend and a newly made Corporal in the outfit happened to be following about ten paces in the rear, he overheard the conversation and as the Sgt. didn't happen to have any stripes on at the time, he halted him immediately, calling the Sgt. to attention and asking him if he didn't have any respect for a Non-Com. and also told him to wipe that smile off of his face, which the genial Sgt. did, all the while standing at attention while the Corporal with two whitewashed chevrons on raked him over the coals and ended up by telling him to report to the 1st Sgt. at once. To make a long story short the Corporal finally got next to himself and apologized to the Sgt. after finding out who he was.

By the time this is in print, the I. S. D. ball club will have had a weeks practice. A meeting was held last Wednesday, Feruary 7, and Sgt. Jones, (Casey) was elected manager. There were twenty-seven candidates assembled with about three missing. No. doubt there will be quite a few new faces in the line up to greet the fans this year. The boys feel quite optimistic over their chances this season. The team remains practically intact from last year, losing only two men, Domineck, our sterling third baseman who was discharged and Duncanson, the old reliable receiver has decided to retire from baseball. Collins, flashy outer gardener is undecided whether to take on again or not, you had better stick around "Chick" and help the boys grab another rag. There will be a few practice games with the Infantry School Team even if one or two of our men go out for the Officers'. All in all, everything looks bright for the I. S. D. and when the curtain rings down on the 1923 season, the fans will find the Champions on the top once more.

A very delightful banquet was held at Joe Brown's Tea Room on Sunday evening, February 11th, 1923, by the Checker Club of the Second Section, Department of Military Art. This was the second banquet held by this Club this season and many more are in store. The writer wishes it undestood that this Club is a part of the Cowboy Clan and not the Checker Club Tea Hounds. Among those present were Sergeants Valentine, Duff, Tinsley, Ellis, Wolf, Darcy, White, Heckert, Giron, Walker, Blades, Magoni, Courtwright, Pander, Johnson, Hoffman, Pettit, and Rawlings. The famous Quartet (Duff, Darcy, White and Wolf) rendered the beautiful ballad "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star," Sergeant Darcy rendered several solos that were indeed enjoyed by the club including "Please Hit Me With An Ace." Sgt. Duff gave a very interesting lecture on "How to Catch Wild Cats, opossums and Coons." Sergeant Valentine was the toast-master of the evening and spoke of the possibilities of a series of games with the Checker players of Columbus. Tea and delightful tea cookies were served during the evening and games were played such as "Button, Button, whose got the button and a good time was had by all.

Who is the most important man in the detachment? Someone says Corporal Ferguson is very near, if not the most important one.

We wonder where our dashing young Corporal Steinrucker was on Saturday night and Sunday? We have a very good idea as to where he was but ge wouldn't dare mention the name of the place.

The writer has seen many "henpecked men," but the one that beats all so far, is McClosky.

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**Obituary.**

Passed out, to purr forever on the celestial sofa, Thomas Whiskers, quondam office cat of the Fort Benning News. His untimely demise was accelerated by severe cerebral contusions received at the conclusion of a musicale at which he was the genial host, last Friday night. Bootjackitis was given as the proximate cause of his death. He leaves at Fort Benning 167 children and 1,234 grandchildren to mourn his absence from this temporal existence. The News extends its deepest condolence to these as well as to the 26 widows, and here records that Thomas died as he had lived, on the wings of song.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**SERVICE COMPANY 29th INF.**

Hats off to the Service Company—it has solved a most intricate problem. A Service Company, as is already well known, is a most peculiar organization—especially in this regiment. With a total strength of 273 enlisted men—distributed among numerous subdivisions, it was a difficult task to be able to tell just what the status of the Company or any individual hereof, was on any one day. Captain O. W. Humphries 29th Infantry upon taking command of the Service Company evolved a plan and put it into effect which now answers the purpose precisely. The arrangement is simple enough—costs little or nothing, but its value as a "tickler" is inestimable. This device consists of a board 30x54 in. with space provided for each of the subdivisions of the Company, some of which are, the Motor Transportation Section, Horse Transportation Section, Company Headquarters Section, Personnel Section, Supply Section, Band Section and Polo Section, etc. As each space on the board represents a subdivision and as each subdivision is authorized a given number of personnel, a disc 1 1-2 inches in diameter with soldiers' name appearing thereon is suspended from a brass hook in the space provided for the subdivision of which he is a member. When a soldier's status is changed his disc is removed to the space corresponding to his new status. In addition to the subdivisions mentioned above, there is a space on this board (similarly operated) for Special Duty, Detached Service, Absent in confinement, Sick in hospital, absent sick, absent without leave, confinement in Post stockade, arrest in quarters, on furlough, etc. A space is also provided for the strength of the company, value of the ration and other essential information obtainable at a glance.

**COMPANY "A" 29th INFANTRY**

"A" Company now boasts the best orderly room in the regiment, viewed from the inside. If you are in doubt to our right to boast just drop around and give it the once over, but please come when we are thru with our paper work, say sometime between 11:00 P. M. and 5.15 A. M.

We are aiming high for percentage in qualification this year on the target range. Just keep your eyes on our trajectory and shot group.

Fort Benning effects different people in different ways. You can draw your own conclusions as to how it effects the writer from the following:

**ROOKIES DELIGHT**

The Recruit laid down on the firing line,
He was not in a hurry, he took his own time!
He sighted and fired and was scared at the roar,
The red flag came up; he yelled "I got a four."

The red flag was there and the Sergeant just raved,
He coughed and he spluttered and like a mad-man behaved,
"Give me that rifle, you poor long eared recruit,
And I'll show you the way a real soldier should shoot.

He adjusted the singhts and took two points for wind,
While the recruit realized just how deeply he'd sinned,
The Sergeant, all ready, took prone position,
Ah! To be like him the rookies ambition.

"Now, note my position, and watch trigger squeeze,
My mussels ar'nt strained, I am lying at ease,"
"Now watch me recruit, and at least look alive
He watched every point, holding breath, cant and creep,
The rookie almost thought he was asleep,
He aimed under the black, as a good shot must do,
Fired, waited three minutes and then yelled "Hark two!"
The rest of this story I need hardly to tell,
The Red Flag appeared and the Sergeant said "Aw H——."
Now just to publish this with the 'A' Company notes,
I must look at the Roster and pick out to "Goats."
You know, this never happened in real life at all,
But the Sergeant's name is Marrow and the recruits name it Wall.

**COMPANY "B", 29th INFANTRY**

Will someone tell us, who the Cul. out of Company "B" was who said to Chaplain Wood, in front of the 29th Inf. Theatre, "Hey, Buddy, are you spending cash. Let me sell you a ticket." How about it Hot Cakes.

**COMPANY "C" 29th INFANTRY**

Everything is going fine in the company at present, most of the time is being spent in instruction for rifle marksmanship.

Pvt. 1st Class, Sporer claims he is going to qualify this year or die in the attempt, Let's hope so, Al.

Corporal Carleton is getting to be a short times and he must be going up north from the looks of the heavy overcoat and uniforms he is having fixed up, the tailors had better watch their corners for Carleton says he's not going to hesitate as soon as he gets his finals.

Private Milner is some windjammer he can't tell the difference between Reveille and Church call. A man sure does get by on his looks nowadays. How about if Giff?

Pvt. Russell, R. L. has got the sleepy sickness, he went sound asleep while listening to instruction on marksmanship, the Instructor had him to stand up to keep him from having nightmares.

When Corporal Kumiski was ask what the squad would do if fired on he said take distance, that pretty good Cpl.

Private Duslock our noble Recreation room orderly sure hands out the growls, just ask him something and find out, but beware: He is from Chicago, you know "Tough Bird."

Speaking of tight wads, Cpl. Soders is the tightest one yet, a fellow that wouldn't devide a piece of cake with a hungry man, well he can be looked over for he will be getting discharged in a few weeks then he will know the sting of being hungry.

1st Sgt. Barton has always been a man of mystery, he is always hard boiled, but he let it leak out the other day when he said them hardflap jacks his wife cooked for breakfast caused indigestion. So the men in the company are talking about hiring a cook to see if that will change his disposition when he gets them out for any kind of formation.

Preliminary target practice has started and all of the men are confident of qualifying, as the slogan of the company is, "One hundred per with all the platoons that he can cent to the man."

The 1st Sergeant has wagered that he will beat any record that they may make, and believe me, he will have to beat his previous record as we have several experts in the company.

I wonder who has been kissing Sgt. Humphrey, he is battle scarred, thru some eventual past event—but why not use a gas mask?

It is with regret that we are lossing Sgt. Klein, he says he has had enough army life and that his intentions are that he is going back to Russia. Being he is a Russian Jew, he knows he will be a billionaire, (In

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rubles) as he has a few dollars in American money. Maybe you can live on goat milk, Sgt., we can't.

Sgt. Willingham, is it fair, especially, when you have a girl's trust and confidence, to mislead her and tell her of all the things you will do for her, but then maybe you told her you loved her.

### COMPANY "D"

Under the direction of Captin G. C. Pilkington this organization is working hard for the regimental horse show on March 2nd. The famous thoroughbred "Sparkplug" will be entered.

Captain Pilkington will enter his own mount: "Major," Liuet. C. F. Hudscon 'Rose", and Lieut Jabez B. Madaris, "Allenby". The enlisted personnel will enter their favorite "Jacks", and a good time will be had by all.

Corporal Rollo Goldfeder was suffering from asphasia last Saturday. He started for Columbus without his pass and the disciples of Captain Teachout threw him out of Mr. Troup Howard's favorite busses. Nothing daunted Corporal Goldfeder came back and commissioned a taxicab for his journey. Again the M. P.'s intervened—and this time they rudely forced the "Moses" of Company "D", to walk back to his organization. Rollo Goldfeder is now a changed young man—and a reader of the proverbs of Pvt. Solomon.

Pvt. Percy Roeglin complained about the mess and was promptly corrected by the Captain. Thereafter Pvt. Roeglin was a model soldier in the mess hall.

"Sergeant," said the Captain, a few days later to the Mess Sergeant, "how is Pvt. Roeglin behaving?"

"Very good, sir," replied the pompous sergeant, "except for one remark that he makes every meal."

"What does he say?" inquired the Captain.

"Hebrews, thirteen, eight," answered the sergeant. "I'm a Baptist, sir, so I don't know what he means."

The Captain puzzled over the matter and finally decided to solve the quotation by reading the Bible. So he borrowed a Bible and found that the quotation read as follows:

"Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, today, and forever."

Pvt. Roeglin now mumbles his criticisms of the mess in Chinese—for the company has a Bible.

### HEADQUARTERS CO., 2nd BN.

Cpl. Hopkinson says he has learned something else: "When you forfeit part of your monthly pay, you don't get it back. It's not like the game of forfeits we used to play."

I think it was Pvt. Smolen who said that they should have included the words "Follow me" on the Infantry School shoulder-insignia. And Pvt. Conley (recently Specialist 5th Class) remarked that if he were allowed to use his own private insignia he'd beat Sergeant Winn's record for recruiting. We can picture what his insignia would be—bottle-shaped and corked, with the legend, "Follow me," or better still, "Opportunity uncorked—see me," on a background the color of corn, if there is a color to it.

Peering skyward at the "Big Dipper," who was it that made the Anti-Volstead suggestion last night?

Society Notes: Sgt. Powell is thinking of moving to South Carolina. Pvt. Guller is more anxiously awaiting his travelling orders to NYC, and will be discharged on the 16th of this month. Sergeant Harvey back from the hospital, while our Battalion Clerk and Pvt. 1cl Wood have just changed scenery to that of the hospital. This leaves Bn. Hq. without a clerk for about a week. I know somebody who is a combination Company Clerk, Bn. Clerk and Co. Reporter at present. We haven't had an AWOL for about two months, at least not until Pvt. McClain decided to celebrate last pay day. His sprees are far and wide between, but when we do, look out!

### COMPANY "E."

We now have in our midst a man called Gentleman Jim, he stands retreat in long pants. Watch your step, Crawley, old boy.

Cpl. Nelson went to the Supply Room to draw his spurs so that he could take a bath. He remembers the last time he took a bath, when he fell and almost broke his neck.

Here he comes down the street. "That's me." Cpl. Carpenter. "Oh, I was relieved from the Orderly Room for hitting the same key too often." Our company hero, Cpl. Payne, is now in my place.

"Dad," what happened to the stove the other a. m.? Did the tent leak or did someone leave the door open?

The big man, at least he thinks so, is going to turn out for the tug of war. In our opinion he is large enough, he eats enough for two men and rations only 29 cents. Look out, Gingras.

We went without our rabbit Sunday, as our hunter, Sgt. Julius, left his club at home and took a shot gun instead.

Pvt. Smith, our star ball player, is some boy. Plays all kinds of games, but when the real thing comes off he is always in the side lines cheering. Never mind, he is as happy as if he had good sense.

Attention—Game played, Cribbage. Line-up, Whites: Julius, Longer; Blues: Singletary, New. Time: 45 minutes. Score: Dad threw the cards on the floor. (SKUNK)

We have a terrible man among us. Got a sore arm from playing ball. Told his Platoon Sergeant that he couldn't get down and squeeze the trigger, in the morning, but was seen in the afternoon wall scaling. What's the matter with the hospital, Bryant?

### COMPANY "F."

Corp. Eddy rejoined the Company Monday after a vacation spent at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C. We all welcome you back, "Abe."

This Company without a doubt will have a very good baseball team this season, one of our star players being Corp. Heller, who played good ball last season with Co. "K." Look after that old soup bone, "Roy," we will need you this season.

"Boliver," the Company "Chow Hound," has been running amuck lately. The reason—ask the boys over at Co. "G," they know???

Pvt. Moss recently tranferred to this company from Regimental Headquarters Co. We all of course welcome you to the Company but say, "Novie," you should not show up the boys so much at "Checkers."

Have you noticed a great many men of the Regiment attending the picture shows at the 29th Inf. theatre are carrying their own chairs? It is a pretty bad state of affairs when one has to take along his own chair in order to enjoy a movie show. Imagine in civil life, if the throngs that attend a picture show had to bring along their own seats, a pretty spectacle. Every night at the 29th theatre during the picture a number of chairs go ker-plunk, a few months ago there was enough chairs for everyone attending the show; at the present time the seating capacity is not sufficient, the reason being that the chairs broken since the theatre has been in force have not been replaced. In a few more weeks I guess we will have to sit on the floor and let our feet hang.

### COMPANY "G."

Since a certain trio from Co. "F" has been advertised, a certain Sgt. Buckley would like to have a tryout with his beautiful balled entitled, "To Mahoney." Recitations are often heard in No. 27 tent entitled "Ten Nights in a Bar-Room." Sorry, Highsaw, those days have gone by, try Memories. Motorcycles repaired, apply Cook Stringham, Hill and Co. Since raids have been made on dogs and the motorcycle fever is in action, bring back those dogs and take the motorcycles. Morning drill call: Sgt. Davis. Cpl. Kjelstrom, all present. Mechanic Harkey wants to know where Pullen got those nice clothes; why Fink doesn't grow; why Steele left his tent; why Lemay goes to town so often; why his mustache didn't grow; and why he can't wait on the tables at mess time.

### COMPANY "H."

Who received the invitation to glide along the Great White Way of Columbus in a big Studie? Better be careful, Buddie, we don't believe they leave the front seat or do they go farther than 4th or 5th St.

Oh, Boy! If we had known those spuds a fellow had in his locker were apples; gosh! we'd a had 'em long ago.

The Ninety Six Machine Gun Barrage that was put on last week was a huge success. It was the largest barrage ever put on in time of peace and larger than any used for training purposes during the war. Evey detail was correct. All targets were hit accurately. We believe it was the best piece of work ever executed in a barrage.

One of the men from one of the line companies attached to our company for the barrage, wanted to know if the "bolt handle" was the "filling cup." We'd like to know the answer he got.


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## 24th Infantry Notes

### COMPANY 'A."

Cpl. Twitty has just returned from Augusta, where he spent a 90-day furlough. He says he had a very nice and pleasant trip.

Pvt. 1cl Hill has just returned from Newcastle, Ala., where he had been spending his 90 days vacation. He says he had a very nice trip, but sorry he could not remain much longer.

Pvt. 1cl Churchill has a week to teach himself how to get up and be ready to make these calls. Excuses don't go with the top kicker, who says he is always ready and everybody in his company must be ready. Wake up, Church.

Sgt. Burley says the car wheel came off and he couldn't make it. Sorry, Burley. 1st Sgt. says he always makes it. If you think you can't make it don't try, because if you try and fail, the harder you will fall on the mat.

### COMPANY "D."

"Kid Burley" has blood in his eyes because his best pal double crossed him. He and "Chubby" went to the city a few days ago and "Chubby" shanghaied him. Now "Chub" is trying to show him the bright lights.

"Grundy" has been strutting his onions again. He went to the city a few days ago, got all happy and sang a little song entitled "Everything is Peaches in Georgia."

### "SMOKER."

On Thursday evening, February 8th, 1923, a Smoker was given at the Catholic Chapel under the auspices of the Holy Name Society and the Young Men's Hebrew Association, which was attended by several ladies and gentlemen of Columbus, a number of commissioned officers and a large number of enlisted men of the Post.

Private Sassi, of the 15th Tank Bn., who was the first number on the program of the evening, rendered two accordion solos. Lieutenant Fay, the orator of the evening, gave an extremely interesting lecture on the lives, customs and traditions of the Indians, emphasizing and illustrating the fact that a great majority of the population of this country are greatly misinformed regarding the habits, origin and etc., of the Indians. He also demonstrated a few points of the Indian sign language, which brought much laughter from the audience. Two of the best numbers on the program, in the opinion of the writer, were a duet by Mrs. Metcalf and Miss Cleveland, and a solo by Mrs. Metcalf, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Kaufman. Rabbi Rosenthal gave a short but very interesting talk. Major Leonard, Commanding Officer of the 15th Tank Bn., and Lieutenant Craig, Commanding Officer of Company "F," 1st Gas Regiment, gave short talks, both expressing their appreciation of the evening's splendid entertainment. Last, but not least by any means, came the delicious refreshments, served by the ladies present.

Chaplain Lennan made several comments during the evening and expressed a desire to see a greater attendance at these entertainments in the future, which are to be held once each month.

This occasion was one that could well be called enjoyable. The writer, who has been stationed at Benning somewhat over two years, has not spent a more enjoyable evening during his entire stay at the Post, and is of the opinion that anyone who was present will say that they enjoyed themselves very much.

## Woodman Bazaar To Be Mammoth Event

Many Woodmen among the rank and file of Fort Benning and others of the command are interested in the announcement made by the Electric City Camp No. 833, Woodmen of the World, that a mammoth Bazaar, Automobile and industrial exhibition is to be given in Columbus at the big Webster Warehouse on lower Broad street, the week of February 24 to March 3rd.

Elaborate plans have been made by Director George S. Marr in charge of all arrangements for the week, for the entertainment of the great crowds sure to attend. Every form of amusement found in such a place of joy will be offered, including the famous Morales family of tight wire gymnasts, The Leslies, dancing act and "Jimmie" Fleming and his Georgia Jazz hounds, furnishing music for the dancing.

Tickets are now on sale and prizes are being offered for the largest number of pasteboards sold until the night of the opening of the show. The officers and enlisted men at Fort Benning may secure their tickets at the Post Exchange.

### INFANTRY SCHOOL

**Dept. Gen. Subjects 11 Sec.**

The Company Officers experienced a revival of learning when Lt. Chamberlain announced in Transportation that they would be required to know something of the hundred and five parts of the escort wagon. C'est la guerre!

One of the Gyrenes says he is going to put in for an Air Service detail since he has completed his work on the ground and feels that he is ready for the pilot course.

Heard during equitation: "You are going east and your horse is going west, Captain. Let's get together."

### FIRST NATIONAL BOOKLET ON OVERDRAFTS CREATES DISTURBANCE

The title of the usual monthly advertisement booklet this month for the bank has caused a great deal of talk in Benning this week.

The subject being of a rather touchous nature, and right to the point has resulted in a number of the officers thinking the bank was after them about their account. The booklet goes on to say that "request for an overdraft is a tacit demand on the banks to violate state and federal laws.

The bank officials are elated over the result as the publicity gained from the booklet has been great.

### SPECIAL NOTICE TO READERS.

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## Turkey Massing Armies

### RUSSIA ASSISTING.

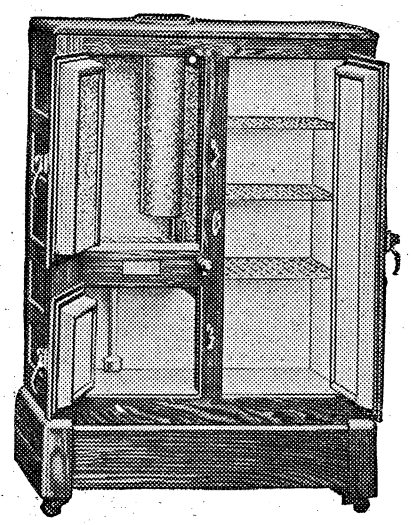
Turkey is massing 35,000 troops in eastern Thrace and Russia has landed important munition stores, according to reliable reports received at Athens.

Since the Near East Peace Conference broke up without an agreement and the since Turkish attitude in ordering all foreign warships that exceed 1,000 tons out of Turkish waters, it is a rather interesting point to consider just what the Turks have in mind and just how much support that they are receiving from Russia.

### RECRUITING OFFICE

The Post Recruiting Officer has just returned from a tour of inspection of all sub-stations. He reports that all canvassers are working hard to obtain one of the $20.00 prizes offered by the service journals.

Thirty enlistments have been made this month to date.



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## Take A Look At This

### TROUBLE FOR EVERYBODY DUE NEXT WEEK

Trouble is on its way here.

Every man, woman and child is due for a slice of it next week.

But the trouble if it is this trouble will not trouble them as other roubles do. They will welcome it, because this trouble is all in fun.

Jackie Coogan, the half pint size First National Star, will be the dispenser of this new brand of trouble at the War Department Theatre when his latest picture, "Trouble" shown on Tuesday, February 20.

This production, hearalded after a special showing in New York as the peer of "The Kid," is said to give the little fellow the greatest opportunity of his career, and because of his work in it the stage critics of the big town comparing this seven year old child with Charlie Chaplin, his screen godfather, as an artist.

### BIG PICTURE; BIG CAST

**Raymond Hitchcock Heads Players IN "The Beauty Shop."**

A remarkable cast was chosen for the screen presentation of "The Beauty Shop," a well known stage play. It includes Raymond Hitchcock, who starred in the original comedy by Channing Pollock and Rennold Wolf, and who is the featured player, in the picture. He recreates the role of Dr. Arbutus Budd.

Billy B. Van, famous comedian and James J. Corbett, his stage partner anr former heavyweight boxing champion have important roles as have Louise Fazenda, comedienne, Dianna Allen, Former Zeigfield beauty, Montagu Love, well known for his work in "Forever." Medeline and Marion Fairbanks, the beautiful twins, who recently starred in the stage production, "Two Little Girls in Blue. and Laurance Wheat.

The picture which comes to the War Department Theatre next Thursday was directed by Edward Dillon for Cosmopolitan productions and released as a paramount picture. It is said to be well worth while.

### WILLIAM DUNCAN MAKES REAL FILM THRILL

In making the big thrill for "When Danger Smiles," the William Duncan picture which will be shown at the War Department Theatre on February 17, the sar is dragged at the end of a rope attached to a speeding horse. He is carried several hundred yeards before a shot fired by the heroine severs the rope. In making this sequence William Duncan was severely bruised about the legs and arms, but presisted in continuing his work, and the next day just to show he was suffering no pains from his experience did a buck and wing dance in the set

William Duncan is an exceptionally good buck and wing dancer and in his younger days won an enviable reputation on the vaudeville stage in a dancing act.

### GREAT CAST IN "THE OLD HOMESTEAD

**Theodore Roberts and Geoge Fawcett Head Roster of All-Star Players.**

The phrase "all star" has been much abused, but the cast of "The Old Homestead" which comes to the War Department theatre next Sunday, may truthfully be said to be of that calibre. Theodore Roberts, George Fawcett, T. Roy Barnes, Fritzi Ridgway, Harrison Ford, Kathleen O'Connor, James Mason, Ethel Wales and others make up a list that is hard to surpass.

This Paramount picture is based on Denman Thompsn's famous play in which that celebrated actor appeared for thirty-two years, but is far more extensive in character and presents a great drama with plenty of comedy and smashing climax.

The story is familiar—how the son of Uncle Josh is falsely accused of theft and goes away to meet with stirring adventure and finally to be restored to his home and sweetheart. But there's far more than that to the story. There is adventure, love, human character in abundance, humor pathos that is deep and convincing. Tears and laughter abound.

James Cruze directed with discretion and sympathy, this great story which was adapted by Perley Poore Sheehan and Frank E. Woods. scenarized by Julian Josephson and supervised by Walter Woods.

## 15th Tank Battalion News

The scribe has been requested to ask the Log Hut committee to reinforce their chairs in such a manner as to insure the safety of members who attend our entertainments. I understand that our dimunitive friend, Sgt. Kelly, while seated on one of those chairs, suddenly and with great humilitation found himself reclining on the hard floor. It is suggested that the chair reserved for General Gordon be reinforced with a few three-eighth inch bolts.

Cpl. Densmore's mother has recently undergone a serious operation but late reports show that she is doing very well. All members of the batallion wish her a speedy and permanent recovery.

**BASKETBALL.**

Playing their usual flashy brand of basket ball our team chalked up another victory by defeating the 83rd Field Artillery, 25 to 11 on February 7th. Every man gave an excellent account of himself to the last whistle The attendance was a little better, but still woefully small; in fact, it was a rotten showing for an outfit the size of ours. Next Thursday February 15th, we play the 2nd Battallion. Our team cannot be beat then without support, so we must come across with the support and rooting, everybody must be there so strong and in such number that when the team goes on the floor they'll think they are attending a national convention or centennial exposition. Remember that non-support has a demoralizing effect on the best of teams. Seaser is credited with that famous report of victory "Veni, vidi, vici." He had little to crow about. we are therefore satisfied in copping his stuff and changing the National Anthem to "We come, we see, we conquer." Everybody come and join in the chorus.

Here is a problem for the department of our matrimonial bureau. Bryan must attend the cinema alone because of the light regard of some fair one, and he is a lonesome boy, it is rumored.

A winner! A marvelous success! These and many more exclamations were heard from critics at the first rehearsal held Saturday morning. The men participating in the great show are the pick of the battalions talent. Professors Garvin and Dennis are more than pleased with the progress made so far, and claim that the play will outshine all the town productions of recent years in every way.

Frances has been complaining about his right arm. He says he will lose the use of it inside a year.

### ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN AT THE GRAND THEATRE

In "One Week of Love," which comes to the Grand theatre on Monday, next, film patrons of this city are in for a hilarious time of it. The picture is quite the most exciting and impressive piece of work that has been threatening to explode upon us for weeks. Certainly Myron Selznick, who produced the picture, has never sent us anything quite so enthralling.

Here are the ingredients that make the picture one of unusual appeal: A twin-starring combination, Elaine Hammerstein and Conway Tearle, playing together for the first time; a story by Edward J. Montagne that one may call really "big" without blushing in embarrassment; direction by George Archinbaud that fulfills all former promises made by this imaginative Frenchman; and a supporting cast that is not dwarfed even by the full-power starring combination.

### REX INGRAM'S "TRIFLING WOMEN" AT THE GRAND NEXT WEEK

In the vivid scene in "Trifling Women," Rex Ingram's latest production for Metro, at the Grand theatre, depicting the interior of a Paris dive in the Montmarte district, genuine Apache gangsters were used, exiled desperadoes from France who, attracted by the fame and glitter of Los Angeles had drifted west to California. Before shooting the scene, Rex Ingram turned them loose on the set and let them scrawl over the walls the ribald wit and queer humor of the Montmarte "rat." The result is lurid realism and a taste of the curious argot in which the low Frenchman speaks. "Trifling Women" is from Rex Ingram's own pen.

Paralysis is an awful thing once it sets in. Did you see him whipping the sandwiches down his throat the night of the entertainment? His arm did not show the slightest signs of being paralyzed, but I will venture to say he did not shine the captains shoes the next morning for I am sure he had a sore arm.

### SAFETY FIRST.

The young son of a Ford owner was looking at a picture of the prophet Elijah ascending to heaven in a chariot of fire. When he saw the halo about Elijah's head, he cried, "Oh look mamma, he's carrying an extra tire."


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# SPORTING NEWS

## COLUMBUS - BENNING ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION STARTS DRIVE.

The drive for funds for the Columbus-Benning Athletic Association is meeting with good results. At the time of writing the Elks are the leading team.

Judging from the good results the Infantry School should be able to put over some good athletic results next year.

### TENNIS NOTES

With the approach of Spring Tennis Season, the tennis committee is busy considering this years schedule. Several challenges hace been received from nearby colleges.

In order to defray the local expenses incident to the visit of these College Teams the Tennis Committee has decided to have a sport dance on Wednesday evening, February 21st at 8:30 P. M., in the Officers Hop Room. Tickets are procurable at the Officers' Club at fifty cents per person.

It is hoped that the dance will be well attended and sufficient funds be obtained to guarantee to the visiting teams the small amounts requested them to help pay their local expenses.

A good time is promised to all. Come one, Come all. Let's go.

### SPORTS

On last Saturday evening the First Battalion 29th Infantry and the Infantry School Detachment tangled in a game of bsketball that has been the best of the season so far. Both teams were evenly matched and each had had about the same amount of trining. The final scorse stood 18-16 with the 1st Bn. 29th Inf. in the lead.

1st Bn. 29th Inf. Position I.S.D. (W)

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## 29th INFANTRY WILL HAVE SOME DAY ON MARCH 2nd.

Plans were announced yesterday for the Twenty-ninth Infantry Organization Day field meet and horse show, which will be held on March 2 on the parade ground of the regiment at Fort Benning.

This year Colonel G. S. Goodale has planned to make the celebration of the natal day of his regiment an event to be favorably remembered at the post. Organization Day proper will be on March 3rd, but the athletic and horse show events will be on March 2nd. Elaborate social features, which include the annual regimental banquet and dance given to the entire post, are on the program.

At least 25 events are planned for the field day on Friday, March 2nd. his includes the horse show events for both enlisted personnel, the officers and their ladies.

The ladies of the regiment are particularly interested in the horse show event. Many of them are members of the Fort Benning equitation classes and spirited rivalry is anticipated among the ladies to obtain the coveted regimental blue ribbons.

The following officials will have charge of the athletic and horse show features: Lieut. Colonel Horace P. Hobbs, in charge of meet; Captain Robert A. McClure, Assistant; Captain Paul Revere Hudson, Judge, military events; Captain Leonard Sims, Judge, athletic events; Captain John S. Claussen, Judge, amusement events; Captain Edward C. Betts, Judge, mounted events.

Major J. C. Williams has been placed in charge of all the social features connected with the 29th Infantry Organization Day. Major Williams has detailed Captain J. S. Switzer to tke charge of the annual dinner and Captain J. S. Claussen, assisted by Lieut. Jefferson Davis Box and Lieut. R. W. Douglas to have charge of the dance.

Captain Claussen announces that a feature of the regimental dance will be cotillion.

The enlisted personnel of the regiment will have their dance following a championship basketball game on the night of March 2nd.

The morning of March 3rd will be given over to the presentation of prizes won in the meet the day previous and to the annual address of Colonel Goodale on the accomplishments of the regiment during the past year.

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## BREAKS GLIDER RECORD

**Machine Is Kept in Air Eight Hours and Five Minutes.**

Andre Maneyrol, French aviator, who last fall broke the world's glidin record at Ilford Hill, England, by flying three hours and twenty minutes, has succeeded in remaining in the air eight hours and five minutes at Vauville, near Cherbourg, France. This established a new world record and betters by one hour and two minutes the unofficial time made recently by Lieutenant Thoret in an airplane at Biskra.—5th Corps News.

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## Medical Department Notes

Sergeant William C. Cullifer, Medical Department, received his discharge on February 8th. "Toby," realizing that the Medical Department was a pretty good place, reenlisted the following day for another "Hitch."

Captain A. A. Roby, Detchment Commander, left Saturday, Feb. 10, on a fifteen-day leave of absence, the greater part of which will be spent in Florida.

Lieut. Colonel H. S. Hansell left on the 8th on a ten-day hunting and fishing leave to be spent in Florida.

Florida is a pretty good place to spend these cool, rainy days. The writer knows, as he spent last winter "Where Southern Breezes Blow."

Two of the Medical Detachment men should know the road from Atlanta to Columbus. Wanting to get home and being without the necessary funds, decided that they would try the open road. They made pretty good time, considering the condition of the road at this time of the year.

The Non-Commissioned Officers Club, Station Hospital, Fort Benning, Ga., will give a dance in the Detachment Mess Hall at 7:30 p. m., February 20th, 1923. All married Non-Commissioned Officers and their families are invited. Transportation will be furnished. It is requested that all desiring to attend notify Sergeant Heatherly, phone No. 126, or Sergeant Mager, phone No. 27, in order that transportation may be furnished.

At the regular meeting of the Non-Commissioned Officers Club Monday evening, Feb. 12th, the resignation of Sgt. Arthur N. Mager as Secretary-Treasurer was accepted. Sgt. J. A. Heathely was elected to the office. After a short business meeting the meeting adjourned to meet Friday noon at a special meeting to be held at that time.

### "SMILE ALL THE WHILE."

Smile and the world will befriend you,
Frown and you fight all alone;
Smile and your bed's made of roses,
Frown and you sleep on a stone;
Smile, you're bedecked with bright jewels,
Frown and their brilliancy ends;
Smile and the world is an Eden,
Frown and a tempest descends;
Smile and long years will endow you,
Frown and you're aged in youth;
Smile and then all will be beauty,
But frown and all is uncouth;
Smile when temptations assail you,
And half of your fighting is done;
For smiles have won more great battles
Than Mars has ever yet won.

SGT. M. M. BEDENBAUGH,
Station Hospital.

### MEDITATION.

In the life of every grafter
There are mingled tears and laughter
Of tales of luck that's good and luck that's hard.
There's a guy they say, who has been lucky,
But he's a guy who has just been plucky,
Who sticks until he picks the winning card.
Thru my mind old scenes are chasing
Of the days when I went racing
When I didn't know a race horse from a hen;
I had hayseeds in my hair,
And I wore a vacant stare;
'Gee," I wish I were a Boob just once again.

Now let the Wise Guy lose a dollar,
And he'll make a bigger holler
Than the Boob who drops a fortune in a mine;
When he goes to the Silver Moon for dinner
You'd think he was a winner.
But the Boob is at the Ralston, dining fine.
When the Wise Guy calls on his steady
And he finds she isn't ready
Chances are, there is a Boob who is making good;
As he stands out in the cold,
If the truth were only told,
He would like to be that Boob if he could.

Some so-called Sports, they hail
A taxi to spread their kale,
But the Boob he takes a bus to go to town.
Between short skirt Janes and liquor
The Sport makes himself much sicker
Than the poisoned pup, who gained so much renown.
The Sport imagines he's some lord
With his Flapper and hired Ford;
He breaks speed laws and lands himself in jail.
But the cold grey morning after
The day which was spent with booze and laughter,
It's the Boobs who make a collection to pay his bail.

I would rather be a Boob
Than be a Wise Guy;
I would rather be a good thing than a Sport.
The Boob may be a joke
But still he is never broke,
It's the one who knows it all who is always short.
Don't worry about the guy who picks the lemons
For he is bound to pick the peaches when they fall;
And the more of life I see,
The more it seems to me
That the Boob is the Wise Guy, after all.

EDWARD MOORE,
Corpl., Med. Dept.

## Service ClubNo. 1 Notes

Last Thursday evening the Women's Club entertained their husbands with a wonderful cook-as-you-like-it dinner, using the cozy South room of the Service Club as their 'Comedore." One of the husbands was heard to remark, "Ain't it a grand and glorious feeling to be a husband!" Yes, we agree with you so long as eats are in view.

During a discussion by the Committee last Monday evening on the bus situation, Corporal Mann was asked for his opinion on the matter at issue, and he replied, very absentmindedly, after being brought to earth with a shock—"Which window shall I take you to?" George, no doubt, the writer could guess just what channels your mind were running in at that particular moment.

There were no particular functions at the Club on Friday or Saturday evenings. The men enjoyed games, music, and last but not least, the big open and home-like fireplace.

Sunday evening the men were treated to some very good music by Corporal Burgeon. Corporal Burgeon is a skilled pianist and never lags behind when his services are needed at the front. Corporal, come again; we all enjoy your music.

The writer understands that a certain Corporal in Company "E," 29th Infantry (no names mentioned, Carpenter) ordered himself a new hat from the supply sergeant and on that particular day the "Top Kick" kindly informed this said Corporal that he had been assigned to the arduous duties of Company Clerk. The Corporal goes to his tent with a smile hung on each ear as much as to say "Boy, howdy" and later reports to the orderly room to take up his new position. Upon trying on his new hat this said corporal finds that it does everything but fit, and upon investigation it was found that his head had swollen to such an extent over his new duties that now—well, it's a sad story, the corporal is just out the price of a hat.

The Service Club Committee held their weekly meeting last Monday evening at seven o'clock when a number of unfinished business items, carried over from last meeting, were disposed of. Many plans are being made for the men this summer and it is hoped that the Committee will receive the full co-operation of each and every one in making this one of the best Service Clubs in the United States Army. We can do so, only, by the fullest co-operation of the men.

The Soldiers' Glee Club met last Tuesday evening and laid plans for the election of officers in the near future. Let's all pull together with Miss Roe and make this a Glee Club worthy of any critic's praise.

Corp. Daniels—I make a motion that we serve soup for refrshments next Wednesday night.

Corp. Myers—Shut up or I'll make a motion and you won't be able to enjoy soup for several Wednesday nights.

The Committee wishes to bring to the attention of its dancing patrons that the dance held at the Service Club on Feb. 21st will be a program dance. Let's make it the biggest attendance of the season.

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## Finance Detachment Notes

Well, folks, here we are again, after an absence of a week. The men have been too busy working to think up anything to slander each other with, but at the present moment we are easing it up a bit, so here goes.

We certainly are sorry to lose our tried and trusted friend, Corporal Short, alias "Neo," self-styled Chief of Pay Rolls and Final Statement Section, even tho it be a temporary loss. He has gone to Washington to show the Chief of "Fenonce" that he is well able to take care of all them stripes because of his superior knowledge of Finance. By the time he gets thru the Big Fellows in Washington will get on their knees begging him to accept the nomination of Saachem—of the Secret Order of the Knights of Liquid Fire-Eaters. Leaving all "Spoofing" aside, he takes with him the sincerest wishes of every member of this detachment.

Miller—Jew, where's the War Warrant?

Frank—I've lost it.

We regret to say that due to the inclement weather we haven't had the pleasure of seeing the "Boobs" and "Booze-Hounds" in action again on the volley ball court.

Sergeant Bennett, Corporal White and Friedenthal were hungry visitors at the Social given at the Catholic Chapel last Thursday evening. All three reports wonderful eats and excellent music—might know there would be eats if those three were there.

The barracks sure is a lonely place now, with "Neo" away to school and our own "Ioda" Watson on furlough. It is as dead as Columbus on Sunday after 9:30 p. m. But the Pinochle Committee are the ones that miss them the most. Pinochle is taboo until at least one of them gets back.

"Steenth" wonder of the world—another hat in the Army to fit "AL" White.

Some of the boys are still wondering why Jim goes to town every Tuesday night. He says he goes to church socials but—well, we didn't know JIM had changed so much in such a short time.

"Cordwood" Barker—Stokes, you ready yet?

"Mary Garden Willie" (absent-mindedly)—No, I haven't powdered my rifle nor oiled my face yet.

Such is life among these great hunters, "Mary Garden" Stokes and "Hayseed" Barker. They went out hunting the other day and after using up two dollars worth of shells, without having any luck, started home, when "Hayseed" stumbled and dropped his gun. Upon retrieving the said weapon, he found that his gun had fallen upon a rabbit, killing it instantaneously (as the newspaper reporter would say).

Just to show what funny pranks Mother Nature can play on some people, I will disclose the fact for the many friends of Frankie Friedenthal (Tillerson, that includes you, too) that last Saturday brought him his 21st birthday—now what we want to know is how he could have possibly grown so ugly in such a short time — POSTUM — there's a reason.

The other evening one of our dashing young fellows met a girl at a party and was smitten deeply—for verily the young lady was passing fair (Shakespeare) but not having the courage to speak, let her puzzle over the following letter which was mailed to her next day. See if you can puzzle it out, the young lady herself would like to know what it is all about. Send your answer to "Clarice" Friedenthalheimer and win the prize which consists of a hand-painted paper-mache air rifle.

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Our ex-Chief Clerk seems to be in training as he can be seen twice daily hiking to and from Torch Hill. It might be training but it appears to the writer that it is more a case of necessity than voluntary training. (We would swap that old boat for Canteen Checks, Bob, if we owned it.)

Wonder what caused all the commotion in the office Tuesday p. m.? It couldn't have been the Inspector who suddenly dropped in from "Nowhere" and departed for the same place after a few hours, could it? Well, anyway, Miller's knees haven't quit shaking yet.

Our smiling baby (OH! Previous) seems to have taken a new lease on himself in the past month. He has purchased himself a civilian outfit and has taken in the city of Columbus, after remaining a recluse for eight months in the fair domain of Benning, and not even daring to go forth and see what Miss Columbus has to offer in the way of amusement for young country boys who are only trying to get along in the world.

There's one thing that must be solved, "A plan by which we can eliminate a certain member of our detachment from going to the Textile Ball," and returning at 1:00 a. m. and affirming he can teach the detachment to dance between that hour and the breakfast hour.


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## "In Time of Peace Prepare for War."---Washington.

## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday.

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday, 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 130;

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

**IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT**

All Persons living on the Post should get their copy of the News not later than 11 o'clock Saturday morning. If you do not have your copy by that time please call phone number 146, Fort Benning and we will send you your copy.

Officers living in town who do not get their copy of the News will please call the same number and we will correct our mailing list.

## Captain Kraul Wins Salvaged Waist Belt

**PRIZE WAS AWARDED FOR EXCELLENCE IN VERSIFICATION.**

So many were the competitors and so excellent appeared their literary efforts in the recent recollection' contest held under the auspices of the "News" that the judges, tho they sat up for three consecutive nights and days were unable to reach an agreement as to which was the most deserving. Fortunately, at this juncture the contribution of Capt. Kraul was received and instantly precluded all possibility of further argument, so out-standing was its superiority in all essential poetical attributes.

A beautiful salvaged waist belt donated by the Reclamation Division of the General Staff as fitting prize

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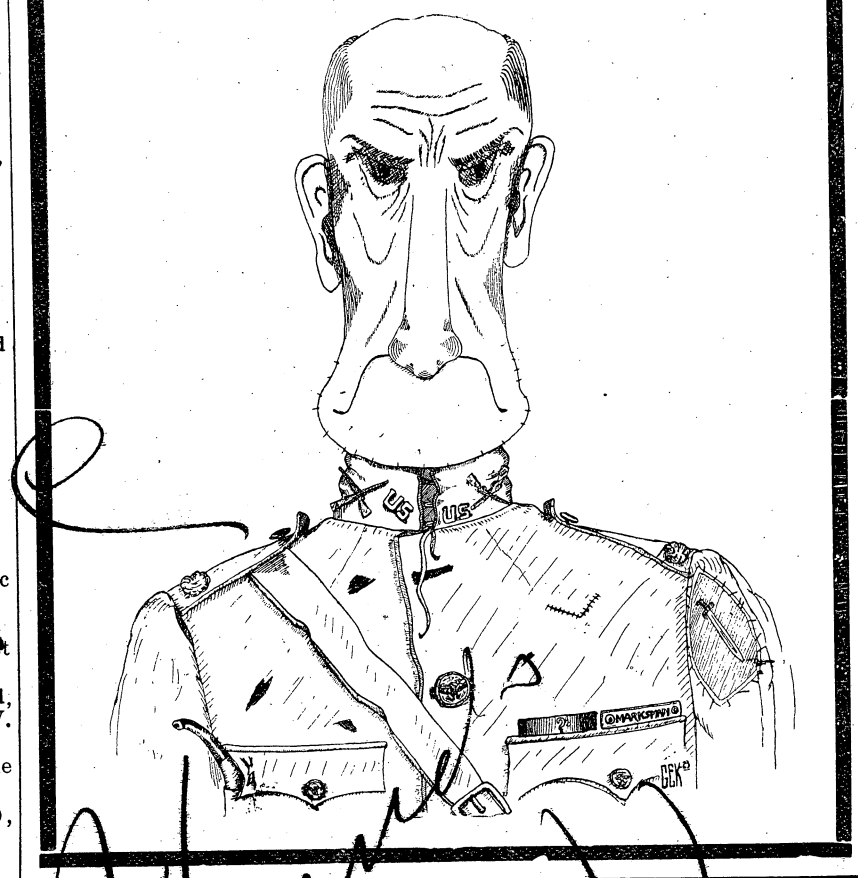
### MAJOR SWEATSHOP

**who thinks The Fort Benning News should be more "dignified."**




## European Situation Growing Worse

France in the Ruhr is getting into a difficult situation in that the Germans are offering more and more resistance in an indirect way.

The "Reds" are working on the French Army and it was necessary to replace the French Regiment last week that had munitined. Also it appears that the communists were having the support of the German police in certain cities and it has been necessary to reduce this police force in some towns and in others it has been necessary to disband it as a whole. However the native inhabitants fear the activities as much as the French.

To date the French have taken over about 90 per cent. of the Ruhr Basin and with it all of the manufacturing and mining activities.

**TURKEY**

In the Near East things have been quite for the past week. The Turks have not carried out their threat to attack foreign warships in their waters as they stated.

Ismet Pasha the chief delegate of the Turks at the Laussanne Conference states that the conference was broken up on account of the unyielding attitude of the French on financial and economic parts of the proposed treaty that was sumittted at Lausanne.

**THE BALTIC DISTRICT**

Poland has invaded Lithuania and Russia states that she in going to the support of Lithuania and against Poland.

Poland and Lithuania are having a dispute concerning some territory that at present is under the jurisdiction of neither and that both desire to have.

**THE BALKANS**

The Balkan States look with extreme disfavor upon the successes of Turkey in her war wth Greece.

## Work Starts on Field Officers Quarters

It is with pleasure that we note the rapidity that the contractors are starting the work on the new quarters for field officers.

There will be eighteen sets constructed sufficient to accomodate thirty-six families.

The basements have already been excavated for some of the buildings and a little cement has been run. These buildings are supposed to be completed by about September 1st.

These quarters will be located North of the Commandng General's Quarters or in that area where the Infantry School baseball and football field was.

## Major Green Returns

**HAD CHARGE OF RELIEF WORK IN FLORIDA.**

Major Frank Green of the American Red Cross who recently had charge of relief work in the Moore Haven section of the Everglades has returned to Benning.

This section had a flood caused by the heaviest rainfall in their history which caused lake Okechobee to overflow and flood the surrounding country so that it was necessary to call the American Red Cross to their assistance and which Major Green answered.

Major Green was there about two months during which time several hundred people received food, clothing and medical assistance, and in addition to this the Red Cross assisted in the rehabiltation which consisted chiefly of the distribution of seeds for the replanting of the Spring Crop.

The Red Cross kept close watch of all people so as to prevent an epidemic which is to be expected in that kind of country, but due to the foresight shown and strict enforcement of sanitary regulations no epidemic of any kind was encountered. However, the Red Cross was ready so that if an epidemic had broken out

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## PROGRAM FOR THE FT. BENNING THEATRES THE COMING WEEK

**For the Week Ending Feb. 24, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre.....6:00 p. m.
Post Theatre .....6:45 p. m.
29th Infantry Theatre.....7:30 p.m.

**February 25th, 1923**

"To Have and To Hold," 8 reel feature (Bert Lytell.)

"Step Forward," 2 reel comedy (Ben Turpin.)

**February 26th, 1923**

"Clarence," 6 reel feature (Wallace Reid.)

"The Stampede," 1 reel comedy (Mutt and Jeff.)

"Fox News," 1 reel.

**February 27th, 1923**

"Making the Grade," 5 reel feature (David Butler.)

"Educational Comedy," 2 reels.

**February 28th, 1923**

"Step on It," 5 reel feature (Hoot Gibson.)

"Leather Pushers," 2 reels.

**March 1st, 1923**

"On the High Seas," 6 reel feature (Dalton—Holt.)

**March 2nd, 1923**

"Fox News," 1 reel.

"Sparks of Flint," 5 reel feature, (Jack Hoxie.)

"Pathe Revew," 1 reel.

"Roach Comedy," 1 reel.

**March 3rd, 1923**

Fighting Fool," 5 reel feature, (Dick Hatten.)

"Cold Feet," 2 reel comedy, (Christie.)

# Social Notes

Call 146 Post or
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### CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE PARTY.

Special to The Fort Benning News.—

Last Tuesday evening our genial fellow citizen, Mr. Jiggs, was host at a delightful corned beef and cabbage party at the popular dining hall of Dinty Moore's well known hostelry The guests arrived on foot, in the case of Mr. Jiggs himself, barefooted, as his charming wife, Maggie had hidden the host's shoes in anticipation of this so pleasant reunion of old friends. Music was furnished by Hennessy's Harmonica Band and intoxicating drinks were served thruout the evening. As the police did not arrive until nearly midnight a very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

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### PERSONAL MENTIONS

Mrs. Leitch who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. McClure and her son-in-law, Capt. McClure left for her home, Camp, Lewis, Washington, last Wednesday afternoon.

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### MRS. McCLURE ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE.

On Friday, February 16th, Mrs. Robert McClure entertained at bridge in honor of her mother Mrs. Leitch of Camp Lewis, Washington.

Three tables of players were present.

Mrs. Starr Moulton won the top score prize and Mrs. Hickox the consolation.

Excellent refreshments were served after the playing.

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### CURRENT EVENTS CLUB

The Current Events Club met on last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. W. Brandhorst. Ten members and five guests were present.

Mrs. E. W. Peach gave an excellent talk on current topics dealing with art, science and invention. Mrs. O. G. Brown gave an interesting talk on current foreign events and Mrs. Frank Green gave an excellent talk on domestic current events.

Refreshments consisting of a salad course was served.

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### MR AND MRS. KELK

Mrs. Chas. E. Kelk, brother of Mrs. L. Sims and Mrs. Chas. E. Kelk, were visiting Captain and Mrs Leonard Sims this week.

Mr. Kelk is the Philadelphia manager of the Williams Steamship Co.

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### MRS. E. W. PEACH ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF MRS. FISK.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. E. W. Peach gave a bridge party in honor of Mrs Fisk, the Recent Tank Bride. All ladies who are or have been members of the 15th Tank Battalion were invited.

Mrs. P. C. Brown won the first prize and Mrs. Frank Mallory the second.

Delightful refreshments were served.

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### BEAUTIFUL TEA DANCE AT OFFICERS CLUB.

At the Fort Benning Officers Hop Room on Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Benjamin P. Nicklin, wife of Colonel Nicklin and Mrs. George S. Clarke, wife of Captain Clarke, entertained at one of the most elaborate and beautiful tea dances given this season.

The honoree was Mrs. Wiley V. Carter, a recent bridbe, whose marriage to Lieutenant Carter was an interesting event several weeks ago and she was being welcomed into her husbands regiment, the Twenty-Fourth Infantry. The bride was Miss Muriel Dougherty, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Dougherty and it will be remembered the marriage took place at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Schoeffel during General Farnsworth's visit.

For the tea dance on Saturday the hall was profusely and effectively decorated in southern smilax and long leaf pine. All around the four sides small tables were placed, overlaid with pretty white covers and adorned with pretty baskets of daffodils, alternating with blue candles in crystal holders. Here the guests were seated for tea.

A large table at one sode of the oom was adorned withs low bowl of daffodils and a central candlabra with blue candles. The coffee and ea samovars were arranged at either end and the platters of salad were dishes of salted nuts, etc., also placed on the table. Mrs. Underwood assisted for the first hour and Mrs. W. O. Smth, Mrs. Fassett and Mrs. Hardenbergh for the second hour.

The Twenty-Fourth Infantry orhestra furnished the music for dancing between the hours of 4 and 6

There were approximately 200 guests.

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### MRS. STARR MOULTON ENTERTAINS

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Starr Moulton entertained at Bridge in honor of Mrs. Joseph Leitch, wife of Colonel Leitch of Camp Lewis, Washington.

The house was prettily decorated with johnquils and narcissus.

Those present were.

Mrs. Leitch, Mrs. Schoeffel, Mrs. Goodale, Mrs. Peyton, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Hannah, Mrs. Tobais, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. McClure, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Maderias.

Mrs. Shoeffel won the top score prize and Mrs. Turner the consolation Mrs. Leitch received a guest prize.

After the game a delicious fruit salad, with hot rools, nuts and coffee was served.

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### NEW HOSPITAL FOR BENNING

The Senate and House Conferees have agreed to the $275,000.00 appropriation that the Senate added to the Army bill. It is not believed that the House will object to this measure, in fact it is understood that they will agree to it.

If there is any place in the country that a Hospital is needed it sure is Benning, for the present hospital is anything but satisfactory.

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### MRS. PRICKETT ENTERTAINS THE 83RD FIELD ARTILLERY BRIDGE CLUB.

On Tuesdlay afternoon Mrs. Rickett entertained the Bridge Club of the 83rd Field Artillery.

Three tables of players and seven tea guests were present.

Mrs. Roxbury won the first prize and Mrs. Peckenpaugh the second.

A salad course was served for refreshments.

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### ATTENTION ARMY RELIEF

The Membership Committee of the Army Relief will please send in the membership names and dues within the coming week to Mrs. John Schoeffel, care of Colon Schoeffel, Fort Benning.

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The Polo Club Paper Chase given yesterday afternoon at Fort Benning was a decided success. More than one hundred riders were led out by Capt. E. C. Betts on the trail of the "hares" Lieut. Fred Makinney and Lieut. R. W. Douglass.

These last were hotly pursued by Major Waite on "Sunshine" and Capt. Willis aboard "Steamboat" who finished in that order a bare dozen lengths behind the hares.

An enjoyable breakfast was served following the chase on the broad verandahs of the club.

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# Social Notes

**29TH INFANTRY DANCE MARCH 3RD.**

Fort its always fair weather when good fellows get together will be the slogan for the Twenty-Ninth Infantry annual Organization Day and Dance at the Officers Hop Room, Saturday night March 3rd. The committtee under the chairmanship of Major J. C. Williams has finally completed his plans and enthusiasm is inspiring the execution of the program.

Captain John S. Claussen, who controlled the purse strings announced that distinctive favors will be given each lady attending the cotillion. And from what has leaked out of the committee room the girls are in for a real treat.

Major Williams announces that the annual banquet which is under the active direction of Captain John W. Switzer will be held at the Officers Club Mess. The dinner will begin at 8:00 o'clock with the inimitable Lieut. Bennie Byrne officiating as toastmaster.

The guests for the dinner will be all 29th Infantry officers and their ladies, and all former 29th Infantry officers and their ladies. The Commanding General, the Assistant Commandant of the Infantry School, the Executive Officer of the Post, and the Commanding Officers of each unit on the Post.

The cotillion dance is programmed for 9:30 o'clock with music by the 29th Infantry orchestra. The cotillion will be led by Colonel G. S. Goodale and Lieut. Colonel Horance P. Hobbs. Everyone connected with the Infantry school either as student or instructor or on duty with troops on the post is cordially invited to the 29th Infantry dance.

To avoid having a conflicting dance Secretary John Hess of the Officers Club has called off the regular Officers Hop scheduled for Friday night and all the customers are requested to hold their terpsychorean energies in check until Saturday night. Major Williams announces that the 29th Infantry bachelor officers, the Columbus Country Club is out of bounds for next Saturday night.

An ambitious decorative program designed by Lieut. Bennie Bryne will greet the eyes of the dancers when they come to the Officers Hop Room. Lieut. Bryne has followed a scheme of khaki painted helmets with crossed bayonets and a distinctive display of infantry and auxiliary weapons.

Another distinctive feature about the 29th Infantry cotillion hop will be a favor dance for each organization stationed at Fort Benning. That is when Lieut. Robert W. Douglass, Jr., calls out a dance for the 24th Infantry it will mean that only 24th Infantry officers will be entitled to the floor with their ladies. On the encore however all eligible persons may break in.

The dance will break up whenever the hands of the clock reach 12 o'clock. But it is going to be a very slow clock.

* * *

Mr. L. C. Hart was visiting Lieut. and Mrs. H. L. Kersh this week and left for his home Friday.

**THE GIRLS WE LEAVE BEHIND**

1

There'll be a trail of broken hearts,
Along the ripping Rhine,
When we depart for Georgia State,
And leave our German Frauleins,
Oh, eyes of black and eyes of blue,
Will glisten with a tear,
And you will tell her you'll come back,
Perhaps within a year.
But there is no consoling thought,
She knows it isn't true.
For in a year a Yankee Girl,
Will have control of you.

2

Then Grechen and Marie wait along the Rhine in vain,
No wonder hearts are aching now and tears swell up like rain,
She'll wonder down along the Rhine,
Beneath some glittering star,
And think of days now past and gone,
And wonder where you are.
She'll have a feeling of regret;
For you stole her heart away.
Then left her, trying to forget,
Yes, left her heart so gay.

3

You'll see a girl with flaxen hair,
Beneath the Rhenish sky,
You'll oft recall those rugged hills,
And the river flowing by,
You'll see the M. P.'s standing there,
On the corner of the street,
Corraling all the fraulines,
That come across their beat.
Yes such as this will memory bring,
In the other years to come,
But now we're marching homeward,
To the music of the drum,
We're going back from whence we came,
To Molly, Kate and Nell,
And if the frauleins lost the game,
The're simply S. O. L.

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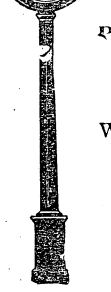
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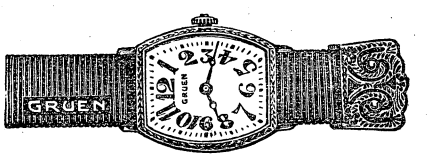

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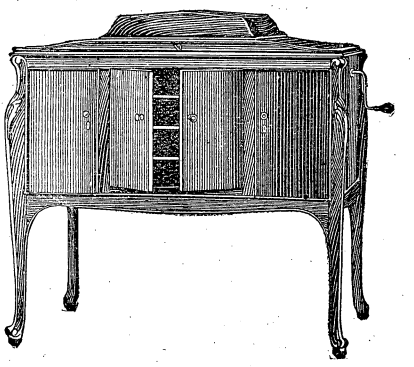
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## A TRIBUTE

"For the enjoyment of much purer civil liberty and greater public happiness than has hitherto been the portion of mankind," These words of Washington epitomize all that which first he fought to gain from foreign enemies and all that which later he pleaded to preserve from the violence of domestic dissenters.

Only in proportion as he is truly unselfish is any man truly great. Washington was a partician, of that class of colonists most particularly favored by monarchial England. Nothing was his to gain by revolution; the tea tax and the Boston massacre were physically as far away, almost, as England itself and fragile indeed were any ties that in those days might have bound together two such widely separated commonwealth as Massachusetts and Virginia. Why, then did Washington take up the dubious battle, forsaking the ease of opulent estates for the crushing responsibility of leading an untrained army; despising to ally himself with the prestige of British nobility, nor considering how much indeed it might have taken him for his influence, preferring to struggle on thru eight interminable years of hardship and privation? Why after the last foreign troop ship had definitely departed, did he refuse the proffered crown and with more sincerity than ever was attributed to the first of the Ceasars? The answer to these questions as well to any other query concerning *Washington* lies in the one word, "Unselfish."

Let us come to think of him, then, not as a legendary hero, a graven figure on a pedestal, a portrait on the school house wall, but as a man, prudent, firm, sagacious, unwearied of patience, but still just a man, excelling us chiefly in that one attribute upon which all greatness ultimately depends—unselfishness. Of his altruism, we are the heirs. He fought that we might be at peace and he labored on the hills of hardship that we might reach the valley of rest. Words are insufficient to express the gratitude which this republic must ever feel toward Washington who, by infinite efforts, long ago, made possible for these United States "greater public happiness than has hitherto been the portion of mankind."

## SIGNS OF THE TIMES

We noticed recently on the Fort Benning road a large sign unnecessarily stating "Road Closed!" This came as somewhat of a surprise to us as we had never heard of anyone who had been able to travel over that section of the highway before and we did not understand why any one should wish to attempt it now. In this connection it is rumored that representatives of friendly foreign governments have been granted permission to inspect the Fort Benning road with a view to determining its defensive possibilities. It is believed abroad that a fort protected by such a highway could never be reached by any enemy no matter how courageous or well equipped. Friends, of course, might still get thru, as they do here, for love is ever stronger than hate and more tenacious of its purposes.

## DESERTION

What is to be gained by deserting the Army? This is a question that every man ought seriously to consider before he attempts to pull the stunts. Many at times, when things go wrong, thing of "going over the hill," but when they stop to consider it from every angle they fail to see any advantage to be gained in it and usually decide to stay. These are the wise guys. The fools act with out thinking and live to learn by bitter experience the folly of their act. The following points may help some to realize the truth of the above statement.

The deserter is and will be for the rest of his life a fugitive from justice He cannot go home. The police in his home town have been notified and will be looking for him. He cannot even write to his people at home. His letters may be intercepted in an effort to locate him. Above all he does not want his people to find out what he has done. No one who thinks anything of him would appreciate knowledge or information of this kind. There is just as much danger and hesitancy about his communicating with friends. He does not want them to know what he has done or where he is. He must remain constantly a "stranger in a strange land."

There are thousands of secret service men in every part of this country working under the Department of Justice. They have a line on every deserter from the Army and are constantly looking out for him. They study the face of every man they come in contact with, and the deserter never knows when he is talking to one of them. He is, however, conscious of the fact that he is being watched and he suspects every man he comes in contact with as being a secret service man. He is constantly running into people whom he has seen before, or he imagines he has seen. He moves from city to city, from place to place in an effort to escape being detected. He is usually without money, is seldom able to secure work, and is forced either to beg or steal. He feels safe when alone. After a time he is constantly alone, and his lonesomeness drives him almost to madness.

What eventually happens to such a man? A few are able to stand the train and continue in desertion. Some endeavor to enlist, but the finger print system, now in vogue, makes this a rather dangerous procedure. The vast majority are willing to turn themselves in. They may have been in trouble when they left; they evidently did find Army life rather unpleasant; they expect to be punished when they return; but anything is better than the miserable existence which they have endured as a fugitive from justice.

Army life may be hard; some find it very unpleasant; but all who have tried the trick tell you that there is nothing to be gained by attempting to escape it by desertion. Better to have the "top-kick" riding you here, han ten thousand hounding you for the rest of your mortal life.

T. J. L.

## CAPTAIN KRAUL WINS SALVAGED WAIST BELT

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for this contest was then presented to Captain Kraul who made a characteristically brief speech of acceptance 'It's a cinch," was all he said on beholding the prize and all present were visibly affected by such an inclusive and all embracing statement. The prize winning poem follows:

**Songs of the Past**

I remember, I remember, my first Army Transport ride,
Every time they scrubbed the decks we went below to hide,
They scrubbed all day and half the night until we were afraid
They'd get the gosh darn decks so thin we'd have to start to wade.

I remember, I remember, how they fed us while on board,
The only fellow who could get it down made a living swallowing swords.
The tables were always falling down and in the air was full of beans.
Thank goodness we don't always live like that—think of the poor Marines.

I remember, I remember, doing guard at the bakery door,
The place was filled with pies and cakes from ceiling to the floor,
My orders were to allow no one to steal pies of the shelf,
So in order to keep the rest out of trouble—I ate them all myself,

I remember, I remember, when the ship took on some coal
They took it in thru the side of the ship and shoveled it down the hold
It got into our ears and eyes and in our nose and hair,
And when we complained about it, they said 'C'est la guerre,"

I remember, I remember, when we stopped at Honlulu,
We all got ready to go ashore and see the Hula-Hula,
About that time the Sergeant put an order in the board,
"Troops will not be allowed to land —They might get left ashore.'

## MAJOR GREENE RETURNS.

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they would have been able to control it in a short time.

Major Green states that the popuace offered whole and freehearted co-operation and that the Standard Oil Company, The Gulf Refining Company and the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company through generous donations supplimented the funds of the National Red Cross. No National Appeal was issued by the Red Cross.

However, while Major Green enjoyed the work with the people in the Everglades, nevertheless he was glad to get back to Benning and as proof that he has been in the Everglades he brought back with him a seven foot rattlesnake skin and a healthy tanned complexion.


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Priscilla Pumpkin, simple maid,
Who dwells in the countree,
Of kowes and porkers unafraid,
Of men is most sca-ree.

Of all mankind she loves but one,
A swain who subtlelee
Woos at her when the chores are done,
With rustic chivarlee,

This night he vowed his tide of love
was deeper than the sea;
Priscilla, tho, thought not less of
A liar such as he.

Their joy forgot the mining stock,
Her father, foolishlee,
To buy, had put his farm in hock,
To villun, mortgagee.

Lo, Villun strides across the lawn,
Y-chuckling friendishlee,
And sez, "Priscilla dear, the dawn
Shall see thee wed to me!"

"And do ye come right spry along,
(I swear it truthfully)
I'll burn the mortgage for a song,
Your father shall go free!"

"But if, instead, you'd rather fool
With that young ass; sezee,
I'll set your father's heels to cool
In the penitentiaree!"

Our hero's face turns ashy pale,
And sore perturbed is he,
He gulps, "I think I'll get the mail,
If any mail there be!"

The road to town he hitteth hard,
And almost instantlee,
He brings Pricilla's Pa a card,
From the Mining Companee.

The old man doth the card behold,
And weeps with joy to see,
It written there, "We've just struck gold
Upon your propertee."

And Villun's teeth are gnashed with rage,
At such prosperitee—
He quickly quits the grassy stage,
Foiled most emphaticallee.

Pricilla's Pa then goes to bed
(This finishes Act Three)
The Fourth Act sees these lovers wed—
Lord, what damphooleree!

### The Man of Upright Life.

The man of life upright,
Whose guiltless heart is free
From all dishonest deeds,
Or thought of vanity.

The man whose silent days
In harmless joy is spent,
Whose hope cannot delude,
Nor sorrow discontent.

That man needs neither towers,
Nor armor for defense,
Nor secret vaults to fly
From thunder's violence.

He only can behold,
With unaffrighted eyes,
The horrors of the deep
And terrors of the skies.

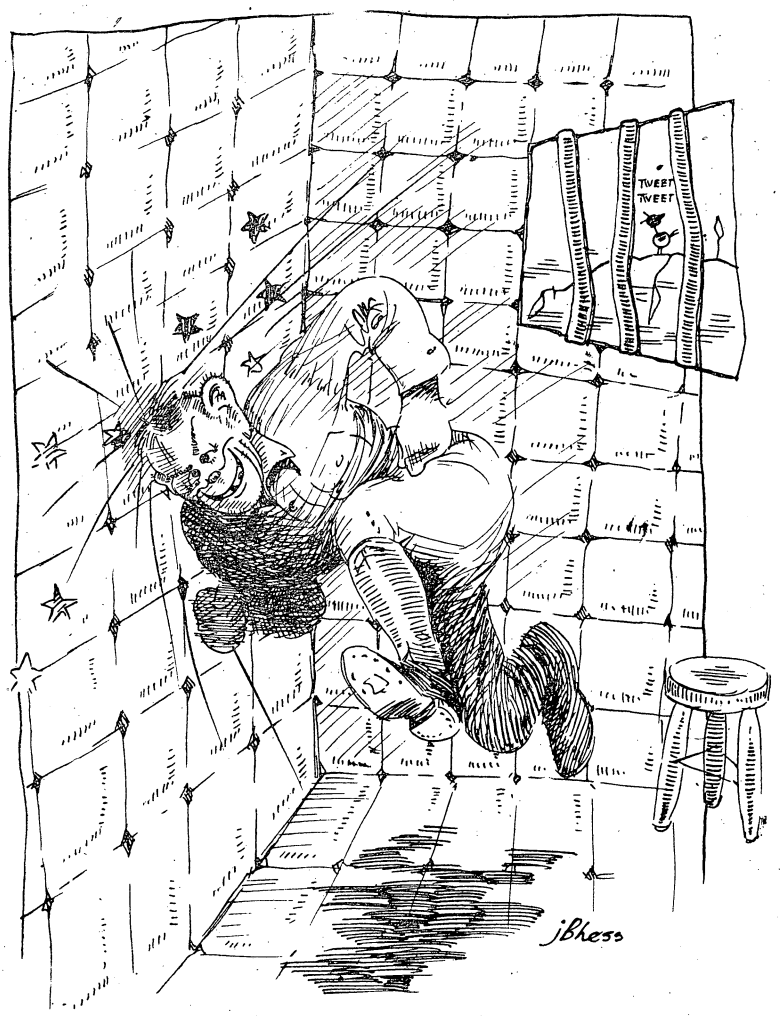
Thus, scorning all the cares
That fate or fortune brings,
He makes the heaven his book,
His wisdom heavenly things.

Good thoughts of his only friends,
His wealth a well-spent age,
The earth his sober inn
And quiet pilgrimage.

### HE MUST HAVE BEEN A CAVALRYMAN

First Drunk—"Gimme horsh's neck."

Second Souse.—"Gimme same. No use killing two horshs.—Our Navy.




THE MAN WHO NUMBERED THE BUILDINGS AT FORT BENNING.

## *Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon*

### Chapter II

Four things insatiable; four things too hard to be known; intolerable; speedy; exceeding wise; exceeding stupid.

1. There are three things that are never satisfied, yea, four things that say not "It is enough."

2. A hungry soldier, a guard house a civilian concession and a bayonet instructor.

3. There are three things too wonderful for me, yea, four things which I know not.

4. The way of a shavetail at his first guard mount, the way of those marksman who prove that what they hit is what they aimed at, the way of a lieutenant who supporteth a wife and the way by which his insurance premium is never met.

5By three things the earth is disquieted, yea, four things it cannot bear.

6. A dentist who carrieth a sabre and an aviator who weareth long spurs, a chaplain who sigheth for the insignia of rank and a quartermaster which criticizeth Napoleon.

7. There are three things which go speedily, yea, four things which quick in their going.

8. An initial clothing allowance, an out-of-town girl to an officers 'hop', and S. O. S. officer to a veterans' ball and the quarterly allowance of hospital whiskey.

9. There are three things which be small upon earth but they are exceeding wise.

10. The office holding tailor who hath contrived that uniforms must go out of date but never be worn out, the striker who requireth that he be paid in advance, the enlisted man who lendeth his Ford to the Captain on the Sabbath day and whoever it was that devised the 96th Article of War.

11. There are three things which are exceedingly bewildered, yea, four things which know not what it is all about.

12. A recruit sentry when the Commanding Officer desireth admittance to the post at midnight, a company clerk who still readeth Special Regulations No. 57, a colored maidservant when her tent igniteth from sparks and any officer who seeketh information from rental allowance decisions.

13. There are three things uninterested, yea, four things which putteth not out.

14. A Finance officer who beholdeth the voucher of one whose mother is dependent, a supply sergeant who still waiteth for some one to return the axe lent without signature, a fatigue detail in charge of a 1st class private and the Captain who heareth of illness of the recruits parents.

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### THE PICTURE THEATRE HOG.

When I spend my good dough to take in a show
At the building that once was an ark
What I'd like to know, if including the show,
Do I also pay to listen to goofy remarks?
It matters not to me who the offender may be,
Be he cloud-buster, bo-hunk or Dutch,
Sayings that seem clever to these youths
Sound to me quite uncouth,
And just about as funny as an old worn-out crutch.
They are only children in manners and mind,
They surely must come from where the tall timbers grow;
The homes for feeble-minded are full of their kind.
They must have been dragged up, not brought up,
Judging by the manners they show.
There is only one way to handle these little dears,
While the picture is on if they whimper or shout,
Connect a good hickory stick with one of their ears,
Then call most anybody to help drag them out.
These small town comedians show disregard
For children, woman or man,
They actually have no respect for themselves,
They show this wherever they can.
They "oh" and they "ah" at each scene on the screen.
It's especially so, if some lady appears,
It matters not to them be she beggar or queen,
Be the scene one of gladness or sadness and tears.
So let's get together and put these rough-necks to rout,
It's up to the M. P.'s to bring order about;
For the sake of the ladies, get rid of these hogs,
Also clear the theatre of the four-legged dogs,
So the audience may look at a picture with ease
And not carry home a job lot of fleas.
Give us what we pay for, that is all that we ask;
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# 24th Infantry Notes

### COMPANY "B"

Cook Freeman, better known as Old Sergt., was dreaming that he was with (G. B.) and when he awakened he was hugging a Red Hot Stove. Bad business old boy, a burnt child dreads the fire. Wake up.

Supply Sgt. Fitts was seen at a dance, and the next morning he was seen with a cut thumb, so we called him one round Bill. Wake up Bill you will lose four fingers next time.

Wm. Brown, better known as the Bull Whip, said he was going to stay ahead of the boys. I don't know what he means, but be got lucky and bought himself six (6) shorts so look out (Blocks.)

Cook Payton (The Fish) the Skin King has been in bad luck. He said he was going to stop singing the "Left All Alone Blues," But as soon as he was found with his crying the new ones, the lights went out. So we are singing, "I Wonder Where Was Fish When the Lights Went Out," Cheer up old boy we will have plenty of Candles to see by. You wont have to skin any more Jack Rabbits for you have left the Borders but "G" and little "a" you will get to see the Green Hills of the river.

George Brown, (Battle Ship Foots,) why don't you wake up and get in the game? You haven't shown any speed since you've been in Benning you are as slow as a turtle. Go out and see what's going on some time you need not be afraid, ask Bugler Hall for some instructions.

### COMPANY "H"

O, why should the spirit of mortal be proud?
Like a swift-fleeting metor, a fast flying cloud,
A flash of lightning, a break of the wave
He passeth from life to his rest in the grave.

The leaves of the oak and the willow shall fade,
Be scattered around and together be laid;
As the young and the old, the low and the high,
Shall crumble to dust and together shall die.

The head of the king, that the sceptre hath borne;
The brow of the priest, that the mitre hath worn;
The eye of the sage, and the heart of the brave,
Are hidden and lost in the depth of the grave.

So the multitude goes, like the flower or the weed,
That withers away to let others succeed;
So the multitude goes even those we behold,
To repeat every tale that has often been told,

Yea, hope and despondency, pleasure and pain,
Are mingled together in sunshine and rain;
And the smile and the tear, and the song and the dirge
Still follow each other like surge surge upon surge.

Tis the wink of an eye; tis the draught of a breath
From the blossom of health to the paleness of death,
To spirit's of mortal's death will pay it's certain call,
So give your life to your country, your soul to GOD.

### COMPANY "A"

Cpl. Jackson, "Geech" has qualified as an instructor to teach other men how to hold their rifles in taking the different positions, so they may be able to make good shots. Cpl. Jackson, remember that to teach other men doesn't mean he should neglect himself. He must make expert this season, so we can know that he has practiced what he preached.

Sgt. Burley, "Old Trigger", has completed his week, he is loose again. Now trigger old boy watch your step and try and don't go on the mat any more. Things might be serious next time.

Sgt. Mann, "Lizzie", has gone to Charleston, S. C., to spend his vacation of sixty days. He says he arrived safe in the land of gators and rice. We know gators and rice don't grow north. Sgt. Mann is a northern man. He should stay away from the land where gators grow, if he don't mind before he gets back he will be a citizen of the land he is making fun of.

### COMPANY 'M'

Pvt. Howard D. Jones is still holding onto the key to the cellar or so it seems from this distance; yea, t'is verily so for he was seen entering a certain Dug-Out in the Village of Columbus t'other day and there he remained a considerable while (or so it seemed from our distance perspective.)

Sergeant Arthar Hen-ley, or honorable Mess Destructor was very, very busy a few yesterdays ago, busy but not too busy; nay, not too busy to remark to the cooks a few instructions to the effect that left-over beans was to be a standard article of food for three meals a day.

Pvt. Dewitt Davis thinks that he was born unlucky but the boys seem to think that he is the luckiest gut in the world for the life-time contract with a certain lady he was about to sign days past, was abruptly delayed by her sudden departure on vacation, and the bride-to-have-been was kind enough to send him a telegram to that effect.

Pvt. James Cornish is studying for the practice of law. His first case was between the U. S. ve. Cornish in which he received a draw decision; that is he drew two and two-thirds in the company area with the usual complimentary six, eight, ten and twelve as a solace prize.

Some of us are wondering how a man's wife can be both absent and present at the same time. We have in this company a gentleman (we use this latter word advisedly) who tell some people his wife is out of town but his actions belie his words inasmuch as he is now more interested in going to town than in yesterdays. Selah!

It is not often that we inscribe the word FINIS behind the name of one of our comrades. The exit of the late Sergeant Williams, familiarly known as "Dinky," from the threshold of our company activities is, after all, a sad event in the annals of the organization and serves as a reminder of the fact that FINIS is the summary of our life work. Mrs. Williams has our sympathy in her bereavement. She left with his body Sunday morning for Emporia, Kan.

Accept this as a warning—members of this company who go to town and have to bum a taxi fare will have their names published in this column because we believe that this is a syndicate and should be broken up.

Pvt. James Holins, veteran light duty man because of a broken leg, does not find walking through the "blocks" every day and trying to shake a wicked hip at the Service Club dances "very heavy duty". Some men are born lucky but this guy, through a misfortune, has had luck thrust upon him. This same gentleman had a tooth pulled t'other day and remarked thereafter that he had a few more yet to be extracted but if he doesn't have them pulled before the next dance, a certain man's fist may save the dentist some work.

Who is the Beau Brummel—the handsomest man in our company? You may not find it very hard to decide. In fact, a certain gentleman whose name I would not divulge for anything in the world (his initials are H. W.) received a letter from a lady the night after he attended (The Shuffle Along" production, in which she had this to say—Bastante —"You looked so handsome last night," Caramba! Now I'm goin to pass this along to Miss Minehaha (she'll understand.) But my Dios, how such remarks does flambast one. He has been curling his mustache ever since. Caramba!


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## 24th Infantry News Notes

Oliver Law, better known as "Law the Invisible," keeps everybody wondering what fort he is commanding. Watch your step, old boy, "Boo Reese" is on your track and if you don't mind he will trail you to your den.

### COMPANY "I."

Lost, strayed or stolen, what? The thoughts of Poor-Boy Russell.

Yes, we are smiling, everybody is happy since the C. C. has purchased the little Willys-Knight. There is not a man on the restricted list.

Sergeant Seger's Staff has o go to town every afternoon to buy a garage since the old "Velie" was willed to the orderly room.

Pvts. Pete Strode and Sol Winn are now on special duty at the school of pickology and shoveology. Sgt. Steger is the instructor.

Will some kind person in Columbus please write Cpl. Reeves a letter or send a word of some kind of consolation; the poor boy has been vamped at last. Barnum was right.

Everybody is singing the song, "Where Was Moses When the Light Went Out?" No more letter writing after the day is over. You cannot read the letter until next morning. And you have to pull off your Buddie's clothing after Reveille on account of putting them on by mistake in the dark. Please let the sunshine in or give us a little more MOONSHINE.

Sgt. Atkins has to change his address because No. 5 is getting too small for him and Twilight Handy.

A new athlete has been discovered in the company in the person of Twilight Handy. We saw him down the company street walking on his hands. I can't remember whether his age is 17 or 71.

Since things have reached a progressive standard in the way of lights for the recreation tent, pork chops at every meal, parade every Wednesday, no restriction for missing Reveille and no details until 10 a. m. every morning, etc., the generals of the "Seekers Union" have decided to remain neutral for awhile.

### COMPANY "K."

Sgt. Tolbert (Tom Duff) was seen on last Monday at 3:00 p. m., hurrying to Post with his Henry—'Great Guns," the colored troops were in action, and their wapons were the kind of instruments used around and in barber shops.

"WONDER WHY—"

A fellow has to get on furlough, visit Chattanooga, and the first thing to happen upon his return to pass in review? Ask Garrett, he knows.

Not that we are chronic kickers, but honest, "Belse," why take her hat as security for taxi fare?

We must admit that life is short, even after having had a hundred years of it, but why, oh, why, force all the romance and adventure of a certain brother, on the night of Feb. 4th in one little short life? (Well, you will never know.)

### COMPANY "L."

K. P.—This knife is blunt and the steak is like leather.

Yes; do nicely for stropping the knife on.

"I'm sorry I can't let you have your barber check today," said Sergeant Foster to Private Jesse Hill, soothingly. "It is waiting with the rest of them for the Company Commander's signature, but he's laid up at home with the gout."

"Great heavens!" cried the persistent and enraged home. "But he doesn't have to sign 'em with his feet, does he?"

"Do you believe man is made from dust?" Pvt. Troup asked the Chaplain.

"Not at all," said Troup. "Dust always settles and I know some men who do not."

"Lieut. X, you look very pale this morning," said Captain Y.

"Yes, I was stung by an adder this afternoon."

'How did it happen?"

"Why I dropped in the bank this afternoon and the bookkeeper told me that my account was overdrawn."

Since Cpl. Kitchens has been writing poems he is anxious to know just what the public thinks of them, so he wrote his girl and asked her what she thought of his last poem. Her answer was: "I am glad to hear that it is your last poem."

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Quality Press, 1021½ Broad St., printing.
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Walker Electric & Plumbing Co., 112 12th St., everything electrical.
Waverly Hotel, 13th St.
Wheat Drug Co., 1116 Broad St., drugs, florists.
W. T. Heard, 1st Ave and 13th St., Dodge Automobiles.

## Artillery Notes

The batallion will this week undergo an inspection by Major Maxwell Murray, from the office of the Chief of Field Artillery. Marches, field firing demonstrations, and special drills will be performed during his stay.

The basketball team lost this week, through discharge, the services of Sergeant Peiffer. "A Battery, one of the mainstays of its attack. The team lost to the team lost to the Tank Corps by a decisive score in a recently played game, and the victors were defeated by the I. S. D., which managed to nose out a very narrow victory from the cannoneers on a previous occasion in an extra period game. This probably indicates something or other, but what?

Samlavich and Cooper, of Headquarters, are out for the Post baseball team. Cooper is a veteran on the team and the cannoneers doubt whether any other candidate can come as close as he to covering second base and third at the same time.

Head Coach Peckinpaugh of the volleyball team took the varsity and scrubs over to the Tanks lot for light exercise Tuesday. His charges didn't get steadied down until after they had lost three games, but a few harsh words by the coach between halves corrected matters and the next two games were won.

When approached last night, Coach Peckinpaugh was reticent. "Our boys have a chance," he said. This was taken to mean that the artillery mentor favors the parallax method. "The net is too high," he continued, "and the ball too large. I would like to see the Rules Committee do something about this. If the net were an inch lower, or the ball an inch smaller, we would make many points we now lose."

The rooting section is being rehearsed in the following yell:

I am Volleyball!
I am the onrushing tide!
Strong men weep!
Yea, the men of muscle!
And little children run to their mothers.
Shrieking.
They think papa has gone crazy.
I am the demon at the net!
I am the spirit of strife
Bruised and Battered
Bruised and beaten,
Are my devotees.
Are my followers.

I am Volleyball
I am the whatdecall it of the something or other.
Cast them into exterior darkness,
Burden their 201 files,
Who know me not.
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(I get tired of repeating this)
I am the Spirit of Youth
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Do you know that the army can improve your physical, mental and moral character 100 per cent? If you don't ask the Sergeant in charge at your station or watch the newspapers for announcement as to when a recruiting party will pass through your town. Anyone of said party will be only too glad to tell you all about the army.

If you do, see the Sergeant anyway and let him sign you up for service right here in your own locality where you will be close to your folks.

What job in civil life can compare with this—no strikes, no hospital bills to pay if you are sick, and the best medical attention possible, no board bills, no clothing to buy, all kinds of sports, athletics, and amusements at your disposal without cost. And on pay day. Oh, Boy, that grand and glorious feeling, yours to do as you please with. You can save as much as $15.00 per month for 12 months and then get a thirty day vacation with pay and have a good time spending your money and know that when you get back on the job, you will have another months pay coming to you and wont find yourself out of a job either. In addition to all this, promotions are fast at Fort Benning, also there are a large variety of good trades that you may learn, for instance, automobile repairman, chauffeur, railroad engineer, musician, painter, stenographer typist, telegraph and radio, telephone repair, tractor mechanics and a variety of trades too numerous to mention.

You draw your full pay while learning, too, that is a point to think about. What school or college will pay you a salary while giving you instruction? What other job will take you up and pay you to work for them while you are learning a different trade?

Employers in civil life are all looking for experienced men and the Army gives the experience if you want it. Any man who holds an honorable discharge need never to be out of work long, employers jump at the chance to get a man with such a discharge, it shows that the bearer has been thru a period of training and fitted him to obey orders without question and to take charge of any work assigned to him, and to perform all dutes in a satisfactory manner.

Think this over seriously, remember, procrastination is the thief of time, and the time is now. Tomorrow may be too late.

## A DECIDED IMPROVEMENT

The auto schedule as announced by the Howard Bus and Taxi Company last week is a great improvement and should prove very convenien t to ladies living on the Post who desire to go shopping. However to continue this good service the car must have a sufficient number of passengers to pay for the service, and as the charge is only one dollar for the round trip and gives you about three hours stay in town, it should be a very attractive proposition for you shoppers. Take a look at the ad of last week that announces this schedule and for the time that the auto will leave your quarters.

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**March 4th**

Gentlemen From America, 5 reel Special—Gibson.

Week End Party, 2reel Star-laurel Comedy.

Ne'er To Return Road, 2 reel Selig-Roak Drama.

**March 5th**

Silver Wings, 9 reel, Mary Carr—Special.

Fox News, 1 reel.

**March 6th**

Daughter of Luxury, 5 reel, Agnes Ayres.

The reporter, 2 reel Lupino Lane.

**March7th**

The Kick Back, 6 reels, Harry Carey.

Oh Promise Me, 2 reels, Christie Comedy.

**March 8th**

Red Hot Romance, 6 reels, Emerson- Loose Production.

Fox News, 1reel.

Turkey Dressing, 1 reel, Gaiety Comedy.

**March 9th**

Camille, 7 reels, Valentino and Nazmova.

Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**March 10th**

Back Home and Broke, 7 reels, Tom Meighan.

Fighting Blood, 2 reels, Witwer Series.

**March 11th**

Skin Deep, 7 reels, Milton Sills Special Cast.

A Ladies Man, 3 reels, Bull Montana.

**March 12th**

Oathbound, 6 reels, Dustin Farnum.

Falls Ahead, 1 reel Mutt and Jeff.

Fox News, 1 reel.

**March 13th**

Kindred Courage, 5 reels, Hoot Gibson.

Splitting hair, 2 reel, sunshine Comedy.

**March 14th**

Poverty of Riches, 6 reels, Special Cast.

Joan of Newark, 2 reels, Leatherpushers.

**March 15th**

Kindred of the Dust, 8 reels, Peter B. Kyne Story.

Fox News. 1 reel .

**March 16th**

Living Lies, 6 reels, All Star Cast (Saturday Evening Post Story.)

Roach Comedy, 1 reel

Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**March 17th**

Dark Secrets, 6 reels, Dorothy Dalton.

Movie Queen, 2 reels, Dan Mason.

**March 18th**

Hurricanes Gal, 8 reels, Dorothy Philips, Special,

On Patrol, 2 reels, Sennett Comedy

**March 19th**

Honor First, 5 reels, John Gilbert.

The Eskimo, 2 reels, Clyde Cook.

Fox News, 1 reel.

**March 20th**

The Outcast, 7 reels, Elsie Furguson.

Court Plastered, 1 reel, Mutt and Jeff.

**March 21st**

The Prisoner, 5 reels, Herbert Rawlinson.

Spooks, 2 reels, Comedy.

**March 22nd**

The Woman's Side, 6 reels Katherine McDonald.

Hubby Behave, 1 reel Comedy.

Fox News. 1 reel.

**March 23rd**

Captain Fly By Night, 7 reels, Johhny Walker—Special.

Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**March 24th**

Ebb Tide, 8 reels, Melford Special.

Fighting Blood, No. 2, 2 reels, Witwer Series.

**March 25th**

The Fast Mail, 6 reels, Special with Buck Jones.

Mud and Sand, 3 reels Stan-Laurel, (Burleque on Blood and Sand.)

Volcanoes of the World, 1 reel, Novelty.

**March 26th**

The Dust Flower, 6 reels, Helen Chadwick.

City Chap, 2 reels, Al St. John.

Fox News, 1 reel.

**March 27th**

First Degree, 5 reels, Frank Mayo.

Fair Enough, 2 reels, Mermaid Comedy.

**March 28th**

The Branstormer, 6 reels, Charlie Ray.

The Blacksmith, 2 reels, Buster Keaton.

**March 29th**

Singed Wings, 8 reels, Bebe Daniels—Special

Fox News, 1 reel.

**March 30th**

What's Wrong With Women, 6 reels, All Star Cast.

Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**March 31st**

While Satan Sleeps, 7 reels, Jack Holt.

Clever Catch, 2 reels, Dan Mason.

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**April 1st**

Smilin, Thru, Norma Talmadge,

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Just Tony, Tom Mix.

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**April 22nd**

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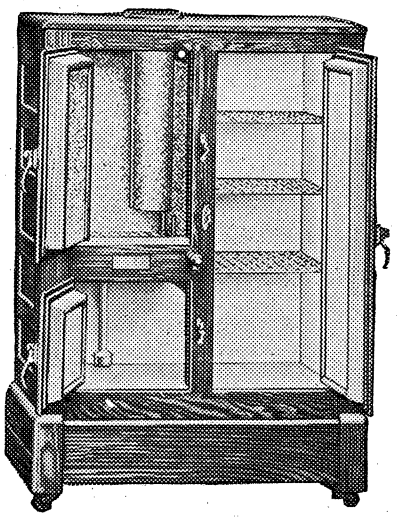

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## Co. F 1st Gas Regiment

Our former scribe has left the journalistic field and has entered the cornfield. (We all knew he was an old-time plow jockey.) After spending six months in a civilized country (Md.), he was ordered to Fort Benning, Ga., our present station. While in route to Benning he saw two mules draw a strange implement through a field. The The sight caused him to go into hysterics. (It took six men to re store him to his natural state.) Mac we realize the sight of a mule looks good to you, but it was not at all fair to disturb your fellow passengers with your overflow of emotion. We hope you have realized by this time, some people live in the city, on the other hand, some people live in Iowa.

Cpt. Lucky Miller the famous tea-hound, is very particular where he sits when attending a show in Columbut. He always makes it a point to secure a seat directly under the balcony where the peanuts fall quite numerously. A few of the falling gublers get away from him, but he does not miss many. Now we know why he does not patronize local restaurants while on pass.

Pvt. Smith our celebrated mule-skinner is now a composer of music, one of his latest songs entitled "Merry Lee Roll Along," seems to have made quite a hit with the lovers of the dusky harmonizers.

Cook Boardman is on the trail of the crook who stole the raisins from the pantry, while he was reading "Telling Tales." We don't know how they were disposed of, but we hope the chemist in question is not brewing explosives. In case he is,, we hope he will sample his concoction on the Experimental Range. Funny, Telling Tales did not tell Broadman who stole the raisins, Phil, try Detective Stories and if they should fail, our only hopes are, you will be able to secure an interview with our famous sleuth, "OH TIM."

Phil.—Q. Where did you get that bottle of beer you are drinking?

Bob—A. From the Jew in the orderly room.

Phil—Q. Where does he get it?

Bob—A. He brews it.

Pvt. Francis, onr champion heaver is back from his two months furlough and the bull hans't had a minute's rest since he set foot in the Company street. Go to it Francis, Leuze believes you.

Well boys we have a new composer this week. (Kid Frisco). The name of his latest song is "Let a little sunshine in." And belive me he did it. He never stopped to consider Cockelreas or the john. In fact he never stopped to consider Either john.

Last week a guard exposed a soldier of our company who believes in preparedness. When he was informed that his post would extend through a graveyard he took into consideration past experiences and carried a roll of—newspapers. What's Dat?

Well Spathe you weren't the only one that had to walk that post Salvator had it and he said "he was so close the graves he could hear the caskets coffin.

Cpl. Miller, (While playing the victrola. Say Smith, you ought to be a good dancer.

Smith—Lord no. I'm too awkward.

Cpl. Miller—Forget it boy. Bowen and I thought that to.

The question has arisen as to who is the dumbest man in the company We will have to bestow the honors upon the man that said "Base ball shoes if worn to bed will never tear the sheets."

Pvt. Hendricks insists that Pvt. Ottey is the ugliest member of the company. When asked why he has such belief he said. "Ottey is so ugly he has to sneak up to a cup to get a drink of water."

After watching Pvt. Dennis eat I am inclined to believe that he may have been born with a silver knife in his mouth.

## Post Recruiting Office

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Sgt. Harris is back in the hospital again, after 45 days sick leave, (it is beginning to look as if our friend is looking for another sick leave), but we are hoping that you get well this time.

Another sight for sore eyes—Sgt. Howell trying to crank his Chariot on a cold morning after being shot in the arm the day before.

We thought the Post Office had put on an extra mail wagon last Monday but it was only Sgt. Howell's wagon on it's way to the post office with a load of publicity stuff going to the surrounding territory.

Speaking of publicity believe me, buddies before many more moons Fort Benning is going to be on the map in more ways than one. Our Field men have received instructions to go out into the unexplored regions of their sectons and advertise, get recruits and advertise some more. If there happens to be one among you who is gifted as to be really capable of thinking, kindly send a few hints, as to how it is done, to the publicity man in the recruiting office, he surely needs them.

Brethern, something has got to be did, that't all, just think—only thirty recruits this month, if we don't do better than that we'll have to disband the army.

Anyhow, all joking aside, how about some of you solders writing a few lines to some of your pals, or better yet, just write their names and addresses on a slip of paper and send same to Post Recruiting Office and we'll do the rest.

Question.—How many twenty-one jewel time pieces can be had for an old Ingersol and one buck? Ask Fairchilds.

Cpl. Jesse E. Stewart, one of our Star Recruiters is spending a few days in our midst. We really believe he is going to do it again. He believes in practicing what he preaches alright. The Cpl. reports conditions favorable around Albany.

Say "I saw your Ad. in The News."

"I understand, Pat," said an employer, interviewing an applicant for a situation, "that you have a big family dependent on you."

"Yes, sor; ten children, seven pigs and the ould ooman."

She—"Is t a fact that they have canned gravy in the army?"

Soldier—"Why of course they can gravy, they even can soldiers."

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## Inf. School Detachment [White] News.

Corporals Salazar and Follendore, our two famous bachelors whose place of abode is on the range, had been attacked by a "spook" for several nights when they decided to catch him. They set a rat trap and lo and behold they found a pole cat at one A. M. Wednesday, and when the Range Sergeant arrived the two Corporals were fumigating their clothes, bedding, etc., much to their discomfiture, as the perfume of the "spook" filled the air. The two Napoleons have come to the conclusion that a hundred "spooks" would never do the damage the pole cat did and they will never set another trap, "spooks" or no "spooks."

Our two twirlers, Kid McNutt, and Old Man Duff, the mainstays of our ball club of the hurling staff are out for the Camp Team. Here is hoping they make it, but we will be mighty glad when they are back with the old outfit for the I. S. D. would be out of luck if it were not for the old reliables.

The Detachment lost a mighty good man when Frankie Smit, our "Jawbone Clerk," was discharged on the 16th, by reason of purchase. The Detachment Office Force will miss his excellent and efficient work in the office. We hated to see him go, but the best wishes of the entire Detachemtn accompany him, and we all wish his success in civil life.

The Detachment gave its regular monthly dance a few night ago. This dance was by far the best of the season and was enjoyed by all present.

The I. S. D. Basketball quintet defeated the 15th Tank Bn. in a rough game on Tuesday night, February 20th, by a score of 21 to 13. The Tank quintet seemed to think they were playing the 1st Bn., 29th Infantry a game of football, instead of playing the I. S. D. a game of basketball. One of the Detachment players was serious injured due to the roughness of the Tank players.

Since when has a First Sergeant been authorized to wear pajamas to work? Our First Sergeant came strolling in very gayly the other afternoon with his pajamas and overcoat on.

## Finance Department Notes

Mr. Harris at the C. of Ga.. office on eleventh street and get a copy of ther latest folder, read it and then mail it to your folks. It tells more in a few words than possibly you could tell by writing a magazine. If you don't go to town call at the Post Recruiting Office for one.

Here we are again after aweek of cold weatber, that made the detachment look s though it had been through the "mill. Compare A. E. F.'s.

Watson returned from a fifteen day furlough, spent in and around Atlanta, Georgia, with friends and relatives, last Saturday. Welcome to our City Cecil, we sure are glad to have you back with us again, now Watch Out Pinchole.

Has anybody noticed how nicely "Al" White's hair is coming out? Now to match that "Crop," he is also trying to raise——(no not a family) but a "hairsute fringe on his upper lip" (Whiz Bang.) Go to it Al, you will be a man some day.

Who s this fellow that we haven't met yet? Not mentioning any names but his initials are Verna T. Come on "Verona" and shake (?) with the detachment.

"The way of the transgressor is hard," the editor has forgotten who quoted that, but the following can testify to it: "Shamoy-Skin" Tillerson, "Beauty" Bennett, "H. A. F." Georgia R. R. It's good. Call on and "Irsh" Frienenthal. You had better get up in time, if you want any breakfast my boys.

Al Whlit's crony 'Galloping George' Collins never has walked a step in his life.

The Signor, he say, he no can leeve on heese pay, as eet ees to small. Cheer up Banda, you are getting the equivaletnt of three times the amount you would earn in Equador.

Sergeant Kenney, who has been occupying quarters on Torch Hill for sometime has now been assigned quarters in the Post. We are glad to have Bod so near us, as the boys need him to teach them how to play Pinochle.

Our "Galloping' Difference Sheet Clerk "Dutch Dobbie" says Ach du lieber Gott, I make it a gain for $20,000.00 by die difference sheets.

**"WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER" GRAND NEXT WEEK**

As we go to press we are reminded to say just a word for a picture which is sure to please every picture fan in Columbus next week. It is the Cosmopolitan Production "When Knighthood Was in Flower," starring Marion Davies.

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Offers the following pictures for the coming week:

**February 25th, 1923**

"To Have and To Hold," 8 reel feature (Bert Lytell.)

"Step Forward," 2 reel comedy (Ben Turpin.)

**February 26th, 1923**

"Clarence," 6 reel feature (Wallace Reid.)

"The Stampede," 1 reel comedy (Mutt and Jeff.)

"Fox News," 1 reel.

**February 27th, 1923**

"Making the Grade," 5 reel feature (David Butler.)

"Educational Comedy," 2 reels.

**February 28th, 1923**

"Step on It," 5 reel feature (Hoot Gibson.)

"Leather Pushers," 2 reels.

**March 1st, 1923**

"On the High Seas," 6 reel feature (Dalton—Holt.)

**March 2nd, 1923**

"Fox News," 1 reel.

"Sparks of Flint," 5 reel feature, (Jack Hoxie.)

"Pathe Revew," 1 reel.

"Roach Comedy," 1 reel.

**March 3rd, 1923**

Fighting Fool," 5 reel feature, (Dick Hatten.)

"Cold Feet," 2 reel comedy, (Christie.)

# SPORTING NEWS

## I. S. D. CONING UP

When the Infantry School Detachment met the 15th Tanks last Tuesday night they proceeded to clean up on the 15th Tanks to the tune of 21 to 13.

The game was featured by its roughness and not by any scientific playing. The Tanks wish that the I. S. D. had a football team and the I. S. D. come back by saying that they wish that the Tanks would have a baseball team.

Well the end is not yet as soon as the baseball will start and then shortly after that is over with the football season will start so maybe one or the other can get satisfaction.

Captain Whittemore, referee.

| I. S. D. | Line Up | Tanks |
|---|---|---|
| Valentine | Forward | Mabry |
| Hylan | Forward | Cain |
| Collins | Center | Wark |
| Coates | Guard | Swantic |
| Bays | Guard | Stevenson |

Substitutions: 15th Tanks Rollins for Swantic. Swantic for Wark.

## SECOND BATTALION WOLLOP THE FIFTEENTH TANKS

In a very one sided game the 2nd Battalion 29th Infantry Machine defeated the 15th Tankers 52 to 6. It was a very clean game with only a couple of fouls. The Tankers say that the couldn't get started for some reason further they believe that if they could meet the 2nd Battalion again that the score would be considerable different from what it was at the first game. Go to it Tanks we like to see that stick-to-it spirit.

| 2nd Bn. | Line Up | Tanks |
|---|---|---|
| Davis | Center | Ward |
| Keljstrom | Forward | Mabry |
| Brown | Forward | Cain |
| Burt | Guard | Swantic |
| Franz | Guard | Stevenson |

Sub. 2nd Bn. 29th Inf. Johnson for Burt.

Sub. for Tanks, Rollins for Swantic.

## 1st BN. 29th INFANTRY DEFEAT THE FREEBOOTERS

In an interesting and clean game of basket-ball the first Battalion of the 29th Infantry defeated the Freebooers of he 29th Infantry to the tune of 29 to 10.

| 1st Bn. | Line up | Freebooters |
|---|---|---|
| Cody | Forward | |
| Harris | Forward | Not |
| Peters | Center | Submit- |
| Mickles | Guard | ted |
| Detwiller | Guard | |

Substitutions 1st Bn. Fitch second half for Detwiller; for Fitch, Glockner.

## 29th INFANTRY WILL HOLD FIELD DAY ON MARCH 2nd

In honor of the Organizations Day, March 2nd, the 29th Infantry are going to pull a Field Day that should prove o be a humdingert.

The list of events follows:

1. 100 yard dash (Preliminares)—One Entry per Company.
2. Running Broad Jump—One entry per Company.
3. Shot Putt.—One entry per company.
4. 220 Low Hurdles.—One entry per Company.
5. Wall Scaling (Squad)—One entry per Company.
6. 100 yard dash (finals)—One entry per company.
7. Mile race.—One entry per company.
8. Pole Vault.One entry per company.
9. Running high jump.—One entry per Company.
10. 220 Yard Dash (preliminaries)—One entry per Company.
11. 880 yard run.—One entry per Company.
12. 220 yard dash (finals) One entry per company.
13. Neatest Soldier (full field issue clothing only.—One entry per company.
14. 3 legged race (2 men)—One entry jer company.
15. 440 yard dash—One entry per company.
16. Tug of war (10 men) One entry per Battalion.
17. Relay race, 2 mile (8 men)—One entry per Bettalion.
18. Mule drawn cart, M. G. or Stokes—Open to enlisted men.
19. Escort Wagon—2 line team—Open to Enlisted men .
20. Mounted Tug of War. (4 animals—One to enlisted men.
21. Mounted orderly. full field—Open to enlisted men.
22. Mounted jumping (enlisted only) Triple—Open to enlisted men.

Bar w-o wings, three foot hurdle Open to enlisted men.
w-o wings, 3 1-2 foot hurdle w-wings.

23. Saddling contest (2 horses)—Open to enlisted men.
24. Officers charger class, (officers only) auuearance and performance—Open to Officers.

The following explanation is made of Event 24 Athletic Memorandum No. 1, 1923.

Judging will cove appearance of mount, riders seat and bearing. Performance of mount will cover changing gaits—walk and gallop, halting from gallop, turning on forehand, followed by jumps as outlined in event No. 22.

25. Ladies mount, appearance and performance(2 1-2 foot hurdle)—Open to ladies of Regiment.

Saturday, 9:30 A. M.—Regimental Formation, Address, presentation of prizes.

Organizations will enter the required number of men in each event. Entries must reach Regimental Athlectic Officer by February 27th, 1923.

Following officials are designated for the meet:

Lt. Colonel H. P. Hobbs, in charge of meet.

Captain R. A. McClure, Assistant.

Captain P. R. Hudson, Judge Military events.

Lieut. L. H. Sims, Judge Athletic events.

Captain J. S. Claussen, Judge Amusement events.

Captain Ed. C. Betts, Jude Mounted events.

The above named officials may be consulted, in their respective capacities on details or requirements of events.

V. To award cash prizes, as last year, it will be necessary to raise approximately $225.00 by voluntary contribution on part of officers and enlisted men of the Regiment. Every effort will be made to secure this sum from January pay. Collection from which will be turned over to Captain McClure as speedily as possible.

VI. Every encouragement will be given contestants to assure ample time for training.

VII. Field and Track records, established in this regiments last year are published in Athletic Memorandum, April 18, 1922.

VIII. The following prizes will be awarded the winners:

(a) Silver cup, to Company winning the largest number of points in the meet (won last year by Co. "M"). To be won two consecutive years or three tmes by a sinble organization.

(b) Points will be awarded winning contestants, in the same manner and of the same numerical value as the cash prizes hereafter noted:

Events 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12. 13, 15, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23,—

First 5; Second 3; Third 1.

Event 14—First 3; Second 2, Third 1.

Event 5—First 10; second 5 third 3.

Events 16, 17, 20—First 10 second 5.

Events 24, 25,—Ribbons only.

## 2ND BATTALION 29TH INFANTRY BASKET BALL TEAM RETURNS.

The Basket Ball team of the 2nd Battalion 29th Infantry took a couple of outsiders that reside in Alabama namely The Alabama State Normal nd Camp McClellan.

On Monday night the Soldiers' Basket Ball Team at Camp McClellan tried to take the scalps of the men of the Second Battalion 29th Infantry but in this they were defeated as the McClellan men soon found out that the 2nd Battalion had a team that could step out.

While Camp McClellan had a good team, practically the same team that Oglethorp had last year, still they did not have the speed that the locals had nor the team work.

Well anyway when the game was over with the score was 31 to 14 in favor of the locals.

On Tuesday nght the 2nd Battalion team tackled the Alabama State Normal. The Normals have a team that have not tasted defeat in four straight years and the fates decided that victory would still be on their side on last Tuesday night.

The 2nd Battalion Team state that without any hard feelings or ill-will nevertheless that they were not able to get started until the last ten minues of play and hen they got on their feet and made ten points but it was to late in the game to get the scalp of the Normals. The final score sood 31 to 16.

Franz was an outstanding star in the last game. He had his hand in and it was a joy to see him in action.

The locals feel highly elated though at the showing that they did make against the Normals.

The following men of the Second Battalion, 29th Infantry made the trip.

Kjerstrom, Burt Johhson, Davis, Brown, McOrr, Brady, Krueger and Lieut. Cooey who had charge of the team.

The team state that they had a fine trip and that the people of Alabama treated them royally.


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# ASSIGNMENTS OF OFFICERS TO FOREIGN SERVICE STATIONS

Officers on duty at Fort Benning who are expecting foreign service orders in the near future will be interested in the following communication received from the Washington Correspondent of the Fort Benning News. Mr. Porter was especially instructed to secure information as to the stations to which officers would be assigned in order that suitable uniforms, etc., could be secured before departure:

Washington, D. C.
The Editor, February 23, 1923
Fort Benning News.

In order to secure the information you requested I proceeded immediately to the Office of the Abjutant General, Personnel Section. The Officer in charge very courteously referred me to Mr. Tuowun, the chief clerk of the section who had just completed the list.

Upon inquiring for Mr. Tuowun, I was informed that he was enroute to New York for his annual vacation which he takes advantage of twice a year. His assistant informed me that the chief clerk had the list in his possession and intended to make a final check while enroute and return it by mail.

The method used in determining the assignments was rather unique and is given below:

In order to lose no time I called Tuowun's Apartment on the telephone but could not find out on which train he had left. I immediately secured my airplane and started to overtake him following each railroad line until I had overtaken all the trains which had left that morning.

At last I located him sitting on the observation platform of a train reading a paper which I am sure was the assignment list I was after. Unfortunately at this moment the train, for some reason entered a tunnel and my plane smashed against the mountain side.

Fortunately my great presence of mind enabled me to grasp the roots of a small bush which was growing on the mountain side and there I hung for several minutes deciding on my next move. As it was, the root gave away and it was unnecessary for me to explain further.

I rolled gracefully down the mountain side and landed with a slight shock on the top of a freight train entering the tunnel.

Making my way forward I reached the engine and upon explaining the situation to the engineer he immediately increased the speed of the train until the motormeter registered "Summer Average." Naturally it was but a very short time before the train I was following again appeared ahead of us.

I rushed to the front of the engine and, as the observation platform came nearer, I sprang, gazelle-like, across the intervening space and raced madly thru the train.

After frantic search I at last located Mr. Tuowun in the dining car figuring out how much he should tip the waiter without getting a nasty look as he went out. Sinking down breathlessly by his side I begged him to give me the information I so eagerly sought. He looked at me in great astonishment and taking me by the arm led me hurriedly to the vestibule where, after reconnoitering fo eavesdroppers, he whispered excitedly, "It will be published as soon as the Fort Bennng Road is paved."

R. E. PORTER

P. S.—The method of ascertaining the assignments to foreign service in individual cases is as follows so each officer may determine his own assignment:

(a) Each foreign service station is given a number which is in the nature of a code number.

(b) Multiply your promotion list number by your relative number and divide by your serial number.

(c) This answer, if a minus, is increased by the number of the pages of the Army register, 1922 on which your name appears.

(d) If the answer is a plus, it is reduced by the number of the page of the Army List and Directory, January 1923, on which your name appears.

(e) The result is then compared with the code of the stations and the nearest one to your answer is the station to which you would be assigned under this system.

Note: The Code numbers of the stations are confidential and cannot be published.

G. E. K.

## OVERDRAFTS OR ON THE PHAMPHLET SENT OUT BY THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

The phamphlets that are being sent out by the First National Bank are causng many comments in the Post but the Editor is in receipt of a letter from the President of the Bank and he wishes to assure the personnel of the Post that these phamphlets were not distributed with the view of causing personal embarrassment to anyone concerned.

We take pleasure in publishing the letter received:

Columbus, Ga.
February 17th, 1923

To The Editor of the Fort Benning News,
Fort Benning, Ga.
Dear Sir:

This Bank is undertaking to publish from time to time small pamphlets, for the information of its customers and others, containing explanations of the various phases of the banking business together with short disqussions of other pertinent subjects. It appears that the receipt of the last pamphlet by some of our friends on the subject of "Overdrafts" one of most troublesome features of the banking business to handle, has created an impression thoroughly different from that desired by us and apparently our motives have been misunderstood. There was nothing personal intended in sending the pamphlet to anyone and we regret that our action was so interpreted by some of those who received it. I am taking the liberty, therefore, of writing you this communication with the request that you will print it in your next edition in order to assure our patrons and friends at Fort Benning of the entirely impersonal character of the pamphlet.

Thanking you in advance for your favorable attention to this, I am,

Very cordially yours,
RHODES BROWNE
President

## COMMISSARY DELIVERIES TO COLUMBUS

Effectve March first, 1923, only two deliveries per week of Subsistance Stires will be made to the city of Columbus, and outside of Benning proper. These deliveries will be made on Wednesday and Saturday of each week. No delivery will be made of an order amounting to less that $1.00. Patrons of the Commissiary should arrange to place their order at such date as will insure deliveries on these days.

## SHORT METHOD OF FIGURING INCOME TAX FOR YEAR 1923

There need be but little trouble to figure out your income tax. in the first place it may be worked out by algebra, astronomy, trigonometry and syntax, and then your answer may be correct and it may not. If your incomes $2,400 a year, and you have a diamond ring and an automobile, and are married to a brunette girl 25 years old, you take the amount of your income and add your personal property, subtract your street tax, multiply by your wife's height and divide by your telephone number. If you have a child in the family, you subtract $200 from your income, add the amount to your personal property, multiply by your waist measure, subtract the size of your collar and your child's age, multiply by the amount you have given the church during the year, and divide by the number of your automobile license tag, If there is a second child deduct $400 from your income, add the weight and age of the child, divide by the date of your birth, multiply by the size of your hat, and subtract the weight of your mother-in-law. After you get it all figured out you won't have to pay taxes of any name or nature, for they will have you in the red house and strapped, with a card in front of your cell marked, "NUTT."

She—"Will you promise to keep me in clothes?"

He—"I will, but it is not the fashion."

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

The demonstration platoon don't have to demonstrate in the afternoon, but the boys like to go out anyway.

Place: Orderly room.

Time: 6:45 p. m.

Sgt. Comeau: Knock, knock, knock.

1st Sgt. Jones: Come in.

Sgt. Comeau: Sergeant, how about some jaw bone till pay day?

Sgt. Jones: ? & @ * $ " —- . ? TOO LATE.

Sgt. Comeau: Exit. (Hurriedly)

WANTED: One reporter. Experience not necessary. Good wages while learning paid to the right man. Apply to Sgt. Julius.

### SERVICE COMPANY TWENTY-NINTH INFANTRY

These are busy days at the corral. Sgt. O'Leary, Pvt. Smith, et al are working overtime preparing for the Regimental Field Day. They are out for the scalp of Regimental Hdqrs. Company and their slogan is "Beat Jimmy Johnston at any cost." From the looks of the transportation and animals which make up the Service Company's entries, it would not be boasting to say that the prizes for three events are assured for us. There is great rivalry between this Company and Regimental Hq. Co., but it is of a most friendly nature and is proven by the following story (rumor) current at the corrals; Regimental Hq. Co., had exhausted their supply of paint, leaving their entry—an escort wagon, with but three of the wheels painted. Sgt. O'Leary's generosity was appealed to and now Regimental Hq. C., may enter and escort wagon with all four wheels painted.

### COMPANY "A"

Common expressions of:

"I'm getting good and tired of it."

"So to speak,"

"After a fashion."

"No sir! I'm on S. D., I am."

"**$$((** @ *&*"??—war set rifle? Beats me."

"Hit a lick,, Tom."

"How's this man's credit; all right for a suit?"

"Any body wan any candy?"

All of us—"Any canteen checks?" "Gimme a pass."

"Gimme a cigarrette!" "Are we going to Anniston?"

Due to the scarcity of electricity the purchase of electric stoves and ranges by individulas for tent heating purposes is prohibited.

The allowance of electricity has run out; the coal is very low; but due to the efficiency of the Quartermaster Corps the supply of air will be sufficient for the rest of the fiscal year, at least.

### COMPANY "B"

The scenery around the Company is changing as the boys are putting forth their best efforts in, making a new fence and raking the straw off of the grass. Some seem to like it, for they say that Spring is coming and they must be prepared.

Sgt. Boston Mintz states that he is going to have his money, but I am of the opinion that it can't be done as long as there is a (Jawbone Payday.)

Sgt. Moen seems to be going to the city a great many times in the run of a week. Who can she be this time?

All of these Special Duty men have been relieved for the target season and there are a few who are enjoying themselves doing K. P. How about it Shroyer?

Information is requested as to where Cpl. Sutton got that jar of Chow-Chow which he brings into the Mess Hall every day at meal times. Also like to know what there is to his story of red which he says flows freely for him.

Pvt. Chimingo was heard to say the other day that he can earn $10.00 above expenses on the out side, Gee, fellows if that is true a normal man can earn a fortune in a very short while.

Sgt. Loeb Mintz is love sick again, and I can see where the Howard Bus line will be patronized again by the so said Sgt.

Information is requested and will be much appreciated as to where Sgt. Humphrey and his Ford spends the night as there is one that is interested in his personal welfare and would hate to see the above named man lose his heart to some one of these man Georgia Peaches, and the present symptoms seem to indicate that he is going to do the same. May ye, who are believers of Bachlorism answer in haste, so the we may save this young man.

### COMPANY "B"

Sgt. Willingham is too busy drilling recruits this week to devote his time to this column—and therefore it falls upon (————). Oh, Willie what is the matter with your lady friend in the city—you never go to see her any more?

It's a noticeable fact that whenever Scheeler goes to town, he can be found on Broad St., and always with a bag of peanuts in his hand—he may be wise to the lay of the land as far as 6th Ave., on 12th St. and also the "Snuff Chewers Ball", but as the rest, he may explain.

Sgt. Klein has been discharged therfore it leaves a vacancy for one more sergeant—and there seems to be a few corporals bucking for the job—of course Robillard has it in mind—but then he is another short timer—he would re-enlist if he was sure of the three stripes, according to his statement he intends to erect a Radio set which will be unsurpassed in this part of the country. He has been hand shaking with the Radio operator over at Message Center—but as far as buying a set you may have a few dollars when you are discharged—we will know you.

The entire company is on range yes fatigue on the range and if we don't learn anything about the rifle it won't be our fault. We sure can handle a shovel.

Now if I was out riding 6.00 A. M. on a Sunday morning, do you think I would let any one know it—I noticed some one came in at that time, all chilled through and said he had been to Cusseta—it sounds reasonable as he had his reason with him which kept im out.

Cpl. Day as a lady friend in the city who keeps celling him up on the telephone and he always insists on her coming out to camp—she would gladly accept his invitation, but it requires 25c for transportation and she is at a loss as to how she will get out. I would recommend Cpl. that you borrow March's wheel barrow and go after her.

### COMPANY "C"

Any body who wishes information regards to the Articles of War just ask ex-bugler Seonia he knows them all except the 137 and he wants to know that one.

Our friend Pvt. Coppock returned from the hills of Ala., last week he said the reason he came back was that the people quit making moon shine over there, but who would believe that? He looked pretty hungry.

What's going to happen? Cpl. Sutton was seen getting a load of wood last week, what's wrong John? must be getting pretty cold down in 43.

Corporal Peters is busy ordering clothes frim Montgomery War, wha't all this about Peat starting you a hope chest?

Our old friend Pop Keasak returned from a 60 day furlough this week, and reports a good time, but he seems very glad to be back and we are glad to have him back and hope these last two years will be his best years in the Army.

said his voice had been well cultivated well but Cpl. Carleton says one more would do it good.

Cpl. Corley claims he is a pug, but we all know better but he will make a good Duslack the 2nd.

1st Sergeant Barton had an afternoon off during the week he claims he was gardening but from the looks of the buttons he sewed on his blouse he is going to open up a tailor shop.

**QUARTERMASTER CORPS**

Showed signs of being alive about two months ago. Have not been heard from since so therefore we dedicate this to them.

**THE FOLLOWING UNITS OF THE 29TH INFANTRY HAVE PASSED OUT**

Therefore this space is dedicated to:

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### A FEW LAUGHS

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Wife—'Yes, that fade away and die and go to meet the $15.00 month month."

**24TH INFANTRY**

Certain units have passed out since our last issue and others have been very ill that they have never been able to be present:

Company "C"
Company "D"
Company "E"
Company "F"
Company "G"
Service Company.

Mistress: "But why did you leave you last place?"

Cook: "'Cos the master use to have such rows with the missus."

Mistress: "What did they quarrel about?"

Cook: "The way the meals was cooked."—Judge.

**SIGNAL CORPS**

This space dedicated to the above unit. Passed out about January 1st, 1923.

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## 29th Infantry Publicity For Organization Day

Colonel George S. Goodale gave out yesterday the revised order of procedure for the field day and horse show events of the 29th Infantry annual Organization Day ceremonies which begin next Friday morning on the parade ground east of the regimental area.

Anticipating the great interest in the plans of the regiment the Adjutant, Captain Edward C. Betts compiled the approximate time when each event was scheduled to occur, and to whom the athletes were to report, and the name of the judges.

The mounted events will not begin until 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The grading of Officer's mounts in the horse show is scheduled 3:15 o'clock and the Ladies jumping events will occur at 3:45 o'clock. Ribbons will be awarded to the winners in the ladies riding event.

Following the field and horse show events next Friday there will be a regimental dance for the enlisted personnel at the Service Club that night.

On Saturday the formal ceremonie, of Organization will take place with the annual address of the achievements of the regiment by Colonel George S. Goodale. At noon each organization will serve a special dinner and the remainder of the day will be a holiday.

On Saturday night the officers of the regiment will hold their annual banquet and dance. The entire post is invited to the dance.

## History of 7th Engineers

WAR DEPARTMENT
Washington, aJnuary 30, 1919
General Orders,
No. 20.

VI Awards, posthumous of the distinguished service cross, by direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved July 9, 1918 (Bul. 43, W. D. 1918), the distinguished service cross was awarded posthumously by the Commanding General, American Expeditionery Forces, for extra- ordinary heroism in action in Europe, to the following named officers and enlisted men of the American Expeditionery Forces:

Charles J. Moore, Captain , 7th Regiment of Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action on the Andon River, France. Capt Moore went forward under heavy artillery fire, reorganized his men, who were in scattered units, after they had laid bridges across the Andon River. After being severely wounded, he gave instructions to his subordinates for carrying on the work.

### HERE'S PAT AGAIN!

First Kindergaten Teacher—"And how many children have you?"

Second K. Teacher—"Twenty-nine, and how many have you?"

First K. Teacher—"Thirty-six."

Pat (in seat ahead)—"Say, what part of Ireland are ye from?"

**INFANTRY SCHOOL**

TheInfantry School has been very ill since the National Guard and Reserve Officers left.

Last week the doctors announced a slight improvement but things have taken a turn for the worse.

## 15th Tank Battalion News

**SECOND BATTALION TANKS**

The second Battalion had the better team last Thursday, that explains to all. The former champions have played in brilliant form all season and at the peak of that form last Thursday they proved conclusively that they have lost none of the stuff that has made them champions. Like good liquor, their team improves with age. Defeat was disappointing and heart-bearking but it was inevitable. We were lost in the shuffle when we stacked up against them and their ball. They won fairly and squarely. No alibis are given None to be expected. Our men fought all the way through and are deserving of a word of praise. If everybody won all the time where would we find the fun, the rivalry, the scrappy battles, the frenzied yet hopeless efforts of the trailers to pick up, in fact, everything that makes the game what it is. With a nothing to win, nothing to lose state of affars the camp gym, when it came to basket ball, would be a swell ice skating rink. We still have a wonderful little team. Defeat by the 2nd Battalion is no disgrace and we are far from down-hearted. We are good enough to cop the remaining games, and you can never tell, their foot might slip and we may get another battle with them. Perhaps a little Coueism would not be out of place. Try anything once with the exception of the 2nd Battalion. We'll not be satisfied nor convinced until we meet again. Let's go!

**THE SHOW**

Professor Gravin announces that the date will be early in March, and it will a red letter day in the history of the committee of the batalion if present indications count for anything. Every member of the committee is putting forth their best efforts; working overtime to make the affair one grand success. The show troupe have started rehearsals and they promise one of their best performances, which means a lot.

Sgt. Kelly as returned farmer before and after office hours. He had a large tract of land behind the married non-coms quarters assigned to him for a garden. He will furnish all officers and married men with farm produce at the same price that you pay at the Post Exchnge except that he will add on a hundred per cent. just because he knows you and likes your trade.

**SAME OLD STUFF**

Here we sit, and smoke, and think; the color of our teeth, is pink; our eyes, are sad; our cough, is bad; the darn machine—it needs a drink. Our knees are weak, our stomach worse, and pretty soon we'll need a nurse (or maybe a hearse;) and this because of lack of news, it's just enough to give one blues. Usually it comes in ones or twos but this week not a single item brews. Come on fellows, grab a pen; give your mind a chance and then write something down and tell us when we can ask you for some help again. We like the work—it's really fun; it's for the best little battalion under the sun, it seems our battle is ne'er won, we get so little help it's never begun. But Rome in a single day wasn't made; it took lots of work with a hoe and spade before even the cornerstone was laid. Write in to tell of a youth and his maid—be a worker, not a shirker, and join the crusade. Thanks.

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It was recently rumored that the grocery department would be closed. It is hoped however that this is unfounded and that the powers that be, see fit to continue.

Did you ever stop to think just what all you can buy at the Post Exchange? No. Well take a look at their ad.

**THE TREAT YOU RIGHT STORE**

The editor was down town this week and happened to see S. Z. Jordon of the Jordon Tire Co., and he was feeling fine. Well far be it from me to give a man the blues so to help things along I sold him a tire that had blown out and another one for twelve dollars. This being a good trade I returned the favor by buying two Firestone tires from him. He has just gotten the agency for these tires, well we know what the Firestone tire can do so why add to an already excellent tire. However when I tried to sell him an Empire he shied like a colored man does at a ghost and as from sad experience with these tires that is the Empire I could not blame him. However I can say that I have always found Mr. Jordan a fine man to deal with. Take a look at his ad.

**THE BIG STORE**

That day I was down town I happened to see Mr. Kirven and as he is another progressive business man that advertises in the News we can't help but feel kindly towards him.

Mr. Kirven says that he is glad that he is able to help give the enlisted men at this Post some amusement for Mr. Kirven realizes that the News is published not only for giving news to the Post but also to help athletics along.

We have always found Mr. Kirven's store a nice place to deal with and are glad to see their ad. Take a look at it.

**ONE PRICE TO ALL**

We also happened to see Mr. Pekor the Jewelry Store man and he said that he had only one price for all. Now we can say that we really believe that Mr. Pekor spoke the truth as we know from past experience that the price is always the same whether you are in uniform or civies. Then also Mr. Pekor is such a nice fellow that you can't help but like him. Did you see the ad last week? Well be sure and cut it out as it is still good.

(Continued next week. This column deals with the advertisers in the Fort Benning News. Help our advertisers by buying from them because the advertisers help us put over athletics at this Post. As no doubt the most of the people of the Post know that this Office is entirely self-supporting and receives no funds except such as we can raise by our own efforts.—Editor.)

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

The Women's Club met last Thursday evening at 2 o'clock in their club room at the Service Club and plans were completed for the Cabaret to be given at the Service Club on Thursday evening, March 8th. This Cabaret will be one of the biggest events of the Service Club so it will be of interest to each and every one to Watch The News for further particulars. All ladies of the enlisted personnel are invited to join the Women's Club which meets in the South room of the Service Club each Thursday at 2:00 P. M.

Who said Marshmellow Roast—well just ask the men that happened to be at the club last Saturday evening and see what they think about the one that was held there.

These cold evenings makes one appreciate the nice warm fireplace at the Service Club more and more and with Miss Roe's and Mrs. Stevenson's smiles one forgets that the world is so cold and cruel after all.

The weekly meeting of the Serivce Club and Dance Committee was held last Monday evening at 7 o'clock when final plans were completed for The George Washington dance to be given Wednesday evening, February 21st. Owing to Thursday being a holiday the results of this dance will not appear until next week so be on the look-out for same.

A number of the Committeemen were invted to a dance given by the Med. Dept. N. C. O.'s Club last Tuesday evening, among those present were Sergeants Sigmond Bjernstol, Collins, Bennett, Giron; Corporals, Mann, Myers and Daniels. They all said that it was one of the best dances that they had attended this year and only regreted that it is not a weekly affair instead of monthly—but it would break the club if they had to furnish Ice Cream and Lemonade for Bjornstol and Sigmond and I wish to say right here that there were a few corporals that got away with quite a bit, (who said Mann and Myers?)

The Soldiers Glee Club met last Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock and plans are being made to put on a real affair in the near future. Any man who can carry a tune (even in a bag) is invited to join. Mrs. McCallum, the efficient pianist, is taking a great interest in the Glee Club and it is thought that when the men realize how much interest is being taken in their behalf there will be a grand rush for membership in the Club.

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This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the mammoth Woodmen of the World Bazaar, Auto and Industrial Exposition will open with "101 Wonders" at the Webster Warehouse on the lower section of Broad Street, Columbus. The exposition will be held for an entire week.

There will be afternoon and night shows, with the afternoon performances at 2:30 o'clock and nights at 7:30 o'clock. Each afternoon and evening there will be four feature free acts by the Morales family, famous Mexican aerial gymnasts doing the "slides." These acts will be given in front of the building.

The old warehouse by gay decorations has been transformed into a "Night in Japan." Hundreds of dollars have been spent by the Woodmen to make this show the greatest of its kind the people of Columbus and Fort Benning have ever seen. There are many attractions and the giant dance floor will be one of the most popular spots in the entire house.

Tickets for the season are still on sale.

## Motor Transport News

Second act of Pvt. J. P. Morgan's photoplay entitled "Revengeful Night." Private Seymour Williams (the hero) was returning from town when suddenly the cold, quiet night is broken by a woman's screams, and stopping to catch the sound waves from where the scream has been heard. Just then he heard a woman say, "You little brute, you will impose on a woman but you won't fight a man." Just then Pvt. Williams flies into a rage of anger when he hears a man's voice saying, "Bring the whole 24th Infantry re-inforced by the Motor Transport, flanked on the right by the Tank Corps and on the left by the 7th Engineers, with the 29th Infantry held in reserve, and I will make the whole outfit think that they had ran into a nest of hornets re-enforced by a cart load of bumblet bees and a gang of yellow jackets for raiding squads. Just then Pvt. Williams went to where the villan Pvt. Messenburg, was distributing the peace, smashes in the door, rushing inside and yells to the woman, "Fear not, little one, Napoleon to your rescue." Just then his right eye came in contact with Pvt. Massenburg's fist, who instead of being a little brute was a young Jombo Elephant. Pvt. Williams, seeing that he had made a mistake, tries to break out faster than he broke in. Again he runs into a gang of lightning jabs to the jaw which started him to dreamland. Just then in steps the Law —Private Jackson. Just then Pvt. Massenburg lounges forth, picks up the red hot stove to throw on him, when in steps the detective, Private Morgan, who had heard the row on his radio dictaphone, rushes to the scene and commands, "Drop that stove; hands up." The villian throwing up his hands and says, "Don't shoot or I will have you arrested."

Memorandum: To Private Mack S. Davis, Subject: Recipe to grow hair on a bald spot. Mix with a tablespoon of ground glass 1 pt. of 600-W oil and at night before retiring use enough graphite to moisten the scalp, then rub in gently with the finger tips, then apply your night cap. If you haven't one see if Sergeant Wallace has an old drop-stitched stocking top, and if so, Pvt. James Washington will show you how to use it.

The latest, marriage by radio. Although there might be a little confusion in the broad-casting of the marriage ritual, that is by listening in we might hear something like this: Private Charlie McCarthy, do you take this seal skin Alabama brown to be your lawful wedded wife?

I do as long as the Chattahooche flows.

Pvt. 1cl Charles Cross has returned for duty after spending a three months leave of absence visiting family and friends in the Capital City.

The Company Commander on last Saturdays Inspection ask a certain Corporal if he had every thing required, the Corporal replyed yes sir I have everything that a soldier is required to have, Well Corporal where is your rifle?

Twinkle, Twinkle, little 25 Year Bill, now we old timers wonder if you are shining, some where in Washington we suppose, shining like the soldiersdiers Bonus Bill.

Private, Jossie Moffett tells a Columbus Miss last Sunday that she was beautiful, and her Mirrow tells he the opposite, so she believes him and bought a new mirrow.

Cook Walburg (Bill Duley) and Pvt. Matthew Miller (The Bear) are again with us after holding an Indian War dance around the Winton Six.

**To Whom it May Concern**

Many thanks W. H. B. is right and A. W. U. R. is wrong, Sweeney Automobile School, Kansas City, Mo.

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These quarters are a decided improvement over what has been constructed to date. The great advantage that these quarters have is that each apartment has its own heating plant so now it will be possible to regulate the heat in each set without getting a growl from someone else that it is too hot or too cold. What a blessing.

These buildings are a type that are supposed to be occupied by lieutenants but officers of field grade will probably occupy them, which is fair enough in that they are usually older men and also they are entitled to have first consideration.

A man comes into this world without his consent and leaves it against his will. During his stay on earth his time is spent in one continuous round of Contraries and Misunderstandings. In his infancy he is an "angel;" in his boyhood he is a "devil;" in his manhood he is everything from a lizard up; in his duties, he is a "damn fool." If he raises a family he is a chump; if he raises a check he is a "thief"—and then the law raises hell with him; if he is a poor man, he is a poor manager and has no sense; if he is rich he is dishonest, but is considered smart; if he is in politics he is a "grafter and a crook;" if he is out of politics you can't place him as he is an undesirable citizen; if he goes to church he is a "hypocrite;" if he stays away from church he is a "sinner;" if he donates for foreign missions "he does it for show;" if he doesn't he is "stingy" and a "tightwad;" when he comes into the world everybody wants to kiss him; before he goes out they want to kick him; if he dies young, there was a great future before him; if he lives to a ripe old age, he is in the way—only living to save funeral expenses.

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## History of 29th Infantry

**HISTORY OF THE 29th INFANTRY**
**Article 21**

1918 (Continued

On August 25th, Headquarters Co, Machine Gun Co. and Supply Co. and Companies I. K. L. M and Ordinance Detachment left Camp Gaillard by train, arriving at Cristobal in the middle of the forenoon. This portion of the Regiment immediately boarded the U. S. A. T. "Kilpatrick" and sailed for the United States. As we travelled during the period of war great care was taken. At night we travelled without lights. Arrived at New Orleans, La., on August 31st, and at once entrained for Camp Beauregard arriving there very early on the morning of September 1st.

On Sept. 3, the first and second Battalions of the Regiment left Cristobal on the U. S. N. T. "Hancock" for the States. Arrived at New Orleans on Sepetmber 8, and at Camp Beauregard on the 9th.

The distance traveled by water in each case was 1700 miles.

Soon they arrived at Camp Beauregard the Seventeenth Division was organized with the thirty third and thirty fourth Brigades. It became necessary to form two new regiments of Infantry, so the 83rd and the 84th Infantries were formed from the Fifth and Twenty Ninth respectively. The Seventeenth Division was known as the Thunderbolt Division.

Very large numbers of men began to arrive at Camp to bring the Regiments up to strength. The Division was under orders to hasten the preparation. The epidemic of influenza late in September, however, struck camp Beauregard very hard. There were nearly 4000 cases. About one tenth were fatal. The Twenty Ninth and the Eighty Fourth (made up almost exclusively of the men from the Twenty Ninth) lost two officers and thirty eight enlisted men.

The draft was suspended until the epidemic passed. Late in October the situation cleared. Then followed the perior of convalescence and settling down to military duties again. Before we had fully recovered the Armistic was signed.

Officers assigned to the Regiment in 1918 after our arrivel in the United States were:

Colonel Frank D. Ely.
Lt. Col. Sydney H. Hopson.
Majors Charles E. Kerr, Clifford Bluemel and Robert W. Ralston,

**NAUGHTY LIEUTENANT**

"Lieutenant Jones was known all over the A. E. F, for a passionate devotion to laying bets. He would bet a man would go 'west' an collect on the war insurance, and his bookmaking was so successful that his regiment would be richer if Jones took his operations elsewhere.

"A transfer to another regiment Was arranged and Jones, Colonel wrote a note to the Colonel warning him about Jones' habits. Accordingly the incurable bettor was met by his new commanding officer in person. He warned him that he would have no chance to ply his vocation there.

"Very Good Sir', said Jones, 'but what is the blood on your chest?'

"'Blood?' said the Colonel, 'there's no blood there,"

"But Jones insisted there was an open wound on the Colonel's chest and offered to bet his $25 that he saw right. The Colonel saw a chance to take this young man down and accepted the bet. going into the tent with him and taking off his shirt to show that there was no wound. He of course won the $25, but his satisfaction dwindled when he received a letter from Jones' original commanding officer which read:

"It's all right for you to win the $25, Colonel, but Jones, before he left bet me $100 that he would make you take off your shirt the first day he met you!"—5th Corps News.

During one of Napoleon's battles a much beloved lieutenant-colonel was seriously wounded in the head. He was immediately rushed to the hospital in the rear and placed on the operating table.

Napoleon was very much worried as to the condition of his comrade-in-arms and sent an orderly to inquire how Colonel Dumbsquirt was progressing. Upon hearing of this unexpected promotion the wounded man felt much better.

A short time later Napoleon sent again and inquired how General Dumbsquirt was getting along. Upon receipt of this promotion the wounded man bounced joyfully off the table

"Sacre Pimento!" exclaimed the medico. "Lie, down, man. Half of your brains are still on the table."

"Ca na fait rein!" gaily replied the officer, "I am a general now and I don't need them."—Lieutenant Boatner, Fort Humphrey, Va.—5th Corps News.

## I. S. D. (White) News Notes

We would like to know who called Joe Spenneli over the phone last Sunday night between six and eight o'clock. How much did Fairchild know about it, Joe? Talk up strong Joe, and she may forget about it.

Chubby has been playing Black Jack for matches all week. It looks as if he might do a little Police Duty around the camp on pay day.

At last we have found a K. P. who earns a twenty-one dollars a month. He hasn't said "there ain't no more." the whole week he has been there. Stick right with it Merry you might be a Mess-Sergeant by the time your discharged.

Bob Skyfire says ,"Ain't Columbus an AWFUL nice town," (Put emphasis on awful.) What's the matter Bob, you didn't expect to find a duplicate of the Grand Central Depot down here, did you?

Will some one get Sergeant Stewart to tell us when we are going to eat. Some of our stomachs seem to think our throats cut for the last few months. To bad Christmas [illegible]


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I know I'm going to freeze,
I close my eyes and try to sleep,
My feet beneath my chin,
My head beneath five blankets
My blood a getting thin,
Oh, Georgia, where's the heat gone
Please bring it back to me,
I'm growing tired of shivering
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Pirates being thrown headlong from towering decks; sword-fights while cannon boom, and a thrilling swing for life 130 feet across and over the deck of a rakish corsair craft—such are the thrill features of George Fitzmaurice's new Paramount picture production of "To Have and To Hold," with Betty Compson and Bert Lyetll in the featured leads, aided by Theodore Kosloff and W. J. Ferguson in strong roles.

The pirate incidents were taken in the ocean off Balboa, Calif., aboard the old South Sea trading schooner, "Willim G. Irwin," specially rebuilt for pirate purposes. A hundred tough looking pirates with swords, pistols, bandannas and all the other ear-marks of their calling, form a vivid background against which the principals play out their thrilling parts.

Mr. Fitzmaurice devoted much time to the closing scenes in the luxurious banquet room of the court of King James I of England. This sequence, with its wealth of gorgeous seventeenth century costumes, particularly those worn by Miss Compson and Mr. Kosloff, is said to provide a strongly contrasting note to the color of the pirate scenes. In this banquet scene appear "in person" such notables at William Shakespeare Ben Johnson and the Duke of Buckingham.

Ouida Bergere adapted "To Have and To Hold," from the famous romantic novel by Mary Johnston which was a best seller some years ago. The picture will be presented at the War Department Theatre, next Sunday. It should prove a strong drawing card.

### SENSATIONAL FIGHT IS SURE TO THRILL

Perchance there is no male screen player today who really relishes fight scenes in pictures more than David Butler, the popular star who brings his latest cinema offering, "Making the Grade," to the War Department Theatre, Tuesday, February 27.

David is an all-round athelete and if there are no "rough" episodes in his pictures, he is very much chagrined. Fortunately, however, the scenario writers have managed to inject ample scenes calling for physical action on the part of the young star and in "Making the Grade" David appears in several of the fastest fight scenes ever filmed.

Imagine yourself caught in a den of Bolsheviks—all ready to pounce upon you and crush the life from your body. This does not faze David Butler. No, siree! The faster they come the better he likes it. In "Making the Grade" David really did some remarkable fighting. The "Bolsheviks" were real native Russians who understood very little if any English When their interpreter yelled for "fight" they fought and fought in earnest. Naturally David Could no take time to remonstrate with them so he plunged into the fray full tilt giving the motion picture public one of the most realistic "movie fights" ever filmed.

### "CLARENCE," FINE COMEDY PACKED WITH LAUGHTER

**Wallace Reid, Agnes Ayres and May McAvoy Featured in Production.**

A wholesome comedy of family life in America! A picture story that conveys a fine message without being a preachment! That is William de Mille's Paramount production of "Clarence," featuring Wallace Raid, Agnes Ayers and May McAvoy, three screen stars of unquestioned popularity. Manager Parks announces that "Clarence" will be the bill at the War Department theatre next Monday, and he asserts it is one of the most enjoyable pictures booked by him this season.

"Clarence" is the humorous story of an ex-soldier who drove mules without swearing and who became a good angle in the family of a millionaire whose happiness is being dashed upon the rocks because of their lack of harmony and constant bickering. Clarence found the task of reconciling this family nearly as difficult as driving mules without cussing, but he accomplishes the task with the aid of his saxophone, his genial temperament and general tact, so that happiness is the lost of all concerned.

"Clarence" is packed with laughs from beginning to end. In the title role Mr. Reid scores a conspicuous success while Agnes Ayres and May McAvoy have parts suited to their personalities. There is a supporting cast of rare excellence, and the screen version of Booth Tarkington's famous play is said to rank as one of the most enjoyable pictures of the year. Kathlyn Williams, Adolph Menjou, Edward Martindel, Bertie Johns, Robert Agnew, Dorothy Gordon and Maym Kelso are in the supporting cast.

### PLENTY OF PUNCH IN "STEP ON IT"

**New Gibson Film Lively**

Mystery, romance, typically western action and the punch of a plot from the pen of Courtney Ryley Cooper are promised in the Universal special attraction, "Step on It," in which Hoot Gibson will be seen in a starring performance at the War Department theatre, next Wednesday

Jack Conway directed the filming of the Cooper story, which was adapted by Arthur Statter, now editor of the short reel and serial scenario department at Universal City.

Barbara Bedford, a charming and capable actress, will be seen in the feminine leading role opposite Gibson. Others in support are Joseph Girard, Vic Potel, L. C. Shumway, Edith Yorke, Frank Lanning and Gloria Davenport.

The story is laid in "The Land of the Lost," a section of unmapped, barren territory in the state of Colorado, a paradise for horse and cattle thieves. In this locale action of a mystery nature takes place.

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**To the Officers and Men of the 29th Infantry who Have for So Long at Fort Benning Exemplified Every Manner of Soldierly Appearance, Conduct and Efficiency, This Issue Is Cordially Dedicated**

## Annual Address

—of—

**COL. GEORGE S. GOODALE, 29th Infantry.**

Speaking to the assembled troops at 9:30 this morning, Col. Goodale, in the presence of the Commandant and his staff made a most inspiring address which was most appreciatively received. The entire post is as proud as Col. Goodale of the 29th Infantry and his speech this morning which pledged its continued efforts for the advancement of the Infantry School was heartily applauded. Col. Goodale spoke, in part as follows:

General Gordon, Col. Fassett, Officers, and Soldiers:

Twenty two years ago The Twenty Ninth U. S. Infantry was organized, and pursuant to War Department policies, March 3rd was designated by Regimental General Orders No. 1, 1921, as Regimental Organization Day. Annually we assemble to do honor to ourselves by celebrating the birth of our Regiment and also its worthy past.

None of us here today were "present and participating" at Fort Sheridan, Ill., on that—for us—memorable March 3rd, 1901. It is well, lest we forget, that I sketch for you, on this occasion, briefly, the history of the Regiment, events during the past year and our hopes and ambitions for the new year.

During 1901 and 1902 the Regiment was stationed at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and Columbus Barracks, Ohio. From these stations in 1902 the Regiment departed for the Phillippines and was stationed on the Islands of Cebu, Panay, and Negros. On returning to the States in 1904 Whipple Barracks, Arizona, Forts Douglas and Duchene, Utah, were occupied.

In 1907, the Regiment again sailed from San Francisco for service in the Philippines, where it was stationed at the, then, new post, Fort William McKinley, Rizal Province, which is just out of Manila. Returning from the Islands in 1909 stations were taken up at Forts Jay, Porter, and Niagara, N. Y., from whence the Regiment departed in 1915 for duty in Panama with stations at Camp Gaillard, Culebra, Canal Zone, where, after the outbreak of the World War it guarded the Canal until August 25, 1918, when the departure of the Regiment for the States was begun. Arriving at Camp Beauregard, La., it was Brigaded with the 34th Infantry Brigade of the 17th Division.

The early termination of the War resulted in the demobilization of the 17th Division from which the Regiment was detached on February 4, 1919, for transfer to Camp Shelby, Miss., where it arrived March 8, 1919. At Camp Shelby it operated the demobilization center for the separation from the service of all drafted soldiers living within about 400 miles of that station, and all colored S. O. S. troops of the A. E. F.

On March 23, 1919, the 1st Battalion arrived at this station, where the remainder of the Regiment joined it on October 16, 1919.

So much for the history of the Regiment as made by those who proceded the most of us in its service.

Those of you here today, have by your service helped or hindered (I leave you to judge) during the past year, in making the splendid records to which I refer, with pride.

Commencing in March, units began

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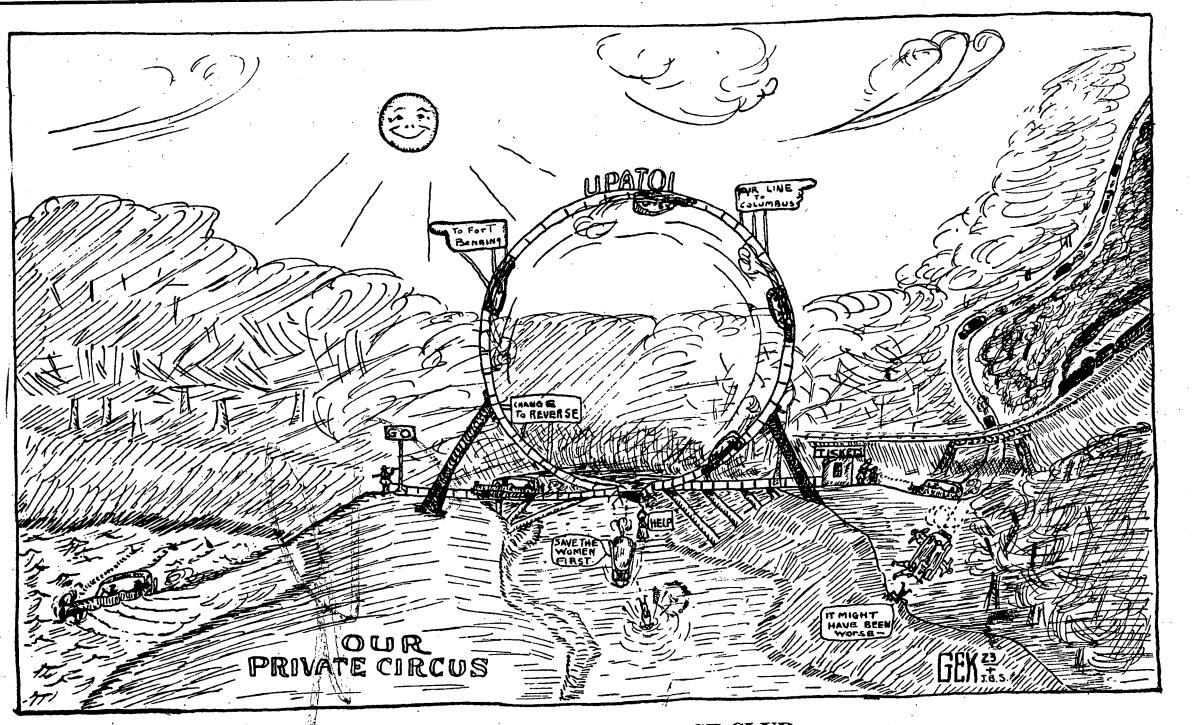


**THE FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB**

## POLO TOURNAMENT BEGINS SUNDAY

The polo tournament for the championship of Fort Benning, starts on next Sunday and will run through every Sunday in March.

It is the intention that the All-Star Benning team will be selected following the tournament to accept an invitation to attend the tournament held yearly at Pinehurst, N. C. To do this, however, it is necessary to charge admission to the game to be held during the tournament. The east, south and west side of the field at the post has been reserved for members of the officer's club and enlisted men in uniform. The north side of the field has been staked off and parking space will be sold for $1 a game or $2.50 for the season.

Members of the officers club who desire parking space on the north side of the field may obtain reservations at the club.

The Yellows and Eighty-third field artillery "reds" are matched as per the drawings for the first encounter of the tourney, which is to be staged this coming Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The 29th infantry and the Blues will clash the following Sunday afternoon at the same hour.

The lineups for the next Sunday contest follow:

Yellow—Lieutenant Burnett, No. 1; Captain Eggers, No. 2; Major Waite, No. 3; Major Martin (captain) Back.

Artillery—Major Yeager and Lieutenant Gannon. No. 1; Lieutenant Biederlinden, No. 2; Lieutenant Bradbury, No. 3; Lieutenant McCarthy, back.

## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosethal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

**Lenten Services.**

Special Lenten services will be held at the Post Protestant Chapel, by Chaplain Wood, every Wednesday morning at 10:30. All other services at the Chapel will be in keeping with the Lenten season.

At the Catholic Chapel the special Lenten services conducted by Chaplain Lennan will consist of Stations of the Cross followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, every Friday night at 7 o'clock. On Sunday nights at 7 there will be the Rosary, Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. At the Sunday night services the series of Lenten sermons will be preached by the Rev. Father Moylan, of Columbus.

## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning March 4th and Ending March 10th, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three Theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre.....6:00 P M.
29th Infantry Theatre.....6:45 P M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P.M.

**March 4th, 1923.**

"Gentleman from America" 5 reel feature (Special Gibson). "The Test" 2 reel comedy (Star Laurel-comedy). "Ne'er to Return Road" 2 reel comedy, (Selig-Roak drama.)

**March 5th, 1923.**

"Silver Wings" 9 reel feature (Mary Carr Special.) "Fox News" 1 reel.

**March 6th, 1923.**

"Daughter of Luxury" 5 reel feature (Agnes Ayers). "The Reporter" 2 reel comedy (Lupine Lane).

**March 7th, 1923.**

"The Kick Back" 6 reel feature (Harry Carey). "Oh Promise Me" 2 reel comedy (Christie comedy.)

**March 8th, 1923.**

"Red Hot Romance" 6 reel feature (Emerson-Loos production). Fox News 1 reel. "Turkey Dressing" 1 reel comedy (Gaiety comedy).

**March 9th, 1923.**

"Camille" 7 reel feature (Valentino & Nazimova). "Roach Comedy" 1 reel. "Pathe Review" 1 reel.

**March 10th, 1923.**

"Back Home and Broke" 7 reel feature (Thomas Meighan). "Fighting Blood" 2 reel comedy (Witwer Series).

## Annual Address of Col. George S. Goodale

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firing on the range; and, we may well point with pride to the record established last year in Rifle Markmanship, with a general average of over 94 per cent. for the Regiment, and 100 per cent. qualifications in Company "E."

Demonstrations, which are witnessed by officers from the Infantry at large, have been of a high order and merit the reputation enjoyed by the Regiment throughout the army, as a Model Infantry Regiment.

All experiments with Infantry equipment and tests of Training and Infantry Drill Regulations are made here and the successes of any such experiments and tests are aided by the cooperation of the personnel of this command.

Repeated commendations are received from the School Staff and visiting officers, as to the splendid character of work done by this or that organization in the Regiment.

There is no stimilus to man as an individual, nor men as an organization, more impelling and invincible than a consciousness of a task well done, and that task the duty at hand. Do the job before you, the best you know how, and the future will take care of itself. It is this spirit of self conscious power, and cooperative effort which made it possible, during the past year, for the 1st Battalion to put on better demonstrations than could be witnessed anywhere else in America; for the 2nd Battalion to make the Fourth Corps Area Training Center at Camp McClellan in 1922 the best in the United States; and for the Special Units, Regimental Headquarters Co., Service Co., and Howitzer Co., to merge parts of themselves into the Battalions to which assigned and through splendid loyal work add to the successes of those Battalions, not to mention the well deserved commendations elicited by those units when demonstrating separately.

We, of the 29th Infantry, pledge to the Commandant our best efforts in the year to come and trust that by our loyalty and cooperation we may render less burdensome and more pleasant his duties and insure for the Infantry School greater and more successful results than in any preceding year.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
E. O. SMITH, W. M.
E. P. COULTER, Sec'y.

**Darley Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons**
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E. P. COULTER, Sec'y.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

**I have bought the accounts of Marks Ready-to-Wear and Millinery, sold by U. S. District Court. Notice is hereby given that all money due this firm on open account is now due to me personally. As it is necessary that all accounts be collected at once I will call in person or forward accounts by mail and all payments should be made payable to me, in person or at 1203 1-2 Broad St., Columbus, Ga.**

**D. E. MARKS.**

## Motor Transport Notes

Stop, Stop! Listen is that thunder, just then a flash of light, two figures seemingly going towards block 23 then another flash, and behold it was Sergeant Ross and Private Blackshear doing the midnight glide and trying to find their way back to the dispatcher's office.

Staff Sgt. George Williams: "Did you ever feel sleepy late at night? Do you play cards? Did you ever feel hungry after going without food for three days? Did you see strange lights before your eyes when you run into that 5th Ave. stokes motor?

Attention to all gas burners, Stop, look and listen a fast driver with the right of way, and another fast driver who was sure nobody would be using the main thoroughfare.

Private William Dunn (spare parts) "Why it is that you haven't been to the Bama in the past few days?"

"Well, I'll tell you Spike, its like this, the last time that I started to cross the 9th street bridge was at midnight Friday, Feb. 13th, and this being a rather dark night something appeared at a distance of about 20 yards from me that look rather spookey so you know there was no use of me going any further so, this is the reason that I haven't been to the Bama since.

Now we want to know who has the best go with a Miss (X) Private green Smith (Bama Kid) says that he had the best go, just then Private Homer P. Lott (The speed cop) hands Private Smith a note from this Miss (X) the contents read like this Green Smith my dear you have been here but are gone, so it appears that Private Dave Hawkins has the best go.

**The field of Sports—**

As the baseball season is fast approaching, remember last year we were the old cows tail, so now is the time for action and with the local talent of last year we can do much towards helping the situation.

## Artillery Notes

"B" Battery is getting along fine except for Joe Brown's cow boys, who handle cattle so late at night that they can't meet the 1st Sgt. at Reveille.

The boys yell "Sweet Music" when they learn that the old reliable Mess Sergeant is going to reenlist, and if he feeds in the future as he has in the past year, "B" Battery will eat in pleasure three years longer.

We are looking Pvt. Alimondo this week, the boy who takes two years and two months to make a year. Take advice Runt and don't try to retire at that rate, for you will never make it.

Cpl. Morey who has spent two months up in the snow has returned, he reports a fine time. Well Pat we are glad to have you with us again, that means more targets to the credit of Battery "B."

The boys want to know why the Supply Sergeant doesn't growl any more when they ask him for candles, I have solved the puzzle, he visits Columbus four times a week. Who is she Sergeant?

Cpl. Crowson tells us that the new comer, Pvt. Isbell, is one of his old school Pals. Well Bill we hope he doesn't follow your records.

## Medical Dept. Notes

First Lieutenant Maude Bowman, Army Nurse Corps, left the 1st of March on a fifteen day leave of absence to be spent in Florida

Second Lieutenant Rose Charvat, Army Nurse Corps, left the 1st of March on a fifteen day leave of absence to be spent in Florida.

Sergeant M. M. Bedenbaugh arrived back for duty Thursday morning, from a nine day furloguh. Sergeant Bedenbaugh is enjoying congratulations on his recent marriage to Miss Carrie Watkins of Hawkinsville, Georgia. Sergeant and Mrs. Bedenbaugh are to reside in Columbubs.

Sergeant V. E. Thompson received notice a few days ago that there was a package at the American Express Office for him. We understand that it is something that he left in Washington on his trip there with patients. The express charges are something over a dollar and we imagine he will remember next time to bring things back with him.

## Inf. School Detachment Notes (White)

Just as the Detachment was getting chesty over its aristocracy, our only nobleman, Count von Steinrucken has been reported among the missing. It is rumored that he has gone South.

The ball team has been turning out with more or less regularity. The rainy weather has interfered some but with more sunshine all hands should be on the lot getting ready for another pennant winning season. It's up to the team to work as a team and with cooperation and team work the story of last year will be repeated.

Private Skirboll, our first recruit in some time, has joined the detachment.

The M. P. Company having been disbanded, all the members of that outfit have been transferred to the I. S. D. They will stay on their present duties and until quarters are available will remain in their present location. Lieut. Ziegler has been attached and will have charge of the Military Police Platoon.

The Checker Club of the Second Section, Department of Military Art, met at the Service Club on Sunday Evening, February 25th. The question of forming a Dramatic and Glee Club was put before the Club by its President, Sergeant Max Wolf. This was met with great enthusiasm by the checker club and plans were made to stage several plays in camp in the near future. The Club was very fortunate in securing as director, the Master of the Stage, (Sgt. McCloskey), well known for his wonderful work in the Elks and P. K. O. S. Minstrels. Sgt. McClosey will direct the plays and the camp will enjoy them with such wonderful talent as Sgts. Pander. Valentine, Fitzgerald, Lestcher, Duff, White, Darcy, Tinsley, Jansen, Pregowski, Ellis, Rawlings, Shepard, Walker, Magoni, Strickland, Seybold, Wolf, Courtright, Ward, Kreilick, Heckert, Johnson, (Chester Gray, Dolly), Duncanson and Hoffman. Sergeant Albert Cream, tho not a member of the Club has volunteered his services and will act as Andy Gump in one of the many plays that the Club will put on this season.

## RECENT ARRIVALS ON THE POST.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Pvt. JAMES A. McCLURD,**
**Co. A. 29th Infantry.**

**Company "A" is filled with sorrow at the loss of Pvt. James A. McClurd of this organization, who died of disease at the Station Hospital at 10:55 P. M. February 25, 1923, after a very short illness.**

**Pvt. Fields K. McKinish, who is from the home town of Pvt. McClurd will accompany the remains to his home. The entire company extend their heart-felt sympathies to the bereaved family of Pvt. McClurd.**

**The funeral of Private McClurd was held at the Post Protestant Chapel on Thursday afternoon. Chaplain Wood officiated and the entire company attended. Full military honors were rendered the deceased.**

### Company "D"

A story of idealism was unfolded this week when it became known that former Private Lloyd R. Kinsey of this organization had finally reached his home in Iowa following his recent discharge.

On the evening of his separation from the service, Kinsey with hsi travel pay and other funds, started for Columbus. He was a simple trusting soul who felt the call of the soil and his one desire was to meander back to the old homestead. And he was wary of scheming females, jezebels and vampires. So he waited for his train for his natal hearth mumbling the lithany of Dr. Coue that he was getting better and better everyday when suddenly a vision of gaudiness and paint swaggered before him.

"What ho," thought Kinsey.

It is not on record what the lady thought except as deduced from her opening remark.

"Say Kid, where to, and what now?"

"Lady," humbly from Kinsey, "I am a discharged soldier going to my home. I am going back to the farm with my savings."

"Oh, daddywinks," cooed the lady, "oh, goody, goody, let me get right tonight."

"I do not understand your merriment," soberly from Kinsey.

"I am merry old dear," replied the painted witch, "because it is a heavenly night to love. Won't you come and kiss me, huh!"

"Woman," said Kinsey, "I cannot, I cannot, I have never kissed a girl in my life. Oh, I must not, I must not."

### Company "E"

A friend of ours who is periodically overcome with great thought no wonders how those ancient Egyptians got along without Suspenders? Stop worrying about that Dadowick, they used ropes those days.

There is one advantage in the long skirts, Baby can now hang onto mother.

Kissing is dangerous and demoralizing says the U. S. Commissioner. That depends on the girl that you have, Eh, Russo.

Pvt. Kinney sure is getting popular these days for he received 41 letters in two days. You sure aught to get a good home out of all those candidates.

Intelligence is declining says Prof. Holstrom of Co. "E" He is supposed to have formed his opinion after a study of the prevailing Prohibition laws.

Hi. Waiter! The head waiter in the fashionable restaurant approached the loud party. Yes sir? Just bring us the best you have on the menu and make it snappy. We are in a hurry, see? Very good sir. The waiter was moving away when another of the party called out, and say waiter just hand us out a few bottles of Cherry-Cola with the food. Stand by and bring out the estables, we have a date over the river. This is Sgts. Mowery and Comeau talking, get that.

"Exactly, sir," replied the waiter. "I'll just warn the other guests."

Who was the criminal that gave Pvt. Evans the chewing-gum. He nearly killed himself when he came in last night.

### Company "F"

Day by day in every way our Recreation Room is getting better and better, New ceiling put in lately.

Every afternoon the following remarks may be heard in the Recreation Room; Corp, Sikes: "What are the coordinates?"

Corp. Marcattili: "Did the Lieut. say a contour?"

Sgt. Cooper: "I would arrange my troops accordingly."

Corp. Madura: "Believe me this is deep stuff."

When the non-coms finish with the course in map reading, what they won't know about reading maps, won't be worth knowing.

Dana the tailor is doing a "Russian" business with the men of F. Co. making "Melton" uniforms, everyone a perfect 36.

Bugular Chesser is the "shortest" timer in the Co. he has a little over a week to do it in, don't give a, d— if he ever gets it in, for he is going to re-up once more aren't you Floyd?

Milliron was mistaken for one of the ridge runners recently, he did not know what the reason was. Someone tip him off maybe that saucer shaped hat of his had something to do with it.

Corp. Marcattili: "He say I think I squeeze you, he choke, Judge, vera much."

Sgt. Stephenson's latest remark: "What go North in this weather, not me I'm for the Sunny South, But tell me one thing, where has the sun been the last few morninfis? Very pleasant hitting the deck in the A. M.

Private First-Class Perry would like a litle advice on a very serious matter which is worrying him somewhat; Whether to re-up, or face the cruel world, I would suggest that you take on once more Francis, you know the majority of families have bull dogs in their back yards, so your chances would be very slender.

Graham is afraid he won't get enough to eat by sitting on the same table with Corp. Warner, I suppose that is the reason he (Graham) makes a grand dive for the chow before he gets his seat, which your step or you may grab the floor by mistake.

### Company "H"

This company had the pleasure of putting on two demonstrations for General Winans last Tuesday. The three ring circus. Direct and indirect fire problems were the demonstration put on. They were credibly executed.

Two more received their warrants last week. They are Corpls. Brugeman and Biggerstaff. We hope there will be more men who will reach the goal.

This company is soon going on the range. The men now in the company are taking a refreshers course at the school, under Lt. McCoy, so as to be ready for any new men that come in. The Company Commander expects to qualify every one in the company sharpshooter or better.

The Gimme and Have You Got Club is holding a rception tonight. All members in good standing are asked to attend.

There is a man in the company who is very happy nowadays. He's always singing, "Ain't she beautiful, who is she?"

### Hdqrs. Co. 2nd Bn.

These notes are submitted in compliance with existing regulations as published in written orders Post and Regimental, verbal orders Bn. C. O. and 1st Sergeant (weekly, the last), as amended by existing circumstances governing the actual existence of news, as controlled by mood and current state of the unreliable mind of the writer, as controlled by the eccentricities of our partially domesticated Remington, the beast of burden.

It might be mentioned as news, that we are preparing for the field meet, March 2nd, and our likely entries are working hard.

Yes, the world continues on its course—while Pvt. Joliff sleeps. Unlucky for the world if it were otherwise, for Joliff has a sticktoit habit.

It looks like Corporal Boyd is about to leave us. Nothing official to announce but he may be detailed on recruiting duty. Sure of one thing, he's a pretty good cobbler, even tho we might be inclined to doubt his possibilities as a recruiter.

Rumors are still keeping us guessing as to the trip Anniston this year. De we or do we not

But Private Krueger has gone ahead of time, with the 2nd Bn. Basketball Team, incidentally we hope to be able to say he was a press agent, and again supposing that he can be represented as such, we fervently hope that the dir troads between here and Camp McClellan are obliterated by May and that the railroads enjoy a better fate.

If Ex-Corporal Merry sees this, we want to let him know that if he's coming, to shake it up. Haven't heard anything about the transfer since we indorsed the application from this office, and if you have the info. spill it. Return and all will be forgiven, lovingly—M. W.


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## RIGHT HERE AND NOW.

"If happiness be not within and centered in the breast,

You may be good and wise and great, yet never can be blest."

It is a familiar saying in the army that there are two good posts—the one you left and the one to which you are going. Say it as often as you please, but believe it not! Rather realize that never again, this side of Jordan, will you be so young and so capable of the enjoyment of every passing minute as you are right here and now. So long as troops are stationed only in this world no army post will have the parade ground paved with gold or otherwise resemble the celestial abode any more closely than the rest of this mundane sphere does which isn't very much, we'll admit. It is mental suicide to wish one's life away in sighing for some future abode of O. D. bliss. There is no better place than the one which has fallen to your lot-and this applies to all stations beneath the sun.

"A contented spirit is a continual feast." It is more-character and reputation are the most precious posessions of military men and contentment is the foundation of both. No officer ever obtained an above average rating who had a below average liking for his work or the surroundings of his work.

We despise that boorish attitude which would say to the discontented, "If you didn't like it here, why don't you leave? If the army seems irksome, your resignation might be accepted," etc. thru all the varying phrases of malevolence. What we mean to say and what we do say is, 'If you don't like your station, the trouble is only with yourself. Get accustomed to thinking pleasanter thoughts and you soon will begin saying pleasanter things. You will be more contented than you ever were before and therefore you will know more popularity than you otherwise would ever enjoy. Just thank Heaven that your happiness does not depend on the location, equipment or regulations of any army post, to be enjoyed some other where at some other time, but is here, right here and now—"centered in the breast."

## OUR ADVERTISERS.

In many lamentable respects, we realize that this sheet is less than a newspaper. In one fine regard, however it is much more. It is a visible manifestation of the sincere friendship which the business men of Columbus, Georgia, bear toward the personnel of Fort Benning. It is no sacrilege to say that, in ordinary secular matters, greater love hath no man than that he will spend his money for a friend. That is exactly what our advertisers are doing and that is the only means by which this paper could ever be published, "Without expense to the United States Government." Let us give credit (as well as get credit) where credit is due."

## YOU LOSE IF YOU MISS THIS ONE.

Napoleon was crossing the desert. Evermore fiercely blazed the Egyptian sun and his soldiers were fainting from heat. For days they had had nothing at all to drink and had eaten nothing but mules' tongues which became fried the minute the mules would let them hang out of their months. Anxiously Napoleon scanned the map and then with a cry of joy rushed the bugler out to blow officers' call.

"What is it, Sire," asked Marshall Ney, ever the first to arrive.

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"What comfort is that to my soldiers," said the bravest of the brave, 'they can't drink the road!"

"Numbskull' came the reply, 'some officers just drove to town and now springs are scattered all over it!"

## HOW SLEEP THE BRAVE!

The truth is that we are all as lazy as we are to be but that some have more courage than others.

## OUR IDEA OF NOTHING.

To Wear—A stock collar, as issued.
To Feel—The trigger squeeze on a bayonet.
To See—Moving pictures by daylight
To Worry About—The ventilation of a pup tent.
To Do—An assistant Morale Officer
To Eat—Canned Salmon.
To Notice—The cream on the P. X. Milk.
To Lose—The springs off a Ford
To Hear—A sardine saying its prayers.
To Sell—A set of old piston rings
To Tell—I made marksman.
To Buy—Electricity.
To Save—Last Year's auto license.
To Joke About—That guano factory.
To Hope For—The 29th Infantry.
To Write—This kind of stuff.
To Read—The Fort Benning News.

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## A VOICE FROM THE 29th INF.

Says that pneumonia and the road to town are pretty hard to get over. It also whispers the following,

"More Truth Than Poetry"

When we're living in nice brick quarters and we drill but four hours a day,
And we ride in to town on an asphalt road. I'll be retired, old and gray!

An inquisitive urchin said why:
Can't I look in my ear with my eye?
I know I can do it,
If I put myyself to it
And you never can tell till you try!

## WELL, YOU KNOW HOW THEY ARE.

The inspector had spent all morning going over the company fund. When the last voucher was handed him he gave it but one look, frowned, stamped his feet and tore out of the orderly room in a rage.

"What's the matter with it," yelled the anxious Captain.

"Nothing, darn it!" returned the inspector as he continued on his mournful way.


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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

**Chapter III.**

On justice and righteousness, how to get tried, courts and other wonders.

1. Know then, my comrades, that I, Pvt. Solomon, was once a recruit and sinned grievously, yea, all manner of misdoing was mine and afflictions multiplied upon me.

2. Knowest thou of any who unto this day rolleth a joint of stovepipe in his pack that it might be a burden of less weight?

3. Pause not till he be warned that the eyes of a captain are sharp and suspicious altogether and at an unexpected field inspection each hidden thing is brought to light and the ways of wickedness are clearly revealed.

4. Woe to him then in that day when the inspection cometh!

5. He shall be even as I who was tried in my youth and under the 96 Article of War.

6. I was cast into prison and my comrades divided among themselves my raiment which was left in the barracks.

7. And the supply sergeant made all manner of entries on my 637 which I wot not of till much later when the time for my payment was come.

8. At that date it was discovered that the payroll required not my superscription and I was much cast down.

9. Yet not even then did I complain in my heart for the 96th Article of War is just and righteous altogether.

10. At my trial was great compassion showed me and many mercies. and an officer of two week's service was assigned to defend me.

11. Then my soul cried out within me, saying, "Would that my innocence were as great as his and that my heart were as free from knowledge of this sinful world!"

12. Then was I plied with questions by the court and constrained to answer many that were better left unanswered but help I had none.

13. Once indeed did I ope my mouth to speak and render less blameable my offence but my counsel forbad me, saying.

14. Hush, thou fool, for each moment after 4 P. M. that thou requirest the court to listen thou shalt serve an extra month beside that time which thou shalt get anyway!

15. And it was decreed that I would abide for a certain time in that inn of iniquity known of old as Hotel De Teachout.

16. There I bethought me of all the anxiety and woe my offense had brought upon me and I said in my heart.

17. "Verily, he who seeketh to beat the game in the army of Samuel is as one who drinketh that which is brewed in the mountain places by moonlight-his joy is excessive but, alas, endureth not long!"

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### NATIONAL ANTHEM OF SOMALILAND

(Where the fying fish are singing.)
O, Somaliland, where the palm trees stand
And cast their shade around;
O, in that shade, with a jungle maid,
I'm happy to be found.
Where the joyous native people and the gay orangoutangs
All join hands in one sweet band
And keep time with the tom-tom man
Where the flying fish are singing
As they float by on the breeze
And the rubber bands are playing
'Neath the rubber trees!
How I do love that sunny
Land of cocoanut milk and honey—
*Dear old* Somaliland!

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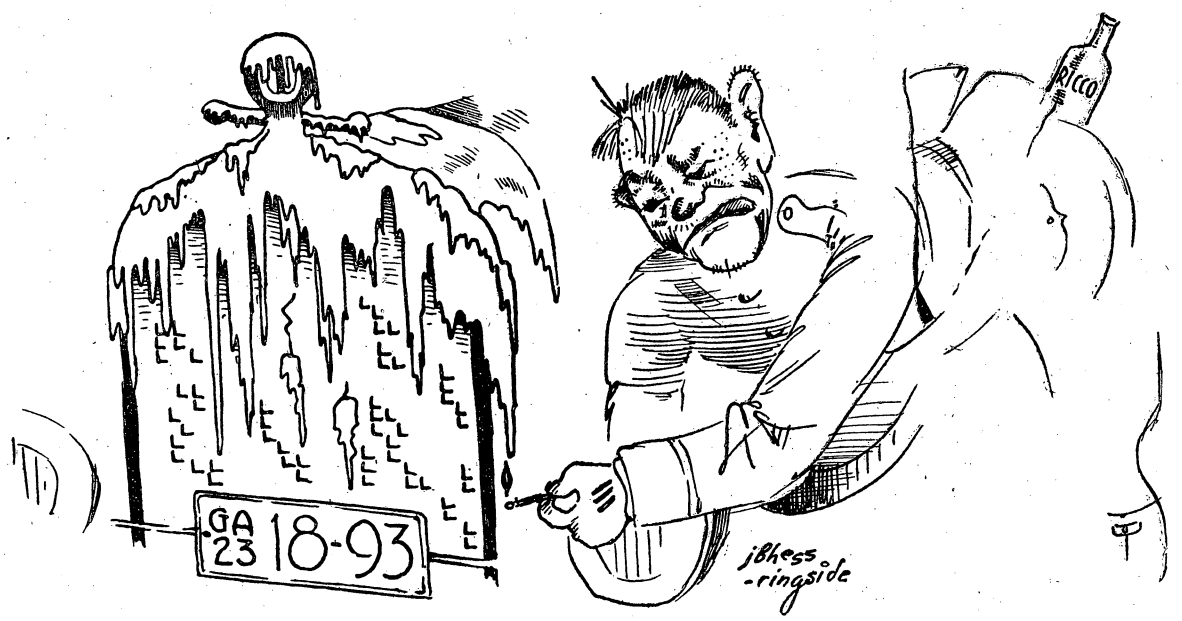
## LAST WEEK




**I remember, I remember.**

### THIS COULDN'T BE BETTER IF WE'D WRITTEN IT OURSELVES

**My Old Ford.**

Or my old Ford everybody makes fun,
They say it was born in nineteen one
Maybe it was but this I'll bet,
She's good for many a long mile yet,
The windshield's gone—and the radiator leaks,
The fan belt slips and the horsepower squeaks.
She shakes the screws and the nuts all loose.
But I get 40 miles on a gallon of juice.
When I can't get gas I burn kerosene
And I've driven home on Paris green.
She has a rattle in front and a grind in the rear,
And a Chineses puzzle for a steering gear,
Her coils are dead and her plugs won't fire,
And her piston rings are baling wire,
But in spite of this she pulls me thru,
And that's about all my car can do
With high-priced cars they give you tools,
Some extra parts and a book of rules,
Some wire stretchers and a pair of shears.
Are all I have carried in 15 years.
And if I live to see the day
She falls to pieces like the one horse shay,
If old Hank Ford stays in the game.
I'll buy another by the same durn name.—Pathfinder.

### FORGIVE US, MR. KIPLING!

(This isn't the road to Mandalay, we're talking about, anyway.)
Past that spicy Guano Warehouse,
Heading eastward to the Fort,
Is a Howard motor chuggin'
And I know its got a "short."
See the bloomin' thing a 'stoppin'
Passengers all hold their nose
And the chaffeur dons his gas mask.
While the fragrance round him bolws
Refrain.
O, then aint no Eastern smells
From that Guano plant that swells
Blowing stronger every minute—
It aint myrrh nor asphodels!
It aint frankincense or nard,
But it's kinda like old lard,
That is seasoned with good garlic
And the bloomin' stuff dies hard!
Yes, it lingers on their clothes,
And it dynamites their nose,
The tears start to their eyelids
While they hope the bus soon goes—
O, why does it always stop
In that overwhelming spot
Till all are saturated.
With, "The reason cotton grows?"

## More Fol de Rol Lol!

**There once was a private, named Cobb**
**Whose feet were a far-reaching job.**
**When he came to a door**
**He turned hindside before.**
**And,backed up to get hold of the knob!**

There once was a Private, First-Class
Who went to his home town on pass,
His best girl loudly cried
When his chevron she spied,
Thank God, you're a Sergeant at last!

An admirer of K-K-K-Kate
Was granted a d-d-d-date,
He waited all night
And by dawn's early light
Said, "I guess she's l-l-l-late!

A very stout lady named Helen
Once purchased a large watermelon
In the crook of her arm,
To protect it from harm,
It looked like an olive, I'm tellin'.

One of Howard's chaffeurs named Sweet
Always would stand up to eat.
When his folks asked him why
He said, with a sigh,
I have corns but they're not on my feet

A bootlegger making some "rye"
With raisins the bottle filled high.
Later on in the week,
While just "taking a peek"
The stopper blew up in his eye!

A sergeant while drilling recruits,
Tore out all his hair by the roots,
He yelled "Squad Right" and "Left!"
Till of reason bereft.
By such awkward and clumsy galoots!

Once a Mess Sergeant had a good hunch
(There was nothing to serve up for lunch)
So he cleaned up the floor—
Scraped the paint off the door—
And thus made slum enough for the bunch!

There once was a company clerk,
Who all of his studies would shirk.
When a letter came in
He would say with a grin
"It's too bad the tpyewriter won't work."

Tho here in Fort Benning we're able
To have movies in a cow stable
Its so cold, goodness knows.
We can't run burlesque shows
For me might chill the calves, get me Mabel?

**The surgeon on gazed up with a thick look,**
**And said to his clerk, Pvt. McGook,**
**"I'll be hanged and be switched**
**If that bird with the itch**
**Hasn't scratched himself off of the sick book!"**

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### GIVES LAWN PARTY.

(Special to the Fort Benning News)

Omar Khayyam, the well known manufacturer of pup tents who maintains extensive factories both at Naishapur and Babylon was the host of the Tank Battalion at a delightful lawn party given last Thursday evening in the grove adjoining the glue factory of Ahstoo Upolbhones. Loaves of tempting bread and jugs of refreshing wine were distributed among the guests and a feature of the evening was the reading from a book of verse, written by the host himself, which has been highly commended by the literary critics of Atlanta and LaGrange. M'amselle Shireen, star of the Babylonian Opera Comique, sang in most exquisite manner an original lyric in praise of Tanks and Tanking which was heartily applauded by all officers present.

### HUNT BREAKFAST.

On Thursday morning, there was a Paper Chase, the hunters leaving the Polo club at eight o'clock and returning for a hunt breakfast.

Major Sumner Waite came in first among the men, and Miss Ruth Schoffel among the ladies. There were a few spills but no serious hurts.

About one hundred guests were present at the breakfast which was served on the inside of the club and on the porches.

### MAJOR F. W. BRABSON HOST AT DINNER.

Major F. W. Brabson was the cordial host at one of the prettiest dinner parties given recently.

The affair took place last Friday evening at the Officer' club mess, preceding the hop.

The George Washington motif was carried out in the handsome decorations of the table. Red and white snapdragons filled low bowls, and were interspersed with candles shaded with George Washington shades. The place cards were little hatchets.

The invited guests were: General and Mrs. Gordon, General W. M. Fassett, Miss Fassett, Colonel and Mrs. Peyton, Major and Mrs. J. W. Rumbough, Major Maxwell Murray (office chief of field artillery, Washington), Major W. H. Jones, of Brackenburk, Ky., Major Arthur Underwood, Mrs. Underwood, Miss Underwood, Colonel and Mrs. George S. Goodale, Major and Mrs. Herdenbergh, Major and Mrs. Elliott, Major and Mrs. Musgrove, Major and Mrs. Crawford, Major and Mrs. MacMurray, Major and Mrs. Leroy Watson, Miss Gertrude Malone, Miss Ann Lumpkin, Miss Louise Garrard, Major and Mrs. M. C. Mitchell, Colonel M. C. Keth, Captain and Mrs. Whittemore, Lieut. Jeff Box, Lieut High Davis, Lieut. and Mrs. Raaen, Mrs. Helen Butler, Major and Mrs. McCormack, Lieut. an dMrs. James A. Lewis, and others.

### MISS RUTH SCHOEFFEL'S BUFFET SUPPER

As a compliment to Lieut. and Mrs. Wiley V. Carter whose marriage was a recent event of interest, a delightful buffet supper was given on last Friday evening by Miss Ruth Schoeffel, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Schoffel.

The Wynnton home of the Schoffel's was prettily adorned with narcissi and a tempting supper was served, after which the guests went to the hop at Fort Benning.

Those present were Colonel and Mrs. Schoffel, Major and Mrs. Hall, Captain and Mrs. Wilburn, Lieut. and Mrs. Carter, Captain and Mrs. Martin, Captain and Mrs. Switzer, Captain and Mrs. Lyons, Lieut. and Mrs. Winn, Captain Ready, Lieut. Schas, Miss Crosby of Halifax, Nova Scotia, Lieut. Pahlke, Miss Graham, Lieut. Jaffee.

### MAJOR AND MRS. MAGRUDER ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE.

Major and Mrs. Bruce Magruder entertained at a beautiful George Washington bridge party on last Thursday evening at their attractive home on Forrest avenue.

The patriotic color motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments.

Red cornations were the lovely flowers used, and the tally-cords were tied with red cherries.

There were six handsome prizes won, as follows: Ladies' first prize, a set of silver table mats, by Mrs. Garrison. Second prize, a lamp ornament, by Mrs. Sullivan. Third prize, a bridge set in a leather case, by Mrs. Henton.

Gentleman's first prize, a bridge and poker set in a leather case, by Major Hall. Second prize, an Italian cigarette case, by Major Mason. Third prize, a leather card holder, by Colonel Anding.

The consolation, a box of George Washington cherries ,was cut by Mrs. Waddill.

Enjoying this hospitality were the following guests: Col. Anding, Mrs. Sylvester, Major and Mrs. Wiley, Col. and Mrs. Peyton. Major and Mrs. Hall, Major and Mrs. Waddill, Major and Mrs. Sullivan, Major and Mrs. Garrison, Major and Mrs. Hickox, Major and Mrs. Hatie, Capt. and Mrs. Wessels, Capt. and Mrs. Henion, Capt. and Mrs. Farris, Capt. and Mrs. Huchner, Major and Mrs. Mason.

### MRS. NORMAN FINLEY ENTERTAINED ON TUESDAY.

Mrs. Norman D. Finley complimented ten members of the Ninth Infantry Bridge Club and a few other friends at a delightful bridge party Tuesday afternoon at the Ralston Hotel.

Daffodils made a charming decoration and a tempting salad course and hot tea were served after the games.

The guest prize was a quill pen.

The club members present were: Mes. dames J. Ralston Lippincott, L. R. Harvey, P. B. Rogers, R. M. Caulkins, Ellis Bates, Frank Foley, O. R. Rhoades, Chas. Valverde, C. J. Hirschfelder John Robinson. The guests were Miss Erma Quimby, of Newark, N. J., Miss Helen Olmsted, of Illinois, Miss Ruby Ray Dowdell, Mrs. Brislawn, Mrs. Dave H. Finley, Mrs. R. P. Bell, Mrs. Mallard, Mrs. Roger Hilsman, Mrs. W. R. Mann, Mrs. Wilkins.

### MRS. W. D. CRONKHITE HOSTESS AT BRIDGE PARTY.

At the Ralston hotel on Tuesday afternoon a most enjoyable bridge party was given bby Mrs. W. D. Cronkhite, wife of Captain Cronkhite.

The prie for highscore was a dainty piece of silk lingere; the second prize a pair of silk hose, and the consolation a corsage of French flowers.

After the game, a delicious salad course, tea, coffee, ice cream, cake and candies were served.

There were four tables of players: Mesdames :Sandusky, Beiderlinden, Scanlon, Tharp, Smith, Raymond, Swift, Fraser, Carlstadt, O'Day, Bennefield, Hargrove, Miss Marion Levy and Miss Scanlon, Mesdames Pomerine Shoe, Cheney and Chastaine.

### SPORT DANCE DELIGHTFUL EVENT.

One of the most delightful events of the week was the sport dance at Fort Benning Friday. The Officers' club was the scene of the affair, and was elaborately decorated for the occasion.

### MRS. J. D. HANNAH, HOSTESS AT INFORMAL BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. James D. Hannah wife of Col. Hannah, entertained two tables of bridge, last Thursday afternoon, as a compliment to Mrs. Van Vliet, wife of General Van Vliet, and Mrs. Johnson of Chicago, mother of Mrs. Hardenberger.

The table prizes were attractive shopping lists in leather cases. These were won by Mrs. Hayward Hansel and Mrs. T. H. Smith.

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Those present wre: Mrs. Hansel, Mrs. Heidt, Mrs. Van Vliet, Jr., Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. T. H. Smith, Mrs. Peyton, Mrs. Hardenberger, Mrs. McCaskey, Mrs. M. E. Hannah, Mrs. Van Vliet, Cr., and Mrs. Johnson.

### TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY CLUB.

On Tuesday afternoon, last, Mrs. E. C. Maling entertained most delightfully the members of the 29th Infantry Bridge club.

Three tables of players and several tea guests were present.

Mrs. R. M. Wilson won the top score prize, Mrs. S. M. Buracker, the second, and the cut prize was won by Mrs. E. C. Callahan.

A delicious salad course and hot tea was served after the game.

Mrs. R. D. Dougherty will entertain this week.

### BEAUTIFUL BRIDGE LUNCHEON.

Mrs. George C. Shaw, wife of Col. Shaw, and Mrs. Frank B. Hawkins, dife of Col. Hawkins, were joint hostesses last Friday at a beautiful bridge luncheon given at the Officers' club Mess, Firt Benning.

The decorations were effectively done in quantities of jonquils and narcissi, and the same motif was carried out on the place-cards.

At one o'clock the guests were seated for luncheon at banquet tables, after which there was an enjoyable game of bridge.

The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. W. B. McCeskey and Mrs. Paul C. Paschal.

The first prize, a set of Maderia tea napkins, was won by Mrs. S. L. Burocker.

Mrs. Hall won the second prize, a guest towel set.

The consolation, a book of Bridge Jingles, was cut by Mrs. Lester Lampert.

### 24th INFANTRY OFFICERS' CLUB OPENING.

Captain and Mrs. James Sproule are hosts to large party of friends and members of the 24th Infanry.

On Wednesday evening there was a general gravitation toward the 24th Infantry camp for the grand opening and reception at the new Officers' Club. Through the personal efforts and supervision of the regimental supply officer, an addition to the Officers' Mess has been completed which provides very comfortable and attractive quarters for the social activities of the officers and ladies of the regiment.

As a fitting climax to his untiring efforts in providing this addition to the housing facalities of the regimental area, Captain Sproule enthusiastically planned the house warming party. Mrs. Sproule and a number of the ladies presided over details in arrangements and decorations.

In the receiving line with Captain and Mrs. Sproule were Brigadier Generals Gordon and Winans, Colonel and Mrs. Nicklin, and Captain and Mrs. McNair. The 24th Infantry orchestra was at their best and provided music for dancing which was participated in to the capacity of the new floor. The party was refreshed with a very delicious shrimp salad, sandwiches and coffee.

Among the invited guests were General Walter H. Gordon and his aides, *Lts. Hess and Honnen*; Brigadier General Edwin B. Winans and his aide, Lt. Loren F. Parmley; Colonel and Mrs. G. S. Goodale, Lieut. Cols. and Mdmes. Kent, Hannah, McCaskey and Smith, Majors Dinsmore and Sullivan, and Captain and Mrs. Kraul, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Loewenherz, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis and Miss Munn. A large list of friends of the hosts and the members of the 24th Infantry made up a very enthusiastic social occasion.

### CAPTAIN AND MRS. T. F. BRESNAHAM HAVE DINNER PARTY

On Wednesday evening, Captain and Mrs. Thos. F. Bresnaham entertained at dinner in their apartment Lieut. and Mrs. Wiley V. Carter, and Lewis Palke and Cchas. The party later joined the festitatives at the 24th Infantry Officers' Club opening.

### IN HONOR OF MISS FERGUSON

On Friday afternoon Mrs. C. B. Lenow was hostess at a lovely bridge party complimenting Miss Ferguson who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Julian Dayton. The top score prize was won by Mrs. Woodward of Atlanta. Mrs. John Hess cut the consolation and the honoree was presented with a souvenir.

After the game a delightful hot luncheon was served.

### MRS. SANDUSKY ENTERTAINS AT LUNCHEON.

Miss Blanche Ferguson was honoree at a beautiful luncheon given by Mrs. Richard Sandusky on Monday at Joe Brown's Tea Room. The table was centered with a basket of tea roses and white sweet peas.

Covers were laid for eight, including, Miss Ferguson, Mrs. Julian Dayton, Mrs. C. B. Lenow, Mrs. Guy Kinman, Mrs. Hague, Mrs. John Waynne, Mrs. J. W. Pomerene and Mrs. Richard Sandusky.

A lovely vanity was presented to the guest of honor.

### MRS. PER RAMEE HOSTESS AT BRIDGE.

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Per Ramlee entertained at a pretty bridge party the affair taing place at her home on Waverly Terrace.

Daffodils and jonquils were artistically placed in bowls and vases of the living room.

Mrs. John H. Chase won the top-score prize, a beautiful sachet.

Mrs. Paul Ransom was awarded second prize, also a sachet and Mrs. Cawthorne the third, a silk handkerchief.

Those present were:

Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Wessells, Mrs. Cawthorne, Mrs. Bartow, Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. Wiley and her mother, Mrs. Connelly, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Ransom, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. William S. Richardson of Baltimore came in for tea.

### THE CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.

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Boys let me draw your attention to Pvt. Shane. Just look at him. Since he has been Mail Orderly his face is washed and his hair is combed nearly all the time. Now this is hard to explain unless it is caused by perspiration.

Last Saturday's inspection proved that we had some real soldiers. Everybody was bucking, even Sergeant Brown had his collar ornaments on.

Pvt. Smith and Pvt. Everhart has resigned their positions on the manure wagon and have returned to straight duty. Smith said "what's the use, no matter where you go, you get it."

They say the mess fund is in the hole. The only explanation I can give for this, is that Wise has been seen at breakfast twice last month.

We are loosing our famous sleuth next month. Tim said "he wais going to his old position with the Scotland Yard in Bingville, Pa., owing to the fact that the police force died last week and Tim is going to take His place.

Pvt. Galvin (Vicent Astor's only rival) our noted spendthrift, was on the way to the bathhouse for his annual bath, it was noticed he carried enough toilet articles to start a young drug store. Galvin says "If rain makes everything beautiful, why don't it rain on me?" It does Galvin, but that Woolworth toilet water you use, is enough to discourage a tidal wave.

The other day Pvt. Hendricks was seen with his head in a G. I. can, shouting at the top of hi svoice "Cpl. Hendricks, Cpl. Hendricks, Cpl. Hendricks, when asked why he was doing this, he said, "I just wantel to know how it sounded."


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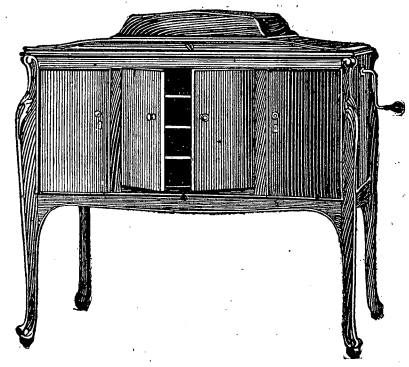


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Washington, Feb. 14, 1919.
General Orders, No. 26.

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Patrick P. Higgins, Company "B", 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Cunel, France, October 20, 1918. While making a reconnaissance within the enemy lines this soldier assisted in capturing an enemy machine gun nest which was harassing the party. Under heavy machine-gun fire he gave first aid treatment to a wounded soldier, and when the officer in charge of the detachment was wounded he bound up the latter's injuries and carried him 2 kilometers through heavy machine-gun and shell fire to an aid station.

War Department
Washington, March 11, 1919.
General Orders No. 37.

Awards of Distinguished Service Cross.—By direction of the President under the provisions of the act of Congress approved July 9, 1918. (Bul. No. 43, W. D., 1918), the distinguished-service cross was awarded byy the Commanding General, American Expeditionary Forces, for extraordinary heroism in actiion in Europe, to the following-named officers and enlisted men of the American Expeditionary Forces and of the Allied Forces:

Elmer W. Highley, sergeant. Medical Detachment, 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Nantillois, France, October 13, 1918. Although wounded, he remained on duty after his battalion had passed on and the other troops in the vicinity had been forced into dugouts, giving first aid and directing and evacuation of his wounded comrades on a heavily shelled road.

David A. Oliphant, sergeant, Company "A", 77th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action at Romagne, France, October 14, 1918. By his energy, initiative, and courage he located several machine-gun nests and captured nine prisoners and an anti-tank gun when sent out with three other soldiers to locate the enemy positions.

Eugene P. Walker, sergeant, Company "D", 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Vurdun, France, November 4, 1918. When three boats in a pontoon bridge across the Meuse River were destroyed by artillery fire, he volunteered and waded into the river under heavy shell fire and by holding up the deck until new boats were launched and placed in position, although under great physical strain, permitted the uninterrupted crossing of the infantry.

Robert E. Crawford, corporal, Company "D", 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Verdun, France, November 4, 1918. When three boats in a pontoon bridge across the Meuse River were destroyed by artillery fire he volunteered and waded into the river under heavy shell fire and, by holding up the deck until new boats were launched and placed in position, permitted the uniterrupted crossing of the infantry.

Walter S. Sevalia, corporal, Company "F", 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heorism in action near Brieulles, France, November 3, 1918. He swam the Meuse River with a cable for a pontoon bridge under direct machine-gun fire. Later he carried a cable for another bridge over the Est Canal, across an open field covered by enemy machine guns. Here he was wounded by a machine-gun bullet, but returned carrying a message of great importance.

Fred A. Crowe, private, Company "D," 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Cunel, France, October 14, 1918. He crawled forward under fire from machine guns and snipers and killed two Germans who were operating a machine gun in a tree.

(Continued next week.)

## Children's School

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**Second Grade.**

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**Third Grade.**

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**Punctuality—4th Grade.**

Helen Harris, Thomas Musgrove, Isabel Wald.

**5th Grade.**

Gertie Mae Duncanson, Louise Siebencichen.

**7th Grade.**

**Neither Tardy nor Absent.**

Julia Mason.

**6th Grade.**

Rudolph Hall, Samuel Wald.

**Not Absent.**

**7th Grade.**

Ralph Hendrickssen, Julia Mason, George Owiney.

**6th Grade.**

Mamie Graham, Rudolph Hall, Samuel Wald.

## ITS NEVER TOO LATE TO LEARN

As was the case with Danny Deever, they were hanging Rastus Johnson in the morning only it was for the murder of a mother-in-law. Rastus stood silent while the sheriff adjusted the trigger squeeze of the trap, blindfolded him and slipped the noose over his neck. Finally the sheriff said, Rastus, haven't you anything to say before you go?

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

**(Basketball)**

It is better to give a kindly word, than a blow, and to know that we have by kind dealings stirred the I. S. D. Basketeers our opponets to exert themselves to the fullest capacity in order to come out victors by a small margin. It may cause a little wound to lose a hard fought game, but grit with us is meat, and this will heal the wound. The eagerness of the Tankers was the approximate cause of their defeat, as it was the referee deemed it fit to class our plays as boarding on rough nature and dealt us the usual penalties, and the points accumulating against us therefrom exceeded the difference between the final score. It is here for us to consider that several members of our team are new at the game, and we cannot but express in view of the above, our appreciation of the many victories credited to their earnest efforts. We are bound to meet obstacles, which for obvious reasos cannot be overcome. Our endeavors must be ever onward, slowly but surely, remembering that Rome was not built in a day.

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Bledsoe has returned for duty and is hopping around on one foot, we suggest that the next time he loads his pistol while on camp guard that he kneel down so as to get his feet out of the way.

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It has been suggested that we publish a "Who's Who" in the Battalion. So be it. With the hope that it will be accepted in the friendly spirit in which it shall be written we will give our conception of a battalion blue-book, we will take one man per week.

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Rushing, Coy Cushing No. 6324967 —Corporal—a rip snorting, fire-eating, hot towel spreading, grab-your-dough son of a gun. A razor slinging clipper of the new school. Rushing, for reasons we are unable to explain is proprietor, custodian of funds and commander-in-chief of the butcher shop located in the south-east corner of "C" Company's dayroom, known as the barber shop, and noted for its extensively advertised slogan "One chair, no waiting." Rushing himself is motorman and operating surgeon in charge, to which most innocent and unsuspecting members of "C" company are directed in order to receive credit. We shall not linger upon what transpires while one is under the mystic spell of Rushings most slippery tongue and one way razor, and pass on to an appraisal of his value to the battalion, which he serves by operating what he is pleased to term a barber shop. It is the Corporals one ideal to help make "C" Company's street the worlds busiest thoroughfare, and it is reported he is quite willing to move if by so doing he will hurry along a realization of his dream.

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**"A" Company.**

Well another country heard from, things are getting lively in the company science the 1st Sgt. has taken over the duties of company clerk for he is in a rage all the time. He says "Liberty for Ireland and down with the penpushers." He cleams that he came fresh from Ireland and has kissed the Blarney Stone three times, but we think he is full of bunk and hails from Comarls, Ala.

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Pvt. Wright came in the other morning some time between the early hours of 4:30 A. M. and 5:00 A. M. he had a gash on his forehead, he gave us a long story about falling down and hitting his head against a stone, but along came the Jerusalem Jew "Shafer" and spilt the beans about him being kissed with an Ala. brick. Don't try and put anything over on us again like that Wright.

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Young and Higgenbotten had a fight over in the mess the other morning, Higgenbotten eyes looked as if he had dobbed a shoe brush in them. He punched Young's stomach a couple of times, but it was too hard for he had been eatiing some of Buffington's buns.

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Cpl. Chamble has returned from furlough. My, but he sure is skinny. You had better stay around for awhile and get a few square meals.

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Pvt. Strickland wishes to announce that he will draw a full pay this month and will not call around to pay his respect to the guard house.

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Red Linsey is still with us and will no doubt be for some time. The other night some one yelled, "Oh, look at the new moon," and of course Red raised up out of his bed and yelled, "hut up."

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**Company "B".**

The 1923 baseball lid has been pried off in the Battalion, Co's A, B, C, and Hdqts. are all out tossing the old apple around, and it looks like there will be a many hard fought game this year.

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The Bureau of war risk insurance, can sure pick quite a few applicants if they could send an agent around when the company team is at baseball practice.

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Wonder what it was they fed in the light company's mess, that had them moving around so fast last night.

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Our power plant has had a wreck or something. What's the reason Petite?

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Say Hicks, did the kiss from that "Indian Squaw" taste anything like garlic?

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The new rest room of the company is sure being well patronized, and, Oh Boy! the pool table is sure clicking off the dough, keep it up fellows, we need the money.

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It has been noticed that since milk has been put on sale in the mess, that the coffee has been getting blacker and blacker.

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Wonder where the "Top kick" is going to spend that re-enlistment furlough? Some where in God's country—Okllahoma.

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Bugs you can have two if you re-up, and he took two, how about it Nap?

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Foot print Conroy has lost his political job, and is once more seen shuffling around the tank park. You should hear his straight eight when he steps on it.

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Little Eva's "Sweet Daddy" is now among the early risers of this company. His hour of bidding goodbye to the god Morpheus is in the neighborhood of five thirty.

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Well "O'le Bill" has reformed. He has not been to church for about two weeks, tell us what's wrong Bill .

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So long Mary. Take care of yourself or we'll lose another one of the best ends that ever stepped on a Benning football field.


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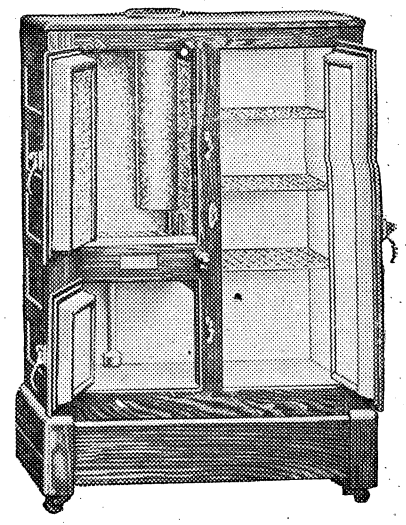

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

The program dance held at the Service Club last Wednesday evening Feb. 21st, was a decided success. The programs were beautifully decorated with George Washington's picture, and the words Fort Benning, on each folder. The programs will serve as a lasting souvenir of the first program dance held at the Srevice Club this season. The refreshments, consisting of Orangeade and Angel food, were thoroughly enjoyed by all present. There were a number of visitors present, among the mbeing General Gordon, Lieut. and Mrs. Brandhorst, Ser. and Mrs. Kenney, Mrs. Chandler and others.

The Women's Club met last Thursday at 2:00 P. M. in their club rooms at the Service Club when it was voted to change the name of the club to B. F. C.'s, the former name being considered too common for so great an organization, so in the future when you see B. F. C.'s in this column please be advised that it is the NEW Wowen's Club and not Bakers First-Class .

It has been noticed that a larger number of men are using the Service Club as a rendezvous in the evenings and we wonder whether it is the home like atmosphere of the club or the Hostesse's winsome smile that brings them there, it is thought to be both.

The Service Club Committee held their regular meeting last Monday evening at Seven o'clock with President Bjornstol in the chair. Ser. Bjornstol makes a good president if he would just keep Eats off his mind.

Attention One and All—The B. F. C.'s will hold their Cabaret Thursday evening, March 8th, at eight o'clock in the Service Club. Admission will be fifty cents which will include a place at a table, ice cream, cake and the intertaining. Children will be admitted at half-price and babies-in-arms free.

Those who miss this Cabaret will be missing a real treat so come and bring your friends.

The Soldier's Glee Club met last Tuesday evening at Seven o'clock with Mrs. Thomas at the piano.

On Friday evening, March 9th, a Checker Tournament will be held in the south room of the Service Club and any man who can move checkers, even with a stick, is requested to be on hand.

The regular weekly dance held Wednesday evening at the Service Club was enjoyed by all.

### RESTRINGING TENNIS RACKETS.

The following is quoted for the information of the garrison from a bulletin issued by the Officer's club. As usual John Hess is on the job.

"We have arranged to render service to members of the Club on restringing tennis rackets. An expert in this line is now in Columbus and we have closed a contract with him to do this work. Rackets left at the Club on one day will be ready for delivery the second day thereafter. For example, a racket left at the Club on Monday before 4:00 P. M. will be ready for you on Wednesday morning. These prices will prevail:

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Now that Spring is about upon us we are seriously considering giving the old bus a new coat of paint and what we need in this line the Beach-Mosely Hardware Co. has. This concern carries everything from an artists' brush to a kalsomine brush and when you walk in the door they make you feel at home. Their line of varnishes and paints-which includes automobile enable—is a good one as we can vouch for from personal experience. Incidentally, of course, they have just about any kind of tool a fellow needs to keep the bus in shape over the Fort Benning road and if you haven't the cash (glory be) they'll charge it to your account. This is a good place to buy.

**A Musical Store.**

Beside going fishing and painting the bus another Spring is going to do to us is make us want some new victrola records. With this end in view we walked into Humes Music Company to find Wilkinson and see him about this weighty matter. As usual he advised that he had just what we were looking for and when we asked for something jazzy and wit hlots of pep he assumed a dreamy expression, put "Kiss me again," on the machine, and "Let 'er ride." Of course after this we had to buy this record together with several others he convinced we should have. Humes sells victrolas and does not lose interest in his patron after the sale. Incidentally this concern has supported the News ever since its foundation.

**The New Tailor and Designer.**

The ladies of the garrison are going to need new clothes before long and The Ladye is in position to furnish the latest styles. That such a store has been established in Columbus is proof positive that this city is growing. The Ladye claims something "different and exclusive" and the ladies of the garrison who have been depending on the Washington and New York designers now have to go no further than Columbus. Ladies are invited to call and inspect costumes whether they buy or not.

## Recruiting News Notes

Our big recruiting drive is now under way and it is the intention of all concerned to gathed at least 100 recruits into the fold. Major Heidt has been busy all week coaching his men, and unless the writer is badly deceived we are going to get results, and boys we need'em. Our agent in town Sgt. Finney made a special effort yesterday sent out prospects but two of them got cold feet after they had talked with some of our buddies around the camp Now that is not the right spirit, if you have a grouch against the Army ketp it to yourself and let the men coming in find the disagreeable side, things out for themselves. We are appealing to all you buddies in camp to get behind us and push this Recruiting Drive over big.


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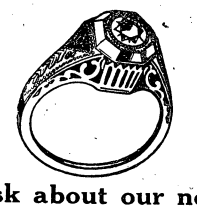
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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### 1st Bn. Hg. Co.

Pvt. Vaughn seems to be worrying about his complexion of late. The other day, while washing dishes in the kitchen, he was heard to ask Pvt. McDonough whether he thought the steam would hurt his complexion. The writer having taken precautions to secure authentic information on this subject, wishes to reassure Pvt. Vaughn on this point, and sooth his mental strain. No, Pvt. Vaughn, the steam, according to our facial experts, is considered extremely beneficial to the complexion. We hope this information will be received in the same spirit it is given.

### NOTES FROM CO. "B" 29th INF.

Corporal Curtis has gone out of business in the show ticket line since the night he tried to sell a few to the 29th Infantry Chaplain and his words are something like this, "Boys you know I felt so embarrassed." That is alright Flap-Jacks, there is no one that thinks much about it and I am sure that there is no one loosing any sleep.

There are several of the men who are cut for the prizes in the Regimental meet and there is good prospects of winning all but one trace and that one is the One Hundred yard dash, as they have Sgt. Willingham running it.

I see that Cpl. Sutton has another bottle of Chow-Chow, will someone enlighten our minds as to where it all comes from as it seems that he has all there is in Georgia.

Pvt. Short seems to be in love as there is not a moment in his life that there is not a smlie on his face and he is all the time mummering some name that sounds very much Femine. What about it Short.

Cpl. Close, known by most friends as Bunny, is going to illustrate and demonstrate to the world at large that there in more than Close to him if they don't stop calling him Bunny.

Pvt. Freeman had the pleasure of going to the kitchen and giving a part of his spare time to the duty of washing dishes and scrubbing the floor after the supper of the 26th, I would love to know what is wrong.

### COMPANY "C" 29th INFANTRY.

Conditions are very good in the Company at present, Mechanic Parmigiani is ready for duty now, the other half of his finger has grown out again.

Cpls. Smithson and Rankin are struttin' around talking about the Recruits they are going to bring in, "But they will have to show us."

First it was a sore toe then a sore throat, What Next? ask Pvt. Moore.

Whose de Guy what gets discharged March the 6th. "Duslack, Duslack, Rah! Rah! Rah!

Pool Sgt. Brewton is now having his troubles, go ahead Brewt. you will make a good room Orderly.

A rabbit stew festival was held in the Co. Barber Shop last Sunday night Wonder who made the stew.

### COMPANY "G" 29th INFANTRY

Company "G," 29th Infantry, is now mourning the absence of one of their best "All-around," athletes, Pvt. Morris, who sustained a lame back, while out practicing with the "Wall Scaling Squad." He is now in our Post *Hospital.*

Everybody is all set for the big Field Meet, which is to be held on the 2nd of March. Even our Honorable Mess Sergeant, Sgt. Johnson, is planning on giving us a surprise by giving us a real Feed, on that day. Good for you Sergeant.

Company "G," seems to be well represented on the Camp Varsity Baseball Team. We even have a good man out for a Hind Catcher, he seems to be a litlte awkward and his feet ape be a little awkward and his feet apwriting, but with the proper training and coaching, it is hoped he will make good.

### REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS CO 29th Infantry.

Regimental Headquarters Company, is still alive and kicking stronger than ever, that is kicking for the best, altho we have neglected submitting our weekly information to fill our space alloted to us by the "Benning News" Pardons "Mr. Editor," but from now on we must have a larger space alloted to the "Brains of the Regiment."

Our competitors meaning the Service Company, 29th Inf. attention is invited to the old story of the "Golden Goose," and the well known slogan "Don't count your chickens before they hatch." for after prediction, some times regret and sorrow.

A few days ago a certain Stable Sergeant remarked to our Top Kick, "Jimmie have you got any black paint?"

Regimental Headquarters Co. does not claim to boast the best horses in the Post, but what few we have are going to do their best in the Regimental Field Meet, there is more truth than poetry in "Its not always the horse, but the Man that rides him," and we have some very exceptional riders.

The peanut growers have begun to sell peanuts by the dozen now, and we get approximately fifty peanuts for ten cents, "and now our twenty one dollar soldiers" can't afford to buy many peanuts.

Regimental Headquarters Co. and Howitzer Co. boasts the best Mess in the Regiment, and we have to hand it to our Mess Officer, Mess Sergeant, and Cooks, for they know how to handle our Mess.

Many of the men of the Company, have been very much worried, for a few days ago information was received that there was not a Bean in the Commissionary for the time being.

We have a man in the Company that make the one hundred yard dash in less than eleven seconds, and is doing better every day, maybe if Spike can keep up the good work he will be able to dash it in less than nothing.

And another thing the Company is well represented with a "Shot Putter," but his distance and ability is saved for the fans on the "Big Day."

### SERVICE CO. 29th INFANTRY

The other day a clerk of the Regimental Personnel Section was stopped by a man from the corral and in addition to the customary greeting asked him (the clerk) what he was doing these days. Oh, nothing much replied the pencil pusher, except that I am taking part in the preparation of pay rolls, keeing the pay cards up to date —including the entering of pay data thereon, handling insurance and allotments, distributing officers pay vouchers, collecting for the laundry, preparing special orders, maintaining an up-to-date locator card system for enlisted men and officers of this Regiment, preparation of Morning Reports, submission of Reports of Changes, keeping records filed up to date, keeping a complete supply of all sorts of blank forms, checking of discharge papers, answering the 'Phone 50 times a day, handling corresponding pertaining to the personnel of the Regiment, keeping an up to date index on all orders, circulars, bulletins, etc., keeping a separate record on special duty men, promotions reductions and transfers of enlisted men and mailing and keeping a complete record of all records sent the A. G. O. I must go now, Old Timer, next time we meet I'll tell you what other duties the Personnel Section performs, preparing strength returns, figuring rations, etc.

## History of 29th Infantry

**(Article 22.—Being the last of this Series. 1919—1923.)**

After the Seventeenth Division had been dissolved the 29th remained at Camp Beauregard, La. until the Camp was closed and then, in March, 1919, moved, as per orders, to Camp Shelby, Miss. Within a few days the first Battalion was ordered to Camp Benning, Ga. The rest of the Regiment remained at Camp Shelby until the work of demobilizing the many thousands of troops from that part of the South was completed. Then, in October, 1919, this portion of the 29th proceeded to Camp Benning to become part of the Infantry School Troops.

The years that have followed at this station, now Fort Benning, have been full ones. The Regiment has taken a lead in all the work of the school. Its activities, accomplishments, successes as well as its trials and tribulations have been too numerous to mention but with it all has come the consciousness of work well done, success achieved, well earned and deserved plaudits showered upon it, leaders of men developed with in the Regiment and a tremendous contribution to the work of making leaders of men in the Infantry branch of the service.

Fort Benning is a healthy place. The Regiment has not suffered from sickness, to speak of. It is a good place to develop character. Something about the place that one is not aware of at the time of service here makes one feel after he has been away for a time that he wants to get back to Benning.

The Twenty Ninth always has been a happy outfit. It is happy today.

### MEETING OF SOJOURNERS CLUB.

On Friday evening, March 9th, 1923, at the Officers' Mess, Biglerville, there will be an organization meeting of the Sojourners Club.

At this time there will be an address by General Fries, National President of the Sojourners Club and at this time the charter for the local club will also be presented.

The Sojourners Club is composed of Officers, and those who have held commissions in the past, in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, National Guard, O. R. C. and other branches of the military establishment who are Master Masons.

The meeting on March 9th will last from 8:00 to 10:00 P. M. It will be in the nature of a smoker and the personnel of the command coming under the classifications mentioned above are invited to be present.

### PROTESTANT CHAPEL.

The addition to the Post Protestant Chapel was opened with appropriate services on Wednesday evening of last week at the close of the mid-week prayer and Lenten service. One large room to be used on Sundays for the Men's Bible Class, taught by Major McMurray, is open every night for the use of the men of the Post, for social entertainment. Reading, writing and game tables are provided, also victrola Here song services are frequently held by the Chaplain.

### O, FOL DE ROL LOL!

Said the stork as he rushed to our station,
"That Fort Benning beats all creation,
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## 24th Infantry News

### SERVICE FOR THE REGIMENT.

**Service Company, 24th Infantry.**
**Fort Benning, Ga.**

Target Season:

Having received a numer of rifles the men of this organization are looking forward to a prosperous target season, Scott Bradford the star shot of this organization and one of the best shots in the army is expecting this to be his best season and is looking forward to making the International Rifle meet.

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Private Vontress, better known as the Shiek has no time to waste in the mornings as this is his morning schedule, 7 A. M. to 10 A. M. Drilling a regiment in the barber shop, 10:05 A. M. to 11:45 A. M. Manuvering troops in Pvt. Payton's tent, and after that you may get a shave or hair cut providing you wait until after dinner, Members or this organization request that Pvt. Vontress, reduce his drill period.

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Captain G. S. Clarke, The C. O. Serv. Co. 24th Inf. is purchasing blue baseball uniforms for our baseball team. All members of the company as well as the members of the baseball team will be very proud and grateful for the new uniforms.

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**Co. "D" 24th Infantry.**

Co. "D" is making great progress in their instruction. Capt. E. C. Callahan, the best Machine Gun officer in Fort Benning, with the cooperation of his Non-commissioned Officers will bring Co. "M" up to the standard.

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Pvt. Washington, the Company "joker" is forever trying to tease "Jello" by explaining the backward movement of the Bolt. That's alright "Jello" we know you have two diplomas and can explain all movements of the gun.

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Pvt. Cotton, better known as "Curley" was seen going to the blocks a few nights ago, he says he has a new fort and is chief in Command. Watch your self old boy or someone will come in while you are away and relieve you of command.

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Pvt. Law, the "Invisible" is forever trying to dodge to keep anybody from seeing where he goes. Never mind trying to cover your tracks anymore old top, "Boo Reese" has spied your hold card.

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**Co. "E" 24th Infantry.**

Ex-Mess Sgt. Newitt Vanhook of Co. "E" 24th Inf., will serve the first lunch at the opening of the new 24th Inf. Officers' Club, Wednesday Night, Feb. 26, 1923. Vanhook has been serving for the officers for the last nine (9) years and is well experienced in the same.

He is preparing a cake that will be 2 1-2 ft. high. This cake will be decorated as only the capable Vanhook alone can decorate. This cake will be shown at the retirement party of Staff Sgt. James Davies Service Co. 24th Infantry.

Vanhook is well skilled in domestic science.

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I wonder what is the matter with Private 1st Class Thomas (GOOG) Brown these days, seems to be all smiles. Well after about thirty hot years in the fight it would make anything feel good to know that those awful papers are about to leave here for the final returns.

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Memorandum:

The hustlers will be glad to know that we have with us again Sgt. Frank L. (Jack) Francis, who has been on a furlough for the past three months He is at present performing the duties of steward at the 24th Infantry Officers Club. Stick around Jack for the time isn't long when you will be reporting to the topkick of the world for duty.

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Sergt. Fisher (The Big Fish) was seen in the blocks a few days ago, Lookout Trooper, remember that you are not on the border now.

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**Co. "I" 24th Infantry.**

1st Sgt. "Has not fortune ever knocked at your door?"

Pete Atkerson "He did once but I was out. Ever since he has sent his daughter."

1st Sgt. "His daughter, who is she?"

Pete Atkerson, "Why Miss Fortune, of course."

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Bishop Elder, Rev. and Pastor Bob Childs (Bugler) a noted evangelist of the "Jump Steady Leaders" will begin his regular ten days heart to heart talks on the evil of drinking as soon as the Pass list is approved.

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John C. Whitner, (Vamp) Painted the orderly room last night for 3 hours when he had finished they found out that he was painting it with clear water.

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Sgt. Butler (Kid'O) Says that George Washington was the father of his country and an honest man, but they close all banks on his birthdays.

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Look out Childs, the boys say you have drank so much "Chattahoochee Phosphate" until when you die they won't have to bury you, all they have to do is to pour you back in the jug.

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Sgt. Handy (Twilight) has a civilian suit, he has to put the pants on with a pair of pliers.

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Reserve this space for the critics, who can always suggest but never give us any news.

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**Co. "K" 24th Infantry.**

1st Sgt. Benton was heard pleading to the boys of Co. "K" not to think that this would be the only pay day in the Army, for there is always one coming.

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Sgt. Belser, (pa perkins) is planing to start a rumage sale, to dispose of the articles seized for taxi fare, such as, Hats, Caps, Stockings, Handkerchiefs, and Ties, (for either sex.)

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Corporal Overstreet is well named. He is well oversize, and for some weeks past has been overlord of a certain detail. Watch your step and don't get over confident or it will be overalls for yours. The regiment is overstrength in corporals.

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**CO. "H" 24th INFANTRY.**

Reporter's Note—Under this column last week appeared a poem for which the credit of composition is due 1st Sgt. Goode. Those who noted this omission will soon again be favored with a contribution.

It seemed hardly fair to give to 1st Sgt. Goode in 1923 credit for a poem written by Willaim Knox. We never knew why the spirit of mortal should seek to be so proud, anyway. Send us more than one joke next time.—Editor.

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**Co. "L" 24th Infantry.**

Wake up Sgt. Scott, why so many Beef Hearts, every day is not Valentine.

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Private Robert Stubbs alias (Fronia) has started to getting his old wing in action. You should hear the old joints crying for some oil. Look out pitchers.

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Private 1-c Douglass King (Tender foot) was taking his first lesson on sighting. The instructer gave him a sighting bar and asked the participant what the same was called. He answered, "the same was a sight seer."

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Private George Henry has been promoted from General Gold Bricker to President of the 24th Infantry's L. O. C. association.

Continue your good work boy, only one more promotion to get.

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Private Tolbert Harris (Bugler of Company "L" 24th Inf.) awoke from his slumber to find himself on guard and sounded first call at 4:00 A. M. The Officer of the Day asked what was the idea. After Harris had found that he had no excuse, he stood gazing at the Officer of the Day still asleep.

The Officer of the Day told him to sound something that would put them back in bed. Harris then sounded Lie down—Lie down after which he was then decorated by the Company with shelayles of all descriptions.

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Private Williams Troup was asked from whence did man come.

His answer was that he did not know but if some didn't walk straight it would be much easier to tell where they were going.

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### "TOUTE DE SUITE"
### (Toot Sweet)

Everybody get out the glad rags or fatigue clothes and give a boost for the Charles S. Harrison Post No. 35, American Legion show to be pulled off in Columbus at the Springer Opera House Monday and Tuesday, March 5th and 6th.

We promise that you will have the time of your life and will laugh more than you have in ages. There will be 50 talented actors in this shebang of which will be the prettiest girls obtainable in Columbus.

Some of the best talent obtainable has been drafted and an expert in laugh making is here with us directing the whole works.

Tickets can be obtained from any member of the Legion or your orderly room. They only cost the small sum of $1.00 or $1.50 and when you have seen the works you will think that the Legion has been cheated.

If you will help us put across this show some of your old buddies will be helped in more ways than one. We have just started furnishing a club room where you can come and enjoy your evenings in town and all of your buddies who are not as lucky as you can come and get acquainted and get help. Remember that our motto is "Help the fellow that is down and out."

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### "ORGANIZATION DAY" SUNDAY.

The Sunday morning 10:30 service at the Post Chapel (Protestant) March 4, will be a "29th Inf. Organization Day" service. Every member of the Regiment is urged to be present and all families of the 29th as well as all others of the Post.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**
Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**
Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**
Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**
Sunday 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:
Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.
Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.
Rabbi F. L. Rosethal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

**Lenten Services.**

Special Lenten services will be held at the Post Protestant Chapel, by Chaplain Wood, every Wednesday morning at 10:30. All other services at the Chapel will be in keeping with the Lenten season.

At the Catholic Chapel the special Lenten services conducted by Chaplain Lennan will consist of Stations of the Cross followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, every Friday night at 7 o'clock. On Sunday nights at 7 there will be the Rosary, Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. At the Sunday night services the series of Lenten sermons will be preached by the Rev. Father Moylan, of Columbus.

## NEW BRITISH DEBT REFUNDING MEASURE.

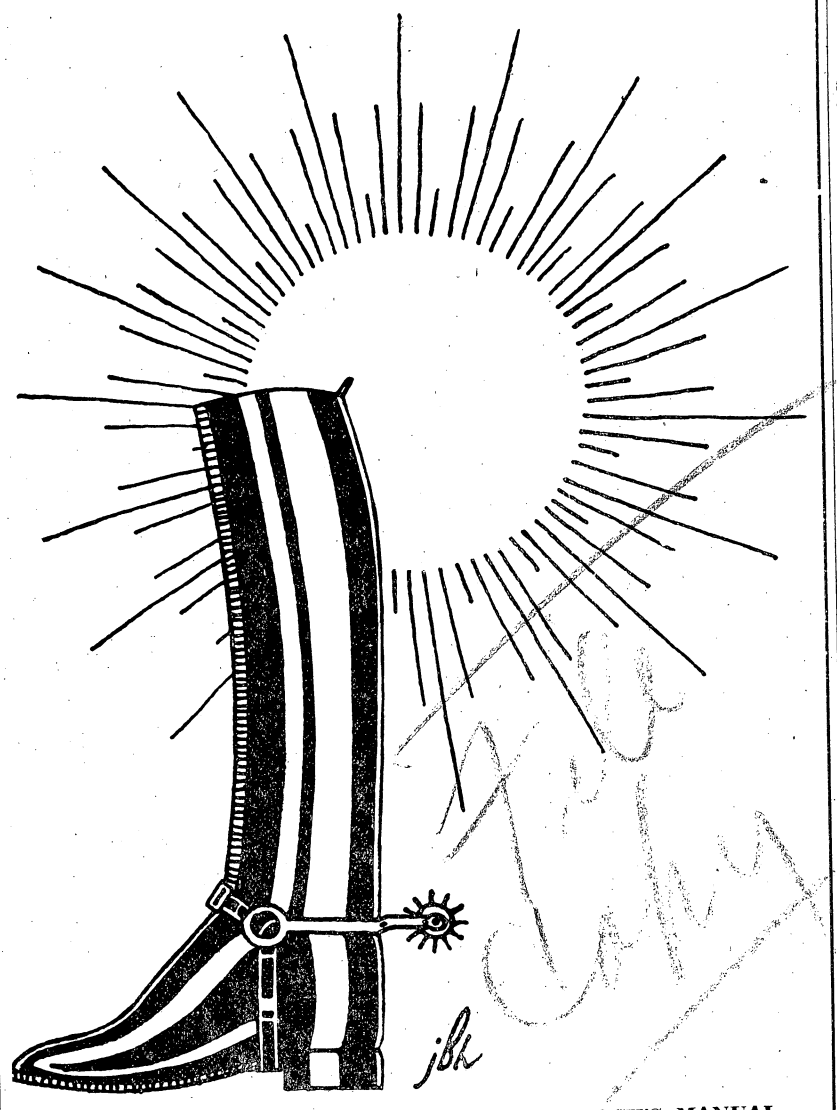
Approved by Congress

When the British Debt Refunding Commission arrived in the United States at the beginning of the New Year they were able to convince the American Debt Commission that great Britain was unable to pay her debt to the United States within twenty-five years as was provided in the Act passed by Congress at the close of the World War.

The American and British Commissions got together and devised a plan whereby Great Britain could pay and forther agreed to pay. The sum and substance of which is that Great Britain will pay four per cent. of her debt plus the interest each year. This plan will cover a period of sixty-two years. This new plan was approved by Congress shortly before it adjourned.

The big thing about this plan is that not only have we a definite agreement with England on the Refunding plan but it is expected that this will pave the way so that agreements can be made with the other European Countries that are indebted to us.

## OUR SILENT SERMON TO SHAVETAILS.



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## HERE'S WHERE WE CRACK A GOOD ONE!

**"Tho it makes me hungry, it still is fun,**
**To watch so many tho I can't eat one,"**
**Said an old gray squirrel to his sons and daughters**
**As he peeked thru a window into Post Headquarters.**

## CENTRAL AMERICA

(Form Another Five Power Treaty.)

Recently Guatemala, Honduras, El Salvador, Nicaragua, and Costa Rica concluded a "Five Power Treaty" that will make the Central American Countries a very peaceable place now.

The treaty that these powers signed is in general as follows:

To maintain peace between themselves.

If a "Coup d'etat" takes place or a person is elected who des not possess the constitutional qualifications the new government will not be recognized by the other Countries.

Each nation agreese not to interfere in a civil war raging nor to interfere in the politics in one of the countries other than itself.

Not to permit the formation of a revolutionary movement within the

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## PRIZE CONTEST

**Steam Heated Ear Muffs Will Be Given Clever Contributor.**

Here's how it came about. At the last meeting of the Major's Mutual Protective Association, Major Sweatshop happened to mention that the day before he had bought a bag of potatoes in Columbus and had them placed in the back of his car. On arriving at camp, the Major stated, all the potatoes had black eyes and some were already mashed by the severe jolting period. Major Mossback did not doubt such an assertion but rose to remark that once he had purchased a bag of peanuts in town and after he had driven to the Ft. the bag was found to contain a very fine grade of peanut butter. He further maintained that his car was equipped with shock absorbers at the time.

A genera ldiscussion followed. An

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## EUROPE

**France and Germany.**

The German Reichstag has been assembled in a hurry by Premier Cuno of Germany. The cause of the assembling is that France is taking over more territory each day.

The French claim that this is necessary as they must have complete control of the Ruhr Basin.

In the meantime Germany "cannot understand why the world is not intervening in her behalf."

**Russia.**

Russia is exceedingly well pleased as the Ruhr Basin situation is developing and she believes that the bond between herself and Germany will be greatly strengthened.

**Turkey.**

Senator Jim Ham Lewis according to the Enquirer-Sun states that Turkey is preparing for a war against England. Turkey expects to get aid from Russia and Germany.

**Poland and Liithuania.**

Poland and Iithuania who have been having a dispute over Vilna have agreed to let the League of Nations settle the question.

**Hungary and Rumania.**

Hungary has been peaceable for some time from necessity but nevertheless she has a hostile feeling against Rumania and wants to get back some of the Territory that Rumania recieved fro hmer at the close of the World War.

**Austria.**

Austria is getting the war feeling again and as a result is looking forward to the day when she will be able to take Trieste from Italy and also regain some of the territory that is now a part of Czech-Slovakia.

## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning March 11th and Ending March 17th, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three Theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre ....6:00 P. M.
29th Infantry Theatre ....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**March 11th, 1923.**

"Skin Deep," 7 reel feature. (Special cast). "Ladies Man" 3 reel comedy.

**March 12th, 1923.**

"Oath Bound," 6 reel feature. (Farnum). "Falls Ahead," 1 reell comedy (Mutt and Jeff).

**March 13th, 1923.**

"Kindled Courage," 5 reel feature, (Gibson). "Splitting Hairs," 2 reel comedy, (Sunshine).

**March 14th, 1923.**

"Poverty of Riches," 6 reel feature, (All Star). "Leather Pushers," 2 reels.

**March 15th, 1923.**

"Kindred of Dust," 8 reel feature, (Special Cast). "Fo News," 1 reel.

**March 16th, 1923.**

"Living Lies," 6 reel feature, (All Star). "Roach," 1 reel comedy. "Pathe Review," 1 reel.

**March 17th, 1923.**

"Dark Secrets," 6 reel feature, (Dorthy Dalton). "Movie Queen," 2 reel comedy.

## NOTICE TO RECRUITS.

A lot of hungry woodpeckers has been seen around camp lately. Keep your hats on at all times.

## Motor Transport Notes

**Mess Hall Bouts**

We have on this end of the table Private, John Massenburg (baby elephant) Wt. 200 lbs. and on the other end of the table Private Benjamin Jackson (Big Ben) Wt. 190 lbs. these men will fight (3) rounds under the rules of cook Wiseman Baker beef stew.

Many of us have been to New Orleans and eated the Gum Boe Stew, so Cook Walburg (Bill Dulley) is back on the job and giving us the Brunswick stew.

Lost on the road between the Post and city a yellow back note book containing figures amounting to approximately ($10.00) finder please get in touch with Pvt. C. C. Clark, M. T. Co. No. 100, G. M. C.

Its easy enough to be a writer I could be one myself if I had the time and if there was enough money in it, all you have to do is to get an idea and then write it up, I have lots of ideas and one is this, Pvt. Oliver Churchill was seen strolling last Sunday evening, we learn that Oliver was going to church.

Private Alexander Bates (Klondike) was discharged on the 1st and re-enlisted the 2nd, now he is having Corporal chevron put on everything from his night shirt to his rain coat.

Hello Clinkers! Hello Ashes! did you hear the news, know what the noise is about I hear that Pvt. Roy Lee had quite a time trying to explain to Miss (X) how the piece of fur off a ladies coat made its appearance in the Dodge roadster, why its taken Sergt. Wallace with a line of soft drinks and Pvt. Joe Wright with an arm full of graphone records to explain the reason why. Just then some one put on a record entitled, "Don't let no one soldier worry your mind, so the last reports received every thing was running smoothly along the Chattahoochee.

**NOTICE TO COMPANY REPORTERS**

**It is very important that you send in the items of interest in your outfit each week. Don't save them for three or four weeks and then send down so much that we can't handle it.**

## CENTRAL AMERICA

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boundaries of one Country against any South American Republic.

Not to enter into secret treaties.

In addition to the treaty these Five Powers have also greed on an International Tribunial for Central American Countries which has the approval of Washington, D. C.

The most surprising about the whole conference was the agreement on the Limitation of Armament. If this agreement is carried out there will be a total of 16,400 men in their standing armies and their national guards.

## COLONEL OWNSLEY COMING.

The National Commander of the American Legion Col. Ownsley will spend Tuesday, March the thirteenth at Fort Benning.

The Colonel has heard so much about Benning and as he is making a trip down through this part of the country he will spend all of Tuesday at this Post.

As a special honor to the National Commander of the American Legion a demonstration will be "pulled off" on that day.

At one o'clock Tuesday afternoon a special luncheon will be given at the Mess Hall of The Infantry School Detachment. All Legionaries are urged to be present and incidently be sure to bring a fifty cents with you so that you will be able to enjoy the "feed" that is promised.

## 15th Tank Battalion News

Slick said that Mr. Head went down to the Boulevard the other night, and tried to burn his (Slicks) home down. That was all right Slick he was getting revenge. That was a receipt for the four stitches he got last December, Nap, and Hook was backing him up so "beware Otto."

Bugs DeNapoli is learning his Indian Squaw part for the show real well, the show is to be staged the 20th, of this month, and by the 30th he will be an honest to goodness actor.

Well we got by another one, pay day came and went and not a man in jail, or over the hill.

Well 'O'le Bill broke his longest run; he went to church last Friday, and came back Sunday, and I wonder why he had to take Sugar Sweet along, better watch your step Sugar.

Sgt. Edwards held a meeting of the Sunday schools last Friday and Saturday, from all reports it was a very successful meeting.

Tin ear Massy, and Faces are pushing the little Fordson Tractors, around the post, atta boy Collier but you better watch the darn thing it may buck on you.

I wonder why I haven't heard the boys popping off about little "Eva" this month, (What is the matter, has she moved.)

Jim please don't take that job in the day room, Bachelor won't sleep for the remainder of his enlistment. Poor Petite.

Corpl. Huber is confined to the Post Hospital, where he was operated upon for appendicitis last Saturday morning Hubers condition was termed serious before the operation, which has been successful.

Corpl. Howard, and Pvt. Williams are going strong for radio. Any member of the Battalion wishing to get in touch with any point on the face of the globe, kindly communicate with these "Radio wonders."

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## PRIZE CONTEST

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incident was related of Major Leswirk who brought out some kindling wood and on arriving here shoveled it out of his Ford in the shape of saw dust. Mrs. Grundy, wife of Major Grundy, addressed the chair and told how she had had a bottle of milk recently delivered to her home from Columbus and that all it contained on delivery was a few drops of buttermilk and a small cake of stamped butter.

Major Reekal however told a tale that brought tears to eyes of all present and caused a vote of condolence to be rendered him after which the meeting broke up as an expression of sympathy. He told of having put—— in his car one day while in Columbus and wept on recounting that when he got to camp all he found was——.

Note—Fill in the blank spaces or give Major Reekal' story in your own words send it to the Editor and the prize is yours if no one else competes. Think of it! Steam heated ear muffs!

## Sanitary Notes

"The presence in Columbus of two cases of typhoid fever emphasizes that the 'season' for typhoid fever will soon be here." Now is the time, to take the precautions which may be relied upon to prevent the disease.

Of first importance is to drink only water of the post supply. Practically every spring on the reservation is polluted no matter how clear the water may be. On all trips to the woods, whether on duty, on a picnic or hunting, carry a canteen of the post water with you. Don't drink from springs or streams.

In the anti-typhoid vaccine we have a preventive measure of proven reliability. Young and old should take advantage of these "shots" and put themselves on the safe side.

"Recently practically every kitchen and garbage stand on the post has been placarded with instructions, calling attention to the absolute importance of separating ashes from the garbage and waste. There are reasons for doing this.

First the ashes if clean and not mixed with trash, can be very advantageously used for filling purposes. The Post needs walks badly. These can be built if enough clean ashes are available. This means the difference between muddy wet shoes, and clean dry ones.

Second, it is almost impossible to satisfactorily burn garbage and waste if mixed with ashes. The new incenerator is a burner of garbage and waste, not a burner of ashes.

Play the game and separate the ashes."

"Those who proose to have gardens this spring should long since have secured manure from the corral and worked it into the soil. With the warm weather, fly breeding will increase by leaps and bounds. Therefore if manure, the greatest of all fly breeders, is now hauled to your quarters for garden purposes you may expect to have your house filled with flies. The moral is to finish this part of your gardening operations promptly and set traps for the flies."

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### Company "A"

Private 1st Class Bell must have had a bad experience in the city, he has taken up his old haunt.

Pvt. 1st-Class Murphy is out of the hospital and is back at his old tricks again go slow spud.

Private Orange has had enough trying to keep his love separated, but it is a job that you has got to be very smoothe on, if you don't keep on the job love and love will surely meet, and then what, Orange will be a lost boy.

### Company "C"

Sergt. Powell the candy Jim has quit the old trail leading to 23 block and now picked up a new one toward the city.

Corpl. George Barnett, and the late Mr. John Thornton were honorably entertained by the high society of Columbus. They were the only representatives of the company. They enjoyed the finest of dancing then the young ladies gave them a supper about 9 P. M. then about one hour later they were seen at the Post Restaurant eating a feed that would ration all of C, Company.

### Company "I"

Old Pa. Simmons, decided that he would remain a nephew to Dear old Uncle Sam for three more years. He raised his right flopper and got'em last Monday.

Corpl. Reeves, (Noisy) Has lost what ever he had for a mind, since the young lady has arrived from Birmingham, He seems to think that she is hiding from him .

Goodbye Poor Boy Russell we are all sorry to see you leave, Hope you have good luck in "M" Company with Sergt. Hill and Pvt. Galamore.

LOST, Strayed or Stolen: A French poodle dog (white) about 2 years old. Named Buster and will follow you when called by that name. Return to Corporal W. M. Williams, Co. I, 24th Infantry, and receive Reward.

### Company "K"

Corpl. Jones, (he vamp) has started out again, after keeping out of the City since last Christmas "Look Out Shacks"

Wonder what will become of our Romage Sale since Sergt. Belser, (Pa Perkins) has temporarily declined to make any more collections.

Pvt. Claude Thompson, of service company was heard singing about twelve o'clock "The restricted blues" as follows: "They may be alright to you, but they are a pain to me."

### Company "L"

Sergt. Scott our noted Mess Sergeant must be very fond of Whist says a certain Private of this Company.

The question was asked why he thought so his Answer, because the Mess certainly believed in Beef Hearts.

Our noted Stew Cook Private 1st Class Walter Rogers has invented a new kind of stew called Slip up on the garbage, the kind if the troops dont eat it you have to slip up on the garbage can to through it out.

A certain Private of Company "L" known as Buck Shot who is so very fond of singing asked a Sergeant what was good to develop his voice, the Sergeant replied at once by saying any kind of acid that was Poison.

Private William Troup was last seen coming out of the woods with a small tree on his shoulder when asked what the idea was his answer was that he was just about to begin making his new Bat for this ball season.

### Company "M"

Our honorable Mess Sergeant with the assistance of the Honorable Mr. Young has fairly well succeeded in perfecting a greaseless and tasteless biscuit; the same was submitted at a breakfast a few days ago for the delectation and entertainment of the company; every living soul who had the pleasure of getting one were unanimous in the opinion that for purposes of an offensive or defensive action they were just the "thing" but that as an article of diet they just a trifle "off limits."

M. George F. Lippman has returned to his home after having paid a short visit to friends and relatives in the company. (Note: "Friends" are those who owe him and "relatives" should be construed to mean those to whom he is indebted.)

Since Private Holland, has been attending the M. G. School, the explanation of the action of the recoil has became quite a nuisance in the company.

Joe White wash initiated with a brick-bat in the bottoms t'other day; he stated that it was not unexpected as he has been living in a glass house for sometime.

We haven't time in this issue to say all that comes to mind; nevertheless we drop this hint to H. W.—you're going to get yours before we past away If you are going to throw stones at me, I'm going to throw them at you and believe me, you'll have to dodge some to keep from getting blown up.

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

Last Saturday evening a number of the committeemen enjoyed a dinner at the Cozy Tea Roo min Columbus, given for Sergeant Collins, who is soon to end his career in Fort Benning, as a soldier, later going to the Grand theater where "When Knighthood was in flower" was being shown. The committee's special table was beautifully decorated and a home-like atmosphere prevailed through out the dinner and it is needless to say that the evening was enjoyed by all present.

The Service Club Committee held its regular weekly meeting Monday evening at seven o'clock.

WANTED A PIANIST TO PLAY FOR THE SOLDIER'S GLEE CLUB which meets every Tuesday evening at seven o'clock in the South Room of the Service Club. Any lady desiring to perform this pleasant task please give your name to Miss Roe, the Hostess.

The weekly dance was held Wednesday evening with the hall filled to overflowing with gay dancers. It is noted that new faces appear every week which is a sure way we have knowing that more people are getting interested in our dances—why not, we have one of the best.

We wonder where Sergeant Bjonstoll was last Wednesday evening as his face was missed from among the dancers—that's alright Sergeant, the Bazaar doesn't come but once a year.

TheB. F. C.'s held their regular meeting last Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at which time new officers were elected for the next term of office, the new members being President, Mrs. J. E. Lanham, vice-president Mrs. H. E. Stotts, secretary, Mrs. M. D. O'Neal, Miss Roe was retained as Treasurer. This Club meets every Thursday evening at 2 o'clock in the south room of the Service Club and any lady of the Enlisted personnel is invited to join.

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## THE SACREDNESS OF AN OATH.

Should the day ever come, when the solemn oath calling upon God to witness the truth of what we say or promise, will be lightly regarded by the generality of men, it will be the day that sounds the death-knell of all human faith and trust. The oath is the highest tribunal of conscience—its court of last appeal. For the man who believes in a God—and most men do, it is something so awe-inspiring, something so supremely sacred that nothing short of duty or the direst need can justify his taking it.

When freely (even though reluctantly) taken, or justly exacted, an *oath is strictly binding*; and neither self-interest, nor friendship, nor sweet charity itself, can ever make it otherwise. If quibbling or equivocation is unpardonable in ordinary intercourse between man and man, it is still more inexcusable when confirmed by a solemn oath. The only conceivable explanation of a frivolous disregard of sworn statements or obligations, as frequently occurs, is thoughtlessness, or a failure to realize the nature of the act by which Almight God is called upon to witness the truth of what we say or do. Thoughtlessness, however, is no excuse. Looseness in dealing with a matter of such importance cannot be tolerated. The guilty must be severaly dealt with. The oath is the strongest and last surviving safeguard of human truth and justice, of human faith and trust; and if this last, strong bulwark ever fails us, then will surely come the deluge.

Cases of perjury are of too frequent occurence. To many an oath seems to mean nothing more than a mere matter of form, entailing no serious or real obligation; and were it not for the punishment attached to it, swearing to what is untrue or omitting to do what is promised under oath, would be of more frequent occurance. The punishment is severe and justly so. The matter is of too serious a nature to be passed over lightly. There can be no sympathy for one guilty of perjury. No confidence can be placed in a man, whose oath does not suffice to hold him to the truth, and he is rightly regarded as a criminal of the lowest and most degraded type.—T. J. L.

## THE STAFF SERGEANT'S DREAM.

**Sergeant Ben Adams, may his tribe increase!**
**With more demotions it will likely cease).**
**Saw lately on the foot board of his bed**
**An O. D. angel with an issued head!**
**Who scribbled with a finger nail of gold—**
**Exceeding bootch had made the Sergeant bold**
**And to the presence in the room he said,**
**"What writest thou?" The angel never fled**
**But whispered in the Sergeant's fuzzy ear,**
**"The names of who'll still sergeants be next year!"**
**"And is mine one?" said Adams. "Nay, not so."**
**Replied the angel. The sergeant murmured low,**
**"Chevroned or not, I'll be just as I am,**
**So write it down that I don't give a etc."**
**The angel wrote and vanished. The next night**
**It came in whistling and switched on the light**
**And showed the names of those whom luck would bless—**
**Lo, Sergeant Adams' name led all the rest!**
**(Moral to non-coms—Don't worry too much about it.—J. B. S.)**

## THOUGHTS OF A GRAY SQUIRREL

The day is done and the darkness,
Trails off the wings of night,
As an overcoat button dangleth,
Which never was sewed aright.

I see the lights of Fort Benning,
And reflect how the sadness comes
O'er the officers as they figure
How fast their meter runs!

Fast runs the electric meter,
And it hums to beat the deuce,
Lightening rooms (and also purses)
As it measures out the juice!

Let us read some regulations,
Or heavy bound "reports,"
Forsake all bridge and poker
These are better indoor sports!

Read from the grand old masters
Of the army in its prime,
Nor skip the wild-eyed "changes,"
Of this wise but weaker time!

For like strains of movie music,
Their mighty thoughts suggest,
They didn't have much work to do
And we too long for rest!

And the night shall be filled with sand fleas,
And the cares that infest the day,
Will be harder to find than a field clerk
On a busy office day!

## "IT'S GOOD, ALL RIGHT, BUT I DASSENT PRINT IT"

When the last funny verse is indited
And the last song of joy has been sung;
When the last lamp of laughter is lighted
And the last bell of mirth has been rung—
I shall resign from the army,
To laugh then from morning till night
Not over what I have written
But at that which I never dared write.

## THE ETERNAL FEMININE.

So she awoke, the little Egyptian Princess,
And peered about in the gloom,
Then, lightly tossing aside the silken grave-cloth,
She ran to the mouth of the tomb,
The awe-struck watchers, pale in the flickering torchlight,
Silently gave her room.

Laughed with glee the mighty Pharoah's daughter,
And perched on the tips of her toes,
She blew a kiss to the answering winds of the desert,
Blushing warm as a rose,
Then, drawing a shining mirror forth from her girdle,
Daintly powdered her nose,

But alas! the eyes of the little Egyptian Princess
Are darkened with sudden woe!
Ah! what does she seek? A sunny nook by the river.
Where lotus blossoms blow?
Or the whispering shade, where she kept a tryst with her lover,
Four thousand years ago

Back to her tomb she crept, the royal maiden,
The watchers standing there,
Marked how she drew the silken robe about her,
Bordered with jewels fair,
And the woman cry they heard was as old as Eden:
"I haven't a thing to wear!"
Vilda Sauvage Owens—N. Y. Times
(Gosh, we thought she'd be right in style—Ed.)

## SONGS OF THE PAST.

I remember, I remember, how I went out on patrol,
I rolled from off a hillside steep and fell into a hole,
When I awoke that afternoon I heard this exclamation,
"A fine place for concealment but its poor for observation."

I remember, I remember, how the enemy was hidden,
O'er hills and valleys long I trudged where cavalry had ridden,
For hours I marched beneath a sun which browned me like a berry
And then I learned the enemy was just "imaginary"—G. E. K.

## THOSE QUALIFICATION CARDS!

"Now," said the colonel, looking along the line of recruits, "I want a good, smart looking bugler."

At that, out stepped a dilapidated fellow with a thick stubble of black beard.

"What," said the colonel, eyeing him up and down, "are you a bugler?"

"Oh," he answered, "I thought you said burglar."—Atlanta Journal.

## JUST AS WE THOUGHT

Old King Tut
Lived in no rut,
A regular sport was he,
The things they find,
Show that his mind
Ran to hilaritee—R. K. M. in Hearts Sunday American.

Now we understand better the historical fact that Egypt supplied the rest of the world with corn.

## THE HEAT OF BATTLE

"Tell me," said the lady to the old soldier, "Were you cool in battle?"

"Cool" said the truthful veteran, "Why I fairly shivered."—Christian Register.

## DEVOURS LITERATURE.

M. O. H. of the 29th says he's so hungry that he could eat all the dates out of the Fort Benning News.

## HE MISUNDERSTOOD US.

The genial "Good Morning" Editor of the "Enquirer Sun" avers as follows: "The Fort Benning News pays heart felt tribute in its current issue to the Fort Benning Road."

Not "heartfelt," brother, "HARD FELT!"

## CROSSED IN LOVE!

She—"Bill, you have such affectionate eyes."

Bill —"Dearest, how did you come to that conclusion"

She—"It seems they're always looking at each other."

## HOW ABOUT MRS. SIPPY?

The Amazon has the largest mouth of any river in the world and it was named after a race of wild women. Ain't nature grand!—N. Y. Packer.

## MAYBE HE GRADES PAPERS THE REST OF THE TIME.

Many a man thinks he is overworked just because he takes all day to do a three-hour job.—Baltimore Sun.


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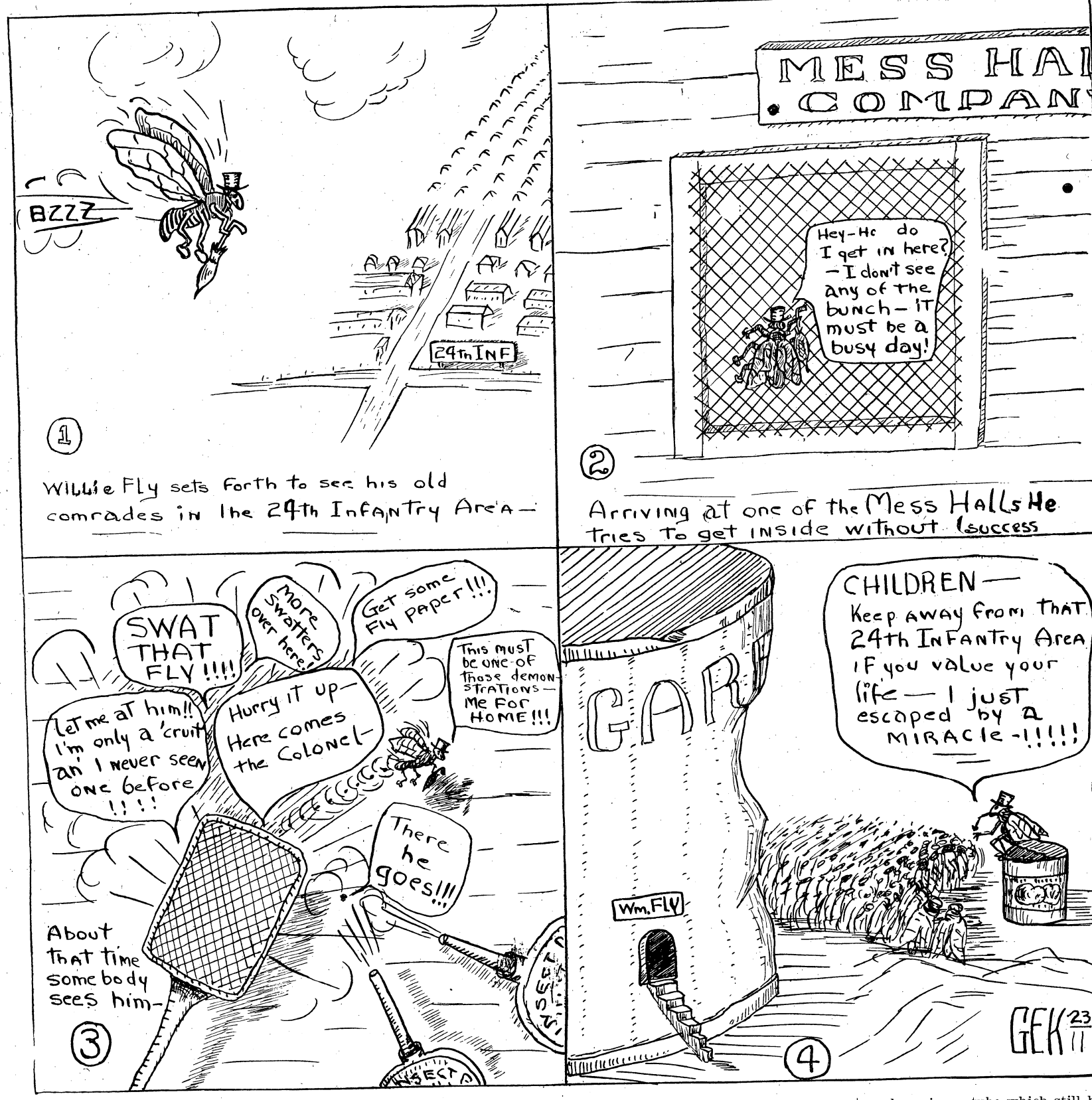


## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

1. Woe unto him in the army of Samuel who complaineth of sickness! Verily tho he rend his garments and tear out his beard in much vouching of his affliction yet no man believeth and he is accounted a gold brick from that day.

2. Consider the case of Job, since transferred, and learn therefrom. A private first-class was he of upright life, who dodged not fatigue but was in all things well disposed except his health.

3. Boils afflicted him and beset him sore, yea, boils and carbuncles.

4. Then went he unto the first sergeant and accosted him humbly, saying, "O thou who holdeth in keep the canteen checks and within whose desk the morning report reposeth! See me as a man afflicted and weary of all life!

5. "Thou, the First Sergeant, art great and should be merciful, thy authority exceedeth a field clerk! Grant, then, that my name be enrolled in the book of the ailing."

6. "All power and glory is thine for naught but a shavetail commandeth the company. Thou sayest unto one, 'Go!' and he goeth, and unto another thou sayest, Come, and he cometh!

7. But the first sergeant was worthy in his heart for that the time for demotion was already at hand and he cried loudly,

8. "Not thou, but I, am the most miserable of men! Of late it happeneth continually that he unto whom I say, "Come" replieth "Lo, I am feeling sick" and he unto whom I say "Go" respondeth "Try elsewhere, I am marked quarters" and I weary of much goldbricking. Report to the kitchen with thy boils, perchance, 'twill hasten the dinner!"

9. Then was Job much abashed but he who was company clerk in those days pitied his plight and entered his name on the sick report when the first sergeant wot not what was doing.

10. Know ye there be some in the army of Samuel who be skilled in healing and an angle worm with wings adorneth their collars.

11. Possessing a liquid more potent than the waters of that pool which is in Jerusalem, by the fish market.

12. Whosoever is touched by this elixir or anointed therewith becometh at once officially whole and fit for duty.

13. Its name is called "Iodine" which in the language of our fathers signifieth "I am in a hurry" but as some interpret it "Thou wilt recover, anyway."

14. And the physicians poured this plentifully upon him and Job appeared thereafter spotted even as a bird dog and for three days shunned the sight of men, keeping within his tent.

15. And I who passed his abode at night heard issuing therefrom his oft lamentation,

16. "Verily a complaining soldier is as cheap inner tube which still holdeth air."

17. "It is joyously replaced when it faileth to function, and even when it performeth it receiveth no praise."

SELAH!

### CONFIDENTIAL!

Did you ever back up against a bee?
Or sit on a mosquito's tail?
Did you ever shovel coal all night?
Or "swab the deck" of a jail?
Did you ever have a horse's hoof
Land flat across your back?
Were you ever hit by a railroad train?
Or a speeding taxi hack?
Did you ever fall down a mountain side
A mile and half or so?
Did you ever push your auto home
When the darn thing wouldn't go?
If all these things had happened to you
And happened all together—
You'd know how we felt the past two weeks
With the flu and this rotten weather.

—N. Y. Packer.

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

## PERSONAL MENTION—

Mr. Tutankhamen, our oldest subscriber, was seen out taking the air yesterday at Fort Benning. In a brief interview he stated that our post reminds him of Egypt more than does any other locality he has ever visited. He says the sand here gets fully as blistering as it ever does around Cairo and he called attention to the fact that the Upatoi overflows much more often than the Nile.

Some time ago a mortal illness so affected Mr. Tut that for the last 4,000 years he has remained close to his room and only recently, yielding to the importunities of visitors, has he consented to resume his old importance in the public eye.

## BANQUET AND DANCE BY 29th INFANTRY BRILLIANT EVENT.

One of the most enjoyable and brilliant events ever given at Fort Benning was the banquet and dnace on last Saturday evening, the conclusion of a delightful program arranged for the organization of the 29th Infantry.

The banquet took place in the officers' mess, and was followed by the cotillion at the officers' hop room.

For the banquet the guests were seated at one large table and several smaller ones. Col. G. S. Goodale, in command of the 29th Infantry, presided at the large table which seated forty guests. At this table were seated General Gordon, commandant of the post; Gen. Winans, Col. Fassett, and others. The place of Mrs. George S. Goodale was marked by a basket filled with exquisite pink roses.

An elegant course dinner was served, after which the guests went to the hop room for the dance. The hop room was gaily decorated for the occasion in flags In the various figures, there were favors, confetti, etc., which added to the gaiety of the affair.

## MRS. CHAS. VALVERDE ENTERTAINS NINTH INFAN. BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Chas. Valverde was a most gracious hostess Tuesday when she entertained the Ninth Infantry Bridge club at a bridge-luncheon, the affair taking place in the parlors of the Ralston Hotel.

The consolation prize was a set of bridge table markers and pencils.

An elegant luncheon was served preceding the game, the table being centered with spring flowers.

The invitation was confined to the members of the club and one or two outside friends.

Those present were: Mrs. Owen Rhoades, Mrs. Jesse Lippencott, Mrs. Ellis Bates, Miss Helen Olmstead, Mrs. Norman Findley, Mrs. Roland Wilkins, Mrs. Hirchfelder, Mrs. R. B. Rogers, Mrs. Millard, Mrs. C. Harvey, Mrs. George Longstreta, Mrs. R. M. Caulkins, Mrs. Earl Crist, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. Chas. Valverde.

## DAVIS BARBEQUE A SUCCESS.

One night last week a representative of the News had the good fortune to receive a personal invitation from Mr. John T. Davis of Columbus to attend a barbeque and "get together" meeting of certain prominent business men of Columbus and a number of officers of the garrison.

Before the crowd was served, an act accomplished with efficiency and dispatch by a number of Columbus ladies, Mr. Davis made a short but interesting talk on the need of Columbus from a community standpoint. After the talk Judge Cozart was informally called upon for a few words and, in his characteristic manner, he kept the crowd laughing and thinking with a mixture of humor and common sense in connection with the subjects of a new tourist hotel, oil wells on the banks of the Chattahoochee, and a paved road to Fort Benning. Judge Cozart was followed by Judge Monroe who showed considerable "pep" notwithstanding the fact that he stated he had been holding court for the past few weeks and was tired out. "Bill" Rainey had a few words of wisdom to dispense and had gotten well started on oil wells until Mr. Davis advised him that he was not sponsoring oil wells. Mr. Rainey than shifted with grace and ease to a tourist hotel and paid his compliments to the advantage of paved roads in general.

Everybody spoke "right out in meeting" as the spirit moved him and among other things the matter of floating bonds for a paved road to Fort Benning was referred to frequently. One of the leading newspaper men of the city made a forcible talk wherein he stated, among other things, that a paved road between Columbus and Ft. Benning was going to be more of a benefit to the Columbus business people than to the Post. He supported this argument by stating that the people of Fort Benning were slowly becoming more and more independent of outside assistance in the matter of buying living necessities due to the fact that such articles were being handled on the reservation and that the theatre on the Post, together with the clubs and other amusement centers, made the garrison personnel content to remain on the Post rather than drive the nine miles to Columbus over the present roads.

Both the barbeque and the meeting was an unqualified success and the result was a clearing away of possible misunderstandings that may have existed before the civilian and military personnel especially in connection with the matter of the Fort Benning Road.

## MUSICAL REVIEW.

The combined Musical and Dramatic clubs will give a cabaret immediately following Lent.

A large dinner will be served and singing and dancing will take place between courses and during intermissions of the dance. A dandy program is being worked up.

The play "Make It Snappy" which the above combined clubs attempted to work up has been discontinued due to the fact that there were insufficient persons to complete the personnel necessary for such a large play and as a result the above cabaret and entertainment will be given.

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# Social Notes

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This program is for the benefit of the Army Relief. So watch the paper and keep your date open for that night.

## BUFFET SUPPER.

Colonel and Mrs. Schoffel were hosts at a most enjoyable buffet supper last Saturday evening before the Cotillion

Narcissi and daffodils were artistically used as a table decoration.

Those present were:

Capt. and Mrs. Van Vliet, Major and Mrs. Sullivan, Col. nd Mrs. Hannah, Col. and Mrs. Peyton, Col. and Mrs. Heavey, Capt. and Mrs. Bresnahan, Major and Mrs. Hardenberg, Capt. and Mrs. Heubner, Col. Kerth, Major Marshburn, Major and Mrs. Wiley V. Carter, Miss Ruth Schoeffel.

## 83rd F. A. BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. R. H. Bacon entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club at her home on last Tuesday.

Mrs. Beiderlinden won the first prize and Mrs. Peckinpaugh the second. Miss Woods drew the consolation.

There were three tables of players and Mrs. J. W. Rumbough wife of Maj. Rumbough and Mrs. Rombough sister of Mrs. J. W. Rumbough and several others were present for tea.

A delightful salad course was served for refreshments.

The next meeting will take place on March 20th at the home of Mrs. W. C. Reed.

## MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.

The Medical Department Bridge club meet at the home of Capt. and Mrs. A. A. Roby on Tuesday evening Feb. 27th.

Major Tobias, Major Smith and Major Moulton were the prize winners for the evening.

Delightful refreshments were served after the game.

Major and Mrs. Thomas Smith will entertain the Club at its next meeting which will be on Tuesday, March 13th.

## CAPT. DALE WAS SURPRISED.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 27th Major and Mrs. Rumbough entertained Capt. Dale at dinner and after the party adjourned to the Field Artillery Officers Club where all of the other Officers and their wives of the 83rd had assembled.

Needless to say that Capt. Dale was taken unaware (which by the way Capt. is an inexcusable crime) and during the few minutes that it took Captain Dale to recover he found that those present had "heaped" many useful and valuable gifts on him ranging all the way from a Toledo Sabre to a young steamship and all kinds of musical instruments.

The various guests present explained why some of the gifts were given. The Damascus Sabre was given for the purpose that the Captain may guard his noble self in case of another attack. The "steamship" was simply a precaution as Capt. Dale leaves in a short time for the Canal Zone in Panama and well you can't always tell there are many ships as "never arrived" The musical instruments are for the purpose of soothing the anger of any and all wild beasts, birds of men, who he may come in contact with.

Candy and Punch were served during the evening and all kinds of games from drop the handkerchief, button-button to bridge were indulged in.

Refreshments of brick ice-cream and cake were served later in the evening

The News extends heartiest congratulations to Capt. Dale that he is fortunate in going to Panama and wishes him an excellent journey and a pleasant tour. We will miss you Captain and sincerely hope that your successor will continue the hearty cooperation that this office has received from you.

## CURRENTS EVENTS CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Current Events Club took place last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. L. Smith.

Mrs. R. Turner gave a paper on recent Foreign Affairs, and Domestic Current Events wsa given by Mrs. Starr Moulton. Current topics were covered by Mrs. Hahn.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were derived after the program.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Starr Moulton on March 19th.

## MRS. ELLIS BATES HOSTESS AT PRETTY BRIDGE PARTY.

A beautiful party of Monday, was the bridge at which Mrs. Ellis Bates entertained in the Ralston Hotel Palm Room.

A large table in one corner of the room was handsomely adorned with a silver basket of buttercups and daffodils. Snapdragons were also placed in available places.

Mrs. Alfred T. Wright won the high-score prize, a lavendar and gold Venetian vase.

Mrs. Pleas B. Rogers cut the consolation, a decorated satin powder box.

A tempting salad course and coffee were served after the game.

Those present were: Mesdames Lee Harvey, Pleas B. Rogers, Ralph Caulkins, David A. Bissett, Norman D. Finley, Frank C. Foley, Paul W. Mapes, Owen Rhodes, Miss Helen Olmstead, Mesdames J. R. Lippincott, Chas. Valverde, Rogers Hilsman, John Robinson, C. J. Hirschfelder, Jas. Sproule, Miss Daisy Sproule, Roberts, Alfred C. Wright, Wilkins, Owen Summers, Pickens, Kaiser, Moncure Pless, Ray Herbert, Chas. Miller, Mrs. Ellis Bates.

## MEDICAL CORPS BRIDGE CLUB TO GIVE BRIDGE LUNCHEON.

The Medical Corps Bridge club have issued invitations to a bridge luncheon on Friday, March 16th, at the Officers mess, at one o'clock.

The hostess will be Mesdames Orville Brown, J. C. Smith, Reeve Turner, Tobias, Moulton, Arnet and Campbell.

## THE U. S. A. T. LOGAN.

The floating school that we hear about that Osa Candler, Jr., of Atlanta has started is some school.

To the old timers in the Army it will be interesting to know that the Candler Floating School is none other than the good old army transport "LOGAN" that was on the P. I. Frisco run for many years.

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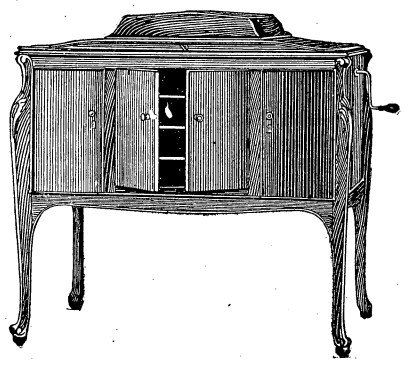

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## Finance Detachment Notes

L. G. Tillerson, just a country "Plow Jockey" trying to get along, decided that he wanted to learn to dance so he finally found a young lady who was kind and patient enough to stand for his clumsiness, stumbling, etc., and he certainly is making progress alright and intends to take in all the dances at the Service Club. By his smile, sideburns and slick hair Ye Shall Know Him—in other words a regular Rudy Valentino.

Corporal Purvis is certainly stepping out these days after solitary confinement in the Post for several months (No, not in Hotel De Teachout). He can be seen most any evening stepping towards the Water Tanks—he says he does it for exercise but we wonder.

Zabe Ayers recently made a trip to Atlanta and upon his return has not been the same boy. He was heard to ask the question "How much do marriage license cost" that may be the cause for so much brooding.

Sergeant Muse is looking for Regulations covering "Appropriation Adjustments"—does anyone know where they can be found?

"Haystack" Barber and "Mama" Stokes have laid their game weapons away until next season and we know it was all for the best for there wouldn't have been anything left to hunt another season had they continued. "Haystack" says for real hunting go to the hills of North Carolina.

White says if it hadn't been for that Ace he caught when he went down for double, he would have been sitting on'em.

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## Medical Dept. Notes

The hospital area is beginning to improve in looks. The flower beds are being shaped. The front of the hospital is beginning to take on the aspect of a lawn. If the good work continues as at present the hospital should be one of the show places of the Post this summer.

Captain P. P. Green, M. C. is confined to the hospital. A complete and speedp recovery is our wish to the Captain.

Major H. W. Grady, M. C. spent the 3rd of March with his father at Roanoke. Ala.

Sergeant G. F. Orr returned Monday from a thirty day furlough, enjoyably spent in Massachusetts. We understand that George was glad to return because of th eextreme cold weather in the North.

If the number of married men living in town, increase, the C. of G. will have to put on an extra coach. We wish to extend congratulations to any one taking the step—But—be sure you look before you leap.

A certain Staff Sergeant had his mind all set for a transfer to Fitzsommons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., but the War Department has a different idea. He will soon leave for Foreign Service.

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Well, we finally got that settled and then he showed me some goods for a uniform all the way from imported serges and etc., to the domestic. Now let me tell you that Mr. Dana has some classy stuff. Also he is getting ready for a rush on white and khaki uniforms. He guarantees his work as well as the fit. Take a look at his ad.

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After we left Dana's place, whose smiling countenance should we run into but Mr. McDonald of the firm of Maxwell Brothers and McDonald, the furniture firm.

When asked why the big smile, Mr. Mac said that he was tickled that they had a goodly supply of Ice Kings on hand. Well for the life of us we could not see why having Ice Kings on hand especially when we had cold recollections from the week before, so therefore, we asked him what about the Ice Kings and then he informed us that the Ice King was the best refrigerator in the World, and as the cold weather was a thing of the past for several months that these particular Ice Kings would soon be in demand. He also says that they give a verbal guarantee with each Ice Kink that when you once put ice in this King that there will be no more ice put into i tagain until you put it in.

But this is a wonderful regrigerator and is worth taking a look at and also take a look at his special ad.

### CAN FIX THEM.

You know we had a funny experience the early part of this week. We had two phone calls, one from the Columbus Auto Repair Co. and the other one from Marchman's Garage, and they both informed us that they could repair that radiator that was frozen in the picture of "I remember, I remember." Also they said that very probably that that was not all that was frozen or out of order and as they were in a position to cure the ills of any machine and that one try would convince you. Now if you don't believe us just take a look at their ad.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## POLO

The series of Polo games that were started last Sunday for the Dierk's Trophy will be continued each Sunday until the winner is determined.

The following is the schedule:

Sunday, March 11—29th Infantry Vs. Blues. 4 periods cont. from last Sunday. 83rd Field Art. Vs. Yellow, 4 periods cont. from last Sunday.

Sunday, March 18—Winner Vs. Winner (from previous games) 4 periods. Remaining 4 next Sunday. Losers Vs. Losers, (from previous games) 4 periods, remaining 4 next Sunday.

Sunday, March 25—Losers Vs. Losers 4 periods continued from last Sunday. Winners Vs. Winners, 4 periods continued from last Sunday.

The above schedule calls for one half of a game by each team on each Sunday weather permitting.

If weather will not permit the playing on one Sunday say on the 18th of March then the game scheduled for March the 18th will be played on the 25th and the game of the 25th the following Sunday.

Games called at 2:00 P. M.

## CAGE SEASON ENDS.

(Lieut. A. F. Fugelberg.)

Last Saturday night the curtain was rung down on the final game of basketball for the Second Battalion, 29th Infantry, during this season. It was the second Bn. game from the start, having a far superior team to that of the First Batallion. Kjelstrom, as usual, was the star, tallying 30 out of the 50 points, which were made by the team.

The First Battalion was only able to tally a scant 11 points.

This leaves the Second Batallion the undefeated champions of the Post. This team certainly has shown the members of the Post what an enlisted man's team can do in the way of team work. It is a good team and deserves the championship. Just to show that the second team can play too, Coach Sims used them the last few minutes of play Saturday night. They prevented the First Bats from scoring and tallyed 7 points for themselves.

## GOOD POLO GAMES LAST SUNDAY

Last Sunday the first games of the series of Polo games were started to determine who had the best team. Incidently to add zest to the game the prize is the Dierk's Trophy, which is presented by the Dierk's Jewelry Store

Two games were started and four periods were played of each games. The remaining four periods will be played on Sunday, March the 11th.

The Blues have won the Trophy each year so far, but the 29th are determined to win it this year.

The 29th Infantry defeated the Blues 6-4 and the 83rd Art. defeated the Yellows 4-0 in the four periods that were played.

LINE UP.

| 29th Inf. | Position | Blues |
|---|---|---|
| Lieut. Douglas | 1 | Lieut. J. W. Elkins |
| Capt. McClure | 2 | Lieut. French |
| Lieut. Broedlaw | 3 | Capt. Legge |
| Capt. Betts | 4 | Capt. Weems |

Sub. 29th Inf. Lt. Malone for Lt. Broedlaw.

LINE UP.

| 83rd F. A. | Position | Yellows |
|---|---|---|
| Lieut. Gannon | 1 | Lieut. Barnett |
| Lieut. Roxburry | 2 | Maj. Waite |
| Lieut. McCarthy | 3 | Capt. Martin |
| Major Yeager | 4 | Capt. Eggers |

Lieut Douglas 29th Inf. and Lieut French of the Blues were the outstanding stars of the game Sunday.

# Second Baseball Game of the Season
# Inf. School vs. Piedmont College
# Today, Saturday, Driving Park, Selah!

## P. E. FILLING STATION CHANGES MANAGERS.

Within the past few days the Post Exchange has acquired a new manager for the Service Station in the person of Mr. W. E. Austell.

Mr. Austell stated, when interviewed by a reporter of the News, that he had had a number of years experience in the automobile accessory business and that it was his aim to put the Post Exchange service station on par with the most modern stations of this kind.

Among other things the new manager promises a larger and more complete line of accessories and better tire repair service. He is also going to improve the gasoline and oil service to the extent that during the rush hours of Saturday when the garrison reports for its Sunday purchses of gas and oil the delay noticeable in the past in getting this gas and oil will be greatly lessened.

The Post Exchange filling station at Fort Benning does a large volume of business—probably larger than any three stations in Columbus—and the manager's job, if he holds it down properly, is going to keep him on his toes, baseballically speaking. Here's luck to him and may he make good.

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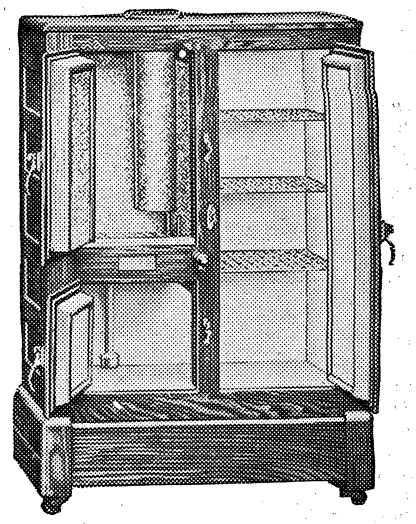
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STRATEGY?

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We discover with dismay, that the battles of that day
Were commanded almost wholly by the **"Angels of the Lord"—**
And the field of Armageddon—Not the one that T. R. bled on,
Is as good an illustration as our histories record,
Of "ridiculous inaction" and the subsequent impaction
Of the Chariots-of-Iron, and the Moabitish Horde.

Their strategy was awful! In fact T'was most unlawful;
For they put a dozen chaplains in the very front and van
Sending forth an ultimatum (just to harry'um and bait'um!
With the sanction of Jehovah, if they plunked a holy man.
But probably misdoubtin' the high priests set to shoutin',
Encompassing the temple and a drummin' on a pan
Till the commissary camels and the various other mamals
Stampeded and were scattered from Beer-She-Ba unto Dan.
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In spite of much dispersion and their subsequent immerson,
Old Gideon crossed the Jordan and the King of Midians ran.

MORAL:

There are nine and forty ways, of constructing tribal lays,
(Another minor poet is the author of this line)
So if he is right, in part, in the **Military** Art,
The posted up solution may be just as good as mine.

**EQUITATION SECTION, GENERAL SUBJECTS.**

In Hippology Class: Lt. Ducrot in sotto voice, "What do you know about that Calvary officer, telling those officers that the fetlock is down there on the foot instead of at the animal's poll! And none of them know any better."

Heard daily at Equitation, 1st Platoon, "Capt. Lambert, how do I look now? Are my legs all right?"

The officers are showing good form in jumping, going through the chutes. For instance, when Number Seventy-one went through like a house afire and then made a sharp turn to the left Mighty good over the jumps, though, Seventy-one!

We look for good weather this week; at least, Private Allen, Blake and Potter are hoping for the same, during their five days out on reconnaissance with Military Art Department.

Also, looking farther ahead, the men hope that they will have an independent outfit next year. They are all strong for a mounted detachment, such as was started last year and then suffered sudden death. Perhaps they have some ideas about the troop officers, too, if the Mtd. Dta. idea goes through.

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## Recruiting News Notes

Three cheers and a raspberry for the Recruiting Officer. Oh boy did you gove the frontespiece of the edition 2 weeks ago the "mean glim" or in plain American the double O. Wa'nt that the "Kittens Pajamas." That, dear reader was just a small spasm of an artistical smear by our new Recruiting Officer. Allah help us if he should happen to have another spasm anywhere near soon. But we will admit it was good even if we are bashful.

Brother Browns daily dozen "now the time for all good men to come to the aid of their party" etc. etc. with variations on the Underwood. He may be seen taking his daily exercise in the Post Recruiting office between the hours of 8 A. M. and 4 P. M. daily.

Our elongated orderly bought himself a supply of pipes and a couple of cigarette holders the other day, we are wondering who he is going to hold up to keep him supplied with the necessary material to keep them going.

Somebody must have exploded a bomb under our entire force, if you want to see a bunch P. O. well just take a peep thru the door of our office but don't speak loud or you might wake Fairchilds.

But Oh Boy watch that gang at noon, the way they all get away, when the noon whistle blows is surprising, Fairchilds in the lead.

Favorite saying around our office:

Sergt. there is some mail down at the office for you"

Sergt. have you got the scissors."

"Jones gimme a cigarette."

"Brown gimme a match."

It is with deep regret that we learn that our ersthile chief clerk Mr. Sgt. B. F. Harris will not be with us for many moons. He has been informed that as soon as he is able to make the trip, he is to be sent to Fitzsimmons General Hospital. Denver, Colo. for further treatment. The best wishes of our small force attend you Sergt. in your quest of that which is more valuable than riches and fine raiment "Perfect Health."

Selah.

## History of 29th Infantry

This article is reprinted this week owing to the fact that the demand for last week's issue of the "News" was so great, sufficient copies for mailing could not be secured.

**(Article 22.—Being the last of this Series. 1919—1923.**

After the Seventeenth Division had been dissolved the 29th remained at Camp Beauregard, La. until the Camp was closed and then, in March, 1919, moved, as per orders, to Camp Shelby, Miss. Within a few days the first Battalion was ordered to Camp Benning, Ga. The rest of the Regiment remained at Camp Shelby until the work of demobilizing the many thousands of troops from that part of the South was completed. Then, in October, 1919, this portion of the 29th proceeded to Camp Benning to become part of the Infantry School Troops.

The years that have followed at this station, now Fort Benning, have been full ones. The Regiment has taken a lead in all the work of the school. Its activities, accomplishments, successes as well as its trials and tribulations have been too numerous to mention but with it all has come the consciousness of work well done, success achieved, well earned and desirved plaudits showered upon it, leaders of and a tremendous contribution to the work of making leaders of men in the Infantry branch of the Service.

Fort Benning is a healthy place. The Regiment has not suffered from sickness, to speak of. It is a good place to develop character. Something about the place that one is not aware of at the time of service here makes one feel after he has been away for a time that he wants to get back to Benning.

The Twenty Ninth always has been a happy outfit. It is happy today.

## Co. "F" 1st Gas Regt.

Well Sergt. Farrell is back for his summer vacation. Outside of the maneuver, target practice and the hike to McClellan he expects to have a very pleasant summer. There is one thing hat he surely developed while in Macon and that is a perfect boarding house reach.

We have been wondering who instructed Corpl. Miller in "The care of the rifle." He was told that a hat cord was an ideal thing to clean a rifle with but they forgot to tell him to take the hat off.

Hank says "Keyes is so stingy he is afraid to smoke out in the sunlight for fear his shadow might ask him for bits.

Some one wanted to know the difference between Wilson and Martin. Well Wilson never goes where he is looking and Martin never looks where he is going.

Pvt. Francis our celebrated song bird can be heard most any time singing a song that no one can understand owing to the fact that he sings in his native tongue. Hank says, "that lad should be with Caruso." We all agree with Hank.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Service Company.**

Paint from Montgomrey Ward, Varnish from Sears-Roebuck, several bottles Dye and Shine and a Refrigerator Car full of harness, grease liberally applied throughout the period of preparation for the 29th Infantry Field Meet, could not "cop" the blue ribbon. Ask "Jimmy." The Service Company had the blue ribbon cinched as far back as the day after last years events. Sgt. O'Leary and Sergt. Johnston waged a friendly war for quite a while and finally the day of judgment arrived. Smith of the Service Company trotted forth a couple of the finest mules and one of the best escort wagons that could be found anywhere. The judges came, carefully examined the entries and pinned the blue ribbon on the mules.

**1st Battalion Hdqrs. Co.**

Pvt. Ramsay entered the hospital last Thursday. We trust he will recover from his illness speedily.

We wonder if Corpl. Hacker is going to enter the drug business. Judging from his collection of toilet articles, curatives, etc. this seems highly probable.

Being asked how many cigarettes he smoked in a day, Sergt. Evans immediately replied, Oh, any given number. Many a true word, etc.

**Company "A"**

The writer claims no great length of service he can truthfully say that he has served the same regiment with the following distinguished gentlemen: Paul Revere Hudson, Jefferson Davis Box, Walter Scott Winn and Alexander Hamilton Perwein.

"A" Company feels that they did their full share to bring credit to the 1st Bat. in the late field meet. Altho we did not get 1st place as a Company, we do feel that we played the game for all there was in it and we wish to congratulate "B" Company on their splendid work.

Bugler Oexle has a brand new Overland car and it is all paid for, too.

We are all rearing to go on the range now for we feel sure we are going to knock'em cold this year.

Pvt. 1st-Class Boronat, went to the hospital about seven months ago with a broken leg after being injured in a base ball game. At last he is back with us for duty. We want to say that his leg is not the only thing "Game" about him, for he had complications set in while in the hospital and had his leg rebroken again and again and several operations performed to restore the complete use of his leg.

**Company "B"**

Short I know that you have a great desire to walk but I never thought that you loved it so well as to walk twelve miles on a lonely road—for Nothing.

Corpl. Romploskie is not going to return to the under ground savges as previously stated but is going to re-up, and play with the Infantry School next year. I am telling the world that he is going to show us something new in foot-ball this year.

We have some promising material for the coming foot-ball team this year and he has already demonstrated his ware in the athletic field by winning the 220 yard dash in the field meet *in twenty* four seconds flat.

**Company "C"**

Fifty-seven men from Co. "C" bought tickets for the Toot Sweet show, every body seemed to enjoy it except Pvt. Brenner, he would rather see an old Plantation.

Sergt. Keasak is busy instructing recruits, the recruits have the sympathy of all who know Pop.

Corpl. Peters is ready for some real duty now after playing foot ball and basket ball all winter.

**Company "D"**

Private Harvey Stiotts, the tonsorial artist of this organization is the proud owner of a Ford touring car. Pvt. Stotts is quite a financial genius and other than hitting the boys for Boncilla's when they least expect it, he can also throw an artful pair of jumping dominoes. But when he purchased a Ford he discovered his match in subtlety.

**Company "E"**

Our baseball team suffered defeat at the hands of the Service Co. last Sat. but watch our smoke in the future.

"E" Company sure showed some class in the field meet, taking first place in the Bat. and Second in the Reg. The prize event of the day was copped by Pvt. (Breezy) Powell the neatest soldier that has been seen in these parts in many days.

The Co.'s deposits increased by 21 per cent. this month. Watch your step "G" Co. because we are out to be the best in the Reg. "Every day in every way we are getting better and better."

We sure think the mess was fine last month and hope it continues to be for the better the chow the better the soldier.

We wish to announce that we have an animal trainer in the Co. All dogs trained to bark. 10c per head.

We have several aspirants for a commission in the Officers Reserve Corps, but the real reason that they are willing to do it is that they want to get a vacation for a while. How come Payne old boy?

If Seabury don't want a reserve bar or two I am badly mistaken.

Corpl. Brown was elected Captain of the baseball team and with Payne, Crane, Holstrom, Bryant and Myers in the infield he should have some aggregation. The outfield as we all can see are past msters at their profession.

"Everything comes to the person that hath patience" is a truth that we often hear: but Pring makes a fellow wait always and never gives him any clothes.

King has moved his roll from under the mattress since Tent 41 burned. Atta-boy King keep the old rubber tight.

The cribbage tournament is moving along nicely with the exception of New, who decided he had no chance when Dad made 31 for 14 on him. Hooch stepped in though and is doing very good for a recruit.

**Company "F"**

Chesser is not going to re-enlist at all just a rumor he is going back to Texas the land of Rattlers and Wild Cats.

Our Baseball Team did very well with their initial game of the season. A serious mishap befell Mechanic Phillip who sustained a broken ankle in the game, every one hopes for his speedy recovery as he is one of our best players.

Corpl. Price was the hero in the game he hit the pill for a single and getting a "Homer" due to the errors of "G" Co. it added a little pep to the game of course.

Sid, had to get mussed up again in the game, you seem to have a "Jinx" following you thru life Sid.

In that Bugler Floyd M. Chesser, Co. "F" 29th Inf. will at Fort Benning, Ga., on or about the 9th day of March, 1923 re-enlist for Co. "F" 29th Inf. and of course every member of the Co. wishes you luck Floyd.

Wonder what the editor did with our news last week, it was not published.

All one hears in the Co. now days is baseball according to the debating we will have some team. Corpl. Warner won't play unless he is pitcher, Graham won't play unless he has big league balls. Wonder where he came from the big leagues, more than likely came from the big sticks.

Corpl. Warner's pet ambition is to see the student cooks in our mess hall be made to eat every single "spud" which they put out to the Co. at chow time, especially the Spuds that are about to retire. Cheer up John, you were a "Guardsman" once yourself.

How many "Jerrys" are you going to get in your home town Arvil?

Corpl. Sutton is downhearted somewhat since he cannot get with the Recruiting Detachment, he is sore because he wasn't born in Georgia cheer up John why didn't you tell them you are from Wedowee, Ala.

**Company "G"**

The "Big Feed," on March 3rd, was enjoyed by every member of the Company. On Xmas Day, music was enjoyed by the Company, but on Orgnization Day, music was not necessary because Sergt. Johnson served soup.

I guess Fort Benning will soon be filled with Georgia Recruits, by sending ou tGeorgia Natives on Recruiting duty.

Better get busy Reese.

On last Saturday night the 2nd Bn. basketball team won a very one-sided fracas from the 1st Bn. Score being 52-11. Guess maybe the 1st Bn. will want another game soon. The Company baseball team has started off well, by winning their first game from Co. "F" 29th Inf. Both teams played a real good game.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

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**Company "H"**

For a small Company, Co. "H" came off fairly well in the field meet last Friday. Following is a list of the winners:

Sergt. Slaght, 220 yard low hurdles, 2nd place; Corpl. Daniels, running broad jump, 3rd place; Pvt. Helms, mile run, 2nd place; Sergt. Slaght, 440 yard dash, 3rd place; Sergt. Parris, high jump, 2nd place; Corpl. Taylor, Machine Gun Cart, 2nd place; Pvt. Lunz, Mounted Orderly, 3rd place; Sergt. Godfrey, Enlisted men's jumping (mounted), 2nd place; Mounted tug of war team, 2nd place; Second battalion relay (Parris, Daniels, Slaght), 2nd place; Second battalion tug of war team (Masenheimer, Cobb, E. J.), 2nd place.

Exclusive of the relay race and tug of war, the Company gathered in 21 points for the entire meet. This was enough for 3rd place. Counting only the field events, we took 4th place. A little hard luck is all that kept us out of first place.

This company was 4th on the list for deposits in the Regiment last pay day. We expect to be near the top or at the top of the lis tthis pay-day.

The Demonstration Platoon on Special Duty at the Infantry School, will soon come back to the Company for duty. This platoon has done excellent work throughout the school term.

We received some new baseball equipment for our team. There is still some more gloves to come also bats and balls. We have some good men out trying for the team, and we expect to have the team in tip-top condition for Saturday's game with the Second Bn. Headquarters Company.

**Hdqrs. Co. 2nd Battalion.**

We issued canteen checks on the 15th of this month, as we always do, on the 15th. This is written on the 7th, and when this item is printed, we will be spending those checks. (Beat you this time.—Ed.)

If the ever-busy photographer of the Enquirer-Sun were to ever take a notion to take a picture of this Company Area, he'd wait for ever to get the finished product. Someday, we'll complete the improving of our appearance.

Yesterday the 1st Sergt. decided that our garden needed the rake, and the Supply Sergt. did some experimenting with paints, while today Conley is finishing a bad job of window-washing started three months ago. He broke two windows which will have to be replaced.

When we do get the old ship in condition, it'll will have to be a snappy camera-man to get her right, before she busts loose again.

If this interests anybody, the recruiter from this Company is at last officially appointed. You know it had to be a native son and Sgt. Powell ought to get results, whereas outsiders would be at a disadvantage in working this foreign territory properly. Reminds me of the time someone said something about the A. F. in G. (Georgia.)

In giving the names of acquaintances in your town for the benefit of the recruiting party, it is well to forget about those fellows who are bigger than you are.

Pvt. Smolen offers the following which he jotted down a couple of days ago, at about 2 A. M. He says he has the best interests of the Company in mind at all times but if dreams are reflections of subsconscious thought, we'd better look a little deeper into the matter. An expert in dream analysis wanted.

The vision he saw was a notice on the Company Bulletin Board:

Company Baseball Team.

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|---|---|
| Leonardi | Catcher |
| Jolliff | Pitcher |
| Mutz | 1st Base |
| Laveroski | 2nd Base |
| Shaffer | 3rd Base |
| Sikora | Short Stop |
| Gajtka | L. Field |
| Smith, Carl | Centerfield |
| Castro | R. Field |
| Abramovich | Pitcher (sub) |
| RHOADES | MANAGER |

These men will turn out each day at 1 P. M. for practice, as they represent the Company Baseball team.

Adam says he was very much excited but he copied just as it appeared to him.

## Artillery Notes

Kid Temples went around in a sweat and awfully excited for a few days when someone asked him what the trouble was, he then replied; "I am wondering whether the captain will give me a furlough, I just simply got to go to Macon that's all there is to it.

We have our ex-M. P. meaning Roberts, back with us again, when asked why he did not stay on M. P. duty he replied, "Well they handed me a rope and told me to go out and catch stray dogs."

LOST—One O. D. soldier, answers to the name of White, finder please return to Battery "A" 83rd Field Artillery, Fort Benning, Ga.

We sure would like to know where he is, someone said he is either in Girard or the wilds of Phenix City, he'll return to the fold (as soon as he loses his happy home) they all do.

Our star baseball pitcher, Drawdy, who hails from Starks, Fla., wherever that is, has started his spring training season between the barracks. We are all beginning to wonder whether he'll get up at three o'clock in the morning and put on his baseball shoes to break the min, like he did last year.

**COMING "SKIN DEEP."**

**"Appearance Doesn't Always Show Real Character," Star Says.**

"From now on I'm not going to assume that a man is a crook simply because he looks like one," said Florence Vidor following a final pre-view of "Skin Deep," in which she plays one of the feminine leads in this special photodrama of Thomas H. Ince's.

"The wonderful thing about this picture to me, other than its tremendously fascinating story that moves with a thrill, is that it presents what will be to most of us an entirely new idea on the question of crime and criminals. The beauty of it is that there is no attempt at preaching. The story is built upon life itself supported by new developments in plastic surgery. After living in the atmosphere of this picture for weeks, I know that physical handicaps and defects play an important part in making many of our criminals.

"This great picture demonstrates the truth of this theory in a manner that is irrestible. And yet it has some of the most melodramatic and powerful scenes that I have ever witnessed. The facts revealed in this picture were a revelation to me and I know they will be the same to the millions of people who see it on the screen."

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## History of 7th Engineers

General Orders, No. 37.

Awards of Distinguished Service Cross—By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved July 9, 1918 (Bul. No. 43, W. D., 1918), the distinguished-service cross was awarded by the Commanding General, American Expeditionary Forces, for extraordinary heroism in action in Europe, to the following named officers and enlisted men of the American Expeditionary Forces, and of the Allied Forces:

Elmer W. Highley, sergeant. Medical Detachment, 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Nantillois, France, Oct. 13, 1918. Although wounded he remained on duty after his battalion had passed on and the other troops in the vicinity had been forced into dugouts, giving first aid and directing the excavation of his wounded comrades on a heavily shelled road.

David S. Oliphant, sergeant, Company "A" 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action at Romagne, France, Oct. 14, 1918. By his energy, initiative, and courage he located several machine-gun nests and captured nine prisoners and an anti-tank gun when sent out with three other soldiers to locate the enemy positions.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**
Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**
Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**
Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**
Sunday 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:
Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.
Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.
Rabbi F. L. Rosethal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

**Lenten Services.**

Special Lenten services will be held at the Post Protestant Chapel, by Chaplain Wood, every Wednesday morning at 10:30. All other services at the Chapel will be in keeping with the Lenten season.

At the Catholic Chapel the special Lenten services conducted by Chaplain Lennan will consist of Stations of the Cross followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, every Friday night at 7 o'clock. On Sunday nights at 7 there will be the Rosary, Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. At the Sunday night services the series of Lenten sermons will be preached by the Rev. Father Moylan, of Columbus.

### NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS TO BE DEMOTED

Congress Failed to Pass The Bill

When the 67th Congress closed, it left considerable unfinised work and among some of this unfinished work was a bill to increase the per centage of non-commissioned officers. Mr. McKinzie tried his best to get the bill before the House (It passed the Senate several months ago) but there were several members present who objected to anything military so the Bill was never brought up for consideration. If the bill could have gotten on the floor of the House it would have passed as the votes were there.

In view of the fact that the War Department does not have sufficient funds to pay the surplus non-commissioned it is expected that the necessary reductions will have to take place March 31st. This will work a hardship not only on the Regular Army but also on the National Guard and the Reserves.

The following gives the totals of each grade to be affected as computed from data given in the Army and Navy Journal:

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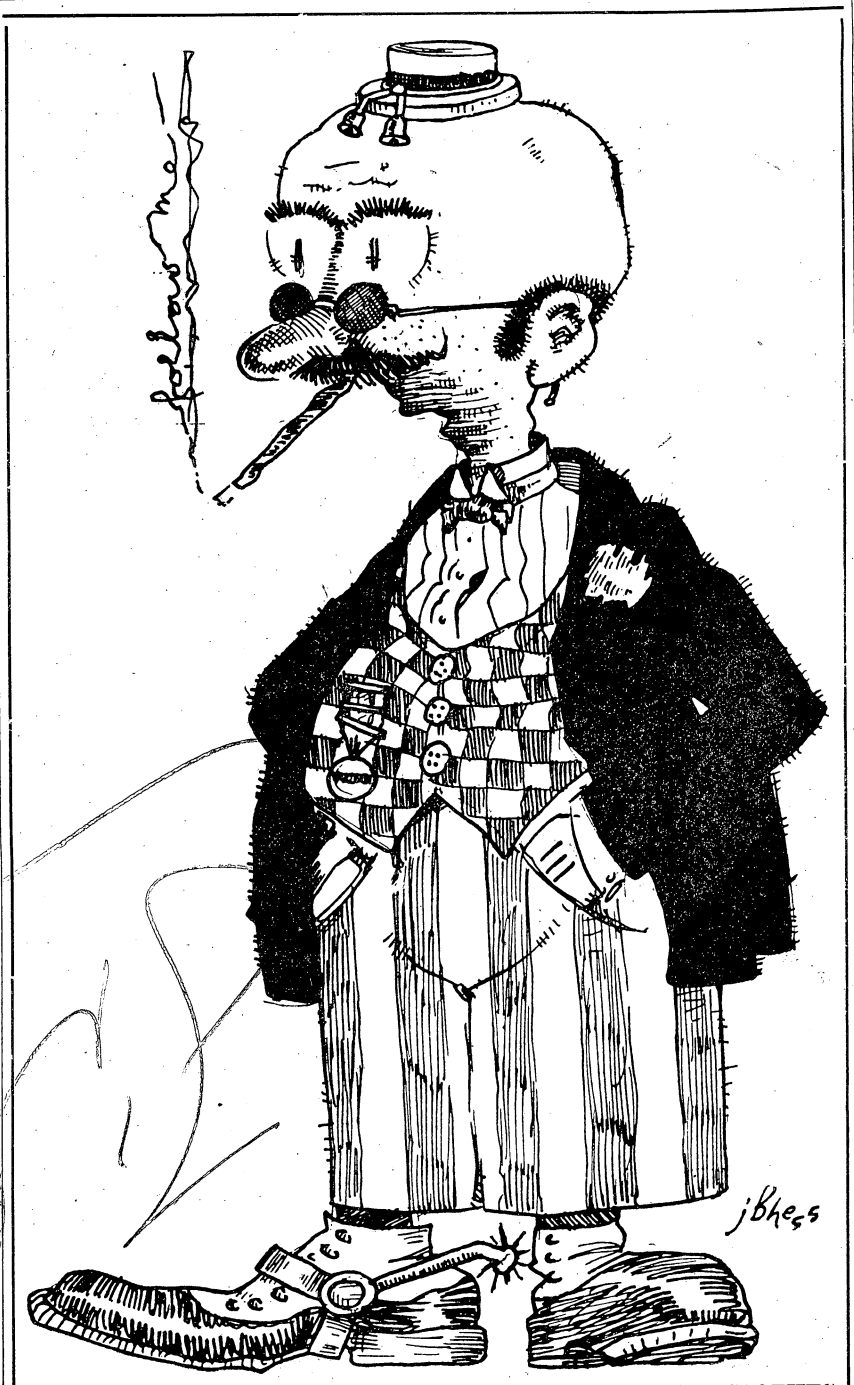

MAJOR HARDBOIL'S FIRST APPEARANCE IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES

### WELL, CARRY IT OVER TO BLOCK 40!

**The gray squirrel grinned the day he found**
**A packing box that was lying around;**
**And he yelled out loud to his sons and daughters,**
**"This must be some LIEUTENANT'S quarters!"**

### THE ARMY EXONERATED.

Nothing substantial on which to base charges.

A Congressional Committee appointed to investigate the slanderous charges by the late Senator Watson has returned its findings and cleared the army officers of all charges that were preferred.

Senator Watson acted on the statements of disgruntled ex-soldiers and others that our soldiers were shot down in cold blood by our officers.

Any person familar with the Manual of Courts Martial and the Articles of War knew at the time that the charges were preferred that this sort of killing of our soldiers by our officers was impossible.

However there is one time that a soldier may be shot on the spot and that is in actual battle when a man shows a "yellow streak" and tries to run away. The action of one man's running away will cause others to follow him and if he is not stopped it can easily cause a hasty and disorderly retreat that will make excellent targets for the enemy and many more men would be killed then if they stayed. So therefore if one man shows a "white feather" there is only one thing to do. The first man that notices him is going to shoot him down not only for his own protection but for the others as well.

## General Barnum and General Irwin Arrive

Will Take Refresher Course

General Malvern-Hill Barnum and General George LeRoy Irwin arrived at this Post this week to take a "Refresher Course" at the Infantry School.

General Barnum has taken quarters in building 212517, Rooms 7 and 8 and General Irwin has taken quarters in building 212515, Rooms 7 and 8.

Upon completion of the Refresher Course General Barnum will go to Fort Constitution, N. H. to command the 18th Brigade and General Irwin will return to Washington, D. C. from where it is thought that he will go to Fort Howard, Md. to command the 16th Brigade.

The News extends heartiest congratulations to General Barnum and General Irwin on their recent promotions.

## GENERAL GORDON CONGRATULATES 29th

When the 29th Infantry held their field meet during the first part of March the Commanding General was right on the job and took in the different events and was well pleased with the interest shown not only by the athletes themselves but by the support that they received from the various companies.

The following is an extract of the letter received by Colonel Goodale from the Commanding General:

I wish to congratulate you, and through you, your regiment on the splendid success of your field day and organization day on March 2nd and 3rd respectively. Not only were the athletic events most interesting and creditable in themselves and the entertainments most enjoyable, but there were noticeable, evidences of loyalty

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## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning March 18th and Ending March 24th, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three Theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre ....6:00 P. M.
29th Infantry Theatre ....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, March 18.**

"Hurricanes Gal," 8 reels, Dorothy Phillips Special. "On Patrol," 2 reel Sennett Comedy.

**Monday, March 19.**

"Honor First," 5 reels, John Gilbert. "The Eskimo," 2 reel, Clyde Cook. "Fox News," 1 reel.

**Tuesday, March 20.**

"The Outcast," 1 reel, Mutt and Jeff.

**Wednesday, March 21.**

"The Prisoner," 5 reels, Herbert Rawlinson. "Spooks," 2 reels, Christie Comedy.

**Thursday, March 22.**

"The Woman's Side," 6 reels, Katherine McDonald. "Hubby Behave," 1 reel, Vanity Comedy. "Fox News," 1 reel.

**Friday, March 23.**

"Captain Fly By Night," 7 reels, Johhy Walker Special. "Roach Comedy," 1 reel. "Pathe Review," 1 reel.

**Saturday, March 24.**

"Ebb Tide," 8 reels, Melford Special. "Fighting Blood No. 2," 2 reels, Witwer Series.

## THE CHIEF OF INFANTRY SENDS COMMENDATIONS

To Chaplain Lennon goes the Credit

The News received an extract of a letter written by the Chief of Infantry to General Gordon in which the Chief expressed his satisfaction on an editorial in the News a few weeks ago entitled "Desertion." Chaplain Lennon wrote this article and we thought that it would make an excellent editorial. To Chaplain Lennon is also due the credit for the editorial "The Sacredness of an Oath" which appeared in last week's issue. The News believes that this last editorial to be an excellent piece of writing.

The following extract of the Chief of Infantry's letter is quoted:

"In the Fort Benning News, of February 23, I noted an excellent article on the subject of Desertion. Please express to the author if you can find out who it is, my appreciation of the article and my hope that he will give further thought to the matter and publish more articles.

I also noted in the Columbus Enquirer-Sun of February 19th a copy of which you sent me to call my attention to the cold weather there, an article or rather an appeal for recruits, written by Sergeant Clarence M. Finney, Company G, 29th Infntry. The article is short and to the point, I am hoping that Sergeant Finney will continue the good work. I do not very often see the Enquirer-Sun.

I also noted in the Ledger, of February 26th that Sergeant Finney has gotten six Columbus boys to enlist in organizations at Fort Benning. Following the notice is also a short, excellent note as to the advantages offered by the Army. Sergeant Finney is certainly doing good work."

The News forwarded the extract of the above letter to Chaplin Lennon with the following additional remarks:

The Commanding officer desires that his appreciation of the editorial be conveyed to you and he joins with the Chief of Infantry in the hope that further articles of a similar nature be atributed.

The News desires to express its appreciation of the spirit of co-operation shown by yourself in the past in the matter of contributing articles which have been of material assistance in making the News a better and more representative paper and we trust that we will receive more of them in the future.

## GENERAL GORDON SENDS CONGRATULATIONS TO 29th INF.

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and organization spirit of the highest order.

It is most gratifying to me as the Commandant of the Infantry School to find that our chief demonstration unit has not failed in reaching a high ited corps while at the same time meeting the great demands of the Infantry School for skilled demonstrations and the large needs of the post for administration and development.

With best wishes for the further success of the 29th Infantry, I am,

## "OUTCAST" GREAT PICTURE.

### Said to be even better than Elsie Ferguson's "Footlights"

Said to be even bigger than "Footlights," her notable screen success, is Elsie Ferguson's latest Paramount picture, "Outcast," It is difficult to believ ethat Miss Ferguson could ever excel her work in "Footlights," but it is said she has done so in "Outcast." The picture, adapted from a popular stage play of the same name, is one of the most powerful of dramas. Included in the action is a thrilling jump from a ship by Miss Ferguson and her rescue by a seaplane. David Powell is leading man and Mary MacLaren is a prominent member of the cast.

## PRIVATE 1st CLASS, ARNOLD A. KILGORE

**The entire post was saddened by the death of Private First Class Arnold Kilgore, Howitzer Co., 29th Infantry, Tuesday night at the post hospital. P cmc Kilgore had been wounded earlier in the day by the accidental explosion of a trench mortar shell and succumbed to the severe injuries thus occasioned.**

**The funeral was held at the Post Protestant Chapel on Thursday afternoon, Chaplain Wood officiating. The entire Howitzer Company including all commissioned personnel attended in a body and full military honors were rendered the deceased. The remains will be accompanied to the home of the deceased's sister, Mrs. Ethel Joyce Morton of Rossville, Ga., by Cpl. Thomas B. Morgan of the Infantry School Detachment.**

## NOTEWORTHY ACTION OF CHAPLAIN ROSENTHAL

Major Frank L. Rosenthal, Chaplain, O. R. C. furnishes this post and the public in general with a most commendable example of citizenship. He has been placed on duty at this station, by permission of the Commnading General, at his own expense and is contributing his time and efforts in perfecting himself in his military capacity besides working to our common end of making Fort Benning an ever better place to be stationed at. Chaplain Rosenthal receives no pay or allowances whatever from the government and this contribution of his services is much appreciated by the post in general. Such sacrifices of ones time without even the slightest recompense other than in the satisfaction of having done more than one's duty is not so usual as to be taken for granted. in these piping times of peace.

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## NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS TO BE DEMOTED

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Master Sergeants 334. Technical sergeants, 561, Staff Sergeants, 423, Sergeants 492, Corporals 1327. These to be reduced one grade. In additions to this there are 135 Technical Sergeants and 294 Staff Sergeants to be reduced two or more grades. A total of 3566 N. C. O. in the army to be affected.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

Last Thursday evening a cabaret was given by the B. F. C's in the Service Club, this being the first of a number of intertainments planned for the coming season. The main attraction of the evening were the beautiful solos rendered by Miss Cleveland and Staff Sergeant Magoni, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Cooper. Both Miss Cleveland and Sgt. Magoni are noted singers and we are always glad to have them in our midst. No doubt the most interesting thing to the men were the eats which consisted of wonderful home made cake and other dainties.

Everyone enjoyed the evening and is looking forward to another in the very near future.

A checker tournament was held at the Service Club last Friday evening, the prize going to Private George Henderson, after a long fought battle with several other players.

The Service Club committee held their regular meeting last Monday eve- ag when a new member in the person of Staff Sergeant Carswell, Medical Department, was accepted. We are glad to have Sgt. Carswell on our committee and we feel sure that he will fill a long felt need.

**WANTED—A pianist to play for the soldier's Glee Club. It seems as if all the piano players have deserted us just as a real Glee Club was beginning to materialize. It is hoped that some kind lady will come to our rescue next Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.**

The regular weekly dance was held Wednesday evening at the Service Club with the room packed to overflowing with gay swirling dancers. A number of strange faces were among those present and we hasten to assure them a hearty welcome to our dances at all times.

General Gordon and Lieut. Honnen were honorary guest at our dance last Wednesday evening. We are always glad to have the General with us and we feel that he has our welfare at heart at all times.

WILLIS R. BENNETT.
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General Fries inspected the company Saturday and was very well pleased with everything in general. The company also had the honor of being host to three Generals something that very few compnies have had the honor to do.

Corpl. Miller says, "I am a man of few words." He vertifies that statement when he is asked to explain any paragraph in the I. D. R.

Pvt. Spathe the company vamp became very much enraged the other evening when he mislayed his powder-puff. While searching for the lost treasure he remarked to Pvt. Shane. "Its a good thing you don't loose my temper." Now that don't say much for Shane.

Hank—"Does your watch tell time?"
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Things that never happen:
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McCullom eating with his fork.
Leuze taking a bath twice a month.
Smith doing a day's work.
Francis eating less than fifteen hot-cakes.
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### "LORNA DOONE" AT THE RIALTO NEXT WEEK

"Lorna Doone" will be the attraction at the Rialto for three days starting on Tuesday.

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The melody carried throughout the sonata by the violins may easily be imagined in the gentle charm of lovely Madge Bellamy, her pathos and golden curls like a delicate thread upon which at times hangs the appeal of the entire orchestration.

The blaring of the trumpets, the beating of the drums and the clarinet calls to action, one fancies are reproduced in the stirring battle-scenes, when the outlaw Doones sweep down from their feudal home upon the defenseless villagers, pillaging and leaving a trail of blood and horror in their wake.

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Mr. Crawford states that there are not so very many persons taking ading advantage of this accomodation and suggests that if the schedule is inconvenient to call and offer suggestions and he will try to arrange the schedule so that the most people will be accomadated.

### THEY PUT BIG ONES INTO LITTLE ONES.

We happened to meet Mr. Miller and Mr. Taylor of Columbus at the Post Exchange the other day and passed a little of the time of day with them.

During our conversation we learned a few new things. Remember it is never to late to learn something new. We learned for one thing that they are now in a position to put a number six foot into a number four tripple A shoe. Also that after this is accomplished the wearer of these new shoes can go to a dance and dance all night in comfort or if you are a hiker you can hike all over the post with out the least bit of discomfort. No we wouldn't dare to tell you how they do it for that would not be exactly fair and we try to be fair. Now we know some of you won't believe this but if you doubt our word just take a look at Miller and Taylor's ad. They also have a branch at the Post Exchange.

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### GILBERT DOUBLES UP IN NEW FOX FILM

"Honor First," a William Fox feature with John Gilbert as star, has been called by certain reviewers one of the great pictures of the year—not only from an artistic standpoint but in the uniform excellence of the acting. Gilbert plays a dual role—twin brothers, both soldiers of France in the world war, but diametrically opposite in character and disposition. One is red-blooded, the other white livered.

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# Social Notes

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### WEST POINT OFFICERS BANQUET BRILLIANT AFFAIR AT COUNTRY CLUB.

The Country Club last Saturday evening was the scene of a beautiful banquet given by the West Point Officers of Fort Benning, members being present from the 1887 class of General Walter H. Gordon, the commanding general, down to officers of the present time.

It was a stag affair and about ninety graduates were seated at the long tables, which were handsomely decorated in the black, gold and grey of the militairy academy. The walls and posts of the club were also draped in black, gold and grey, and quantities of lovely cut flowers were used on the mantel and tables.

There was an elaborate dinner, during which Colonel E. G. Peyton presided as toastmaster. Besides a number of speeches, the corps yells were given, and a most enjoyable program, arranged by Major Ganoe, was carried out.

Among the speakers were General Fries, of the Chemical Warfare Service; General Gordon and Colonel Heavey.

The dinner took place downstairs and the program was given in the ball-room of the Country Club.

The star of the musical program was the wife of Major Camponole, whose concert name is Elizabeth Woods, and who is one of the foremost concert singers of the country. Quite recently she gave a concert at Eolian Hall, New York, and was accompanied by the famous Frank La Forge.

Elizabeth Woods was enthusiastically received by her hearers last evening, when she sang several beautiful and finished numbers. She was accompanied by Mrs. Huebner, wife of Captaini Huebner.

Mrs. Huebner is a pupil of Harold Bauer and her accompaniments were most pleasing and sympathetic.

A moving picture machine had been installed and the West Point Officers were entertained with movies of the Athletic Reviews, etc., of the academy.

Among the distinguished guests present was General Edward Winans, who is taking the Refresher course at Fort Benning.

### MRS. CHAS. ELLIOTT AND MRS. THOMAS MUSGROVE JOINT HOSTESSES.

The officers club mess was the scene of one of the largest and most beautiful bridge parties ever given at the fort, when on Thursday afternoon Mrs. Chas. Elliott and Mrs. Thomas Musgrove were joint hostesses.

Most artistic were the decorations of yellow jessimine, southern smilax and daffodils.

The top score prize, a handsome bowl, was won by Mrs. Woodson Hocker; the second prize, a pair of crystal candlesticks, was won by Mrs. Dinsmore, and the consolation, a corsage bouquet, was won by Mrs. R. C. Crawford.

There were 10 tables of players, enjoying this hospitality.

### STUDY CLUB MET WITH MRS. GOODALE.

On last Monday afternoon, the Benning Study Club met with Mrs. George H. Goodale, wife of Colonel Goodale, and a most interesting progrm was carried out, all membebrs being present except Mrs. Heyward Hansell and Mrs. Frank Schneider, who were absent on account of illness.

Mrs. Leroy Watson was joint hostess with Mrs. Goodale and assisted in doing the honors.

Mrs. Chamberlin read Mrs. Hansell's paper on Siberia.

Mrs. Legge gave a paper on Japan which was an instructive study of our problem of the West and the East.

### ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.

At the Army Bridge Club on last Thursday afternoon, which met at the Muscogee Club grill, the prizes were won as follows:

First prize, Mrs. Bates.
Second pprize, Mrs. Bonham.
Third prize, Mrs. Crissey.

Delicious strawberry ice cream and cake were served after the game.

The hostesses for next Thursday will be Mesdames Wiley, J. P. Moore and Shaw.

### SURPRISE PARTY FOR CAPTAIN P. J. DODD.

On last Friday evening about 20 friends in the neighborhood on Waverly Terrace made up a party and went in to surprise Captain P. J. Dodd, the occasion being his birthday.

A freezer of delicious ice cream and cakes, were carried along, and the party spent the evening having a most enjoyable time.

### IN HONOR OF MISS GUSSIE GUILL OF POPLAR BLUFF, MO.

Capt. and Mrs. N. L. Soderholm entertained with eight tables of bridge Saturday evening at their home on Waverly Terrace in honor of Mrs. Soderholm's sister, Miss Gussie Guill, of Poplar Bluff, Mo.

The decorations were sprays of spring jonquils and bridal wreath placed in silver baskets.

Mrs. Soderholm wore a handsome evening gown of white sequins. Miss Guill wore orange shaded chiffon.

At the conclusion of the game a salad course and coffee were served.

The ladies' prize was won by Miss Louise Lyda, a set of four wicker serving trays. The gentleman's prize by Capt. Shepherd, a cigarette box. The boobie, Capt. Griffin, a set of good-edge cards.

### MRS. S. L. BURACKER HOSTESS OF 24TH INFNTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

The 24th Infantry Bridge club was

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delightfully entertained on last Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. S. L. Buracker, mother of Capt. Buracker, at her apartment at Ft. Benning.

The three prizes were lovely potted plants, and were awarded as follows: First prize, Mrs. Bresnahan; second prize, Mrs. Maling; third prize, Mrs. Nobles.

There were three tables of players present, also several tea guests.

After the game a frozen salad, sandwiches and hot tea were served.

### MRS. W. M. SPANN, HOSTESS.

As a compliment to Mrs. L. W. Powell of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Henry Spann, of Sumter, S. C., a most enjoyable bridge party was recently given by Mrs. W. M. Spann wife of Capt. Spann.

The first prize, a potted fern was won by Mrs. A. J. Becker of Macon.

Mrs. Powell was presented a corsage of violets, and Mrs. Spann, a pretty wall pocket.

### DISMUKES-BURACKER.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dismukes announce the engagement of their daughter, Bolling, to Samuel Lewis Buracker, Lt. United States army, the wedding to be solemnized in April.

### MISS DUNKLE COMING.

Miss Dunkle of Pennsylvania is expected to arrive this week and will e the house guest of Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey. She is expected to stay several weeks.

Miss Dunkle is a neice of Mrs. F. F. Dunkle who was the guests of Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey the first part of the year.

General and Mrs. VanVliet who have been visiting their son and daughter-in-law Captain and Mrs. Robert C. VanVliet for several weeks leave for their home in New Jersey next week.

### MRS. JOHNSON RETURNS HOME.

Mrs. Johnson who has been visiting her daughter and son-in-law Major and Mrs. Hardenberg for several weeks has returned to her home in Chicago.

### MRS. ALEXANDER ARRIVES.

Mrs. Alexander the mother of Lieut. Ralph Alexander recently arrived in answer to a telegram that her son was seriously ill at the Station Hospital.

Mrs. Alexander is the guest of Lieut. and Mrs. Gage, and will be entertained by them as soon as Lieut. Alexander leaves the hospital.

The friends of Lieut. Alexander will be pleased to know that he is now convalesing from a serious attack of pneumonia and that he will be out in a short time.

### FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB POSTPONE NEXT MEETING.

The regular meeting of the Fort Benning Bridge Club which is scheduled for March the 29th has been postponed for a week due to Holy Week.

The next meeting will be held at the Officers' Hop Room on Thursday, April 5th.

### MRS. KENT ENTERTAINS.

Last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Kent entertained at six tables of bridge.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Shaw and the second by Mrs. Hall. Mrs. Peyton drew the consolation.

The quarters were artistically arranged and gave one, the guests, that "at home" feeling as soon as they entered.

After several frames of bridge refreshments were served to the players and several tea guests. The refreshments consisting of a delicious salad course with hot rolls and coffee.

### MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.

The Medical Department Bridge Club met at the home of Major and Mrs. Thomas Smith on Tuesday evening, March 15th.

The first prize was won by Captain Richard Arnest, the second by Major Tobias and the consolation by Mrs. White.

Delicious refreshments were served after the game.

Captain and Mrs. Reeve Turner will entertain the Club on Tuesday evening, March the 27th.

### MRS. RUMBOUGH ENTERTAINS AT TEA.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Rumbough entertained about twenty ladies at tea in honor of Mrs. Johnson of Chicago.

Mrs. Johnson has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hardenberg, for several weeks.

Mrs. Rumbough had her quarters artistically arranged and the decorations were appropriate to the season.

### COLONEL McNAB ARRIVED.

Colonel McNab of shooting fame arrived in the Post last Sunday. He spent one day as the guest of Col. and Mrs. McCaskey and is now the house guest of Captain and Mrs. Layman.

The Colonel will be here several weeks.

### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT. CHAPEL GUILD.

The Chapel Guild will meet on next Monday morning at 10:30 A. M. at the Protestant Chapel.

As some very important business is to be discussed, all members are requested to be present.

### MISS LULA HILL BECOMES BRIDE OF LIEUT. REUBEN E. JENKINS.

At two o'clock Wednesday afternoon Miss Lula Hill, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bunn Y. Hill, of Wynnton, became the bride of Lieut. Reuben E. Jenkins, at a beautiful home wedding.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of friends both in the army and civilian sets, and the lower floor of the attractive home on Wildwood Circle, was artistically decorated, being entirely thrown open for the occasion.

The impressive ring ceremony was used, during which Miss Hedge played softly MacDowell's "To a Wild Rose."

An informal reception followed the wedding during which the happy couple were showered with congratulations Delicious ices and cakes were served by a number of attractive young girl friends and Mrs. Milton Long presided at the punch bowl.

Many handsome wedding presents attested the popularity of the young couple, who have the best wishes of Ft. Benning for their future happiness.

### MRS. C. J. HIRSCHFELDER ENTERTAINS 9th INF. CLUB.

At her home on Twenty-first street, Mrs. C. J. Hirschfelder entertained the members of the Ninth Infantry Bridge club Tuesday at one o'clock at a bridge luncheon.

The guests were seated at three tables prettily decorated in baskets of pink and white rosebuds.

Mrs. J. R. Lippincott made high score. Mrs. John Robinson, consolation and Mrs. John R. Fracis was presented the guest prize.

Those present were: Mrs. J. R. Lippincott, Mrs. Chas. Valverde, Mrs. Ellis Bates, Mrs. R. M. Caulkins, Mrs. Lee Harvey, Mrs. Pleas B. Rogers, Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. John R. Francis, Mrs. Norman Finley, Mrs. Roger Hilsman, Mrs. Owen R. Rhoades, Mrs. Hirschfelder.


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**MARCH 17, 1923**


## NOW KEEP THE BALL ROLLING.

During the short time that the News has been in existence the editorial staff, and the command at large, have been, when least expected, refreshed by bits of "copy" sent in for publication by unknown friends.

Such matter is pounced upon by the News in a manner suggestive of the proverbial hen and June-bug. The "Stuff" is made all the better, possibly though it is only human to want to know who your friends are because of the fact that it is unsigned. Some of it is funny and the reading of it boosts one's morale; very occasionally a knock comes in and, while the condition for the use of the trustworthy hammer exists to such an extent as to be noticeable, the story has to be deleted because the News strives to help people to forget their troubles, real or imaginary, and the knocks merely bring them to mind.

The readers of this paper can assist materially in its mission by either mailing in something original with a kick in it or, if, like most of us, the faculty for writing funny things is lacking, just clip, out something that struck you as being particularly funny and thereby render assistance in passing it on t othe other fellow.

If you cannot write maybe you can draw a cartoon. The News has facilities for producing cartoons and these are ever welcome. Pick the right subject-something of interest to the entire garrison—make the drawing clear and funny and then forwardit to the News. A great many things can be said with a cartoon that would give offense if written.

The News is anxious to have every member of the garrison feel that he or she has a personal interest in the paper. This is the only Service paper in the vicinity representing the military personnel and it should not only represent but be representative.

The obstacles which have had to be overcome in the organization of the paper have been slowly removed. Our change in printers will it is believed tend to eliminate the typographical errors which have been legion in the past. Changing the system of delivery from motorcycle courier to U. S. Mail should insure a copy getting to everybody—if the latest directory is correct. Increasing advertising is enabling the News to afford a full twelve page paper thereby enabling a greater variety of reading matter. Faults which have been apparent to the readers than to the News are being remedied as they are brought to our attention.

The News can be made, a real paper if everybody boosts it. It is as much your paper as it is anybody's. "Lets Go!"

## ST. PATRICK

Patrick, the Patron Saint and Apostle of Ireland, was born at Kilpatrick, near Dumbarton, in Scotland, in the year 387, and died at Saul, Downpatrick, Ireland, March 17, 493. The story of how he was captured by pirates and sold into slavery, of how he tended sheep as a slave in Ireland, escaped to the continent, was educated and sent to Ireland as Bishop about the year 432 are known to everybody interested in Ireland. So, too, is known the story of his conversion of the Island to Christianity. But few stop to think of the tremendous political changes effected in Ireland through the work and teachings of this one, great man.

At the end of the fourth century Ireland was pagan. Not only were the rulers and the people pagan, but the government, institutions, the philosophy, and the poetry were also pagan. The changes from paganism to Christanity was a radical one, and the remarkable thing about it was that this revolution in religion and the concomitant revolution in political thought was accomplished without the sacrifice of a single martyr, and by the efforts, and within the lifetime of a single man, St. Patrick. Though this, in itself, may seem extraordinary, yet upon consideration more extraordinary still seems the permanency of the changes so wrought.

Though St. Patrick was not an Irishman, in all matters, pertaining to Ireland and the Irish, he thought and acted as an Irishman. Nor was he passively Irish, but, on the contrary, actively and militantly so. In international affairs he exerted every effort to preserve Ireland intact from the raids, inroads, and piratical attacks of "foreign nations," whether Britons, Scots or Norsemen. In national affairs he actively interested himself in the domestic reforms of his time. He was a member of a committee of nine, appointed by King Iaeghaire, to revise and codify the Irish or Brehon law, and all the Brehon laws that conformed to Christanity we[illegible] and those that conflict[illegible] These none mer[illegible] work, brough[illegible]chus Mo[illegible]rish [illegible]as followed in Ireland until the time of Cromwell in the seventeenth century.

In all of his teachings, St. Patrick held before the Irish People the real sanction underlying and supporting the organization of human society and the state—God and religion, and thus he succeeded in instilling into the minds of his people a most profound regard for the law, for the rights and property of others. Sir John Davies, the great English jurist, commenting on this, once said:

"There is no nation of people under the sun that doth love equal and indifferent justice better than the Irish, or will rest better satisfied with the execution thereof, although it be against themselves, so as they may have the protection and benefit of the law when upon just cause they do desire it."

The result of St. Patrick's work are seen in the gradual tendency toward the establishment of a united Ireland manifested during the period from the sixth to the early eleventh century, and the intense national feeling of the Irish as manifested through the centuries of English occupation and attempted subjugation, so much so that it has frequently been said that Ireland, though invaded and overcome, as never conquered.

To St. Patrick, therefore, probably more than to any other single person, is due the great love of country of the Irish people, the great surge of patriotic feeling, the sincere respect for law and its institutions, the intense devotion to religion, the abiding hatred of tyranny and oppression, and the unfailing willingness to fight in any cause where justice and right are at stake.

**HISTORICAL PAINTING.**
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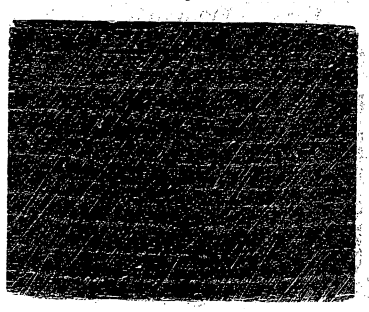

**Herd of Black-snakes being chased out of Ireland at midnight.**


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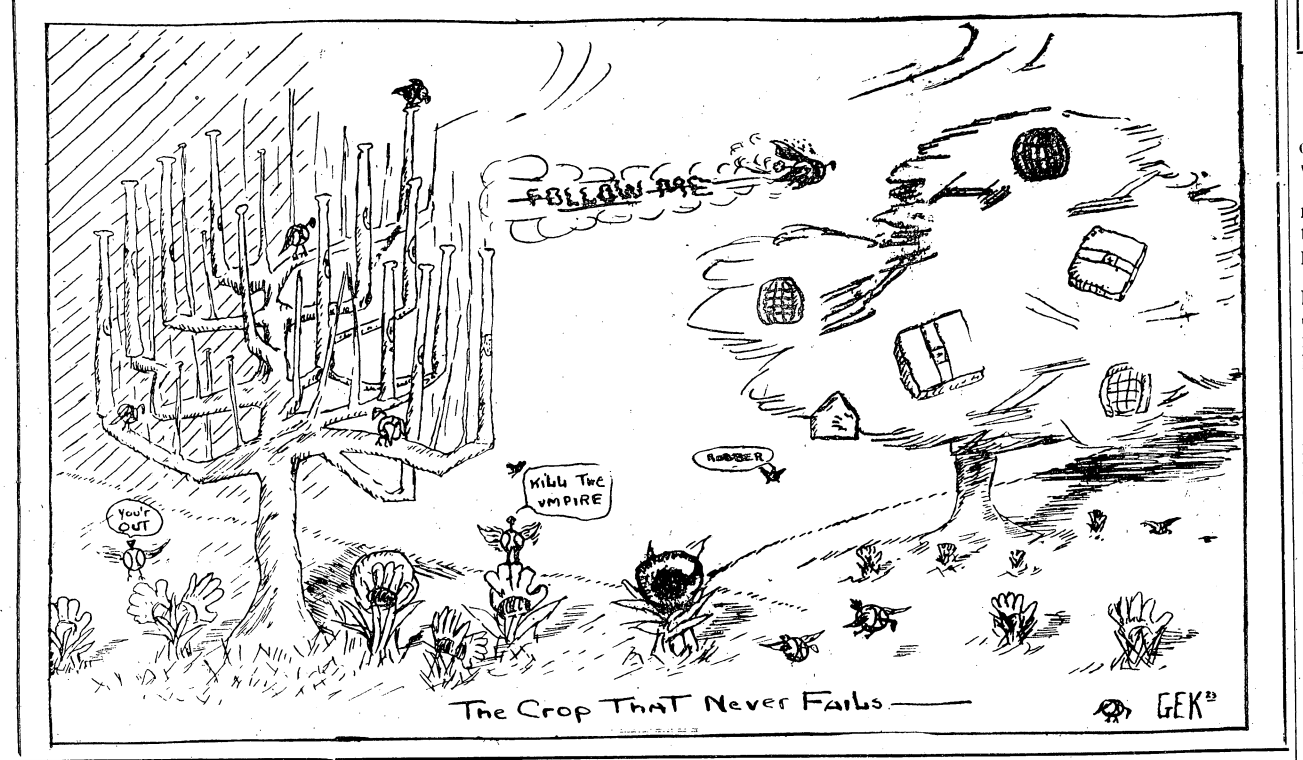



**TRY THIS ON YOUR HARMONICA!**
(Where shall I say I've been tonight?)

Old top Sergeant John MacSwatt,
Had the henpecked husband's lot,
Around the house he wasn't sure,
If he owned his soul or not.
If he came home a little late
For him his wife would always wait,
And so before he'd touch the door
He'd stand and hesitate.
A friend came by and asked him why
He didn't go inside.
Mac's looks were tearful
His breath was beerful
As to him he replied.

CHORUS

O, where shall I say I've been tonight?
What shall I tell the wife?
Every time I come home late
I tremble for my life
You see this dimple on my chin?
She put it there with a rolling pin,
And when the flatirons fly they don't go by,
She throws like Matty can!
Please help me think up something quick—
A good stall is worth my life,
Without a good excuse to slip her
I'd just as soon meet Jack the Ripper!
On bended knees, I ask you ,please,
Where shall I say I've been tonight?

**PRIZE CONTEST DRAGS ALONG.**

But one contestant for the steam heated ear muffs has so far appeared, owing perhaps to the fact that it is warmer this week than has been the case hitherto. Private Bath, of the 7th Engineers, sends in the following paean of victory—

"Them ear muffs, steam heated is mine!" Major Reekal put some onions in his car in Columbus and when he got to camp he found nothing. They had been changed to onion syrup and had run out thru a hole in the floor of his car.

This is a likely contestant and if any one else cares to have the ear muffs, all we can say is he's got to go some to beat Private Bath, Co. "A," 7th Engineers.

**THEIR HOPES AND FEARS.**

29th Infantry—Steam heated barracks (hope).

24th Infantry—A forced issue of watermelon (prayer).

The Student Officers—One tenth of a point (obsession).

The Instructors—Straight duty (Horror).

The 7th Engineers—"Bridge floats down Upatoie!" (Nightmare).

**SAYS THE SIBLEY STOVE.**

"What tho you never fail,
Of coal to steal a pail
Or hunt around for wood nor green nor wet—
What tho ten times you rise
To rub your smoke filled eyes,
And add another chunk—I win the bet!"

"Grow cold along with me!
The worst is yet to be,
To last all night I never could be set,
Cut wood with blistered hands,
And e'en my chimney cram—
I'll chill by two A. M. and freeze you yet!"

**SECOND THOUGHTS ARE BEST**

Recruit doing his first tour of Guard duty. During challenging hours, he sees someone approaching his post.

Recruit, Halt; Who's there?

Answer to challenge, "Officer of the day."

Recruit, stuck, silent for about a minute.

O. D.—"Well, what are you going to do? Are you going to keep me standing here at attention all night?"

Recruit—"Rest."

**HOW WE DO IT.**

"How do you manage to fill up the paper"
Is a question not amiss.
When we run out of sense we just cut up a caper
And write some junk like this.

**AND THE ECHO ANSWERS, "WHERE?"**

We wonder where they ever got that name, "DOUGH" boy. Never saw an outfit that had less of it!

**C'MON SEVEN!**

A 24th Infantry bo'
At rolling the bones wasn't slow.
But Captain Clarke spied him
And Colonel N—— tried him
So now to the brig he must go!

**HERE'S A GRIN AID!**

A foolish recruit with a grin
Picked a hand grenade up by the pin.
When at last it slipped out
He was sent with a clout
To the place that all fools should be in!

**"THE OLD ARMY."**

The best joke we have heard lately is an old one. We are informed that it hung at the bottom of a picture in the Army and Navy Club in Washington. This picture portrayed an imploring officer and an Hibernian private, tears starting to the eyes of each.

"Why can't you learn to drink like an officer and a gentleman?", demands the officer.

"Hiven help me, if Oliver did, Soir," says Private Pat, "Oid be dead in a week!"

**IN THE WRONG OUTFIT.**

Rev. Snowball: "Brudder, come jine de Army of the Lord."

Rastus: "Reverend, I'se already a memba."

Rev. Snowball: "Whut yo' outfit?"

Rastus: "I'se a Baptist."

Rev. Snowball: "Man, you all don't belong to de Army, you belong to de Navy."—Recruiting News.

**WISE LOOKING?**

Recruit—"What's the meaning of those collar ornaments that the C W. S. wars? Looks like a couple of crossed meerschaums!

Old Timer—"Well, hasn't the C. W. S. got a pipe?"

**A LONG, LONG TRAIL.**

1st Mate on transport (To Bos'n)—"Do you realize we've been sailing for six weeks and haven't got anywhere yet?"

Bos'n—'We must have got caught in some of those military channels I've heard so much about."

**MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.**

Green Sentry—"Turn out the guard, Officer of the Day!"

O. D. salutes, indicating "As you were!"

Green Sentry—"Never mind the Officer of the Day!"

**ON ITS LAST LEGS!**

A simple announcement on the front page of the last issue of Hoof Prints, Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., says: "Owing to lack of funds at this time Hoof Prints is discontinued until further notice."

## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter V.

On Meals and Mess Sergeants.

1. A poor meal is even as a ditch dug on a rainy day—all thank Heaven when it is finished.

2. Knowest thou a company which rejoiceth in its Mess Sergeant? Speed then thy transfer thereto for it is a place of utter pleasantness.

3. The waist belts of those who hunger and thirst are filled and without limit yet the dish of slumgullion is not passed and its name is not heard.

4. He who would be esteemed as worthy the name of Mess Sergeant must hold ever in his right hand the meat cleaver and in his left hand the keys to the ice box. He maketh oft count of its contents.

5. He bestirreth the cooks.

6. For they delight in yet more sleep and folding of the hands to rest even tho the hour for breakfast approacheth and the guard clamoreth for chow.

7. Yea, he regardeth the cooks with rigour and trusteth them not—they are artists and not prudent men.

8. He seeth that the coffee fainteth not from weakness nor yet that the butter rejoiceth overmuch in its strength.

9. He preserveth order at meal time and concerneth himself that the recruit from Dublin who sitteth even at the farthest end of the table receiveth even as much of the pink ice cream as doth the old timer seated near the kitchen to whom the K. P. oweth four bits.

10. He withholdeth from him whose hair is not combed but giveth liberally to such as have washed their hands before eating.

11. For from old time which was before this hath the Mess Sergeant been held responsible for the table manners of recruits.

12. He scanneth the garbage cans closely lest the silver ware be presented to the pigs and in this wise also doth he detect the roast which the cook hath burnt and would fain conceal 'neath large cabbage leaves.

13. He keepeth his eye ever peeled lest the sanitary inspector cometh and so agile is he that even if one entereth the kitchen and giveth no warning yet the dish-cloths are not seen for the Mess Sergeant hath quietly wadded them down his pants leg.

14. One trangression hath the good Mess Sergeant and one only. When any ask, "Scald ye the dishes after each meal?" he lieth glibly and respondeth, "O,yes sir" yet hath this scalding not really ever taken place from the first beginnings of the army of Samuel even unto this day.

15. Yet, by so prevaricating he saveth the captain the making of much indorsements and his own warrant also continueth longer in force.

16. The monthly account of him who runneth the commissary doth the Mess Sergeant examine with much scrutiny and close reading even as an M. P. scanneth the pass on which the date hath been changed.

17. So doth the rations record unheard of savings and the captain receiveth much praise for the work which no one but his Mess Sergeant hath done.

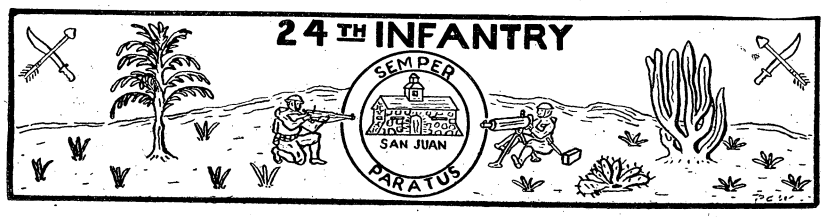
18. For the Mess Sergeant who is given all the credit which is due him existeth not any where and is as hard to find as a guard house without rats in the army of Samuel.

SELAH!

**FIERCE VARIETY.**

Stude: "And poor Harry was *killed* by a revolving crane."

Englishwoman: "My word! what fierce birds you have in America."—The Cornell Widow.




**Company "C"**

Corpl. Mays returned from a three months furlough on March 3rd, which was spent at his home in Louisville, Kentucky. He was accompanied by Mrs. Mays. They are now stopping with Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Mimms, 24th Infantry.

Sergt. Williams was noticed not to have given his weekly blow out to Vaudeville girls. What's the trouble Sergeant, have you another object in view?

Corpl. Barnett surely must have slept with a roll of adhesive tape under his pillow, as he seems to adhere to Columbus, all of a sudden.

**Company "D"**

Pvt. Finch, better known as "Last Chance" is so anxious to make the boys think that he is a shack wizard until he is writing letters to himself, and the guy he claimed delivered the message hasn't been to town since Ft. Benning was founded.

Pvt. Booker, the shoe butcher, was 2 days half-soling a pair of shoes. After the job was finished he discovered that he had put the soles on backward, and said "Every day in every way he is getting better and better."

"Kid Crip" and "Jell-o" is kind-O' worried about Corpl. Givens moving. They claim that they missed a month of Sunday dinners helping the Corpl. get lumber to build his mansion.

**Company "E"**

Corpl. Harvey Haywood, commonly known as Cat, seems to be awful busy each Wednesday night, powdering and primping to hold 1st place as the Regimental Wall Flower at the weekly dances.

Pvt. Winfred Brown has at last learned the way to town after remaining in camp for the past four months. I wonder who is the magnet.

It seems strange to everybody in the company why Cook VanHook writes so many letters. I suppose he intends to cross the great divide once more.

Sergt. Harrison Hogan, has made so many trips in the blocks that he will be forced to requisition for a new pair of feet soon. It must be cheaper to move than to pay rent with him. Keep it up.

**Company "I"**

Wedding bells rang at Bainbridge, Ga., once more. One of the most beautiful events of the season was the wedding of Miss Mabel G. White, to Sergeant Oliver E. Handy, of Co. I, 24th Infantry, at the home of the bride. Corpl. Wm. Williams was best man. Many friends of the happy couple wish them success.

Sgt. Campbell (Dude), was told to name the parts of the rifle. His answer was: "Three parts, wood, metal and leather."

Everybody is hoping that the Swimming Pool of the 24th Infantry, will be completed before Andrew Flukes retires. We can not go to the river because Capt. Teachout is afraid that we will get our feet or Throat wet.

Look out Company "K" our old pitcher Sgt. Butler was seen warming up yesterday afternoon. He has invented a new ball called the "Chattahoochee Glide."

Corpl. Reeves (Noisy) has regained his mind, he heard from Columbus, last Saturday.

**Company "K"**

Sergt. Jesse Tolbert has awarded Uncle Sam a contract for his services for another enlistment. Company "K" is fortunate to have the continued services of Sergt. Tolbert with all his appurtenances—his trusty lizzie, his efficient service as employment agent, and his loyalty to his organization.

The company library has recently been enlarged by a number of volumes secured by the C. C. on the history of the World War. Many viligant eyes will search through these volumes to find some reference to the part he played in the recent hostilities.

Should auld acquaintances be forgot! Never! Watch old man MacCauley and old man Russell take their jaunts with all the exuberance of youth he R. S. O. recently observing this pair together commented on the splendid example they made for the youngsters in the organization.

**Company "L"**

Members of Company "L"'s fast nine (9) are getting into shape fast. They are expecting to have the best team in the area.

To whom it may concern! There will be a club organized in Company "L" known as the heart breakers club. For membership apply to Corpl. John H. Kitchens & Troup.

We are proud to know that we have in this company a certain recruit Sergeant that thinks himself a spokesman. Keep it up Sergeant you are young yet. (Sergt. Shannon.)

Private Sam C. Jones, alias (H. M. Jones) is the only one in capacity that can eat peas out of a jug.

**Company "M"**

All is quiet along Bull Creek to a para-phrase a famous message and it is equally quiet in Company "M" as the 6-8-10-12 list is alarmingly short on personnel. S'matter men? or it is the "Top-kick" or the Cap'n? However this does not apply to T. M., who, being flush with moneda, this past payday.

We have with us tonight Corpl. W. J. (you see we assiduously avoid calling names) as other say: the most diabolically surreptitious devilkin who ever hambled through the blocks and who, by his devious caustic ways of destroying adversaries, makes him more to be feared that a cobra de capello; My buddy wants to know where we go a-nights; all we can say, recalling something about discretion being a part of valor, is—that that is a mystery to many and were it not so, we would not be going at all.

Thomas Claiborne, our new arrival from the Cavalry arm, has not yet drawn his bonus. We wish that he would consult us before spending it.

**Service Company**

We are as proud to have the 24th Infantry band as a part of the personnel of the Service Company as the commanding officer is to have it as part of the 24th Infantry. The band has just returned from a trip to Tuskegee Institute, where it rendered excellent music. Following the men of the band came a letter from the Officials of the Institute, commending the men on their soldierly appearance and gentlemanly conduct.

The uniforms mentioned in the last issue of the News, have been received and I must say that there is not a prouder Company than the Service Company. We have reasons to believe that our uniforms will be the best in Fort Benning.

At last we have a spooney Drum Major. 1st Sgt. Larkins makes a wonderful appearance and makes the band the best appearing outfit in the service today.

We are about to lose another faithful old timer, Staff Sgt. Davis retires about the end of the month. We certainly hate to lose him.

**Company "B"**

Pvt. Frager, known as nubby, has had bad luck—poor boy. The game is not hard and you are not barred, go to town and see what is going on.

Corpl. Robert T. the slow kid, you are picking up speed again. You have seen men in the air, riding, flying and falling elsewhere. You have seen them dive like submarines, but if you do not keep the real speed, there is something that your natural eye will not see.

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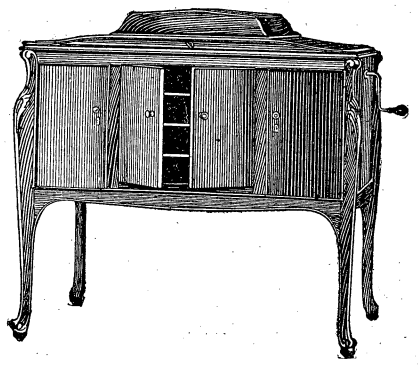

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## INFANTRY SCHOOL 1923 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

**1923—Baseball Schedule—1923**
AT HOME
March 9—Piedmont College.
March 10—Piedmont College.
March 23—University of Georgia.
March 24—University of Georgia.
March 30—Auburn (Alabama Poly.)
March 31—Auburn (Alabama Poly.)
April 6—Gordon Institute.
April 7—Gordon Institute .
April 13—North Georgia Agricultural College.
April 14—North Georgia Agricultural College.
April 28—University of Fla. (Doubleheader.)
May 4—Oglethorpe University.
May 5—Oglethorpe University.
May 7—Mississippi College.
May 8—Mississippi College.
May 11—Wofford College.
May 12—Wofford College.
May 18—Spring Hill College.
May 19—Spring Hill College.
ABROAD
March 16—Auburn at Auburn, Ala.
March 17—Auburn at Auburn, Ala.
April 18—Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn.
April 19—Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn.
April 20—Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn.
April 21—Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn.
April 23—Oglethorpe University, at Atlanta, Ga.
April 24—Oglethorpe Uunversity, at Atlanta, Ga.

## BASEBALL—INF. SCHOOL WINS.

On last Friday afternoon the Infantry School met the Piedmont College at the post diamond and the result was that The Infantry School won the first game of the season by a score of 8 to 0.

The first time that the Infantry went to bat every man of the team batted and the result was five runs. During the remaining six innings the Infantry School ran in three more runs one in the second and two in the third. The last four were scoreless.

Piedmont was very unsettled in the beginning of the game but in the last half of the game they settled down and did some good work.

**Hutchinson is Star.**

Hutchinson, ex-University of Ga. star, was the pitching selection to start for the Infantry and "Hutch" came through with brilliant honors. He had the Piedmont batters eating out of the palm of his hand and gave up but two hits in the five innings worked. Fact of the matter only one visiting runner reached third in the entire setto.

If Hutchinson continues the performance of yesterday he will be a shining light in the Infantry front ranks this season. In the sixth frame he gave way to McNutt, submarine ball artist, who finished the battle. McNutt has world's of stuff and yielded but one hit in the two remaining innings. This lad is another who will be heard from in the big classics which are to follow.

Shrimp Milburn led the Infantry in slugging honors. The scrappy little backstop made four trips to the pan and each time smashed out a single. Fountaine and Honnen each claimed two safe raps and all came at timely moments. The three sluggers promise to prove arsenic for a few visiting slabsmen this season.

Both teams fielded well and the error column was scant for a first game. It was a reasonably fast game considering the fact that being an opener a number of tryouts were naturally made.

Batteries, Inf School—Hutchinson 5, McNutt 2 and Milburn catcher.

Piedmont—Swinney 4, Forester 1 1-3 Forester F. 4 2-3.

## INFANTRY SCHOOL WINS 2nd GAME FROM PIEDMONT

When the Infantry School met the Piedmonters for the second game of the season at Driving Park the Doughboys wolloped them to the tune of 18 to 3.

The first four innings were a real game and was a battle between the pitchers Jack Finnessey and H. Forester. In the third Forester began to weaken and when the fifth frame started the Doughboys went wild and just started going around the bases which reached a climax in the sixth inning when the Infantry crossed the home plate for 11 runs.

The Piedmonters tried to change the slaughter in the sixth by putting Henderson in the box.

It was at the opening of the game that it looked dangerous for the doughboys for in the first frame when several of their players got a few good hits but by Finnessey's good pitching and faultless fielding the Pieds only got two runs.

Davis relieved Finnessey in the sixth and he finished the game and held the Pieds hitless.

## TENNIS.

The Infantry School Tennis Team will play matches this year with Georgia Tech, Atlanta Athletic Club, Albany Tennis Club, Wofford College, Macon Country Club and others.

Seven matches have already been scheduled.

Seven season will start early in April.

All officers at Fort Benning are eligible to complete for places on the team.

Not more than eight student officers may be excused from 3:00-4:00 P. M. in order to practice tennis.

Officers wishing to try out should submit their names to the tennis committee at once.

The following officers are on the Tennis Committee: Major C. B. Elliott, 1st Sec. D. M. A.;Captain L. H. Watson, 1st Sec. D. M. A.; Captain T. D. Finley, 2nd Sec. D. M. A.; Captain R. C. VanVliet, Jr., 1st Sec. D. M. A.; Captain K. S. Whittmore, Co. "C", Company Officers' Calss; Captain J. S. Switzer, 29th Infantry.

## POLO.

**29th Inf. defeat the Blues.**
**83rd F. A. defeat the Yellows.**

The two polo games started March 4th were ended last Sunday by the 29th Infantry defeating the Blues, score 10 to 7, and the 83rd Field Artillery defeating the Yellows 9 to 0.

The Blues started the game with a rush when they scored in the fifth and sixth. Putting them one point ahead of the 29th Inf. Legge made one of the points and French two. At the end of the sixth Douglas for the 29th made a point for the 29th Inf. so that at the end of the period the score stood 7 all.

In the seventh McClure made one tally and another in the eighth with Betts making a point in the last period while the Blues seemed to have gone blind as they were unable to ride the ball.

In the 2nd game which was played between the 83rd F. A. and the Yellows, the Artillery were determined to win and played fast and hard so that the Yellows were unable to put the ball across their goal line while the 83rd couldn't miss the goal line. The result was that Biderlinden scored four points himself. Roxbury made one in the seventh and McCarthy made a final score in the last period.

Next Sunday the 29th Inf. and the 83rd F. A. will tangle for four periods. The remaining four periods will be played the following Sunday. The winner of this game will be the winners of the Dierk's Cup which is presented to the winning team each year by the Dierk's Jewelry Store of Columbus.

This should be a tip top game and full of tense breath-holding moments.

Also the Blues and Yellows will tangle for a four period game this coming Sunday and the remaining four periods the following Sunday.

## BASEBALL

Infantry School vs. University of Ga.—March 24, Driving Park.
Infantry School vs. University of Ga.—March 26, Post.
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**Dept. of Gen. Subj. Military History Sec.**

STRATEGY?

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(At a dollar fifty net—fourteen twenty for the set—
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We discover with dismay, that the battles of that day .
Were commanded almost wholly by the **"Angels of the Lord"—**
And the field of Armageddon—Not the one that T. R. bled on,
Is as good an illustration as our histories record.
Of "ridiculous inaction" and the subsequent impaction.
Of the Chariots-of-Iron, and the Moabitish Horde

Their strategy was awful! In fact T'was most unlawful:
For they put a dozen chaplains in the very front and van.
Sending forth an untimatium (just to hurry'um and bait'um!
With the sanction of Jehovah, if they plunked a holy man,
But probably misdoubtin' the high priests set to shoutin',
Encompassing the temple and a drummin' on a pan
Till the commissary camels and the various other animals
Stampeded and were scattered from Beer-She-Ba unto Dan.

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In spite of much dispersion and their subsequent immersion,
Old Gideon crossed the Jordan and the King of Midians ran,

MORAL:

There are nine and forty ways, of constructing tribal lays,
(Another minor poet is the author of this line)
So if he is right, in part, in the **Military** Art,
The posted up solution may be just as god as mine.

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**Dept. of Gen. Subj. Equitation Sec.**

In Hippology Class: Lt. Ducrot in sotto voice, "What do you know about that Calvary officer, telling those officers that the fetlock is down there on the foot instead of at the animal's poll! And none of them know any better."

Heard daily at Equitation, 1st Platoon, "Capt. Lambert, how do I look now? Are my legs all right?"

The officers are showing good form in jumping, going through the chutes. For instance, when Number Seventy-one went through like a house afire and then made a sharp turn to the left Mighty good over the jumps, though, Seventy-one!

We look for good weather this week; at least, Private Allen, Blake and Potter are hoping for the same, during their five days out on reconnaissance with Military Art Department.

Also, looking farther ahead, the men hope that they will have an independent outfit next year. They are all strong for a mounted detachment, usch as was started last year and then suffered sudden death. Perhaps they have some ideas about the troop officers, too, if the Mtd. Dta. idea goes through.

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**COMPANY "A," COMPANY OFFICERS' CLASS**

The grand finale of the indoor baseball season was a bitterly fought contest between the 1st and 2nd platoons which the former won by a 14 to 4 score. The battery for the winners was Althaus and Bartow. For the team which finished in second place Doddridge and Peddie Carter officiated.

"Dad" Fowle and Curtis represented each platoon on the staff of umpires, spending the greater part of the time watching each other. The feature of the game was a home run by Tom Brand and "Lill" Bell's matterly cavorting about the left field.

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Company "A" smoked Roi Tans last Monday at the expense of Capt. W. A. Dumas whose one day old daughter sent several boxes to the lecture hall. The gimme and gotta squadron, Ellis Bates commanding, made a successful daylight raid on the smoke.

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During a musketry exercise Corp. Addington was presented by a slightly built member of his squad with the latest type of fire control instrument—one rock, jagged. David and Goliath tactics are now coming to the fore. Principles never change!

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## Recruiting News Notes

Our recruiting campaign is now in full blast and the prospects look good for a record showing, so far we have made 36 enlistments and the chances are good to go over the top with 100 recruits for the month.

We have a wide awake bunch of enthusiastic young soldiers in the field in addition to our regular force and they all seem intent on making their quota. Our regular canvassers are doing good work, too, more power to'em.

**Some of you fellows know one or more men at home that you believe would make good soldiers and also are looking for the kind of a job that the Army has to offer to those men who are willing to Put Out a little bit.**

**If you will send in the names and addresses to the Recruiting Office we will see what can be done about getting them enlisted.**

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Our friend Fairchilds says he knows how to keep from paying rent when he gets out of the service. He's going to keep moving, never mind old boy you'll get stuck fast sometime.

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Wonder where Brown goes every Saturday afternoon, tell us her name Brown we're not jealous.

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Brothers watch our column next week.


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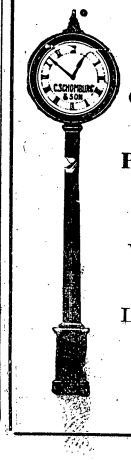
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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### SERVICE CO. 29TH INFANTRY

The Service Company Baseball team is stepping out in big league fashion. Our standing is perfect, played two, won two, nuf sed. Our first victim this year was Company E whom we decorated with a 13 to 7 defeat. The next victim to fall an easy prey for us was Regimental Headquarters Company, whom the veteran Sisco bewildered with his slants. Our next game is with the 2nd Bn. Hq. Co. and we have a hunch that they, like their predecessors, will also leav ethe diamond with the short end of the score. Frnk Hollaender, the veteran baseball manager is perfectly satisfied with our present lineup, to which he boastfully refers as impregnable. "Slick" Willis, the one pitcher who keeps 'em all guessing and Walter Sisco who is already well known in this regiment because of his great pitching ability are our star hurlers. With Carter and Ingle as additional pitchers, Shay as catcher, Ruggerior and Zigler first base, McCaslin and Rothfarb as short stops, Steele second base, Balderson and Archer 3rd Base, Hardesty Left Field, Lotz Center Field and McCullough Right Field, the prospects for the future are very bright. All of these men are veterans who have been tried on many a baseball diamond throughout the army and have made good. The Service Company is all set to receive the championship cup this yer as they did last year.

### 1st. BATTALION HDQRS. CO.

Pvt. Rudd while out during manoevers last week, helped to get wood to keep the fire going. This action on his part was so unusaul on his part that the writer deems it worthy of note. We hope that this undue exertion has no bad effect on hishealth.

Pvt. Bard of this company, our champion flapjack eater challenges all comers in this field. His record to date is 37 at one sitting. Those wishing to complete must furnish their own hot cakes.

Pvt. Ramsay is getting to be short timer, it won't be long now before he will be singing on the dotted line again for another three years.

### Company "A"

This Company commenced Range practice this morning, March 14th, 1923, and we all hope that the Percentage of qualifications will be very high this season.

The man that we have out on Recruiting Duty is doing very well in getting recruits, as we have had a communication from him stating that he has already accepted two men in the short time that he has been out. At this rate in about six or seven months Sergt. Hall and Corpl. Justin will be about two-thirds of the company.

We know a lot but don't have time to tell it as we have to go out on the range and do our other work while we are resting.

### Company "B"

It is with regret that we see the discharge of one Corporal Camille Robillard, from this organization, as he said that there would be no more army for him. But I am of the opinion that there will be, just as soon as the Final Statements run out. Take a soldiers' advice and re-enlist and save your money.

There is to be a News Box on the News Reporters Tent, and any one desiring to publish their little say so's, will drop same in the box and oblige yours truly.

Now don't blame me Sergt. Humphrey—a little bird told me—Did you know that Sergt. Humphrey is a good waiter. I have, at numerous times noticed him waiting outside the, "Snuff Chewers Ball," for a certain party. When the grand and hilarious ball is over the gallant Sergt. forms his squad in mass formation, makes a rush upon the fair maidens, as he has a bewitching eye, a most beautiful smile with a cute little dimple in each cheek, the personality of a man, they cannot resist this Knight of Preeminence. Of his avidity in absorbing all the ladies I am averse and believe he should introduce his friends and auspicate a good thing for us. Tell your friends you seen this in the Fort Benning News.

### Company "C"

At last the time has come to go on the range, scarcely a man in the Company expects to make less than Sharp shooter.

We had a Chattahoochee river of our own Monday P. M. after the big rain, Sergt. Rudloff had his paddles ready to roe his tent if it started down the street.

"C" Company is 100 per cent. American Legioneers, every man, eligible is a member, and Sergt. Foster who is a member of this Co. is the oldest member in this Camp.

Our beloved friend Sergt. Egizi is re-enlisting, he says the only thing he dislikes is waisting time enlisting for three years he likes the seven year hitches better, he would be missed more than an other man in the Company, especially by his rom mate Rosie, she might go hungry some time but as Rosie is a pretty good puppy most any body would take care of her.

We are all well pleased with our new Mess Sergt. McKnight, the Company Commander has been trying ever since he took Command of the Company to make this the best feeding Co. in the Regiment, we are beginning to see the fruits of his efforts.

### Headquarters Co., 2nd Bn.

Spring is here—all signs of it are apparent when one regards the activities of our gardeners around the Company Area. Our Supply Sergt. and First Sergt. are both doing their worst to show a superior knowledge and handiwork in the cultivation of green grass around the immediate vicinity of their places of business. Who's a farmer? The way the personages mentioned are digging in, kind of tells the tale. I'm willing to bet on the guy that comes from Rural Retreat.

The mystery of the oil stocks—Ask Pvt. Smolen.

A tragic incident of the Fort Benning Flood was revealed the other day. Pvt. Jenkins saved the life of one resident of this reservation and reserves some commendation. The rabbit was almost dead from exposure to the storm anyway, but the elements were cheated out of the victim when somebody accidentally stepped on him and finished the job.

### Company "E"

We brought home the bacon last Saturday when we took "H" Company in to the tune of 9 to 4. Our star twirler registered fourteen strikeouts to his credit.

A Corpl. by the name of Graham is having a great time trying to get the boys out for fatigue, but when chow call goes you should see them turning out.

What with plenty of Corn and some old Sharks the only way to save your money is to ut it in the Quartermaster and let them hold it until you get discharged.

### Company "G"

If you wonder why Co. "G" is so successful in everything it undertakes, just look up our deposit list and then read the old saying, "He who saves, succeeds."

Steele, Blankenship and Co., Motorcycle repairers, after taking their motorcycle apart and as they called it, repair it, now they have nineteen pieces which they left over and cannot find a place for them.

Corpl. Burt was out horseback riding on Saturday and the horse that he had has had it's neck in bandages and has been stiff since he was ridden by Burt. All the hair on both sides of his neck was worn off too.

Just a little tip, watch "G" Co.'s baseball team this season. We are after all the scalps around so better practice, better practice.

### Company "H"

Our baseball team lost to "E" Company by a narrow margin last Saturday. The team lacked practice—not ability or spirit.

Sergt. Parris is making good on the Infantry team. He is playing like a veteran. We hope he continues the good work.

There were some magazines and newspapers ordered for the Company the other day. Most of the best magazines were on the list.

### RECEICED TOO LATE FOR LAST WEEK.

### Company "D"

Pvt. Finch, was the center of attraction at the dance Wednesday night, but when a certain lady asked him to dance with her, he couldn't move his feet.

### Company "B".

Pvt. McGuire, has something happened to you since coming back from Americus, Ga. You used to get a letter in a pink envelope every day, and staying in camp on Sundays. Is something out of the question.

Company "B" was out drilling the other day with their rifles under the supervision of their Top Kick "Si" S. J. and he was explaining the different movements, and said at the command, forward march. I want to see each man throw his piece diagonally across his body chest and step off with both feet at the same time. Explain yourself "Si".

### Company "E".

Capt. John F. Farnsworth now commanding Co. "E" has done much toward making the recreation of his command pleasant.

Sgt. Francis is now with his Co. after a brief leave.

1st Sgt. Hart has been worrying about who he is going to debate with when he retires as he will leave Sgt. Gunn here.

Say, by the way I met Old Hoss Ballard the other day but he did not have anything on his mind other than his hat. Seems strange a few years ago everything that went wrong in certain places, the slogan was: "Old Hoss and his gang." I wonder who it is now, as he is playing in the field.

Sgt. Hogan is still in the blocks. Also Big Tom has block ideas in his dome.

### Company "F".

We are glad to say that Lt. Morgan E. Jones is again with us after an extended visit to Florida and elsewhere.

Since our arrival in Georgia, (Bugs) Taylor has picked many of the peaches.

Pvt. Clarence O'Neal is again ready for duty after spending about sixty days leave in Griffin, Ga.

We are glad to say that Co. "F" has the explainiest man in the 24th Inf. Ask Pvt. Knight of tent 38, he knows.

## Motor Transport Notes

### Spooky Stuff.

At a pop-corn party the other night, Pvt. Moffett was telling of his experience with residence of the *other* worlds, Pvt. Blackshear told of holding a conversion with a ghost. Pvt. Price said that he had shaken hands with a ghost, others followed suit until all had exhausted the list of possible activities with spirits, the remainder of the evening was spent dancing to harmonious strain of the graphonola, after which the guess departing for homes, Pvt. Blackshear who had to see to a Miss (X) getting to Wynnton, was a little late in making connection with the Bus line, so he started out, thniking that he may catch something coming to Post, just then he heard something coming up behind him, turning around to see what it was, and at the same time thinkink about holding a Conversion with a ghost so up the road he started, and when the last chance was reached he stopped to rest awihle, up steps the ghost, touch him on the shoulder, and says Soldier we sure was running. Pvt. Blackshear looked up and said yes and when I catch my breath we are going to run some more.

So much of Par. 5, Motor Transport News dated March 2, 1923, is revoke and to read, instead of Private David Hawkins having the best go with Miss (X) Private Green Smith will have the best go.

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## Artillery Notes

### BATTERY "B"

The musical entertainment given by Cpl. Harrison last Sunday evening, was enjoyed very much, we will be glad to have you give us some more music Willie, but please wait until everybody is on the range.

Quite a number of the boys went down to see the "Battling Artillery" Polo team bring home the Bacon.

Pvt. Snider spent the week end with his parents at Buena Vista, Ga., and is very sick because he could not spend a week to help plant the March corn. Don't worry Snider we will let you plant the flowers around the Barracks.

We notice that Cpl. Piazza the Battery Athlete is getting his baseball players in trim for the coming season.

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### 24th INFANTRY LOSES CAPABLE FIRST SERGEANT.

An outstanding event of the week among 24th Infantry personnel was the regimental review tendered 1st Sergeant John Williams of Company "B" just prior to his retirement from active service. The review as ordered by Colonel Nicklin, commanding the 24th Infantry, took place on the regimental parade ground on Wednesday afternoon. At a supper given by the non-commissioned officers of the regiment Thursday night in honor of 1st Sgt. Williams, he was presented with an expensive gold watch and chain to remind him as time passes of the esteem in which his comrades held him. The order announcing his retirement appears below:

General Orders, No. 4.

1. The Regimental Commander desires to bring to the attention of the officers and enlisted men of the regiment the record of the long, honorable and faithful service of First Sergeant JOHN WILLIAMS, Company B, 29th Infantryy, who was placed on the retired list per paragraph 19, Special Orders No. 52, War Department, March 3, 1923. A Regimental Review will be tendered him on Wednesday, March 14, 1923.

First Sergeant WILLIAMS entered The United States Army October 18th, 1899. He has served 22 years, 4 months and 13 days in the 24th Inf- and was a non-commissioned officer over twelve years.

He participated in engagements against insurectors on Northern Luzon, Philippine Islands from January 1, 1900 to May 25, 1901, and fanatical Pulajanes on the Island of Leyto, Philippine Islands, 1906 and 1907.

During the World War he served as Second Lieut., 350th Machine Gun Battalion with the A. E. F. in France.

St. Die Sector, Vosges, from August 23, 1918 to September 30, 1918; Meuse Argonne Forest with 1st Army from September 26, 1918, to September 30, 1918; Marbacho Sector from October 9, 1918 to November 10-11, 1918. Operating and advancing in the front lines with the 2nd Army.

He took part in the Punitive Expedition in Mexico from March 28, 1916, to February 5, 1917.

In action against Villistas, Juarez, Mexico, June 15-16, 1919.

The very best wishes of all officers and enlisted men follow him into his well earned retirement from active service.

By order of Colonel Nicklin.

Chas. H. McNair, Adjutant.

## Inf. School Detachment Notes

The detachment lost a good man last Saturday when Sgt. Chick Collins was discharged, "Chick" says he is going to try the outside for a while and the best wishes of the entire detachment accompany him.

Sgt. Kahler was seen around the dehment, looking better than lately. We were all worried, Sergeant, when you came so near kicking off and hope you are soon entirely well and out of the hospital.

Now that the qualification cards are all made out every one will have to remember what they told Lieut. Smith. Funny how a man will enlist wearing gumboot and a boxing glove and then put on his service record that he was locomotive engineer or expert accountant, drawing down sixty berries a week.

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## Births

Born to Captain and Mrs. Donald M. Bartow on March the 9th a Recruit name Donald R. When Captain Bartow was interviewed by a News reporter he stated that Donald R. was an exceptional young son, also that Donald Jr. was going to be a heavy weight champion boxer of the world. A diplomat extraordinary a skillful general and as he has never seen any place but Fort Benning he complains very little which goes to indicate that he will be a modest man.

Born to Captain and Mrs. Walter A. Dumas a young suffraget Joy Lawson on March 12. Captain Dumas stated to Miss Joy that he has proclaimed to all of the World already that she is a believer in women's rights and her first official act was to order Capt. Dumas to present his class with cigars. Which the Capt. did with glee and the class said that the cigars were excellent and that if Miss Joy showed the same good taste for business that she did in selecting cigars that she would be a suffraget that all of the World will have to reckon with.

Born to Lieutenant and Mrs. Hoy on last Friday, March 9th at 10:10 A. M. and again at 10:25 A. M. James Francis and Thomas Henry. Lieut. Hoy stated that the stork had to make so many visits to Benning that he thought that by making a double load in one trip it would save a trip but alas he reckoned wrong as the stork had to make two trips for one family. Mrs. Hoy complained to Mr. Stork that she had made plans for only one but the stork said that since he had checked out two that it would be impossible for him to return one so therefore they would have to keep them both.

This is the first time in the history of Fort Benning that twins were born.

When Captains Bartow and Dumas heard that a mere Lieutenant had beat them they felt rather outdone but feeling joyful they admired the spunk of Lieut. and Mrs. Hoy.

When Lieut. Hoy heard what wonders Capt. Bartow's son was going to do he replied that was nothing. That since two heads were better than one the Hoys were bound to beat the Bartow.

## Finance Detachment Notes

Here we are again with very little to say owing to the fact that the detachment has been too busy for the past week to submit any notes to the scribe.

For sale or otherwise, four perfectly good 18 carrot privates, to be deduced on the end of the current month. Some can be found at the Finance Office here this paragon is on display. Act quick, time is money and he who hesitates is verloren.

Corporal Previous wishes to announce that he has been hiking towards the east side of the reservation for exercise only, and has challenged anyone, who contradicts his statement, to a duel with that deadly weapon "Cherries" in front of Mr. Brown's Tea Room, in Columbus.

**Demotion, Demotion, Demotion.** If it doesn't hurry and come the non-coms of our detachment will have all their hair pulled out in a few more days and we who have not been so lucky as to have the chevrons on our manly sleeves are standing in readiness to escort the unlucky ones to a padded cell and to share with the ones who retain their rank—oh well! the boys must have something to "growl" about or it wouldn't be the army.

## Medical Dept. Notes

The non-commissioned Officers Club, Station Hospital, will give a dance in the Detachment Mess Hall at 8 o'clock Tuesday night, March 27, 1923. All married non-commissioned officers and their families are invited. Transportation will be furnished. Those desiring transportation will please notify Sergeant Risley, phone No. 27 or Sergeant Heatherly, phone No. 126.

1st Lieut. Maude Bowman, and 2nd Lieut. Rose Charvat, Army, Nurse Corps, have returned from fifteen days leave of absence enjoyably spent in Florida.

## Announcement

### DANCE AND CABARET

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosethal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

**Lenten Services.**

At the Catholic Chapel the special Lenten services conducted by Chaplain Lennan will consist of Stations of the Cross followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, every Friday night at 7 o'clock. On Sunday nights at 7 there will be the Rosary, Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. At the Sunday night services the series of Lenten sermons will be preached by the Rev. Father Moylan, of Columbus.

**SPECIAL SERVICES AT THE PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Wednesday: 10:30 A. M. Lenten Service. Thursday: 10.30 A. M. Holy Communion. Friday: 2 t o3 P. M. "Good Friday" Service. Sunday: 9:30 A. M. Special Easter program for Sunday School.
10:30 A. M. Easter Service.
11:15 A. M. Easter Communion.
6:00 P. M. Easter Song Service.
6:30 P. M. Easter Service.

**FESTIVAL OF PASSOVER.**

The Festival of Passover observed by the people of the Jewish Faith will begin Saturday evening, March 31st.

For the benefit of all military men at Fort Benning, Chaplain Rosenthal has arranged to hold services at Temple B'nai Israel in Columbus, Saturday night and Sunday morning.

All military men taking advantage of the leave granted by the War De-

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COLONEL BEN NICKLIN
(Just after he returned to the Post from Columbus over the Fort Benning Road)

### HARDING SUPPORTS THE RESERVE ARMY

**President Declares All Citizens Should Back the New Plan For Our National Defense**

President Harding has come out flat-footed for an American military organization consisting of a stronger National Guard, the regular army, and an organized reserve—believing that such an organization is the correct solution of the defense problem of the United States.

The President's approval of the plan of army organization drawn up by Secretary of War Weeks and the General Staff was given in a letter to Captain L. R. Lohr, editor of the Military Engineer.

The support of all citizens should be given, Mr. Harding declared, to this plan of the War Department, pointing out at the same time that "preparedness does not mean militarism." The President added:

"We must realize, however, that true support means something more than expressions of approval and appropriation of funds. It means, in addition to these very necessary things, an active participation by those who are of the proper age and bodily vigor by enrollment in the National Guard and the organized reserve followed by hard and conscientious work to fit us for the responsibilities resulting from this enrollment.

"In this way by our example and our influence, we let our friends and neighbors know how important we believe it to be for the country that all understand the value and effect of even such moderate degrees of preparedness does not mean militarism."

### NEW ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF WAR.

Dwight F. Davis, of St. Louis, has been appointed Assistant Secretary of War to succeed J. Mayhew Wainwright who retired March 4, to become Representative from the 25th New York Congressional District.

Col. Davis is probably more widely known as the donor of the Davis Cup, a trophy that in the tennis world compares with the American Cup in international yachting. He is a graduate of Harvard and served a term as a member of the Board of Overseers of that institution. He had an enviable Army career during the war, rising from the rank of Captain of Infantry in the Missouri National Guard to that of Lieutenant Colonel and Assistant Chief of Staff, Second Army, American Expeditionary Forces in France.

## 24th Infantry Band Pays Tuskegee A Visit

We are in receipt of "The Staff" a magazine published by the Tuskegee Institute in which they pay high compliments to the Band of the 24th Infantry which we take great pleasure in reproducing:

**The 24th Infantry Band, U. S. A.**

Tuskegee Institute was honored with a most delicate compliment from Col. B. P. Nicklin, commanding officer at Fort Benning, Georgia, in the visit of the 24th Infantry Band to the Institute on Saturday, February 24th, for a series of concerts on Saturday and Sunday.

This organization is one of the famous bands of the service, attached as it is to one of the oldest regiments of the United States Army. The director of the band is Warrant Officer Joel P. Elazer who has had charge of the band for a number of years. Before coming to Fort Benning the band was stationed at Fort Furlong, New Mexico and came directly to its present post in Georgia. Mr. Elazer is a warm friend of Captain Frank L. Drye, Director of the Tuskegee Institute Band, the two having seen service together in the army. It was but natural, therefore, that when it was first proposed that the 24th Infantry should come to Fort Benning, Captain Drye and Mr. Elazer should think of the possibility of an exchange of visits between the two or-

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## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning March 25th and Ending March 31st, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three Theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre ....6:00 P. M.
29th Infantry Theatre ....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, March 25.**

"The Fast Mail," 6 reels, special with Buck Jones. "Mud and Sand," 3 reels (Burlesque on Blood and Sand); "Volcanoes of the World," 1 reel, novelty.

**Monday, March 26.**

"The Dust Flower," 6 reels, Helen Chadwick; "City Chap," 2 reels, Al St. John; "Fox News," 1 reel.

**Tuesday, March 27.**

"First Degree," 5 reels, Frank Mayo; "Fair Enough," 2 reels, Mermaid Comedy.

**Wednesday, March 28**

"The Barnstormer," 6 reels, Charlie Ray; "The Blacksmith," 2 reels, Buster Keaton.

**Thursday, March 29**

"Singed Wings," 8 reels, Bebe Daniels, Special: "Fox News," 1 reel.

**Friday, March 30.**

"What's Wrong With Women," 6 reels, All Star Cast; "Roach Comedy," 1 reel; "Pathe Review," 1 reel.

**Saturday, March 31.**

"While Satan Sleeps," 7 reels, Jack Holte; "Clever Catch," 2 reels, Dan Mason.

**"SERVICE FOR THE LINE"**

**Said the squirrel, "Here is something I keep,**
**So my light bill won't be quite so steep."**
**And he shook from the rug**
**A. Q. M. lightning bug**
**Which they issue on memo receipt!**

## Inf. School Detachment Notes

Last Saturday evening the Detachment gave a Smoker, it being St. Patricks Day; and also to honor two of our old timers who are soon to retire. Master Sergt. Mulqueeney and Sergt. Cream were each presented with a beautiful solid gold watch chain, approximately engraved, "from their comrades of the Infantry School Detachment." Our Commanding General, presented the watches and in a short address told how he had served with the recipients in the the "early days." He said that no higher honor could come to a man than to faithfully wear the uniform of his country until he had served long enough to retire.

Several first class boxing bouts were staged, much better than most of the ones we've had to pay to see elsewhere. Johnnie Hyland arranged the fights, made the announcements and also acted as referee. Tex Rickard will be grabbing this boy. A quartette from the 24th Infantry put out some real harmony and the crowd kept calling them back to do their stuff.

Sergt. Stewart was master of ceremonies, from providing the eats and music to introducing General Gordon.

Sergt. Bates is now a member of the Glee Club. Great things are in store from the boys from now on.

Bill Stewart is putting out the chow these days; day by day it gets better and better. Keep it up Bill and we will all re-enlist.

## Motor Transport Notes

Pvt. Homer P. Iott (Speed Cop) is his national car overhaul, the following Mechanic are on the job, Private William Dunn (Spare Parts) Pvt. John Massenburg (Baby Jim) and Private Wm. Stewart (Butcher Boy) they guarantee when she rolls off the soap boxes it will be one of the fastest on the road.

Pvt. Charlie McCarthy has lost his pipe, it was last seen walking in the direction of M. T. Park, finder please don't pay any attention to it but let it walk.

So you have arrived I see, yes dear well I thought surely when I made this date for 8:00 o'clock that you would be exactly on time. Well its like this Moffett you have got another think coming.

**PRIVATE AARON E. HARRELL**

**The entire post was saddened by the death of Private Aaron E. Harrell, 5th Service Company, Signal Corps, Monday night at the post Hospital.**

**Private Harrell enlisted in the Army May 2, 1920 and would have been discharged May 1, 1923. He was liked by all who knew him and will be missed by the Signal Corps and Finance Detachment alike.**

**Funeral services were held from the Post Protestant Chapel Wednesday P. M. at 1:30, Chaplain Wood officiating. The body was shipped to his father at Moultrie, Georgia, Corporal Jenkins, Signal Corps, acting as an escort.**

**The fullest sympathies of the detachment is extended to his bereaved loved ones.**

## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Service Company**

Pvt. 1st class Spec. 4th class Lee R. Perkins of this Company, was recently sent to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment as a result of a serious illness which suddenly befell him. Regimental Headquarters has lost one of its most officent clerks by his illness, which it is hoped is of a temporary nature. All look forward to his speedy recovery and return to duty.

Part of the Company is now on the range and from preliminary observations it appears that a good record will be made. Even clerks in the personnel section are running their scores into the forties.

**1st. [illegible] Headquarters Co.**

We notice that Pvt. Harper is doing a great deal of talking in his sleep lately. We advise Pvt. Harper to be careful, or the first thing he knows he will be saying something.

The bill in regard to the demotion of non-commissioned officers seems to be worrying our newly made Corporals, Pvt. Hall and Pvt. McDonough quite a bit. Don't be discouraged boys, its better to have been a corporal and lost, than never to have been a corporal at all.

Sergt. Evans, better known as Pop, has just signed up for another three years with our company. He claims there is no place like sunny Georgia and the 29th. However, we are glad to have him stay with our Co.

**Company "A"**

Sergt. Murphy has some chickens of a new kind. It is reported that Sergt. Justin purchased 2 dozen of fresh eggs from his and upon breaking the eggs found that they had an appearance very similar to those which have been kept in cold storage for a number of years.

A late members of Company "A" named Gurlanczick, was in town some time ago and an M. P. hearing him talking decided that he had been drinking. He accosted him, wanting to know his name. Gurianczick told him several times and spelled it out for him but the M. P. didn't seem able to understand, so finally Gurianczick said; "O, Darn it, John Smith." From then on he was known to the outfit as John Smith. Not long ago we got a recruit whose real name was john Smith and one of the officers in the Company had a report submitted to him with the recruits name on it. He thought that the clerk was trying to be funny and said "that man's name is not John Smith, its Gurianczick.

**Company "C"**

Since the firing on the range began everybody is too busy cleaning rifles and doing other odd jobs than to get very many notes for the Ft. Benning News.

In time of all our work Sergt. Egizi furnishes us a number of Solos on his Violin, never has he played so sweet as he does since his re-enlistment, he says he is happy now that he is sure of a home and job for the next three years.

**Company "D"**

Talk about your Romeo's this organization has one. Our latest entry into the Hall of Fame is a young and ambitious gentleman who due to his curious resemblage to the well known Rodolph Valentino is known thruout Columbus vicinity as the "Shiek" He is some heart-breaker and the fair sex just can't resist his charms.

Our "Shief" recently received a book from a certain young lady and on the fly leaf were the words "To My Shiek." As yet the "Shiek" has been unable to find out what the book is about due to the fact that it contained no pictures.

**Hdqrs. Co., 2nd Battalion**

Wish somebody would get in trouble or get discharged or something, so I can give you something to read, in this column. If course I mean, if it isn't too much bother.

Talking about affairs of the heart, Corpl. Hopkinson seems to have reason also to regret the word, and in this case it is said to have been "yes."

Intoxicants will sometimes cause disaster, either in the form of death, or marriage. You are lucky it was rain and not wood, eh, Harold?

**Company "E"**

A man sure must like the army when he will volunteer for a Saturday afternoon demonstration. Names don't count, but the guilty parties win the corrugated wash board.

Canoes will be issued to all members of this organization on request. Per instructions contained in par 13-13 Special Order 9-9-q-z-y. War dept. 1947 due to the fact that the rainy season is on.

**Company "F"**

The next time Corp. Holland is awakened by the O. D. he (Holland) will stop to think first before he answers, trying to substitute for the charge of Quarters, Mose?

Talk about your "Sunny South" yeah Bo. I never thought there was such a thing as "Icicles" in Benning. Still it is nice to get up in the morning. But much more comfortable to lie in bed, eh what?

**Company "G"**

Noticing that everyone has been happy for the last few days and becoming curious, a certain Sergeant asked a Buck the meaning of all the happiness. He was somewhat set back by the reply, "Sergeant, I just found out that they don't have a Bean in the Commissary."

**One gentleman stated that while going to Columbus over the Paved Highway he lost nine teeth, another stated that he lost all the works out of his watch, while still another stated that he didn't break anything but he did lose his religion while trying to hold to his seat.**

**Company "H"**

Our baseball team lost to "G" Co. last week. The score was 11-10. A few costly errors on our part paved the way for "G" Co.'s victory.

Corpl. Joyce had a squad out last week trying out another style of Machine Gun Hand Cart. Two wheels were were broken inside of a few days on one of the carts. There is a new hand cart ready for experiment about every six months. So far every trial has been a failure.

**CHAPEL NOTES**

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partment for this Festival will be furnished with transportation to Columbus. Meals and lodging by the Jewish Welfare Board, through Chaplain Rosenthal its representative in Columbus.

The "Seder" meals will be served in the Vestry Rooms of the Temple immediately after the conclusion of the services. Saturday night and Sunday.


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## LITTLE WISP O'BROWN HAIR

(By Brooke Leman)

Little wisp o'brown hair.
From your flowing tresses;
Fragment of your beauty,
Object of caresses.

How I love its fragrance,
Thoughts it brings of you;
Partner of your brown eyes,
With their love so true.

The times my hands would wander,
Thru its chestnut maze;
Pillowed on my shoulder,
In those hallowed days.

Strands which fanned my cheeks,
In the moonlight's glow;
Lingered on my coat sleeve,
How I loved them so!

Palling o'er your shoulder
In the silent night;
Sunset crowning ivory,
Purest gold and white!

Mornings I kissed its curls
Or ringlets tantalizing,
Sweetest dreams of love—
Kisses raphsodizing!

Hale of crowning glory,
Diadem of a queen;
Charm of heavenly beauty
Of sweetheart so serene!

Little part of you
To last me for a while—
Little messenger of love
To fill me with a smile.

Little wisp o'brown hair,
I love you beyond measure—
For you are of my first love,
Life's own dearest treasure.

## AN ENIGMA

(By A. Poetaster)

Ballad mongers envy me my
Recrudescent verse
Of love, and prayer, and blueish tide,
Or wisps of hair and worse.
Know ye, scribes, I cannot help it,
Whimsicalities compel
Little odes and brief, coy sonnets
Euphustic, (meaning swell)
Maudlin, pompous, witty—well—
A versatility like mine
Needs express itself in rhyme.

## HERE ARE YOUR EASTER WANTS

Mr. Hofflin and Greentree braved the storm the other day and took a ride out to Benning over the wonderful road just as they said to see what the road was like when it rained. Well they found out.

But after they sat in the office a short time and got warmed up they began to feel better and told us about the wonderful new suits that they had just received for their Easter sale.

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## AN ARIZONA COWBOY

On last Tuesday evening the 15th Tanks had another one of their get together good times when they put on the three act comedy entitled: "An Arizona Cowboy."

It is reported that a good time was enjoyed by all and that the actors carried off the parts that each had in a method that was a especial merit to each and every one of them.

Here is what the Tankers themselves have to say about the play:

We hear a great deal about the charms of illusion—that subtle essence that transforms the imaginary into the real. It was this essence, this quintessence that made the Arizona Cowboy at the Log Hut last Tuesday night more than a real "show" at which you laugh, and titter, and perhaps spear an occasional "thrill" but a genuine experience. By some magic we were carried back to the old days of the wild west, when the brave cowboy went over the dolorous trails, and with them we went through all their curious and adventurious experiences, their scant and pitful joys the comedys of life and the tragedy of death.

The characters impersonated by Hunt was a gem in its way, also that so grimly acted by Batzell and Gardner. The "hero" played by Hicks was such that he should be classed with our leading Shakespeareans, Strickland was as dainty and so appealing an heroine as could be. We could go on for hours writing about the characters they were all beyond improvement.

The only thing that brought us back to Broadway 1923 was the finale, when Faun Afraid gave up her life for the man she loved, and the hero and heroine with their heads united preparing to live happy ever afterwards.

The word was spread far and wide the log hut was packed to its utmost capacity, among some of our guest were: Gen. Gordon, Col, McCaskey, Maj. and Mrs. Sullivan, Maj. and Mrs. Sawkins, Maj. Mitchell and Lieut. Willis, all of whom were more than pleased with the performance.

**Cast of Characters**

Grizzly Grim—(L. E. Gardner) Cattle Thief.
Hazekia Bugg—(C. Hunt) Biggest Liar in the State of Arizona.
J. W. Harms, J. Murry, T. Arsenault, Cowboys.
Yow Kee—(Otis Mason) Chink.
Mrs. Bugg—(T. W. Thomas) From Old Indianny.
Marguerite Moor—(S. E. Strickland) Ranch Owner.
Young Un—(J. F. Head) Poor House Bratt.
Duke Blackshere—(Lee Baltzell) The Villian.
Big Elk—(M. W. Squirrell) Indian Chief.
Farley Gant—(George C. Hicks) The Cowboy Sheriff.
Paul Quillian—(M. S. Stear) His Partner.
Faun Afraid—(J. G. DeNapoli) Indian Maid.

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# Social Notes

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### CAPT. AND MRS. CHASE HOSTS AT DINNER.

Capt. and Mrs. John H. Chase gave an informal dinner party on last Saturday evening.

Jasmine and wild azulea made a lovely table decoration, and the covers were marked with St. Patrick cards.

Places were arranged for eight.

### CAPT. AND MRS. METCALFE HOSTS AT BRIDGE-DINNER.

On last Saturday evening, Capt. and Mrs. Samuel L. Metcalfe entertained at a delightful dinner and bridge party.

The St. Patrick color note was carried out in the decorations and place cards.

High score prize for the ladies was a green taffeta coat hanger; for the gentlemen, three folding coat hangers in a leather case. The booby was a set of bridge score pads.

Dinner was served first after which the bridge game took place.

Covers were laid for: Major and Mrs. Hicks, Major and Mrs. Waddill, Major and Mrs. Paschal, Capt. and Mrs. Robert P. Bell, Capt. and Mrs. Allen Stewart, Capt. and Mrs. Metcalfe.

### FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB.

The hostesses for the Fort Benning bridge club which met Thursday afternoon, were Mesdames Hunter, Lummas, White, Lenow and Hall.

The top score prize, a lovely Maderia centerpiece, was won by Mrs. Arnet.

Mrs. Waycross won the second prize, a bridge set in a leather case.

The consolation, a black flower bowl, filled with jonquils, was cut by Mrs. Frank Greene.

At the conclusion of the game, a salad course and hot tea were served.

### MED. DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.

One of the most beautiful parties of the spring season at Fort Benning was the bridge luncheon on Friday given by seven of the ladies of the Medical Department Bridge club.

The room was beautiful in its array of spring flowers and southern smilax, and the color scheme of green and white was carried out in the tally cards and place cards, which were adorned with shamrock.

Excellent music was furnished by an orchestra from the 29th infantry, which played throughout the meal. After the delightful luncheon, four frames of bridge were indulged in.

Mrs. Sam Metcalfe won top score, a pair of silver candlesticks. The second prize went to Mrs. Ed Wohlwender, a beautiful embossed silver conserve dish. Mrs. E. G. Peyton won third prize, three sets of silver salt and pepper shakers. The consolation, a deck of gilt edged cards in a leather case, was presented to Mrs. Matthews

The hostesses for this beautiful party were: Mrs Orville Brown, Mrs. Robt. Tobise, Mrs. Thomas Smith, Mrs. Sparr Moulton, Mrs. Richard Arnest, Mrs. Reeve Turner, Mrs. D. C. Campbell.

### MRS. FRENCH ENTERTAINS

Mrs. M. O. French, wife of Major French, entertained two tables of bridge informally on last Friday afternoon at her apartment in Dimon Court.

### MRS. MOORE ENTERTAINS 24TH INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. C. H. Moore wife of Capt. Moore was the charming hostess of the 24th Infantry Bridge Club on Tuesday afternoon at Fort Benning.

Mrs. W. A. Stetler won the top score prize; Mrs. J. A. Murphey won the second prize and Mrs. Whileside drew the cut prize.

There were three tables of players and five tea guests. After the game cake ice cream and coffee were served the guests.

### LIEUT. AND MRS. BRINK.

Lieut. and Mrs. Brink entertained at an informal dinner last Wednesday evening, at the Ralston Hotel, honoring Mrs. Wm. S. Richardson, of Baltimore.

### MRS. LEWIS B. ROCK ENTERTAINS FIRST SQUAD OF COMPANY C.

An enjoyable affair of Thursday afternoon was the bridge tea at which Mrs. Lewis B. Rock, wife of Capt. Rock, entertained the ladies of the first squad, Company C. Company Officer's Class.

St. Patrick's Day was suggested in the decorations and prizes.

There was a table prize a dainty green handkerchief for each table. These were won by Mesdames Shepherd and Yancey.

The ladies present were Mesdames Tavenner, Whittemoore, Thomson, Welch Sears, Sears, Jr., Yancy and Shepherd. The officers of the squad joined their wives for refreshments.

### MRS. MALLORY IS SURPRISED.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Duvall and Mrs. Brandhorst gave Mrs. Frank Mallory a surprise party at the home of Mrs. Brandhorst.

Twenty of Mrs. Mallory's friends were present and when Mrs. Mallory received a phone call to step over a minute it goes without saying that she was some surprised.

Mrs. Mallory received many useful gifts each gift have an appropriate verse in connection there with.

Bridge was indulged in and Mrs. McKeon won the high score prize and Mrs. Peach the second. Mrs. Orr drew the boobie. Mrs. Mallory received a beautiful guest prize.

Brick ice cream, artistically decorated little cakes and coffee were served for refreshments.

Mrs. Mallory left on last Thursday for home in Michigan.

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# Social Notes

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### RECEPTION ON APRIL 2ND.

On Monday evening April 2nd at 9 o'clock at the Muscogee Club Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dismukes will hold a reception for their daughter and Captain Buracker whose marriage will take place on April the 3rd.

### CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.

The Current Events Club met on last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Moulton.

Papers were given by Mrs. Fisk who told of the domestic current events during the past week and by Mrs. Brandhorst who told of the Foreign Current events during the past week.

Delightful refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and hot chocolate were served.

The next meeting will take place on April the second at the home of Mrs. Dibrell.

### SOJOURNERS' CLUB.

Fort Benning Chapter No. 8, Sojourners' Club was organized at this Post on March the 9th. Brigadier General Amos A. Fries, National President of the Sojourners' Club delivered the Charter and gave a very interesting talk. Major Brackenbury was the temporary chairman.

After several other "talks" a big "feed" was indulged in for by 6 rounds of good fast boxing.

The next meeting will be held on April the 11th at which time the officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

### AN ITALIAN DINNER.

One of the most unusual affairs was a genuine Italian Dinner given by Lieut. and Mrs. W. A. Stetler at their attractive bungalow.

Covers were laid for eight. After the delightful dinner, bridge was indulged in.

### MR. AND MRS. JOHN T. DAVIS OF COLUMBUS ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Fred L. Walker and Mrs. Frank Green entertained twenty guists at a delightful dinner party on last Sunday at Buena Vista in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Davis of Columbsu.

The beautiful table decorations of white iris, and narcissi wit hclusters of wild olives, the place cards and flowers, the green tapers all carried out the scheme and thought of St. Patrick's Day.

During a most delicious course dinner served under the personal supervision of the Misses Love of Buena Vista a silver cup was presented to Mr. Davis with the following inscription "Chief of the 'possum Hunter's Club of Fort Benning." On the reverse of the cup were the names of the charter members, Major and Mrs. F. L. Walker, Major and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Major and Mrs. T. L. Smith, Lieut. and Mrs. Peach and Major and Mrs. Frank Green of the Red Cross.

The cup commemorates many happy week end trips to Mr. Davis' Plantation where many never-to-be-forgotten barbecues, fish-fries, and 'possum hunts have been enjoyed.

Mr. Davis gave a most delightful response to the presentation speech of Major Green and another talk very opportune and witty was given by Lieut. Fay.

In addition to the Cup Members already mentioned the guests included Col. and Mrs. E. G. Peyton ,Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton, Mrs .Legge, Miss Benton, Lieut. Fay, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Davis and Master Thomas Davis.

### DANCE AND CABARET

Don't forget about the big Dance and Cabaret that wil take place at Biglersville Hall on the evening of April the 6th when the Army Relief will stage this affair.

Solos will be renderd by persons of merit and some excellent dancing is promised. All in all several distinguished artists will be on hand to give some wonderful exhibitions.

Tickets are now for sale by the Miss Fassetts at 75c each.

Army ladies are asked to donate refreshments and a prize will be given for the best cake.

### CHAPEL GUILD.

The regular meeting of the Chapel Guild was held on March 19th at the Protestant Chapel.

Mrs. Starr Moulton was appointed secretary and treasurer to succeed Mrs. Frank Green.

Beautiful alter draperies are being made and it is earnestly requested that all members meet with Mrs. Kent on March 29th at 1:30 P. M. to complete this work.

Mrs. Peyton and Mrs. Rumbough will have charge of the decorations for Easter. A special Musical Program is being prepared by Mrs. Cooper.

### SPECIAL TO THE NEWS.

The News is in receipt of a special direct radio from Lieut. H. S. Kelly (HAM) who is at present in Honolulu. He stated that Mrs. Kelly and he wished to announce the birth of a daughter on March the 5th.

We were unable to get any details but it will be safe to say that if the little daughter is anything like "Ham" we can easily predict that she will be a great favorite. (We do not happen to know Mrs. Ham so cannot make any definte statement about that side of the family but knowing "Ham" the way that is our good fortune it would be easy to say that the other half must be just as good.) The News extends heartiest congratulations and sincerely hopes that all will be well with the little Miss from now until infinity.

### NINTH INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. John Robinson was the cordial hostess of the Ninth Infantry Bridge club on Monday, entertaining the twelve guests at luncheon, and later enjoying a game of bridge.

The floral decorations consisted of lillie of the valley, and the candies and mints were green and white, a spring-like appearance, adding the afternoon affair.

The club members were joined by Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Brisset for lunch.


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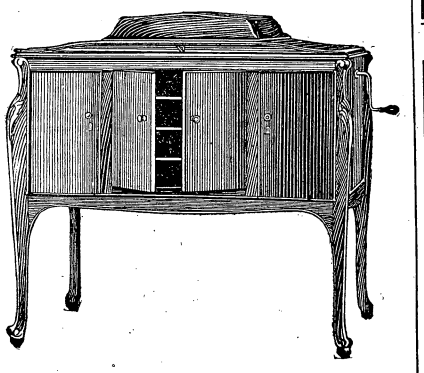

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## PACIFISM VS. MILITARISM.

At the present time and as a matter of fact for the last two years we have read so much about pacifism that one begins to wonder if the American People are so strongly against the Military and actually believe that it can be legislated out of existance in the United States while other Nations keep a large force of trained troops. Why not do away with police forces in our cities and depend on volunteers to take their place?

At present our Regular Army is only 25,000 men stronger than Germany and Germany is supposed to be "broken" in so far as effective military strength is concerned.

Germany has her 100,000 men all together and in an area of about the size of Texas. The position of the United States is almost an exactly opposite situation in that out of 125,000 men we must maintain our overseas garrisons at war strength and in addition have our remaining strength scattered all over the United States proper. This leaves our effective fighting force within the continental United States about 65,000 men.

Now is this force sufficient to furnish instructors to the National Guard, the Organized Reserves and all other organizations that desire to learn a few of the rudements of war in time of peace and still protect our people especially when England is in a position to land 160,000 men in Canada in sixteen days, 200,000 in thirty days and 150,000 in every thirty days there after until she has 40 divisions or 800,000 men; Australia can land 100,000 every one hundred and twenty days until she has landed 650,000 troops; Canada 200,000 in thirty days and then 100,000 every thirty days until she has 500,000. Therefore England is in a position to have 2,050,000 troops in Canada at the end of six months.

If Japan can defeat our fleet especially if a part of our fleet be in the Atlantic or slip around them and this is not at all impossible because Japan has faster ships and larger guns than we have, she can land 360,000 troops in 90 days or 750,000 in six months with sufficient provisions to maintain them.

No this is not impossible. Both Japan and England have a large merchant marine and therefore have the vessels to transport their troops. Also did we not transport troops to Europe when the waters were infested with mines and submarines. Weren't France and England able to bring their colonial troops to Europe? Was Germany able to stop the troop movement? Also what about areoplanes and gas in the next war. Will our enemy be noble enough to wait until we are ready for him? Hardly.

Now one wonders where all of the propaganda and funds come from to carry on this peace at any price and no more war "stuff."

It has recently come to light that certain communist do the writing and that the funds for printing and other propaganda are raised by certain classes, namely would-be-soldiers who were dishonorably discharged during the war, "slackers and draft-evaders" and other organizations who are willing to take all of the benefits that this government can give them but who will not or are not willing to "put themselves out "to support the government. Who do not think enough of their homes and families to help drive out an enemy. These men are simply cowards and are trying to hide it under some cloak, or else they are misguided and do not realize that they are being used as a "tool" by some other person or organization.

Now do these people represent the majority of the American People? We are sure that they do not, but that the organized anti-militarist are in a position to bring pressure to bear in such a manner that our military forces are extremely small and that when the next war comes we will be in exactly the same position that we were in when the war of 1812, the Mexican war, the Spanish-American war and the World war, come namely unprepared.

What is the result of the World war! Nearly $25,000,000,000 of our National Treasure Expended and 50,000 of our young men killed in battle just because we were not prepared for war.

You say that is wrong. Well do you believe that Germany would have repeatedly insulted this Nation if we had been prepared for war? Hardly. Would it have cost us 25,000,000,000 of dollars and 50,000 killed if we had been prepared? Hardly. Especially when you realize that 25,000,000,000 dollars would keep a standing army of 250,000 officers and men and 500,000 national guardsmen for over thirty years with out any additional cost to this nation, but which we had to expend just because we were not prepared.

No, it can never be said that this Nation will ever undertake a war for conquest but unpreparedness has gotten us into every war that we have had with a foreign country. And still we say that unpreparedness prevents war! Read your histories and determine for yourself whether it was preparedness or unpreparedness that lead us into war. If you don't care to take the time I will tell you that history shows that all of our foreign wars show that we were unprepared when war came.

We do not claim that preparedness would have prevented all of the wars for to be right frank about the matter we have never been prepared for war when war came. Experience has proven that unpreparedness has not prevented war. On the other hand when at the close of the Civil War we were prepared for war it did not take the French very long to get out of Mexico when we said "get out you are violating the Monroe Doctrine." Also England was very prompt in paying for damage that was done by vessels that she had allowed the Confederate government to take. In both of these cases we were prepared for war and still we did not have a war. Also we did not undertake a war of conquest or attack another nation. Then to at the close of the World war we were in a position to have conquered much territory but did we take a single island or a single acre of ground? Not a bit.

## ANOTHER CARTOONISTS ON THE NEWS STAFF

Private Wright of the 24th Infantry is the latest addition to our staff of highly paid cartoonists. His first contribution is a picture of the machine? Invented by the Department of Experiment which will be shown in the next issue. This is a work of art as the Fort Benning News understands art and we maintain that a thing of beauty is a joy forever.

This now gives us three cartoonists Captain Kraul and Lieutenant Hess are the other two who have been donating their good will and time for the pleasure of our readers and we will admit that the drawings to date have been excellent.

Keep the good work going, Selah!

## CARDS OF THANKS.

The commanding officer of the 24th Infantry, Colonel Nicklin, wishes to thank Captain John A. Porter, the officers at Post Headquarters and the member sof the Quartermaster Corps, for the voluntarily collected sum of $73.00 for Sergeant W. D. Powell, Company "K" 24th Infantry whose wife died as the result of burns, Wednesday at 4:30 A. M.


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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter 4.

**That Which Dealeth with the Supply Sergeant.**

When a supply sergeant and a mess sergeant be as brothers, it behoveth the company to make note thereof. For it meaneth that one bribeth the other. The mess sergeant desireth more and better clothing and equipage; the supply sergeant wanteth still another and better handout.

A good supply sergeant collecteth much property and keepeth it under close surveillance within his tent. For by so doing he maketh strict account thereof and receiveth the praise of his captain therefor.

When it cometh to pass that a supply sergeant getteth in a mood to give out a few articles concealeth within his tent, he calleth long and loud but verily that which the men receiveth be not wanted.

The wrath of the men then waxeth mighty for many there be who re-c....eiveth shoes size 9EE when they asketh for 5AAA or underwear of heavy wool when the days be hot and the night cooleth not.

Least thou forgetteth, keepest thou in mind that a prudent supply sergeant holdeth the new for himself and passeth out that which he hath worn.

Neither must thou expect that a supply sergeant stoopeth to drill like the ordinary soldier. His august rank prohibiteth such, or when he be so compelled by order of his captain he sayeth that he cannot then check the 637 or keep strict account of the property which he keepeth within his tent.

Neither must thou expect that a supply sergeant maketh a good marksman, for he be so indolent that he soon groweth fat and rotund. That when he lieth down to shoot he keepeth his head and his feet near the ground with difficulty but moveth up and down like unto a tetter-totter.

Neither be his eyesight keen for the checking of many records and such property be hard upon the eyes and they groweth dim, so that the black becometh invisible at two hundred yards. But lo—be there a man in the company who stealeth even one single button O. D. from the supply room, let him beware; for that same supply seeth it while yet it is a far off.

Now a good supply sergeant keepeth all manner of things in the storeroom, for the captain maketh many and varied demands. He calleth for issued lighting bugs, when the quartermaster furnisheth no light. Or he calleth for good sharp axes with good helves so that who sinneth may be choppers of wood for the kitchen form four in the morning until the hour of breakfast.

When cometh the day of salvage, a good supply sergeant lieth cheerfully; also he taketh one and maketh many there from and yet leaveth the original so that it deceiveth all who may look thereon for by so doing he turneth away the wrath of his captain and instead he winneth praise because the auditor findeth no shortage.

Then Lo— when cometh the day that the general inspector arriveth the supply sergeant proveth himself a true magacian, for he findeth all manner of thing. No matter where an article hath been lost or thrown or left he findeth it even though it be to the ends of the reservation, and that which he doth not find he replaceth. Selah!

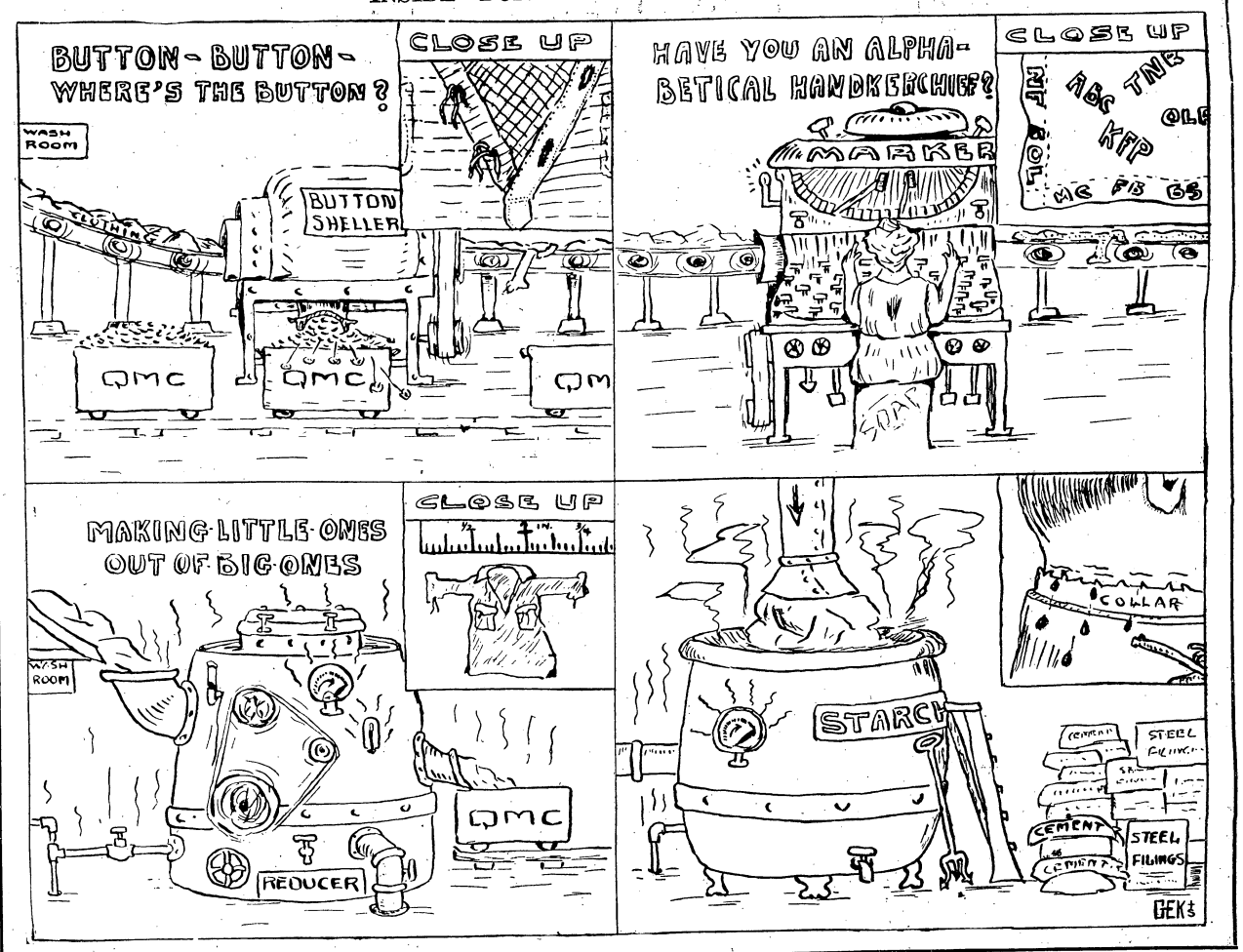
### SAYS OUR OWN GEORGE WASHINGTON.

"In time of peace prepare for demotions."

### FOR POST EXCHANGE PATRONS

Don't cry over spilt milk—there's enough water in it when you get it—The Milkman.

### INSIDE "DOPE" AT THE POST LAUNDRY.




### FORT BENNING NEWS

The News believes that the following may be of special interest to members of the equitation classes and to those who take what is presented to them, in the matter of mounts, in a paper chase.

### THE 'ORSES

(May Kipling Never See This)

I've taken the nags as I've found 'em,
  I've peeled an' I've 'ealed in my time,
I've 'ad my pickin' o' r mounts,
  An' four o' the lot was prime;
One was an 'arf-bred devil,
  One was an 'orse just in name,
One I 'alf-alted in Ogden,
  One fell in a ditch an' went lame.

I was a young un at Riley,
  Tender as 'ell to begin,
Aggie Austen she made me,
  An' Aggie was clever as sin;
Faster than lightnin' 'cross country,
  Very erratic she were;
Ran up to a jump, sat down on her rump—
  An' I drew some insurance on 'er.

Then I was given a monster,
  The highest I ever was on;
Throwed me up in a sapling,
  When I came down 'e was gone.
"Jumper" they classed 'im at Riley,
  Said 'e would go six foot nine;
'E went into reverse (but I 'ad a nice nurse)—
  Camels are not in my line.

Next day I was given a dray 'orse
  Schooled in the West Ridin' 'all,
Advertised as a splendid four-faiter
  (Walk, trot, stumble and fall).
'E wasn't so agile and supple,
  But yet he could manage somehow
To turn at the trot, in a four-acre lot,
  But now 'e is 'itched to a plow.

So I've applied tannic acid diluted
  To places not mentioned in print,
I've fumbled and fallen like you,
  I've worn all my limbs in a splint.
I've bought me a nice new remount,
  An' wonderful things 'e can do,
But because you're my friend, an' 'ave somethin' to spend,
I'd like to sell 'im to you.

—The Standard.

Fort Riley, Kas.

### TO FORMER MEMBERS OF 29th INF., 83rd FIELD ARTILLERY AND 15th TANK BN.

**Beginning with this issue of the "News" the Chaplain will mail copies to those former members only who have requested him to do so, or to those who send their requests in on the forms provided.**

**Former members of the Field Artillery and of the Tanks who requested the "News" from Chaplain Gray (who is no longer at Fort Benning) will receive their copies from Chaplain Wood.**

FOUND—This first page of a letter found on the parade ground—owner may have same by calling for it.

Chilkoot Bks., Alaska.

Dear Pa:

As I have a little time to myself tonight I think I will write and tell you about this place. The wind is howling around the cabin and the growling of the polar bears and hungry arctic wolves behind the nearby icebergs make it hard to write, besides my fur clothes hardly keep me warm even if the stove is red hot. The Northern lights are shining so bright I don't need a candle to write. I wish you were here, I bet you would be frozen stiff in two minutes, but us old-timers got experienced and by eating big pieces of sourdough and salmon belly keep in good shape.

—Chilkoot Post.

### ARMY LADIES

If you desire to produce a military effect continue to hang your hair, powder your noses, and wear gowns of shot silk.

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### NOT IN THESE DAYS

He showed his "excellent" discharge to the proprietor of a butcher shop and asked for a job.

"Well," said the butcher, "I might be able to give you a job at ten dollars a week. But what can you do to make yourself useful around a butcher shop? Can you dress a chicken?"

"Nope," said our hero, "Not on ten dollars a week.

### YES, AND TO FORT BENNING BESIDES.

If Eve had been as 'fraid of snakes
  As her daughters are of mice.
We'd not have had to pull up stakes
  And move from paradise.—The Foolish Almanack.

### HAD NOTHING ON OUR LIEUTENANTS IN COLUMBUS

We read the other day that George Washington took part in 63 different engagements.

### OH, THE TRUTH IS MIGHTY!

Chawming Hostess (gushingly) "They tell me, Captain Battle, that you are a regular lady killer."

Captain Battle, M. C. (modestly) I assure you, madam, that I make no distinction between the sexes.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## BASEBALL

### Infantry Wins One And Auburn The Other

The game baseball game scheduled for last Friday between Auburn and the Infantry School at Auburn was postponed due to a rain, with the result that on last Saturday a doubleheader was played with Auburn winning the first game 7 to 6 and the Infantry School won the second 7 to 2.

The following as written by Brooke Leman in the Enquirer-Sun tells the tale:

Both battles of the double bill were limited to seven frames but the end of the seventh in the opening game saw the score tied in a hard knot, 6-6 was the way the score sheet read. The Tigers went in for blood in the eighth and with one down, Knowles, husky first sacker, slid over the pan for the winning tally. The second game was called in the last of the seventh on account of darkness. The Infantry had slipped over another counter in this frame making the Blue total read eight runs but the game reverted back to the sixth inning making the accredited tally Infantry 7; Auburn 2.

**Sheridan on Mound**

Sheridan, one of the best bets of the Tiger slab staff, started to do the mound work for the Donahuemen in the first game and Hutchinson, ex-Georgia flinger held down firing honors for the Blue. Both flingers were touched fairly liberally by the sluggers of both clans, the Infantrymen clouting out eight safeties off Sheridan's slant while the Tigers found Hutchinson for a total of seven clouts.

Hutchinson gave way in the sixth to McNutt, submarine ball artist of the Infantry, who yielded three hits in the remainder of the game, while Doug Knight, ex-Columbus lad went on the rubber for Auburn in the fifth frame and held the hard swatting Infantrymen hitless for the remainder of the game.

Right here we must pause and opine that this lad Knight, from the realms of Columbus, is entitled to the credit and huge gobs of it at that, for the win which went to the Tigers. He hurled beautiful ball and went in at a crucial time. The Infantry were taking a particular fancy to Sheridan's' shoots but Young Mister Knight stepped into the breech and held the Infantry at bay while the Plainsmen crew slipped over two runs in the fifth which knotted the early lead of the Blue and again put over the winning tally in the 8th.

Hutchinson and McNutt flung a high grade brand of ball but the Tigers hit at opportune moments. The Infantrymen got away to a flying start slipping over two tallies in the first inning when singles by Olmstead, Fountain and McAlpine with a fielders choice to Honnen did the trick.

**Tigers Come Back**

The Tigers came back and tied the tally in their half of the first on clouts by Griffin, Knowles and Arnold but the Infantry ran wild in the second and piled up three more when Nelson, Hutchinson and Fountain singled and Heckert was hit. Some heady base running materially abetted the tally in this frame.

Another Blue leg crossed the rubber in the third when Yon doubled and came home on McAlpine's single, but the Tiger clan came back and ran across two themselves.

Allen singled and came home on Griffin's healthy triple, Griffin talled a moment later on Knowles' long fly. Matters rollicked along in this shape until the sixth when the Painsmen tied the tally. It was this same lad Griffin who turned the trick for he stepped to the pan and clouted a homer, the first of the season driving in Knight who had singled ahead of him.

The sixth and seventh innings passed without further tally but the Infantry missed a bright chance to cop the melee when two died on sacks in their part of the seventh. The Tigers went to bat in the eighth and Knowles dropped a double into right field. Stiz was out but Knowles advanced and came home when Arnold hit a wide one to McAlpine which the Infantry third sacker knocked down but threw wide to the plate.

With the first battle a matter of history the Infantrymen went into the second scrap with blood in their eyes. Moulton, Auburn's premier slabster was working against Hi Davis, Infantry drop ball artist.

The Blue swatters got their hickory into action and found Senor Moulton's offerings when hits meant runs and jumped into an early lea dwhich was never headed.

**Davis Pitches Well**

Davis pitched magnificent ball, yielding but four hits in the six frames and walking nary a Tiger. He had speed to burn and a dazzling curve which sizzled by the hard clouting Plainsmen. Moulton was effective at times and caused eight of the Infantry to whiff the ozone but on the other hand he yielded seven hits at costly moments in the five innings he worked. Hines, a Tiger recruit replaced Moulton in the sixth and the Blue batters found him for four safe swats and as many runs in this inning.

The Infantry scored one in the first frame on a base on balls to Olmstead, a stolen base, and Fountain's single. Three more of the Doughboys romped over the rubber in the second when McCarty singled and Kent Nelson, having found his batting eye, stepped to the pand and drove a peachy homer into deep left. Davis singled, advanced on an out and came home on Argo's muff of Fountain's long fly.

Auburn tallied twice in the fourth on a double by Arnold and singles by Harrison and Griffin and here the tallying ended until the sixth when four more Infantrymen raced home.

Davis was safe on a fielders choice, Olmstead singled and Fountain drove both home on his long triple to left center. Darkness was gathering but the Tigers went to bat in their half of the sixth and were retired without harm. The Infantry annexed another tally in their part of the seventh but Umpire Scott decided it was too dark to play ball any more, and he was quite right, and called the game at this junction.

**Splendid Fielding**

Both teams fielded splendidly and there were plenty of bright spots. Each team acquired but one error in the first game and while the Tigers added one miscue in the second battle the Infantry played errorless ball.

Auburn gathered eleven hits to eight while the Blue clouted out eleven safe swats to four for the Tigers in the second.

Batting honors went to Griffin, Allen and Knowles of the Tigers and to Fountain, McCarty, Nelson, Parris and McAlpine of the Infantry. Fountain led the Blue with four safe hits in seven times at bat during the dual bill.

Fielding honors were divided between Griffin, Allen and Knowles of the Plainsmen and Honnen, Fountain and Nelson of the Infantry. The Doughbay clan ran wild on bases, stealing a total of ten sacks in the two games by some mighty heady and classy base running. McCarty and Milburn were arsenic behind the pan for the Blue, holding the Tigers without a pilfered sack.

Score by innings—First game:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Auburn | 202 020 01—7 | 10 | | 1 |
| Infantry | 231 000 00—6 | 8 | | 1 |

Second game: R. H. E.
Game called on account darkness last of seventh.
Score by innings:

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Infantry | 120 003—7 | 11 | | 1 |
| Auburn | 000 200—2 | 4 | | 1 |

### BASEBALL SCHEDULE—1922

| Dates | Teams | Infantry | Opp. |
|---|---|---|---|
| March 17 | Auburn (Ala. Poly) | 0 | 1 |
| March 18 | Auburn (Ala. Poly) | 10 | 3 |
| March 22 | Univ. of Ga. | 4 (11 innings) | 5 |
| March 23 | Univ. of Ga. | 1 | 1 |
| March 24 | Auburn (Ala. Poly) | 4 | 9 |
| March 25 | Auburn (Ala. Poly) | 8 | 4 |
| March 31 | Oglethorpe Univ. | 5 | 4 |
| April 1 | Oglethorpe Univ. | 1 | 4 |
| April 7 | Univ. of Florida | 3 | 9 |
| April 8 | Univ. of Florida | 4 | 5 |
| April 12 | Univ. of Mich. (Doubleheader) | 8 | 9 |
| April 14 | Mercer Univ. | 1 | 11 |
| April 15 | Mercer Univ. | 4 | 6 |
| April 17 | Univ. of Ala. | 7 | 1 |
| April 18 | Univ. of Ala. | 13 | 7 |
| April 21 | North Ga. Ag. Col. | 6 | 5 |
| April 22 | North Ga. Ag. Col. | 8 | 9 |
| April 25 | Univ. of Ga. | 2 | 14 |
| April 26 | Univ. of Ga. | 3 | 10 |
| May 4 | Sewanee | 6 | 1 |
| May 5 | Sewanee | (Rain) | |
| May 6 | Sewanee | 9 | 4 |
| May 8 | Vanderbilt Univ. | 6 | 5 |
| May 9 | Vanderbilt Univ. | 1 | 4 |
| May 10 | Sewanee | 3 | 1 |
| May 11 | Sewanee | (Rain) | |
| May 12 | Mercer Univ. | 12 | 5 |
| May 13 | Mercer Univ. | 12 | 13 |

### WATCH THE INFANTRY

The Uni. of Ga. wolloped us last year can they do it this year? From present indications and with the material that has turned out we don"t believe that Ga. can do it. However we won't be long in suspense as the Infantry plays the Univ. of Ga. today at Driving Park and then again Monday at the Post.

### LETS WOLLOP GA. SELAH

For the benefit of the new officers that have arrived at this Post this year and for the other that may have forgotten the results of some of the games that were played last year we are reprinting the schedule as played last year with the results.

From present indications and with the material that has turned out the Infantry School should have some line-up this year.

### POLO

The series of Polo Games now in progress for the Dierk's Cup was postponed last Sunday due to the rainy weather.

The series will be continued next Sunday weather permitting. The 29th Infantry and the 83rd Artillery will tangle for four periods and the Blue will have a sette with the Yellows for four periods.

## BASEBALL

THE INFANTRY SCHOOL WILL PLAY GA. UNIV. AT DRIVING PARK TODAY. SATURDAY.

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## 24TH INFANTRY BAND PAYS TUSKEGEE A VISIT

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ganizations when once they were near each other.

The invitation which brought the band to Tuskegee Institute was extended to the organizatiton through Col. Nicklin by Principal Moton at the conclusion of his recent "Good Will Tour of Georgia" which was staged at Columbus, near which Fort Benning is located. Among those who heard Dr. Moton on this occasion was Col. Nicklin, who then and there placed himself at Dr. Moton's command for any service he could possibly render to the cause. When Dr. Moton proposed a visit from the band it was promptly agreed to and culminated in the concert of Saturday night with the following program:

1. March—"The Guiding Star"—Strieberitz.
2. Overture—"Poet and Peasant"—Suppe.
3. Grand Opera—"Il Trovatore"—Verdi.
4. Waltz—"Italian Nights"—Tobani.
5. Descriptive Suite — "Atlantis"—Safraneck.

(a) "Nocturne and Morning Hymn of Praise."

Men had a chance to compare themselves with a veteran organization and many of our own thought the comparison was by no means discouraging. Mr. Elazer is to be complimented upon the thorough drilling which is manifest in the work of his organization. It is apparent that some of his men cannot have long been members of his band as indicated by their rage; but neverlheless they responded to the director's baton with a precision and a promptness that gave every evidence of careful musicianship. Besides, the visitors introduced to us some new music which we may expect to hear again from her own organization.

The visit of the 24th Infantry Band to Tuskegee carries with it the expectation of a visit from our own band to Fort Benning. Our boys are awaiting the chance with eager anticipation.

## PLAYERS IN "PEG" KNOW ENGLISH LIFE

Not only have the British settings in the Metro picture version of "Peg O' My Heart" been presented with artistic authenticity but the cast was selected by the director. King Vidor, with a view to preserving the English atmosphere of the play. The picture will be shown at the Grand Theatre the last three days of this week.

Laurette Taylor, the star, who created the role on the speaking stage, and her husband, J. Hartley Manners, the author, are both familiar with English life. Mahlon Hamilton, although American born, spent years in England. Nigel Barrie, born in Calcutta, was educated in England. Lionel Belmore claims Wimbledon, Surrey, England, as his birthplace. Fred Huntley and D. R. O. Hatswell, late of His Majesty's navy, were born in London. Ethel Grey Terry, Vera Lewis and Russell Simpson are all American but have appeared in engagements on English stages. So the English manner should be adequately represented in Hollywood.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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## TWO BENNING OFFICERS GET SPECIAL DETAIL

### Go To Springfield Armory

Word has just been received that the Chief of Ordance has selected Captain L. B. Glasgrow and Lieutenant H. C. Griswold, both of whom are instructors at the Infantry School, for a four month's detail at Springfield Armory in connection with the targeting of rifles. They will leave Springfield Armory about August 15th for Fort Niagara, N. Y., for duty with the Infantry Rifle Team.

Both of these officers are well known here at Benning and to the service in general especially in connection with rifle shooting as they are distinguished markmen and have been members of the Infantry Rifle Team several times.

## THE FORT SILL GUIDON ARRIVES

We were fortunate this week in that we received a copy of the Fort Sill Guidon, a weekly paper just started at Fort Sill to fulfill the same need at that Station as the Fort Benning News does at this station.

The News extends heartiest congratulations to the Staff of the Guidon on its excellent first appearance and further hope that you will have the same good fortune as the News is enjoying.

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Greeting to the Fort Sill Guidon from the Fort Benning News. Selah!

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

The good weather brings back the battalion's most active sport. "Handball" and so that we may get together to arrange our schedule with evenly matched teams, a meeting will be held Tuesday March 27th, at 4 p. m. in the log hut. This will afford sufficient time to get word to all interested and formulate your ideas regarding "mode of procedure."

### TO D. L. CAMPBELL HDQRS. CO.

In these days of high rentals and prohibitive perambulator prices, when the average married man experiences difficulty in supplying butter with the bread he begs, borrows or steals for his wife and family, with shoes so high and strawberries almost unobtainable, you have taken unto yourself a wife. Believing that you have been endowed with the faculties bestowed upon the average mortal an dfeeling that you were in full possession of these faculties when making the fatal step above refered to, we are forced to consider your actions as an open and flagrant violation, premeditated and with malice aforethought, of all rules of modern civilization. Surely some one must have told you of the bills, the thrills and chills which come into the life of every married couple. Some one has warned you of the pitfalls you would find in your path and the trouble and discord would be your lot. But for all that you have let discretion fly to the wind, have scoffed at those who would advise you and threw yourself into the abyss of wedlock from which there is no saving hand, no returning and no possible retreat. And so it is Campbell that we endowed by our Creator with a saving grace, mournfully regret your passing from the subline and happy state of single blessedness into that maze of uncertainties, that network of responsibilities, the married state. But the deed is done old man and we should not spend our time in penning idle words of regret and shedding tears of sorrow. Personally and in the name of the battalion we extend our heartly congratulations to Mrs. Campbell and yourself. We hope that your married life shall be one long stretch of happiness, unbroken and unmarred and that continued health, success and prosperity be yours.

From the latest broadcasted reports we learn that our neighbors the 7th Engineers have joined the radio bugs, if you see any of them standing around the barracks with their new machine called the Little Radio Bug, pocket size, why this is to notify you that they are harmless as yet, as they have not reached the advance stage of this disease, as they are only in the mild form of meter waves.

Randolph what did the laundry man say about them?

Sgt. Mason claims that the stuff fermented across the Chattahoochee, but when he drank it, it kicked so hard that he woke up in the station hospital. He tells us that the bird had the brass to send him a bill for it.

Holding a consultation between difficult pool shots, improves my playing to a great extent announces our cue artists. Cols. Batzell and Edmunds. Making a four cushion play is something worth nothing, even in these days of the cork center baseball.

The zero hour is at hand. The members all looked for their column in the Benning News. They see and hear news that might be interesting to their fellow members, but they do not transmit to the scribe, and if the battalion has no notes they kick. (Last week I missed inserting a column due to politics for the first time. Apologies to no one.) If you want to criticize kindly forward your stuff and we will gladly insert it. We have had a couple of notes in the last six months.

### CONSCIENCE MAKES COWARDS OF US ALL!

From some soldier at Fort Benning, white or black, Captain Thad. C. Knight, head of the Motor Transport Corps, received enclosed in an envelope with a small wrench that had been stolen, the following letter—offered here as a testimonial for the good of the Haggard Evangelistic meetings.

Dear Captain Knight:

My conscience hurts me for taking this wrench ever since I went to Mr. Haggard's Holiness meeting. I have worried because I took what did not belong to me. As the Bible says, "be sure your sins will find you out." I have taken other things but cannot return them to you as I lost them or had them stolen from me. With God's help and a few M. P's and also the 6 and 6 special court of the 24th Infantry, I hope others will unburden their bodies of sin and return any stolen property before it is too late.

### REV HAGGARD TO SPEAK AT FORT BENNING

A rumor is current that a committee from the Majors' Mutual Protective Association, headed by Major Reekal, is about to wait upon the Commanding Officer with the suggestion that he invite Reverend Haggard, who figures so conspicuously in the preceding article, to make about 16 speeches at the rate of 4 a night for 4 consecutive nights to the assembled personnel of the Fort. Major Reekal said that if a sermon by this noted evangelist made in Columbus, nine miles from here, caused tools to be returned to the Motor Transport Officer, what would the harvest be of a series of sermons delivered in our very midst? It is not thought however that Reverend Haggard will be invited here on account of the difficulty of inventorying the surplus property which would thus be brought to light.

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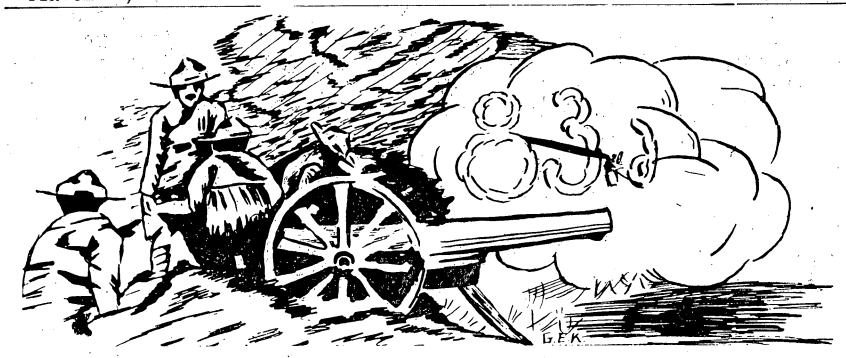


### BATTERY "A"

Pvt. Miller has got himself a pair of glasses now, said he could not see very well at night, especially when he drove the Dance Bus, Wednesday night someone borrowed 12 sacks of Bull from his barrack bag, when he found out he exclaimed: "I don't wish that guy any bad luck, but I hope he dies from consumption," Now what you should have done Miller, was to find out who borrowed them, then take him upstairs and give him 12 more sacks, always show the spirit of brotherly love.

Pvt. Gates, the man of mystery, leaves right after supper every night and goes out towards the Aviation Field, we have our noted Detective Estes working on the case now, and soon hope to have the mystery solved.

There is not a day that does not pass, that Kid Towle doesn't sneak in on Kifer and ask for a bugle, now why in the world don't you give him one Kifer, just so he wil lbe satisfied, even though he doesn't know what it is.

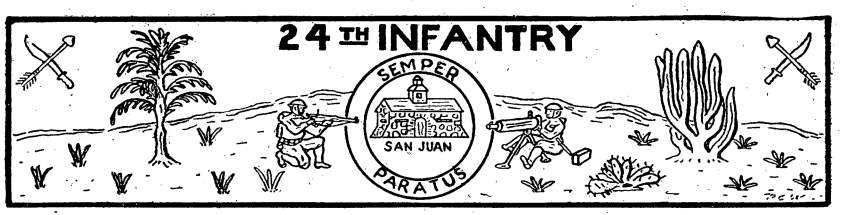
### BATTERY "B"

Pvt. Burk who has been in the Hospital for the past few weeks is back for duty once more.

Would like to know who told the Battery Commander that Pvt. Ingram was using another man's shoes for inspection.

The talk given by Chaplain Lennan at noon March 20th was highly appreciated by all.

Pvt. Puckett and two of his friends from the 20th Infantry gave us a free musical concert Monday night, and it was enjoyed very much.

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The men had just finished field firing season during which their enthusiasm, skill and the remarkable results obtained had raised their morale to the highest degree.

### Comipany "B"

When it is morning on the borders
  and the sun is breaking through,
And the sands begin its glistening
  like the good old home town dew,
I look across the river and it make
  me kind of blue,
When its morning on the borders,
  Love my thoughts go back to you.
When the greasers stop their snipping
  and the sculking in the sand,
And the rider hide himself away
  beyond the Rio Grande,
And the—doth assemble to the old Red
  White and Blue,
When its morning on the borders;
  Love then I'll come back to you.

### Company "C"

Open Challenge to all—No one barred.

Company "C" issues its annual ultimatum, as target season is on, and Company "C" 'utends to break all records this season in Marksmanship. The big open pot is now on. First Company "C" will have the highest score of any team of five men. Second Company "C" will have the highest ratio of experts. Third, Company "C" will have the highest score of any team of three men. Fourth, Company "C" will have 100 per cent. sharpshooters or better. Fifth, Company "C" will have the highest individual rifleman. Any who may be interested apply to Company "C" Rivalry Club.

### Company "E"

Lest we should forget:

Sergt. F. L. Francis & Baird McD. Hart Company "E" will be very proud to see the evening sun go down this fall, owing to the fact that they will be on their last ga around after thirty years of honest and faithful service with the colors.

Company "E" as a whole is very proud that the baseball season is at last about to start. They are placing on the team for criticism or comment the following: Corpls. Haywood and Gilchrist, also Privt. 1st Class Bentley, a pitcher of great renown, who causes a baseball to resemble one of Carters Little Liver Pills when same reaches the plate.

Sergt. Fisher (Old Trooper) is at present running neutral, but around payday he will stay in high for at least ten days.

### Company "I"

Thirty six men jumped into various uniforms last Friday afternoon, in preparation for their first workout on the regimental team. To eighteen of the number must be given credit of the 24th Infantry, in this section last season, and the other eighteen upheld the regiment at Columbus, N. M., with both forces combined our base ball lineup will be second to none. They reported to the same coach of last season, Captain R. M. Wilson, the silver tongued, task talking and soft speaking coach, who says that by April 1st he will be ready for any team. any place any where, "Nuff Sed."

**Sergt. Ellis (Rim), has started a class of "Etiquette," not how to be gracious and charming, but to learn how to act at social functions. His aim is to give his class certain self-confidence and poise at kitchen police, use by the class is a table, at which the men take turns at playing 1st Sergts. and K. P's. Everyone make mistakes once, and to the kitchen you must go. So he has found out that it is courtesy that oils the wheels of every day life and makes it easy for everybody.**

### SOLDIER RETIRED AS PRIVATE RECEIVES EQUIVALENT TO INTEREST ON INVESTMENT OF $21,960.

It is a trait of human nature to fail to appreciate those blessings or benefits that come to one without effort or for which one does not dig down into his pocket and pay for out of his salary. A striking illustration of this occurred at Fort Slocum, New York, during the early days of the war. Large numbers of men were being enlisted and patriotic theatrical organizations were putting on splendid shows for the soldiers' amusement. The choicest acts and the very best stars from Broadway composed the bill at these entertainments, which were free to all soldiers. Many of them attended but they started to walk out after the first act and by the time the performance was half over these all-star shows were ruined by the exodus. Night after night this same thing happened, much to the discouragemnet of all who made these splendid entertainments possible. Many could not understand such lack of appreciation. It was purely and simply because these shows were free and had an admisson charge, however small, been made most of these men would have kept their seat sto the very last As one of them when questioned remarked "No free shows for. mine. When I want to see a show I'll pay for it."

Take the question of retired pay-few enlisted men who serve in a regiment for a number of years prior to retirement ever go on the reitred list as privates. Usually a vacancy is made in some appropriate non-commissioned officers' rank so that they can retire with that rank and this action is almost invariably taken with men who actually deserve the character "Excellent."

The monthly retired pay of enlisted men for each grade follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| 1st Grade-Master Sergt. | $133.87 |
| 2nd Grade-Technical Sergt. or 1st Sergt. | 94.50 |
| 3rd Grade-Staff Sergt. | 83.25 |
| 4th Grade-Sergt. | 66.37 |
| 5th Grade-Corporal | 55.12 |
| 6th Grade-Privates 1-Cl. | 43.87 |
| 7th Grade-Private | 35.44 |
| Average | $ 73.20 |

Presuming that an equal number are retired in each grade, the average retired pay amounts to $73.20 per month or $878.40 a year. As a matter of fact, very few men are ever retired as privates as has already been explained so that the average is probably actually more than the $878.40 per annum mentioned above. But to be conservative let us take this figure as the basis and what do we find it represents- As it is an assured income it may be considered as the yield from an investment. What investment equals in safety the guarantee of retired pay? A United States Government bond is the only one I know. It would take $21,960 worth of bonds paying 4 per cent. of the same amount of cash in a saving bank to yield the $878.40. If he were retired as a master sergt. as many worth soldiers are, his pay would represent a similar investment of $40,161; as a technical sergeant it would be $28,350 and so on down the list.

Every one is acquainted with some old soldier who has served a number of years in his regiment and has become in fact, an institution. Every one is willing at all times to help such a soldier by advice or aid in time of trouble.

Very few enlisted men realize the value of some of the allowance they receive without effort. A soldier is taken sick and goes to the hospital-his pay goes on just the same and he is not put to any additioanl expense for medical treatment, medicines or hospital service. In civil life a wage earner is "out of luck." In most cases if he is laid up for any length of time his earning power ceases and his expenses increases in leaps and bounds. Strikes do not effect the soldier's income-strike benefits never equal the pay envelope. So long as a soldier obeys orders and regulations and does his duty at all times, his pay comes to him from a man who has no interest in the actual amount received other that to assure himself that the same is authorized by law. Quite often the civilian employer fails to have this same feeling in regard to the pay envelope of the employee

A soldier pays no dental-bill—a civilian does and wonders why he has to pay so much to a man for hurting him. A soldier gets three meals a day and a place to sleep—a civilian does if he has the price in his jeans. A soldier walks down to the Post gymnasium and exercises; goes t othep ost library and gets a late book; goes to the movies and sees a popular picture; goes in to the company amusement room and plays billiards or shoots pool—finds newspapers and magazines, often writing material. All of these things he gets without cost or at a very small cost compared to what he would spend as a civilian.

He goes to the supply sergeant and puts in a request for a new uniform or other articles of clothing and it comes to him without cost. It is a different proposition for a civilian when he goes to buy a suit of clothes. The cost of insurance available to Army personnel is much cheaper and safer than any old line company can offer. There is no reason why a soldier should not save a few dollars each month and still enjoy life, and the Government provides a safe bank to keep his savings in at the same rate of interest as the soldier can get outside with a safe institution.

The value of saving a few dollars every month is not usually realized by the young man. Yet it is no uncommon thing to find many soldiers going out on retirement with large deposit—which enables them to buy a home and start their new life under comfortable circumstances.

The Army resents the enlisted man being called a "fifteen dollar man" or a "thirty dollar man" because these allowances that have been mentioned above amount to so much more than his actual pay, and come just as certainly as his pay to the good soldier.

### Company "K"

**The entire Company offers sympathy and condolence to Sergeant Powell in his loss and bereavement. Early on Tuesday morning his home caught afire and was completely destroyed with all his personal effects. His wife who had been sick in the house was caught in the flames and her clothing caught afire inflicting burns which later caused her death at the station hospital. Arrangements were made for burial at her home near Midway, Alabama.**

**Sergeant Powell for two years has been dispatcher at the Q. M. Corral, and in this capacity has made many friends in Fort Benning, who have all rallied to his aid in this emergency. Members of "K" Company have manifested their esteem and sympathy in a substantial manner, and the officers of the regiment have also taken a share in the friendly assistance which has come to the rescue of this soldier in his misfortune.**

## Signal Corps Notes

Here we are again after a delay of several weeks due to the fact that everyone has been too busy in telephone installations in the new Officers Quarters, New Target Range, etc., to submit any notes for publication.

No, it was not an earthquake that shook the barracks the other night—Avery was just reminded that Myers time for K. P. was up Sunday and he would be the next applicant for the position—thats alright Avery, we all get shaky in the knees at times.

While in and around the Signal Office the other day the following narrative was heard to take place between Captain Laytin and Private Heard.

Heard: (With an intelligent look on his face) Captain, if we cut a-2 Amplifier condenser into one side of the Tungar Rectifier, ground the other side of the rectifier to one side of the line relay on Sergeant Herman's line, what would the result be?

Captain Lattin (Thoughtfully) Well, if I understand Signal Corps Manuel No. 3 and Ohms Law thoroughly, and if the resistence is the same on both the condenser and the rectifier as it was on my Dodge Radiator cap before that "slick-finger" took it, the result would be a slight ground on the ring side of the 29th Infantry Radio Antanna—pick up the marbles Capt. you win.

### INFANTRY SCHOOL TENNIS TEAM —1923—

The Infantry School has scheduled an ambitious program of tennis matches for this year. The season will start early in April. Matches have already been arranged with Georgia Tech, Atlanta Athletic Club, Macon Country Club. Others pending.

All officers on duty at Fort Benning may compete for places on the team. Names should be submitted at once to any member of the Tennis Committee. The Committee will prepare an initial relative ranking list of all candidates, based on their past performance and the results of tournaments last fall. A player may advance on this list by challenging and defeating the player next above him. The team to play any match will ordinarily be chosen from the players highest on the list. The ranking list will be posted on the Bulletin Board of the Officers Club and at the Tennis Courts.

The following officers are members of the Tennis Committee:

Major, C. B. Elliott, 1st Sec. D. M. A.; Capt. L. H. Watson, 1st Sec. D. M. A.; Capt. T. D. Finley, 2nd Sec. D. M. A., Capt. R. C. Van Vliet, Jr., 1st Sec. D. M. A., Capt. J. S. Switzer, Jr, 29th Infantry, Capt. K. S. Whittmore, Co. C, C. O. Class."

### RANGE AND COOKING DEMONSTRATION.

Miss E. A. Purdy, range and cooking demonstrator for the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., will be at Fort Benning on March 26, 27, and 28.

Miss Purdy will give individual inranges in thecmfwypicl sh sh sh shr structions in cooking on the new electric ranges in the Officer sHop Room on the mornings of March 27th and 28th. On the afternoons of these two days, she will give a class demonstration on the preparation of foods and care of electric ranges.

All ladies of the Post interested are cordially invited to be present.

Miss Purdy is not only an expert in the preparation of foods but is thoroughly versed in the use of the electric range. Miss Purdy's phone number will be Post 26 ring one, office of Constructing Quartermaster, during her stay on the post.

## Births

Born to Lieut. and Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins a future financial ruler of Wall Street and an Alexander the Great on March the 8th.

Mr. Stephen B. Elkins delayed notifying the News of his arrival due to the stress of other duties, and as a consequence proper announcement was not made at the time.

When asked by a reporter of the News for his opinion with regards to the "Fort Benning Road" young Steve right then and there proved that he will be no mean diplomat for he would not commit himself giving as his reason that he had just arrived, hence he did not know what the attitude was as regards the Fort Benning News, giving as his reason that he had just arrived and wanted to get oriented before making a definate statement.

He did state, however, that the climate seemed to agree with him here and that he was feeling fine and dandy and also that he was gaining in weight daily.

### ANNOUNCEMENT and CORRECTION

Elsewhere in this issue we stated that we had three cartoons with the News, but the article was written Thursday morning and as that is our busy day we wrote the article rather hurriedly and as a result we omitted the name of Lieut. Bernard A. Byrne who has and still is giving us some excellent drawings. We most sincerely beg your pardon Lieut. Byrne that we were so careless as to omit your name in the other article and sincerely hope that this will make up at least in part of our error. Selah!

### FILM PLAYERS OF ABILITY IN "SINGED WINGS"

Another of those splendid casts that are characteristic of Paramount pictures, has been assembled for "Singed Wings," Penrhyn Stanlaws' new Paramount production in which Bebe Daniels and Conrad Nagel are featured, and which comes to the War Dept. theatres next Thursday. Miss Daniels has the role of Bonita della Guerda, a beautiful Spanish cafe dancer, while Mr. Nagel plays the leading masculine part, that of Peter Gordon. Mr. Nagel is regarded as one of the screen's best young actors and his role in "Singed Wings" gives him ample opportunity to display his talent to the best advantage

The heavy role is played by Adolphe Menjou, one of the best players of ballroom and polished villain roles. Don Jose della Guerda, grandfather of Bonita, is played by Robert Brower. An old man, hardly able to walk with the aid of his cane and teased to exasperation by Emilio, a simple minded clown, Mr. Brower has created a character of great strength.

Ernest Torrence nas the part of Emilio, one of the strongest characterizations in the picture. Emilio is a clown in the cafe at which Bonita dances. He is simple minded but cunning nevertheless. He loves Bonita, who treats him kindly and thereby provokes a tragedy. The remaining role, that of Eve Gordon, the neglected wife of Bliss Gordon, is played by Mabel Trunelle. Finding herselff losing the love of her husband, she faces death, and is killed, in an effort to regain that love.

### BATTLES OF SEXES THEME OF PICTURE

The eternal battle of the sexes, raging from the very drawn of the human race, is the theme of Daniel Carson Goodman's powerfully dramatic and prophetic photoplay "What's Wrong With the Women," which will be shown at the War Department Theatres Friday March 30.

Woman, according to the view of Mr. Goodman, long noted as a writer and producer of plays for the stage and screen, has realized that if she is to hold her own in this, one of life's greatest battles—the battle of her own sex—she must borrow from the weapons of experience.

That is why, Mr. Goodman shows in bold and powerful strokes, she does not disdain the rouge pot, the powder puff, the pencil, the art of the manicurist and the subtlety of the dress-makers.

Mr. Goodman employs real characters of flesh and blood to tell his amazing story on the screen but he goes far beyond mere individuals. He treats the theme as a massive human canvas, as a world problem for the answer to which great men have been vainly groping for centuries.

"What's Wrong With the Women," is not unkind to womanhood. It is in no sense a sermon or propaganda in behalf of mere man. But it reveals the modern woman in all her strength and weaknesses and shows by means of a tremendously dramatic human story how woman, in the present high-powered era of jazz and bootleggers, can such serve society. In the cast are such noted players as Wilton Lackaye, Rod La Rocque, Barbara Castleton, Mantague Love, Huntley Gordon, Julia Swayne Gordon, Constane Bennett, Hedda Hopper and Mrs. Oscar Hammerstein. R. William Neil was the director and the picture was made for Equity.

### THE FAST MAIL AT WAR DEPT. THEATRE SUNDAY

**Thrill Follows Thrill**

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Auto pursues auto—death traps and two wheel turns.

Mississippi steamboats in boilersplitting chase.

Daredevil leap to pilot house of fleeing steamer.

Terrific explosion as boiler burst.

Desperate swimming and heroic rescues.

Villain catches train—reckless pursuit in a hand car.

Death-defying leap from hand car to engine.

Daredevil jump from locomotive to speeding auto.

Plunging through grade-crossing gates under shadow of Empire Express.

Smashing a racing car through the walls of a hotel.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

## TROOPS GO TO CAMP M'CLELLAN

### To Be There By June 10th

Company "F" 1st Gas Regiment and one battery of the 83rd Field Artillery will go to Camp McClellan by marching and are to arrive there not later than June 10th.

It is not known at this time just which Battery of the 83rd will go as Major Rumbough, Commanding Officers of the 83rd has not decided as yet.

**The Infantry Rifle Team presented the "News" with a set of Cat's Whiskers and a pair of Snake's Hips.**

**The "News" will award the above valuable articles to the person turning in the best title to the above picture.**

## Two Old Timers Are Retired

### One man of the 24th, another of 83rd Complete 30 Years Service.

Sergeant Alphone J. Riegler, R-664,-251 Battery "C" 83rd Field Artillery, was tendered a battalion review Tuesday morning on the 29th Infantry parade ground, on the occasion of his retirement after nearly twenty-five years of continuous service, not counting double time. General Gordon, the commanding officer, received the review with Sergt. Riegler, and Major J. W. Rumbough, commanding the 1st Battalion of the 83rd Field Artillery was commander of troops. Through the courtesy of the 29th Infantry, the band of that regiment furnished appropriate music.

Sergt. Riegler's admirable record during his entire service, and the official recognition and appreciation of it, appear in the following orders:

1. The Commanding Officer desires

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## Captain Charles Speer Is Decorated

### Receives The D. S. C.

On last Saturday morning Captain Charles E. Speer was decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross in the presence of the School Division and the 29th Infantry.

General Gordon pinned the much desired Cross upon the breast of Capt. Speer and thereafter the 29th Infantry passed in review, the School Division at a rigid attention a short distance in the rear of Commandant of the Infantry School during the ceremony.

Captain Speer attended the first training camp held in this country, namely Plattsbury in 1915. After graduating at this Camp he joined the 5th Infantry of the Maryland National Guard. He answered the Call to the Colors in 1916 for the Mexican Border and in November 1916 was commissioned a provisional 2nd Lieutenant

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## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**For Week Beginning April 1, 1923 and Ending April 7, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three Theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre ....6:00 P. M.
29th Infantry Theatre ....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, April 1.**

Smilin' Thru—8 reels (Norma Talmadge.)
Homemade Movies—2 reels (Ben Turpin.

**Monday, April 2.**

Just Tony—5 reels (Tom Mix.)
My Hero—2 reels (Lupino Lane.)
Fox News—1 reel.

**Tuesday, April 3.**

Making A man—6 reels (Jack Holt.)
Dummy Love—1 reel (Comedy.)

**Wednesday, April 4.**

Question of Honor—6 reels (Anita Stewart.)
Hickory Hick—2 reels (Comedy.)

**Thursday, April 5.**

A Fool There Was—7 reels (Special Cast.)
Fox News—1 reel.

**Friday, April 6.**

Bishop of the Ozarks—6 reels (Harry Carey.)
Roach Comedy—1 reel.
Pathe Review—1 reel.

**Saturday, April 7.**

Drums of Fate—6 reels (Mary Miles Minter.)
Fighting Blood—2 reels (Witwer Series.)

## OUR UNIFORM.

Are you interested in a change of the service uniform? Do you want a dress uniform? Whether you are or not cut out the ballot and send it in to the News. Let us get the sentiment at Benning.

**The gray squirrel rambled up to Block 23,**
**To take a look around and see what he could see.**
**Then he called in glee to his sons and daughters,**
**"Aint the color scheme grand in these officer's quarters?"**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### 83RD F. A. BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. C. W. Reed entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club on Tuesday afternoon March 20th. There were four tables of players and four guests.

Mrs. Ellis received a lovely guest prize. Mrs. W. A. Boiderlinden received the high score prize and Mrs. C. Pickett the second.

Refreshments consisted of a delightful salad, beaten biscuits, cheese-straws and tea.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. J. Roxbury.

### A FINE PICNIC LAST SATURDAY.

Lieutenant I. H. Joffee and Lieutenant L. W. Bassett were hosts to a large group of unmarried young people last Saturday when they gave a picnic at Jefferson Hole.

Mrs. Graham was the chaperone, but Colonel Graham was unable to be present due to a toothache.

Every one stated that they had an excellent time and that the delicious "eats" furnished by the hosts were enbeatable and that they are to be congratulated on the excellent selection.

To add merriment to the party every auto got stuck somewhere along the excellent (?) road either coming or going and to use the words of the party the road was "rotten."

Others who were present were: Miss Henry, Miss Malone, Miss Dinkle, Miss Mechling, Miss Kent, Miss Woods, Miss Neeland, Miss Turner, Lieutenants Henry, Gannon, Sanderson, McCarthy, Hendly, Williams, Adams and Zeigler and Masters Edward Mechling, Kirvin Malone and Harold Porter.

### MRS. AND MISS HENRY ARRIVE

Mrs. Henry and Miss Henry sister and price of Mrs. Waddell, wife of Major Wadell arrived the latter part of last week. They expect to stay about ten days.

### CAPT. AND MRS. HUNTER ENTERTAIN

Captain and Mrs. Rosser L. Hunter were the cordial hosts at a bridge party on Tuesday evening at their home out at Fort Benning.

Spring-time flowers, consisting of yellow jasmine, jonquils and peach blossoms were used to make the apartment more beautiful.

The first prize was a set of linen tea napkins and Mrs. Gilfillin was the lucky winner. The first prize for the gentlemen was a memorandum book, and Captain Engleman fell heir to that.

The ladies consolation was a bud vase and Mrs. Engleman cut it. The man's consolation was a box of candy which Captain Lester won.

Present were: Major and Mrs. Sawkins, Major and Mrs. Brownell, Major and Mrs. Stickney Captain and Mrs. Engleman, Captain and Mrs. Lester, Captain and Mrs. Gilfillin.

### MRS. BURNETT ENTERTAINS.

On last Monday afternoon Mrs. Burnett entertained at two tables of bridge at her home.

Mrs. Gessford and Mrs. Hebert won the table prizes.

A delicious luncheon was served just before the entire party went to the baseball game which was played between the Infantry School and the University of Georgia.

### MRS. HERBERT ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

Mrs. Edmond Herbert gave a lovely bridge party at Dinglewood on Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. W. Crissy, who is the guest of Captain and Mrs. John R. Fountain.

Large bunches of pear, peach and plum blossoms, were banked in the corners and niches of this beautiful old home which made a picturesque setting for the tables where the ladies were seated.

Mrs. Pomerin made high score at the bridge game and was given a luncheon set, and sourvenir for the guest was a bridge set.

Twelve guests were included in this affair.

### MRS. CRISSY LEAVES.

Mrs. Crissy who has been visiting Mrs. J. R. Fountain left last Tuesday for St. Louis enroute to her home at Fort Omaha.

### OH JOY, JOY AND THEN MORE JOY, WE ARE GOING TO HAVE FUN, ARE YOU?

Yes sir and its going to happen on April 6th at 9 p. m. at the Biglerville Hall and all for the Army Relief. Yes sir its a benefit social and the most pretentous entertainment ever given at Fort Benning.

Mrs. Peyton who is in charge of the entertainment has discovered among the officers and ladies stationed here many of unusual musical and dramatic ability all of whom have gladly agreed to contribute their services to so worthy a cause. As Benning is the greatest Post in the Army it is hoped that its contribution to the Army Relief this year will be greater than at any other post.

It is indeed seldom that one can help an organization so deserving and at the same time be so delightfully entertained.

It is hoped that every officer will take advantage of this opportunity and bye at least two tickets.

Mrs. Schoeffel who is chairman of the refreshment committee is busy selecting food and those who are on the committee are reading cook books for especially good selections or palate teasers. Three competent judges have been arranged for and they will with most solomn dignity sample the various cakes that the ladies of the Post are going to donate and then they will award a prize to the lady who brought the best cake.

The orchestra is now rehearsing the best of jazz numbers that will be played between the acts.

Don't forget the entertainment begins promptly at 9 o'clock.

### MISS DUNKLE TO BE ENTERTAINED.

On April 3rd Mrs. Burnett will entertain at luncheon in honor of Miss Dunkle who is the house guest of Col. and Mrs. McCaskey.

### MRS. BURNETT ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Burnett entertained the Neighborhood Bridge Club at her quarters.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Mester.

Delightful refreshments were served after the game.

### MISS GRAHAM ENTERTAINS

On last Friday evening preceding the Hop at the Officers' Club, Miss Kathleen Graham entertained at supper in honor of Miss Elizabeth Henry.

The table was artistically decorated with peach blossoms and white candles in silver holders.

Covers were placed for eighteen.

After the delicious supper the entire party repaired to the Hop Room and enjoyed the dance there.

### MR. AND MRS. RYCROFT LEAVE

Mr. and Mrs. James Rycroft who have been visiting their son and daughter-in-law Lieut. and Mrs. Jack

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# Social Notes

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(Continued from page 2.)
Rycrofft left last Tuesday for Kentucky en route to their home in California.

### RECENT ARRIVALS

Major Charles A. Dravo arrived in the Post this week from West Point where he has been an instructor. As the Major is on a leave status at present so his duty status is unknown at the present time.

Major Dravo was entertained informally at luncheon by Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey on last Monday.

Another recent arrival is Lieutenant D. E. Lowry Jr., Q. M. C. who has just returned from France and gay Paris at that.

### TEA MUSICALE WAS EXCELLENT.

The Tea Musicale given by Mayor and Mrs. Dimon at their home on last Wednesday was an important and delightful event.

Mrs. Campanole, wife of Major Campanole gave the musical numbers, and her lovely program of songs was accompanied with fineness by Alice Beard Kierce, a well known local pianist.

Too much cannot be said of the exquisite quality of Mme. Campanole's lyric soprano voice.

Mrs. Campanole's program had the distinction of newness. Each was a gem, revealing the sweetness, flexibility and range of the singer's voice, Repeated encores betrayed the enthusiasm of the splendid audience which completely filled the Dimon home.

At the close of the entertainment, the guests were server tea, and had the opportunity of meeting Major and Mrs. Campanole, both of whom are charming socially and whom Columbus regrets to lose at a very early date.

Mrs. Dimon's home was brightened for the tea-musicle with quantities of flowering pear, dogwood, daffodils, tulips and hyacinths, and the tea table, arranged with its silver service, was presided over by Mrs. Cecil Neill and Mrs. Marshall Wellborn.

### MR. AND MRS. V. A. COX ENTERTAIN.

On last Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Cox and their daughter Miss Vesta entertained at dinner in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Bazire.

The beautiful table decorations consisting of pink and white candle in silver holders, with plum and peach blossoms surrounding a potted plant with nests of Easter chickens artistically intermingled added a cheerful that made the dinner exceptionally delightful.

Covers were laid for twelve.

### MRS. BURACKER HONORED WITH SURPRISE PARTY BY 24th INF.

On Tuesday evening the Officers and ladies of the 24th Infantry assembled at the officers club for a farewell party to be given Mrs. Buracker. mother of Lieut. S. L. Buracker who is soon to leave Fort Benning. Mrs. Buracher has been a member of the 24th Infantry circle during her stay at Fort Benning, and has won her place in the hearts of all who have come to know her.

The surprise was affected by the regimental officer of the day holding up Lieut. Buracher's car at the entrance of the 24th Infantry camp while out riding and demanding a search to be made for liquor. Mrs. Buracker was ushered into the Club close by while the embarrassing proceedure was carried out. Upon entering the side door, the lights were snapped on and the party deluged Mrs. Buracker with cries of Surprise!

The evening was spent in dancing, imptomptu bridge, music by the orchestra, a speech by all present which was the feature of the evening. Col. Nicklin was master of ceremonies and there wasn't a dull moment during the entire evening. Mrs. Buracker was presented with a guest prize and was showered with compliments and regrets from all present on the eve of her departure. Refreshments were sreved.

### 24th INF. BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED BY MRS. NICKLIN.

The 24th Infantry Bridge club were delightfully entertained by Mrs. B. P. Nicklin on Tuesday afternoon at her home, which was decorated in the seasons blossoms. Four tables were filled for play, and five tea guests later shared the warm hospitality and the honors.

First prize was awarded Mrs. Jas. Sproule, a handpainted basket filled with flowers; the second prize was won by Mrs. Buracker a set of bridge score cards; the cut rize was awarded Mrs. L. V. Jones, a set of linen tea napkins; and the honor guest prize was given Mrs. J. F. Farnsworth, a beautiful corsage.

### MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.

The Medical Department Bridge club met at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Reeve Turner.

Those winning prizes were Mrs. Arnest first, Major Tobias Second and Mrs. Smith drew the consolation.

After the game delicious refreshments were served.

Captain and Mrs. John N. White will entertain the club on April 10th.

### CAPT. AND MRS. L. K. LEGGE ARE POST VISITORS

Capt. and Mrs. L. K. Legge, of Charleston, S. C., are visiting Capt. B. R. Legge and Mrs. Legge at Fort Benningg.

Capt. Legge was formerly a member of the famous "Wildcat" Division (81st) and went through the overseas campaign in the capacity of operations officer of the 324th Infantry. After the return of the "Wildcats" to the States Capt. Legge resumed the practice of law in Charleston.

Capt. and Mrs. Legge will be at Fort Benning for a number of days.

### A DRAG HUNT BREAKFAST

On last Sunday morning Capt. George H. Weems entertained a party of friends at a drag hunt breakfast at the Officer's Club mess. Among those present were Capt. and Mrs. Wm. E. Lewis, Lieut. and Mrs. Bernard A. Byrne, Capt. Legge, Capt. Weems, Lieut. McKinney, Lieut. and Mrs. Lawrence, Lieut. and Mrs. Elkins.

### CAPT. AND MRS. B. LEGGE ENTERTAIN

Last Sunday evening Capt. B. R. Legge and Mrs. Legge entertained a number of friends at a buffet supper to meet Mrs. Legge's son and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. L. K. Legge of Charleston, S. C. Among those present were Capt. and Mrs. Moore, Capt. and Mrs. Bruce, Capt. and Mrs. Switzer, Capt. and Mrs. Lewis, Lieut. and Mrs. French, Lieut. and Mrs. Elkins, Capt. Weems, Capt. Keiser.

### A SEWING PARTY

On last Friday March 23rd Mrs. R. T. Arnest entertained at a sewing party at her home.

An enjoyable time was had and considerable work was accomplished.

A delightful frozen salad course with waffers, tea and mints were served as refreshments.

### THE CURRENT EVENTS CLUB

The next meeting of the Current Events Club will be held on Monday April the second at the home of Mrs. Dibrell Quarters No. 20-H.

Mrs. Matthew J. Gunner will speak on personnal experiences in Armenia. The following members will have charge of the regular program, Mrs. T. L. Smith, Mrs. J. Elkins and Mrs. J. Rycroft.

### MRS. M'NAIR ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

Mrs. McNair, wife of Captain McNair entertained at bridge on Thursday afternoon March 22.

The first prize, a pair of hand-embroidered pillow cases, was won by Mrs. Buracker. The second prize, a chine cake set, was won by Mrs. Dunwoody and the consolation, two hand-embroidered tea towels, was cut by Mrs. Willis. After the game, a delicious salad course, coffee, nuts and mints were served.

### THE DANSANT

The tea dance originally planned for Wednesday, April 4th, but postponed in order not to interfere with the Army Relief cabaret, will be given Wednesday afternoon, April 18.

This is the last of a series of parties given to raise funds for the furnishing of the Polo Club House. It is planned to procure these furnishings at once so that the members of the garrison who will leave in June may be permitted to see and enjoy, by their use of the club house, the results.

Because of limited floor space only a small number of tickets to the dance will be sold. Announcement with regard to the making of reservations will be made in a later issue.

### SOME CABARET

The big Cabaret and dance that the Army Relief will give at Biglerville Hall on April the 6th is going to the Cat's Whiskers when it comes to having a good time.

If you enjoy eating, and dancing and singing and music you sure want to be there. Don't forget the date April 6, at 9 bells. Tickets six-bits, three-fourths of a dollar, at Wheat's Drug Store and by the Misses Fassetts.

### 29TH INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. K. Olson entertained the 29th Infantry Bridge Club at her quarters on last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Raaen won the high score prize two lovely hand embroidered linen handkerchiefs and Mrs. Rickert won the cut prize which was the same as the high score prize except that it consisted of only one handkerchief.

A delicious salad course was served for refreshments.

The Nest regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. McKeon.


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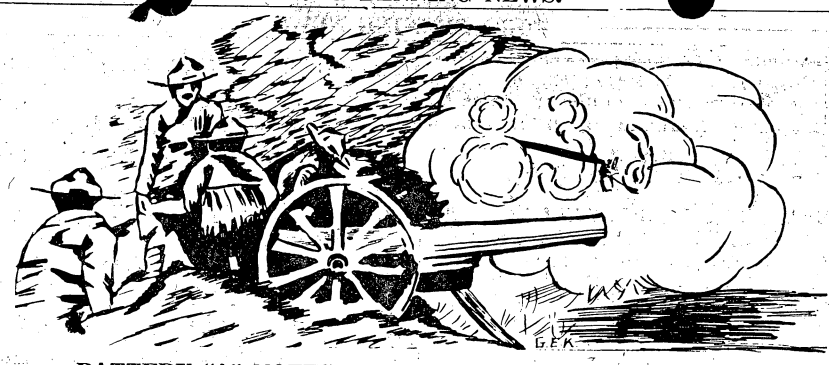

### BATTERY "A" NOTES

Wonder how much longer Sgt. Berry is going to wear that red sweater underneath his O. D. shirt? "Glasses" said he didn't want to wear it on top of his shirt 'cause some one might think he was a bolshevik, is that right Sgt.?

Kid Roberts our ex-M. P., won the Detective Estes in an all around battle the other day, some one then asked "What do you mean all around? Why all around the barracks of course.

Pvt. L. C. D. strolled over to the Medical Detachment Dance Tuesday Nite, which was for Non-Com's only, he got in alright, but a little while later he was trying to borrow some stripes, what was the trouble Leon, did Sgt. Craswell find out you were a "Buck, 1st Class," you can't fool that old boy, next time you had better borrow some before you go in, you've been thrown out of better places than that though, haven't you? Tell us the truth now, you little grease ball.

### BATTERY "C"

Paragraph about Sergt. Riegler will be found elsewhere.

Private Mitchem planked down 120 berries and requested a discharge. When asked why he wanted to buy out, he replied "that he was on the brink of a nervous breakdown caused by dreaming of paint, varnish, Dyan-Shine and Blitz.

Don't get discouraged Mitchem, the worst is yet to come.

The Top Kick is organizing a Battery baseball team, which we expect to be one of the leading teams of the Post. We know he will succeed.

### HEADQUARTERS AND COMBAT TRAIN 83RD F. A.

The poets of the 83rd Field artillery, inspired by various sentiments, among which the urge of spring does not seem to appear, have burst into print as follows. The writers all are charter members of the Anonymous Society, one of our largest clubs.

### THE ARMY MULE

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**3rd.**

In mud and slush, engines go punk
Old Beck bucks and shows his spunk
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**4th.**

In rainy weather, with mud in superable
Truck men use words both bad, and terrible
Mule skinners sit in their seats with joyous glee
And watch old Beck set the American Eagle free.

**5th.**

As to the length of his sway, who can say?
Perhaps it will be till comes the day
Hopefully predicted since days of yore
The day of days when War will be no more.

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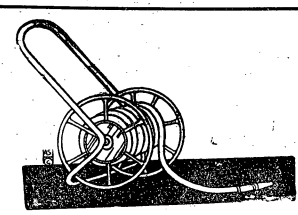


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## 15th Tank Battalion News

### CO. "C" 15TH TANK BATTALION

The company baseball league, will start next week, the date will be announced later, a meeting was recently held and the outlook is most encouraging. A large number of veterans will be on deck, with the addition of several promising recruits.

Well, well; Will wonders ever cease, last Monday an "A" Company tank came in under its own power from the range. As it passed the camp baseball diamond a long fly was hit to centerfield; the Georgia fielder so surprised when he saw the tank that he misjudged the ball and it went for a home run.

Cpl. Patterson must have had a good month at black-jack for we understand he has purchased Burton's old tin Lizzy.

The casualties of "C" Company were very heavy last week. Three of their best men were discharged, Sgt. Dean and Rollins and Pvt. Whitten.


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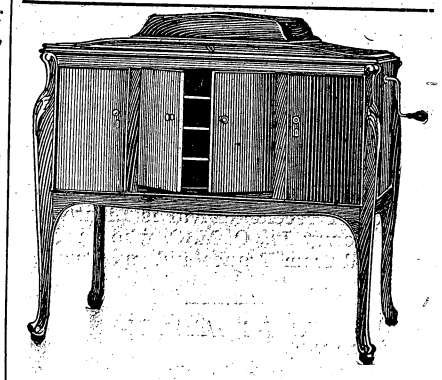


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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### Company "A"

Pvt. 1st Class Joseph Kindur has just returned from his re-enlistment furlough and we are all glad to have him back once more. There is an old saying that too many cooks spoil the pie but we don't have pie so we should worry.

Our day room is taking on the appearance of a parlor now and we hope to have the pool tables ready for action inside of a few days. We need the money.

Don't it make a fellow feel queer to take a brace on himself, give his full military rank and title when answering the telephone and then to have a feminine voice ask if Corpl.—is in?

### Company "B"

While writing about him I may as well finish up: One night last week Sgt. Humphrey was known to make a call on a certain lady in the city, after a moment of debate they decided to go to the carnival that was running in Alabama, after spending three or four hours at the cernival and also all the money taht the Sergt. happened to have, the fair damsel requested him to wait at the entrance for a few moments he waited "Yes" for three long hours Then friends told him that his girl was seen with some other fellow. Remember Sergt. that all is fair in love and war and also that revenge is sweet.

To all you men who are going out of the service and into the unknown of the civilian life. There is a letter in the orderly room of this Organization that was received from a Soldier that once belonged to the 29th Infantry, and from the tenor of that letter, Civilian life is all to hard for one who has spent Three years of leisure in the Army, for that is what it is and nothing more, so if you are about to be discharged, make a call and read the contents of this letter. P. S.—This man is re-enlisting for his old Organization.

### Company "C"

Prospects are very good for a number of Expert Riflemen this season, Corpl. Corley thought 44 was to little for him out of 10 shots, but when he fired another 10 rounds he had to be satisfied with 39, Corley we all know you can argue but you can't get ahead of a bullet.

Both Officers and men would have had little respect for the narrow minded degenerate that shot the dog belonging to "C" Co. last week on the range, if he had been shooting at a target it would have been a miss.

### Company "E"

About all you can hear in this neck of the woods is base-ball. I believe it has become more popular than cribbage, although the latter is running a close second. Dad and Mowry started a friendly game last night and it wound up by Dad locking the cards and board up. He said if he couldn't win a game there would not be any playing with his toys.

Hz. Co. thought they had fish in "E" Co.; probably they did but from the looks of Sunday's game, Howitzer is about the biggest Fish we know of.

The reporter wants to know what becomes of the Co.'s notes each week.

### Company "F"

Well boys look over our consecutive victories on the diamond: 2nd Bn. Hdqrs. Co. 7-22 F. Co. 1st Bn. Hdqrs. Co. 6-19 F. C. Regtl. Hdqrs. Co. 0-9, F. Co.

When it come sto playing the "National Sport" F. Co. is well represented, even if we do say it ourselves. "Selah"

Private Szurkus received his "Rubber Rifle" from Sears Roebuck Co. you can "Wrap it around your knob" without any inconvenience Clem. quite a difference between your new one and your regular "Musket" eh?

Corporal Werner received a box from Pennyslvania and of course he destributed the contents freely, the eats were fine John we certainly wish that Easter would come once a week. "Selah!"

### Company "H"

Our base ball team had an even break last week. They won one game and lost one. They defeated "F" Compayn 9 to 7. Vincent was on the mound and he pitched an excellent game. The other game was lost to the Service Company.

Our papers and magazines are arriving every day now for our Recreation Room. We will son have a good supply of reading material.

We put on a demonstration Monday which passed of excellent. It was complimented by Officers of the Field Officers' Class.

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## ARMY PEOPLE

What element or factor connected with life in the Army makes us stay in the Service notwithstanding disagreeable living conditions, loss of pay, demotions, and numerous petty annoyances which turn up from time to time? There are a number of us who could materially better our financial condition by expending the same amount of energy we now expend if we were in civilian life.

Living conditions would ordinarily be more satisfactory than at some of our Army posts while the cost of living would probably be considerably less. If we were in business for ourselves, as the expression goes, the probability of a decrease in income, after we had become established, would normally be so small as to be almost negligible while if we were on a salaried basis our salary, rather than be reduced, would be increased from time to time and if we were connected with a live and progressive business concern we would eventually become a member of the firm or retire on a pension when we became too old to be of further service. And in the meantime we would have probably acquired a certain amount of property of one kind or another and a home.

The answer to the above question is the people in the Army.

Army people have a tendency to form friendships which are lasting and the nature of their lives is such as to draw them closer together. And it is this friendshiip principal that keeps us here. Of course we have our little rows, but there are very few families who do not and an outsider stepping in quickly proves that they mean nothing. If we do happen to get engaged in a situation which would, in other walks of life, cause a permanent estrangement most of us bring the matter to a show-down by meeting the other party, or parties, in the case face to face and by personal contact eliminate misunderstanding—on which, incidentally, most rows are based—which might otherwise become so magnified in our own minds as to make us look on the other fellow as a vile wretch.

Did you ever take a leave with no place in particular to go and nothing in particular to do? Try it out once. For the first few days the going is good. Getting out of bed any old time in the morning and wearing any old kind of clothes have their appeal. People you have not seen for a number of years extend the hand of fellowship, get you to extol at length on the overseas campaign, and tell you to use their office as a loafing place. Maybe you go to a number of very nice parties. After a time however you find that the rest of the crowd does not speak your language and that they are very busy hustling along in their own particular grooves. Soon time begins to hang heavy on your hands and the first thing you know you begin to wonder what the crowd at your particular station is doing. Then your determination to get away from everything military for two months and do nothing but loaf begins to show signs of weakening and if it were not for the fact that the crowd on "the Post" would think you had not had a good time you would report back for duty. Finally you do start back, giving yourself several days time in case trains are missed or the car breaks down, and when you report in—five days ahead of time—you feel that you are "home again."

The women of the Army make the Service what it is from the standpoint of attractiveness. Our women are so versatile as to be able to make a home out of a shack and they are accustomed to inconveniences which a housewife in civilian life would not put up with. They can prepare a good meal on an oil heater and give a good party at almost no expense. Quick and frequent changes of station make them susceptible to speedy climatization and this, in turn, makes them readily adaptable to living in a cold shack in the winter or a hot house in the summer. They keep up the social end of Army life and make one dollar do the duty of two. They worry the property officer and make the quarters look like a real home. They wear old clothes and look good in them. In an emergency they can clean and press a uniform so that the wearer will look presentable at a social function.

"Here's how" to Army people—meaning the women!

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"If Harding does not run, what would you think of Pershing?"

"Well, why not?"—Army and Navy Journal.

## CHANGE OF THE UNIFORM.

The News following the lead of the service papers would like to know what the attitude of the officers at this station is as regards the present uniform.

Are you interested in a change of the present collar? Do you want a change of color of the service uniform? Do you want a dress uniform? If you do or if you don't just fill out the following form and we will consolidate the list and send them to the Register and the Journal. Lets go don't delay, Selah.

### BALLOT.

Do you favor a change of the present uniform?

Yes No

What change do you prefer?

Answer:

Do you favor an additional uniform for dress purpose?

Yes No

If yes what color would you prefer for the coat?

For the breeches?

Remarks:

Sign.....

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## CIRCULAR NO. 20

War Department,
March 27, 1923.

Section

Policies governing geometrical propositions ..... I
Auditing of payrolls ..... II
Miscellaneous ..... III

I. **Policies governing geometrical propositions.**—So much of the 47th Proposition of Euclid, as amended by the Pythagorean Theory, as refers to the sum of the squares, is amended to read "is equal to the sum of the squares of the other two sides, **when properly authenticated by the Personnel Adjutant."** Attention is invited, in this regard, to the fact that the allowance of sides is three per triangle, unless otherwise authorized by the Commanding Officer.

II. **Auditing of payrolls.**—Increasing complaints from the office of the Auditor of the War Department that officers in the field responsible for the preparation of payrolls are apparently unfamiliar with the recent decision of the Comptroller General of the Treasury to the effect that officers and enlisted men on a leave status are not entitled to any benefits resulting from the Binomial Theorem, make it necessary to require that all officers make themselves familiar with these provisions. Commanding officers will be held responsible that each officer of their command certify that he has read all changes, and posted his copy of Wentworth's College Algebra up to date.

III. **Miscellaneous.** (1.) An eclipse of the moon, visible below the 40th parallel of latitude, previously scheduled for March 28, 1923, has been postponed until April 2, 1923, to permit of additional rehearsals.

(2) (Ohm's Law) Rescinded.

(3) Independent decisions, arrived at jointly by the Judge Advocate General, the Comptroller General, the Postmaster General, and the Board of Governors, with respect to questions submitted by this office, are announced as follows for the misinformation and misguidance of all concerned:

Question: "Is a private first class, specialist sixth class, present grade and rating June 30, 1922, entitled to pay, if any?"

Answer: "Although mention is not made in the question of any deductions, forfeitures, charges, stoppages, nor allotments, apartments, and deportments, it is the opinion of this office, after consultation of numerous authorities, that the officer is not entitled to rental allowance. Furthermore it was clearly not contemplated, in the passage of H. R. 41144, entitled: "An Act to amend an Act, which provided a proviso to an Act, whose features have, for the time being, eluded our joint and several minds," that service prior to date of entry into the service should be computed for longevity. Sherman, in his "Decisions I Have Won and Lost" (Doubleday, Page and Co. $1.50 net), states, specifically;" On the morning of the 5th of August, 1863, the advance Guard of Hooker's Brigade entered a field near Bibb City." It may be seen here that after two years of campaign, the forces were entering the field for the first time, which is a definition this office was fortunate to find. It is believed the officer referred to in the above question was not entitled to compensation for dependent relatives, and it is therefore, held; that he will reimburse the government, through a stoppage against his pay, for the torn tents referred to." (Gannon.)

## LITERARY CRITICISMS

I have just finished reading "Special Regulations 57-A." To say that this is a remarkable book is to put the case mildly. The author has brought to its treatment an originality of expression, not untinged with conservatism, which furnishes a pleasant and refreshing contrast to the more advertised examples of present day fiction.

It is customary for a reviewer to say, when he wishes to emphasize his high opinion: "So fascinated was I with this work that, once well started upon it, I found myself unable to lay it down." I go further. I was able to lay this book down, not once, but many times. Indeed, if my memory serves me rightly, I have, upon occasion, thrown it down, so roused was I with the emotions its absorbing plot inspired.

The wealth of detail, the breath of vision, demanded by the story, were impossible to encompass within the narrow confines of its forty pages were it not for a novel mode of condensation utilized by the author, a method stern and terse, not without a certain poetic beauty, mind you, in its suggestion, in its elision of the obvious.

For instance, in the enthralling chapter whose heading might well be; "Three Soldiers," he says, on page 9: "Corp Caswell aptd. sgt. Sgt. Roth aptd. mess sgt. Corp Bruce rd. to pvt." Here is virtue rewarded and stark, staring tragedy, all in one short line. This example is but one of many. It would, perhaps, spoil one's enjoyment of this work to quote from it further. Besides, that is as far as I have been able to get. (Gannon.)


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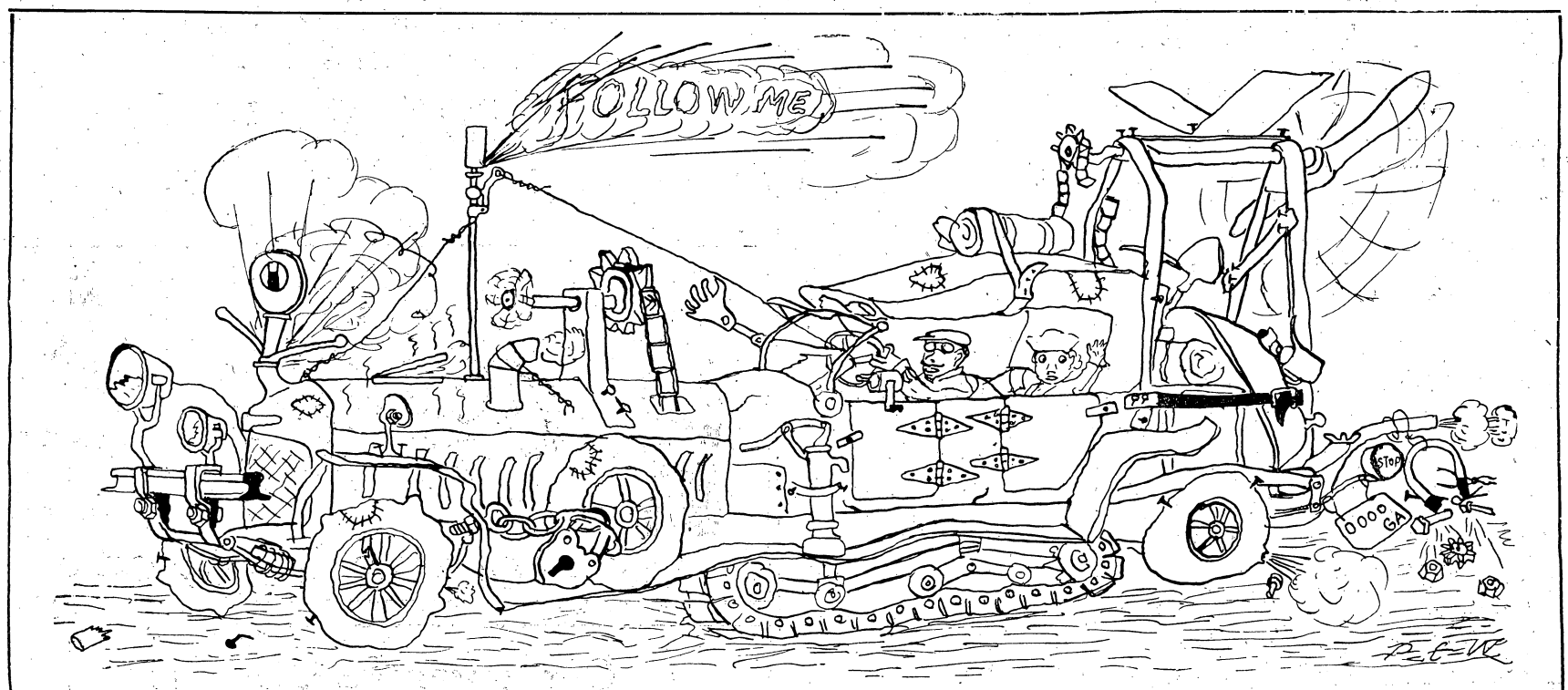
1. A machine that would be adaptable to the Fort Benning Road which are,
   a. Ability to pass over this road without falling to pieces.
   b. Ability to pass over the road when under water.
   c. Ability to climb the mountains on the road bed when the road bed is rough.
   d. Ability to go through any depth of mud when it rains.
   e. Also it must be skid proof.
2. The following plan was decided upon and put into execution:
   a. This machine must be able to fly when the roads get to where they become impassable.
   b. It must be able to float when water covered the road.
   c. To go through the mud it would have to have a tractor tread this also would prevcnt skidding.
   d. By placing a railroad rail to serve as a bumper would save the radiator and engine when the front end of the machine would suddenly drop into a crevis in the road.

This plan was carried out with promptness with the result that you see in the cut. The News is absolutely sincere when it extends heartiest congratulations to The Department of Experiment in negotiating the difficulties that beset them and upon their success of the successful results obtained.

The result is as you see a machine the Forbenolumingrolusodra that will cover the above requirements and still withstand the terrible strain that present conditions put upon any machine.




**The following letter was received after the Forbenolumingralusedra had made several trips to Columbus.**

Board of County Commissioners
Office Road Commissioner,
Columbus, Georgia
March 27, 1923.

Dear General:

We are writing you regarding an apparatus that has been seen on the road between Columbus and the Fort This spectacle has been reported by farmers living along the road who state that it has caused their cattle to die of fright and for their chickens to take to water as a last resort.

We have endeavored to locate what the thing really was and have traced it down to a bus that is being operated by unknown persons, carrying passenger (s) from Wynnton to the Fort. The bus?? or whatever you might desire to term it was seen recently, the rear fenders, or where they should be, were streaming out behind like wings, the top, instead of being level like the majority of tops are, was cockeyed, one end raising considerably higher than the other. As for noise, that is the way we caught sight of it, we were sitting in the office in Columbus and heard what we thought was a tank flying through the air, we sent the motor cops out to find out what it was and just as they reached Bull Creek Bridge, they caught sight of it but the motorcycles would not go nearer, in fact they couldn't as the vibration had caused a short to occur in the machines and the bus got away.

Owing to the safety and rights of the citizens of the county, we demand that steps be taken to have this outlandish so called bus line, either prevented from running on our roads or else that you direct that proper steps be taken to have necessary repairs made to insure the farmers the rights they should be accorded.

Thanking you for your prompt attention to this matter, I am,

Yours very truly
JNO. SMITH.

It is believed by the News that this letter will be ignored as the The For-Ben-Olum-Ing-Olus-Odra Bus absolutely answers the purpose for which it has been designed and we do not believe that its use should be discontinued. It has been fully demonstrated that this machine can make regular trips over the Benning road without falling to pieces.

## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter V.
That Which Dealeth With The First Sergeant.

A man serveth many years in the Army of Samuel before he attaineth the rank of First Sergeant and he who keepeth the rank "putteth out."

Beholdest thou an indolent first sergeant, make note thereof, for his company is like unto him.

Beholdest thou a first sergeant that bluffeth, make note thereof, for so will his company be like unto him.

Beholdest thou a good first sergeant maketh note thereof, for so will his company be liked unto him.

An indolent company accomplisheth nothing and hath no place in the Army of Samuel.

A company that bluffeth accomplisheth nothing and it likewise hath no place in the army of Samuel.

A good company needs not the word of mouth for by its action, appearance, and reputation is it known to the far ends of the world.

The first sergeant keepeth many and varied records so make ye note thereof and if thou be so weak as to sin, forgetteth not that it be writ into thine record and there it stayeth until the last day of thine enlistment. Blame thou not the first sergeant or thine captain if thy record containeth many unworthy entries, for they do that which they must.

A good first sergeant sayeth "Private Samuel go thou on K. P. this day." A poor first sergeant sayeth "Ah Samuel it paineth me greatly," but on this day thou art due for K. P. and if thou failest to go I shall report thee to they Captain.

A good first sergeant argueth not with his men, but a poor first sergeant must needs bother his captain exceedingly.

But lo! the first sergeant who ignoreth his captain and concealeth that which his captain shouldest know. soon bringeth much discontent to his company.

When the captain heareth the murmurings of the multitude he requireth the cause thereof and soon there appeareth a new first sergeant.

A first sergeant drilleth, worketh, thinketh aright and keeepth in an excellent condition, A soft, flabby, lazy and poor conditioned first sergeant hath no place in the Army of Samuel and soon falleth by the wayside.

A good first sergeant maketh friends with none within the ranks for by so doing he performeth his duty with no favorites and thereby keepeth the respect of all.

A first sergeant is usually a good shot and this is as it should be, for he doth thereby set a good example and the multitude then try to be like unto him.

A first sergeant holdeth himself ready for any emergency, as for when the Major or Colonel appeareth, and his captain be absent he greeteth them whole heartedly and if they maketh an inspection he showeth them only what is good and by all means, within the law or not. he keepeth them away from such places as be unworthy or shouldest they make questions he giveth truthful answers but still concealeth the whole truth, for by so doing the officers findeth nothing whereof to complain and the captain giveth much praise and sayeth, "I have a good first sergeant."

A first sergeant who maketh much loud talk and showeth much activity when the captain appeareth, probably doth nothing while the captain be away.

There be many men in the Army of Samuel who believeth that they wouldest make a good first sergeant but a good first sergeant be as hard to find as a needle lost in a large mound of straw; many receiveth the chance but only a few remaineth.

But glory to the first sergeant who be faithful, honest and accomplisheth his office justly for he be as rare as gold upon the highway and feareth not the displeasure of his captain for such a first sergeant soon receiveth still more and greater rank.

Selah!

### Company "A"

Pvt. Lyons the company "Baseball Star Short Stop" is in the hospital. We know he will be missed on the Regimental team.

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Corpl. Manuel was sleeping so soundly a few days ago he forgot he had to make Reveille, but the First Sergeant was wide awae and on time, You know what happened.

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Before Pvt. Heath was granted permission to re-enlist, and you asked him a question, you had to place your ear to his mouth to hear his answer; now that he has re-enlisted and no probability of missing his three squares, and you ask him or tell him something you can hear his voice in Block 21. The Army sure makes some people improve.

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### Company "I"

We don't know whether the Tanks will win the much talked about championship of the Post or not, but, they should be crowned the nerviest or most sporting nine in post—Letting one pitcher stay in the box for nine innings last Sunday, when Troup was to bat in the 8th inning. You can't beat that.

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**Attention to your appearance is an absolute necessity if you expect to make the most out of life. Not only should you wish to appear as attractive as possible, for your own self-satisfaction, which alone is worth your efforts, but you will find the world in general judging you largely, if not wholly by your looks.. Therefore it pays you to look your best at all times.. Do you wear civilian clothing and government clothing together, they will not mix. If you dress in civilian clothing be sure they are all civilian, If you are in uniform please be a soldier. Permit no one to see you otherwise.**

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### Company "K"

Heard in the Company Orderly room Sgt. Garrett — (Earnestly) "Well, Wood, I'm improving now, I'm reading a book entitled 'How to become a perfect gentleman.' "

Sgt. Wood — (Surprised) "That sounds good, who's the writer?"

Sgt. G.—(Smiling) Corporal Johnie W. Jones.

Sgt. W. — (Very dry) "Well the writer may be alright, but I don't like his books."

Sgt. G. — (Slowly) "Why what's wrong?"

Sgt. W.—(Smoothly) "Yes, alright, I was looking over some of them, and out of a set of ninty-six, ninty-five were entitled, 'The social standing of a Thug.' "

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Dedicated to Sergt. Tolbert, who has just grabbed 3 more years:

"Uncle Sam, for three more years,
I pledge my life to Thee;
Uncle Sam, Dear Uncle Sam,
The world I want to see,
Uncle Sam, Sweet Uncle Sam,
I'll eat your beans and liver,
But Uncle Sam, O Uncle Sam,
Please let me keep my Flivver!"
—Sergt. W. B. Wood.

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### FT. BENNING BOOKINGS

April 1—Smilin' Thru, Norma Talmadge; Homemade Movies, Ben Turpin.

April 2—Just Tony, Tom Mix; My Hero, Lane.

April 3—Making A Man, Holt; Dummy Love.

April 4—Question of Honor, Stewart; Hickory Hick.

April 5—A Fool There Was, Special Cast; Fox News.

April 6—Bishop of Ozarks, All Star; Pathe Review; Roach Comedy.

April 7—Drums of Fate, Minter; Fighting Blood.

April 8—Trifling Women, Special Cast; Rob 'Em Good, Montana.

April 9—Flaming Hour, Mayo; Rural Cinderella; Fox News.

April 10—Java Head. Special Cast; Thrills and Spills, Novelty; Riding the Goat, Mutt and Jeff.

April 11—Sonny, Barthelmess; Take Your Time.

April 12—Youth Must Have Love, Mason; Puppy Love, Sunshine; Fox News.

April 13—Nine Points of the Law, J. Walker; Pathe Review; Roach Comedy.

April 14—Mr. Bellings Spends His Dime, Hiers; Fire Chief.

April 15—Adams Rib, All Star; Chicken Dressing, Hurd.

April 16—Brass Commandments, Farnum; Red Hot, Mutt and Jeff; Fox News.

April 17—Missing Millions, Brady; Afraid of His Wife.

April 18—Sin Flood, Special Cast; Any Old Port.

April 19—Primitive Lover, Constance Talmadge; All Wet, Al St. John; Fox News.

April 20—Good Men and True, Carey; Pathe Review; Roach Comedy.

April 21—Kick In, Lytell; Fighting Blood.

April 22—Sherlock Holmes, Barrymore; Glad Rags, Montana.

April 23—Truxton King, Gilbert; Pair of Aces, Lee Kids; Fox News.

April 24—Thirty Days, Wallace Reid; Poor Boy.

April 25—Cave Girl, All Star; Frozen North, Buster Keaton.

April 26—White Flower, Dalton; Fox News.

April 27—Scarlet Car. Rawlinson; Pathe Review; Roach Comedy.

April 28—World's Applause, Bebe Daniels; Long Shot

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## Motor Transport Notes

Private James Campbell whose term of enlistment expires in a few days has jest received a supply of time tables of passenger trains from the rocky coast of Maine to the sandy shore of Florida, but it makes no difference James the bear meet's all trains.

Private John G. Brown (Flat bush Artist) ans, a phone call. Hello..... Yeh, who is it?.....Aw tell me..... Huh no.....well tell me who it is ..... Oh.....pretty good..... Sure. I'll say so..... Sunday night? .....Oh, I don't no..... Say, that's keen sure, I'll go..... Yes, bye, bye.

Private David Hawkins came in the last evening singing: "I Don't Care If She Never Comes Back." Cheer up David, you can always draw Queens if you have the Jack.

### CARD OF THANKS.

2nd Battalion Headquarters Company with the assistance of the personnel of the 2nd Battalion, contributes this paragraph for publication this week:

The following was received from the Howitzer Company in appreciation of tribute shown by the 2nd Battalion on the occasino of the death of Pvt., Kilgore of that organization:

Howitzer Company, Twenty-Ninth Inf.
Ft. Benning, Ga.,
March 23rd, 1923.

Subject: Card of Thanks.
To: 2nd Battaltio, 29th Inf. Field Officers Class, The Inf. School. 2nd Section Department of Military Art of the Infantry School.

1. As a result of your thoughtfulness after the death of Pvt. Arnold A. Kilgore, of this organization, the following appeared in the Columbus Ledger on March 21, 1923.

"I wish to thank the Howitzer Co., 29th Infantry, the 2nd Battalion of the 29th Infantry, the Infantry School the Field Officers' Class. Infantry School, for their sympathy for me, in the loss of my dearest brother, Pvt. Arnold A. Kilgore, and for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. Ethel Joyce Morton."

2. I have, also, received a letter from Mrs Morton, in which she informs me taht the troops at Fort Oglethorpe officiated in the burial ceremonies and that a truck was required to transport the floral offerings to the cemetery. She stated that she was much gratified to know that although Arnold Kilgore was a Pvt. Soldier he was held in such high esteem as to receive such manifestations of regard from all that knew him.

3. In behalf of the Howitzer Company and of myself, I wish to express to you our appreciation of your consideration.

John S. Claussen,
Captain, 29th Infantry.

### I. S. D. RECEIVES THANKS

The News is in receipt of a letter from Captain O. T. McAbee, Salvation Army at Atlanta in which they sincerely appreciate the donations made by the Infantry School Detachment. His letter follows:

Columbus, Ga., March 23, 1923.
Fort Benning News:

Please allow me space in your paper to express my appreciation for the splendid donation of $35.12 from the Infantry School Detachment (white) received the early part of this week, The Salvation Army always stands ready to do its bit for the enlisted men and officers as well, and we are hoping in the near future to be better prepared to serve you when in the city. May God richly bless you is my prayer.

### ATTENTION STUDENTS

Postpone any arrangements you have made or contemplate making toward the procurement of land luggage or trunks to make your get-a-way with in June. The Post Exchange has on the way, a complete line of hand bags, suitcases, trunks and over-night cases. In the trunks there will be the regulation trunk locker, the flat steamer trunk, the wardrobe steamer trunk, the regular wardrobe trunk, and the Special Built Officer's Wardrobe Trunk. In the over-night cases for the Mrs., there is a complete toilet set in either ivory or amber. All of this line will be priced in such a manner that we guarantee to save you 25 per cent on prices you would pay elsewhere. Let your last service in camp be as it should, "Service to the Post Exchange by patronizing it" as the Post Exchange has endeavored to render you service during your stay here. Announcement of the arrival of this line will be made thru the Daily Bulletin and Fort Benning News. Watch for it.

### A NEW FRENCH SALAD DRESSING

Mistress Helen Butler, who has charge of the Officers Club Mess at Fort Benning has placed a very delicious salad dressing upon the market and may be obtained at the commissary called "Helene French Dressing"

Demonstration of its use will be given at the sales commissary on Aprl 2nd and 3rd (Monday and Tuesday) in the forenoons. This dressing will soon be on sale at the Post Exchange and in Columbus.

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## Births

**Correction**

Born to Lieutenant and Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins on March the 8th a future financial King of Wall Street, an Alexander the Great and the Tennis Champion of the World.

Mr. Stephens Jr. delayed notifying the "News" of his arrival due to the stress of other duties, and as a consequence proper announcement was not made at the proper time.

When Stephen Jr. was asked by a reporter of the "News" for his opinion of the Fort Benning Road, he right then and there showed that he would be a diplomat extraordinary for he did not know just what the attitude of the "News" was as regards this road and rather than offend us he simply stated that since he had only recently arrived that he had not formed an opinion of the same as yet.

He did state, however, that the climate seemed to agree with him here and that he was feeling fine and also that he was gaining weight daily.

## Quartermaster Detachment Notes

Staff Sergeant Brigham, (Our new "Top Kick") has shown all the "Ear Marks" of Making a good Top, 'here's to his success.'

Technical Sgt. Berg, says he likes his new position, only the mules eat too much, well Sergeant we hope everything turns out O. K.

Sunday will mark the Climak of the Army Career of some of our N. C. O's.

Well they have one consultation. It could have been worse, tho we would *not like to* see it thusly.

The other morning at the Post Commissionary the following was heard:

Customer: Good morning, Mr. Butcher.

Butcher: Good morning, Mrs.....

Customer: Have you any brains, this morning?

Butcher: K. O.

There is a ruman that Saw Mill, Our lumber King, dropped two full gallons of 100 per cent proof, and broke them; is it true or just a joke? Buzzard says, I hope he drops in the Saw for doing that.

Ilinderlider, the hooks are in you baby, if you don't stay away from town. Always remember this little song before you go to see her: "They say she's lazy, she's crazy, etc."

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

At the regular meeting of the B. F. C's on March 22nd, Mrs. H. B. Stevenson gave a most interesting talk on China, its habits and customs as seen by her during a prolonged stay in that country. Mrs. Stevenson's talks are not only interesting but educational as well and those who are fortunate enough to hear them will be all the wiser for it. Mrs. Stevenson has a fine collection of pictures, post cards, etc., which she shows during her talks which tend to make them more interesting.

Through error on the part of the scribe, the name of Sergeant Bates, I. S. D., was omitted from these notes in the issue of March 17th, as becoming a new member of the Service Club Committee—all apologies to you Sergeant Bates for such carelessness.

At the Service Club dance, Wednesday evening it was noticed, that a member of the medical detachment, displayed a great fondness for the babies present. (those in arms, we mean) Put us wise old top. Are you thinking of taking a post graduate course in wet nursing? Or is it your love for childen? You know the old saying? "A man who loves children loves the world." Our only wish is that, children may never "Tyre" you.

A story is told of this same fellow. One day while standing in front of a department store in Columbus. A lady asked him if he would hold her baby for a few minutes, while she did some shopping. He consented to do this. The lady returned in about a half hour, and to show her appreciation, insisted on him accepting a quarter, to buy himself a soft drink. He declined the reward in these words, "I thank you lady, but I am not dry."

A Casino tournament will be held at the Service Club March 30th in the South Room at 6:45 p. m., all Casino players are requested to be on hand and compete for the prize.

**NOTICE**

Mrs. H. B. Stevenson has consented to repeat her talk on China next Saturday evening tonight, at 6:45 for the benefit of those that did not have a chance to hear her last Thursday afternoon. It will be to your interest to come and hear about the strange doings of the queer people across the Pacific. The talk will be given before the open fire in the South Room. All invited.

WILLIS R. BENNETT,
Sergeant, Finance Dept.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.

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## ORDERED AWAY.

It is with sincere regret that we have been informed that two well known oficers will soon leave Fort Benning, namely Capt. John W. Leonard, commanding the 15th Tanks who goes to the office of the Chief of Infantry about May 27th and Lieut. Colonel James W. VanDusen, the Post Surgeon who goes to Walter Reed Hospital about April 15th.


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## School Division

### "AT EASE"
### (By Ge Allevir)

Benning Ossifier: "Well, that income tax business is attended to and I feel relieved." Columbus Flapperette: "Of how much?"

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Wonder how many of the mess sergeants failed to note that last week was National Prune Week.

Dispatches report that the ex-kaiser's wife says that she is happy. If she can stand it the rest of us ought to.

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Having shown what it can do there is no further excuse for March to act cranky.

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Archeologists are continually unearthing something new at Luxor. Volstead archeologists are continually unearthing the same old stuff in this country.

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Mary had a little lamb,
It gambled morn and late;
Mary gambled at the card club,
And won a ten-cent plate.

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Paint is a great preservative. There are some in Columbus who ought to reach the century mark.

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Women have the right to vote,
To cook and keep the house;
But they will always be afraid
Of the skittish little mouse.

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We see so many funny things, that we can scarcely think; some of them convulse us, and turn us a sickly pink.

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I planted me corn in the dear old moon
Expecting to raise some shine,
A Volstead Archeologist found it,
And I had to pay me a fine.

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Sgt. Oleboi says: I wonder how a lot o' women in Columbus ever feel at home. You can't get the milk o' human kindness at a dairy.

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### A BIT OF IRISH HISTORY
### (By A. Poetmaster.)

1. St. Patrick's Day is over and this stick is one week late, but the story is of interest no matter what the date, so, if you'll bear with me a moment I'll write this grass-like song, and I'll tell you everything I know. (It won't take very long.) Its the story of how Cork received its name, then, if I may, tell its bearing on the wearing of the green St. Patrick's Day.

### THE STORY

When Ireland fell from out the
skies it caused an awful splash,
Which made the ocean roll and toss
to this day. Think of that!
And when the Angels saw it they were
very much afraid
That the dear, old isle would sink because of the many tons it weighed,
They thought at length about it—they
scratched their noble heads
And finally solved the problem. Their
brief decision read:
"That the greater part of this grand
isle to shamrock would devote,
While the other bit must be a means of
keeping it afloat."
So they built a town of floatsam (a
mighty good resort)
And when they had it finished why
they simply called it Cork.

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2. Its proud you are to wear the green which comes from o'er the sea but if Ireland hadn't got her cork where would your shamrock be? At the bottom of the ocean! What an awful stunt if the angels hadn't thought of cork and dear old Ireland would have sunk!

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**Co. "C" Company Officers' Class.**

The members of Company "C" offer hearty congratulations to Captain Speer who has recently been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross.

Those members of the Company who have been selected for R. O. T. C. duty have been notified of their assignments.

It is rumored that Captain Reed is still carrying a rifle marksmanship pamphlet around in his brief case. What's the big idea George?

Captain Wheeler, the star athlete of the ninth squad is showing excellent form in gymnastics.

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### CAPTAIN CHARLES SPEAR IS DECORATED

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of Infantry of the Regular Army.

He went to France with the 28th Infantry arriving there June 13th 1917. In September 1917 he was detailed as an instructor at the 1st Corps School. In February he was relieved from this detail and sent as an instructor to the 2nd Corps School until May 1918.

During a part of January 1918 he was attached as an observer to the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles at Lees.

On May 18th he joined the 9th Infantry and remained with them until he was wounded at Chateau Thierry on June 13th. He rejoined the 9th Infantry again on July 13th but was again wounded on July 18th near Vierzy. It was the action of Captain Speer at this time that won him the D. S. C.

October 22nd 1918 he was released from the Hospital and returned to his Division. He was assigned to the 5th M. G. Bn. Nov. 15th 1918 and made the March to the Rhine with them. Feb. to May 1919 he was assigned to the 121st M. G. Battalion 32nd Division. May 1919 he joined the 4th Machine Gun Battalion 2nd division and came back to the States with them on August 18th, 1919.

At the present time Captain Speer is a student officer in the Company Officers' Class.

The News extends congratulations to Captain Speer in being fortunate to win the D. S. C.

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS CITATION**

**Charles Edward Speer, captain, infantry, then captain, 1st Battalion, 9th Infantry, 2nd Division. For extraordinary heroism in action near Vierzy, France, July, 18, 1918. While commanding the 1st Battalion, 9th Infantry, which was held up in crossing a deep ravine by a heavy rifle and machine gun fire, Captain Speer, with utter disregard for his own safety, although previously wounded while capturing an enemy battery, made a reconnaissance along the front line, under heavy rifle, machine gun and shell fire, to the left flank where he led his men to the attack, gained the ridge across the ravine and made possible the advance of the entire line by enfilading the enemy's position. After gaining the assigned objective, he encouraged and reorganized his command, which had suffered heavy losses, and made a personnal reconnaissance, under heavy fire, in preparation for a further advance. While leading his battalion in the second attack he was severely wounded. Being unable to walk as a result of his wound, he ordered his men to push forward and remained alone as his men, inspired by his example, drove the enemy from their positions and continued to advance.**

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### TWO OLD TIMERS ARE RETIRED

(Continued from Page 1.)

to bring to the attention of the officers and men of this battalion the record of long, faithful, and honorable service of Sergt. Alphonse J. Riegler, R-664,251, Battery "C" 83rd Field Artillery, who will be tendered a battalion review Tuesday, March 27, 1923, on the occasion of his retirement.

2. The record of Sergt. Riegler's service as shown on the original discharges given him, is as follows:

Co. "M", 6th Volunteers, August 6, 1898 to March 15, 1899.

Co. "L", 5th Infantry, April 13, 1899 t oApril 12, 1902.

Co. "L", 5th Infantry, April 19, 1902 to April 18, 1905.

Co. "C", 27th Infantry, April 21, 1906 to April 20, 1908.

118th Co., C. A. C., April 21, 1908 to April 20, 1911.

Hospital Corps, April 21, 1911 to April 20, 1914.

C. A. C. from April 21, 1914 to April 14, 1919.

Battery "C", 83rd F. A. April 15, 1919 to April 14, 1922.

Batery "C", 83rd F. A. April 14, 1922 to March 26, 1923.

3. The character given on all of Sergeant Riegler's discharges is: "Excellent." His active service includes participation in the Spanish-American War, August 6, 1898 to March 18, 1899; the Philippine Insurrection from October 6, 1900 to April 13, 1902, and service with the A. F. in G. from August 6, 1919 to December 28, 1921.

4. Sergt. Riegler has served continuously for 24 years, seven months and eleven days, and the double time for foreign service allowed to him amounts to five years, four months and nineteen days. During his entire service Sergt. Riegler has never lost a day from duty through unauthorized absence for any cause.

5. The above constitutes a record of which any soldier might feel justly proud, and the congratulations and best wishes of the officers and men of the 83rd Atrillery follow Sergt. Riegler into his well earned retirement.

**REMARKABLE SERVICE**

The other old "faithful" who recently retired was Staff Sergeant James Davis. He served over seventeen years in the 24th Infantry. We take great pleasure in quoting the following:

1. "The Regimental Commander desires to bring to the attention of the officers and enlisted men of the regiment the record of the long, honorable and faithful service of Staff Sergeant James Davies, Service Company, 24th Infantry, who was placed on the retired list per paragraph 13, Special Orders No. 60, War Department, March 13th, 1923. A Regimental Review will be tendered him on Wednesday, March 21, 1923.

2. Staff Sergeant Davies entered the United States Army, July 10th, 1899 and has served continously since that date. He has served 17 years, 7 months and 6 days in the 24th Infantry.

3. Staff Sergeant Davies participated in various engagements and skirmishes during the Philippine Insurrection on the Island of Luzon, Philippine Islands. He took part in the Punitive Expedition in Mexico from March 28, 1916 to February 5, 1917. In action against Villistas, Juarez, Mexico, June 15-16, 1919.

4. The very best wishes of all officers and nelisted men of the regiment follow him into his well earned retirement from active service."


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# The Woman's Exchange

Under the auspices of the B. F. C.'s Service Club No. 1, will be organized within the course of the week.

Watch this space next week for articles for sale and exchange.

# TEA DANCE

—AT—

## Polo Club House

On Wednesday, April 18th.

Proceeds to go toward purchasing club house furnishings.
Watch this space next week for further announcements.

# CABARET

At Biglerville Mess Hall,
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Under the auspices Army Relief
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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

### Ga. Wins.

Well the Univ. of Ga. won the 1st game last Saturday, but it wasn't a landslide like that of a year ago and even if the Georgians did win they realized that they had hit a rock to, was considerably firmer than last year and the stick-to-itivness of the Doughboys in a face of 4 to 1 lead against them nearly got the Georgian's "goat" in the last inning when the Infantry Blues slipped two men over the homeplate, with another man on third just aching to come in and tie the score, but fate deemed otherwise.

Sale pitched for the Univ. of Ga. and he sure has the stuff and if properly supported by his team will make Ga. a strong contender for the championship in its conference.

Jones the Infantry standby for its third year opened the game by pitching for the Infantry and it sure did the Infantry Fans well for Jones sure worked out like he has never before been seen here. This is undoubtedly Jones' best pitched game. He stayed with the pill for four innings and then Whiteside took up the game.

Whiteside well h's little, but oh, my from the way that he put the pill across the plate it sure made the Athenians think that they had indulged in some of Ga. Moonshine for that ball just wasn't were they looked.

The way that it happened:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ga. | 000 110 020 | 4 | 8 | 3 |
| Inf. | 000 010 002 | 3 | 10 | 3 |

### POLO

**Blues Defeat the Yellows 14-0; 29th Inf. Defeats the 83rd Art. 1-0**

On last Sunday afternoon the series of polo games which have been interrupted due to the rain were again started.

The Blues and Yellows were the curtain raisers, playing four periods.

The Blues were in excellent form and appearantly could not miss the goal line for fourteen points did they put the ball across while the Yellows greatly handicapped by the loss of Major Waite were unable to make one tally.

Makenney put six points and French put five points across the line for the Blues. It was a lucky day for the 29th that they were not the opponents of the Blues on this day.

The main event was the contest between the 29th Infantry and the 83rd Field Artillery.

This was a close and exciting game. Three different times the Artillery almost made the goal and one time the ball actually hit one of the goal posts square and stopped dead, but before the Reds were able to start the ball rolling again the 29th had disloged it and started it down the field.

For three entire periods not a score was made by either side, and it was not until the last part of the fourth that the 29th were able to slip the ball over the goal.

Individually the 83rd outplayed the 29th but the 29th showed superior team work especially on the defense.

### Infantry Wins the 2nd Game

On last Monday the Georgians and the Doughboys tangled for their second game and it was a good game from start to finish. The day was ideal and many a fan deserted his dest to help root for the Infantry.

The entire game was a pitching contest. "Hi" Davis for the Infantry pitched the entire nine frames and allowed only two hits. The first was made by the first man up and the last an infield bunt in the eighth. Davis had excellent support from his team and in the sixth inning "Hi" pitched just four balls and three men were out. This is the only inning where the Athenians were able to feel of the ball and then the high flies that never went outside of the infield.

Chambers for the University was determined to win and several times when the bases were full or a man was on third just aching to get in but so wonderfully did he pitch that not a score was made in the first half of the game.

The Georgians made their first run in the third inning and their second and last in the fifth. Up to this point in the game the Blues had not a single run. In the last half of the sixth the rooters had that feeling that this would be the inning that told the tale for they became restless and cheering broke out and the cries for a home run. Olmstead was walked and Fountain went to bat and he knocked a homer through center field. This now tied the score. In the eighth an aeroplane flew over the arena and several of the Georgians took a look at it and immediately there came from the bleechers the cry "there goes your ball game way up in the air." Olmstead stole second, Nelson made a safety and Olmstead came home making the score 3 to 2 and made Benning the winners.

How it looks:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Georgia | 001 010 000 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Infantry | 000 002 01x | 3 | 4 | 6 |

How the Infantry lined up:

| Infantry— | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olmstead, lf. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fountain, 2b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Yon, cf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Kgelstrom, rf.-ss. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarty, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| McMullen, ss. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| Heckert, rf. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McAlpine, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Davis, p. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 |
| Totals | 25 | 3 | 4 | 27 | 14 | 6 |

Summary:

Two base hits: Hodges.

Home runs; Fountain.

Struck out: by Davis, 1; chambers, 4.

Bases on balls: off Davis, 3; Chambers, 3.

Double play: Fountain to Nelson.

Hit by pitcher: Yon, by Chambers.

Stolen base: Olmstead.

Sacrifice hits: Watson, (2); Olmstead. Fountain, Nelson, Kgelstrom.

Time or game: 1 hr. 50 mins.

Umpires: Walker and Parks.

### BASEBALL.

**March 30th—Auburn vs. Inf. School at Fort Benning.**

**March 31st—Inf. School vs. Auburn at Driving Park.**

**April 6th—Inf. School vs. Gordon Institute at Fort Benning.**

**April 7th—Inf. School vs. Gordon Institute at Driving Park**

### POLO.

**The last game of the Dierk's Cup Polo Series will be played at Benning next Sunday. Game called at 2:30 P. M.**

## Finance Detachment Notes

The detachment has just about recovered from the effects of the demotion that is to take place March 31st. If another demotion comes off the finance men will be drawing less than the soldiers of the Russian Army—but why worry, we will never know the difference in a couple of years.

For some reason, financial or other, the Finance Detch. has been staying in camp this month, but just watch out when pay day comes around—White and "Till" have already leased the corner of Joe Brown's for two weeks after pay day.

Corporal Purvis is certain of the fact that with as many as two more years practice each night, he will be able to take the position as "Steno."

This office has a new member assigned to its personnel in the person of Warrant Officer Seaborn, recent arrival from the Panama Canal Zone. Mr. Seaborn is welcomed by the whole detachment.

The "renowned" hunters of the "Feenonce" detachment, viz., one "Hayseed" Barker and one "Mary Garden" Stokes, have carefully cleaned and oiled their weapons of "misery" and laid them away for the return of the hunting season. Stokes claims that he would have had to lay aside his gun anyway, even the hunting season was still open as the reduction took away all of his "Shell Money." What's your rating now Stokes.

## Co. "F" 1st Gas Regt.

The crowds in the bleachers were just taking their usual seventh inning stretch when Pvt. Spaeth remarked: "I don't know the yell but I'll get up anyway."

Pvt. Adkison our company athlete is rapidly rounding into shape as a baseball star. He is now able to chuck a ball farther than any one in the outfit, and when it comes to saving a lick for his team mate we will take off our hats to him.

Recruit Jimmerson is some what worried over the service he has received since his arrival here. He was told by some one in the organization that if he would remain in bed that toast and tea would be served to him. But when the said chow failed to appear he grew some what vexed. After he could stand the suspense no longer he strolled into the mess hall and said to the cook: "Just give me a couple of eggs." Then he wondered why every one laughed.

Cook Boardman felt highly elated, when recruit Jimmerson called upon him and remarked as he basked in the warmth of the stove; fine fire you have here, you certainly do know how to keep up a good fire.


**NOTICE**

**Packard Schedule put on for the convenience of Officers families will be discontinued after Saturday, March 21st.**

**More than 2 months operation of this schedule shows that it is not a needed service—Sorry.**

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 3:00 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

The Chaplains on duty at this Post are:

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

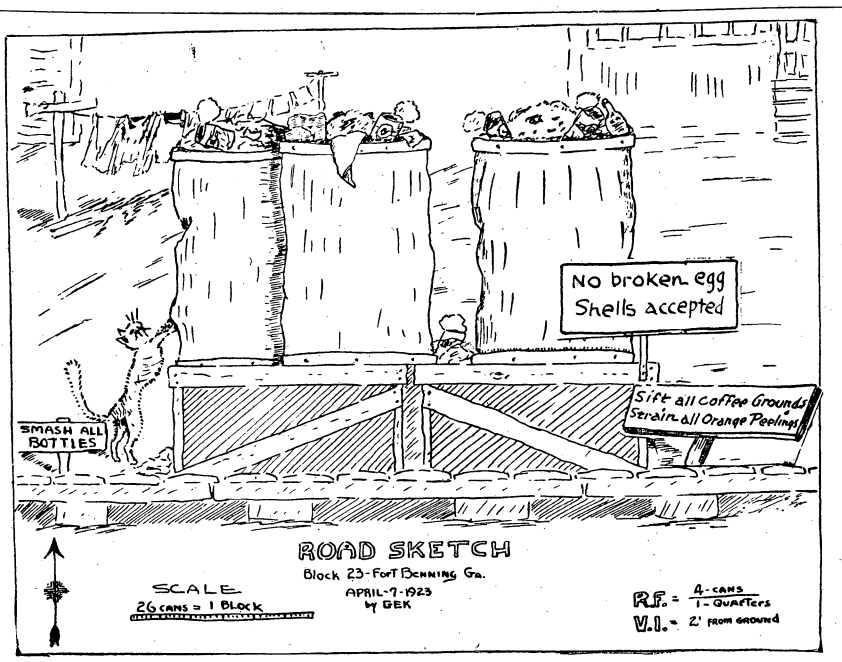
Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Rabbi F. L. Rosethal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

### BATTERY "A" GOES TO CAMP McCLELLAN

Battery "A" 83rd Field Artillery Captain Dunwoody commanding will go to Camp McClellan for the Summer Training Camp this summer. They will leave in a very short time.

Captain Dunwoody who has command of the Battery now will take it to Anniston for the summer. Captain Dunwody graduated from the Artillery School at Fort Sill in 1920. It 's not known at this time what officers will be sent with him.




### CAPT. BETTS INJURED GETTING ALONG NICELY

Captain Betts who was quite seriously injured in a Polo game last Sunday is on the road to recovery. This is the first serious Polo accident that has taken place on the Benning field.

As a result of the above accident the game then in progress between the 29th Infantry and the 83rd F. A. was called off. It will be played at a future date.

### INFANTRY SCHOOL WILL BE SMALL NEXT YEAR

Due to lack of appropriations and available officers there will only be about two hundred student officers in the Infantry School next year.

No lieutenants will be here, not even demoted captains who are now 1st Lieutenants nor will Captains be detailed to take the field officers course.

### ORDERS RECEIVED

**15th Tanks.**

Capt. Chas. S. Brodbent, 1st. Lt. C. B. Lenow, 1st. Lt. E. M. Connor, Capt. S. F. Griswold, 1st Lt. A. G. Anderson, 1st Lt. J. D. Pomerene, 1st Lt. P. M. McRae.

**To 29th Infantry.**

1st Lt. A. N. Ziegler.

**To 24th Infantry.**

Capt. W. M. Carter, Capt. W. C. Hanna, Capt. I. H. Engleman, Capt. O. M Moore, Capt. G. I. Cross, 1st Lt. H. H. Fay, 1st Lt. E. P. Lukert, 1st Lt. R. E. Jenkins, 1st Lt. B. Inman, 1st Lt R. C. Sanders, 1st Lt. H. C. Griswold.

**ORDERED AWAY.**

Captain Francis G. Bonham to 6th Inf.

**Ordered to Benning.**

Major Elmer F. Rice, Major S. B. Buckner, Jr., Major Thompson Lawrence, Major Charles A. Ross.

### COLUMBUS SECURES CHARTER FOR A RIFLE CLUB

They have Indoor Ranges at The Armory and High Velocity ranges at Benning.

Officials of the New Rifle Club of Columbus recently received notice that their application for a charter had been approved by the State Secretary and the Adjutant General of Georgia.

This is something that should be more generally followed out by more of our sportsmen througout the country. Shooting has a call that every red-blooded American likes to head but there are a great number that hate to exert themselves to go to a proper place to shoot. Other say that target shooting does not have the thrill that you get out of game hunting. Well that is a difference of opinion but there is one cinch and that is you can't give as many excuses for missing the black in the target as when you miss the duck or other game.

We quote an extract of the statement V. J. Fabian, Secretary of Club as it appeared in the Enquirer-Sun:

"High velocity shooting for record will be done on the government ranges

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### OFFICERS GET ANOTHER CRACK

No Dental Treatment For Dependents.

Orders have recently been issued that the Dental personnel have been so reduced that it will be impossible to give dental treatment to dependents, except in an emergency or to relieve pain.

About the time that we get all set and think we know where we stand along comes something to take some more of your pay away from you. It seems as if all the fates are bound and determined to make an army officer spend every cent that he earns.

### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning April 8 and ending April 14, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, April 8.**

"Trifling Women," 9 reels, Special Cast.

**Monday, April 9.**

"Flaming Hour," 5 reels, Frank Mayo. "Rural Cinderella," 2 reels, Comedy. Fox News.

**Tuesday, April 10.**

"Jave Head," 7 reels, Special Cast. "Thrills and Spills," 1 reel, Novelty. "Riding the Goat," 1 reel, Mutt & Jeff.

**Wednesday, April 11.**

"Sonny," 7 reels, Richard Barthelmess. "Take Your Time," 1 reel, Comedy.

**Thursday, April 12.**

"Youth Must Have Love," 5 reels, Shirley Mason. "Puppy Love," 2 reels, Sunshine Comedy. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, April 13.**

"Nine Points of the Law," 6 reels, Johnny Walker. Roach Comedy, 1 reel. Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday, April 14.**

"Mr. Billings Spends His Dime," 6 reels, Walter Heirs. "Fire Chief," 2 reels.

### ACTING G-3.

Major J. C. Williams, 29th Infantry is holding down the desk of G-3. He has taken Major X. F. Blavelts place, who has gone on leave.

**The Gray Squirrel sat upon the General's lawn,**
**And watched the new construction going on.**
**He then assembled all his daughters and son*, and said,**
**"Ain't it grand to see this work begun?"**

***The other sons were interested spectators**
**At the field officers equitation class.**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### COLUMBUS ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.

On Thursday, March 29th the Columbus Army Bridge Club met at the Muscogee Grill. Mrs. Geo. Price and Mrs. J. R. Ralston were the delightful hostesses and served excellent refreshments.

There were three prizes, Mrs. Bates won the first and Mrs. Moran the second and Mrs. Legette the third.

### COMPLIMENTS MISS B. DISMUKES.

On Friday, March 30th Miss Ann Lumpkin gave a delightful dinner in honor of Miss Bollong Dismukes.

A color motif of green and white was carried out in the pretty decorations. The centerpieces was an oblong basket filld with dogwood, the handle tied with green tulle, and green candles in silver holders were placed at intervals, while green and white candles filled the bonbon dishes. The place-cards were hand-painted with Egyptian deities with approximate epitahs for each guest, the whole suggestive of King Tut and his Tomb and causing great merriment among those present at finding themselves supposedly dead, their names being in the epitahs.

### MRS. CHESLEY RAY MILLER ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. Chesley Ray Miller was the delightful Hostess when on Friday, March 30th she entertained six tables on bridge at her home in Columbus.

Delightful refreshments were served after the playing.

Easter decorations of lilies and spring violets were artistically used.

### POLO TEA DANCE SCHEDULED. LAST ONE OF THE SEASON.

The last polo tea dance of the season will be held on April 18th at the new polo club house.

A numbr of these dances have been given in the past for the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of furnishings for the club house and it is believed that this dance will enable the ladies of the Post who have the affair in charge to make these purchases at once.

The polo club house derives its name from the fact that it was constructed by the Fort Benning Polo Association. This association desires it to be clearly understood, however, that the club house is not for polo affairs solely but that it is available for social functions by all other members of the command especially those ladies of the garrison who require but a limited amount of space for giving a private social function of some kind.

The polo tea dances in the past have proven very popular and it is expected that the demand for tickets for the dance on the 18th will be greater than the size of the club house will permit accomodations for. Reservations should be made promptly.

### MR. AND MRS. PAUL DISMUKES GIVE RECEPTION AND BALL.

On last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dismukes gave a delightful reception and ball at the Muscogee Grill in honor of their daughter Miss Bolling.

Handsome Easter decoration gave a festive note to the ball-room drawing-room, and grill room of the club, all of which were open to the guests.

Garlands of Southern smilax, clusters of Easter lilies, and sprays of dogwood, were used everywhere with artistic effect.

In the ball-room the ceiling was hung with a delicate tracery of smilax and the chandeliers had pretty fringes of green and white, gracefully, arranged. Wall pockets and flower baskets held lovely Easter lilies.

The same color motif was carried out in the grill, where supper was served, and the drawing room, where the guests were received by the hosts, the bridal party, and members of the family .

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dismukes, Mrs. W. S. Buracker, of Baltimore, the grooms mother; Miss Bolling Dismukes, Lieut. Buracker, Major and Mrs. Edward George McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dismukes, Miss Mildred Dismukes, Lieut. Tracy Davis, Miss Louise Garrard, Lieut. Fred Beattie, Miss Helena Dismukes, Lieut. George Honnen.

After the reception, dancing began in the ball room, to the music of Byrd's Orchestra, continuing till a late hour.

During the evening, the guests were served an elaborate plate supper, the tables being attractively adorned with Easter lilies in baskets.

Brigadier General Walter H. Gordon, commandant of Fort Benning, and other prominent army officials were among those present.

About three hundred guests enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Dismukes.

### INFORMAL SUPPER AT BIG EDDY CLUB.

An informal supper was given at the Big Eddy Club on Sunday evening.

Several beautiful musical selections were rendered by Mrs. Campanole Major Ganoe, and a duet by Major and Mrs. Campanole.

### CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Current Events Club was held at the home of Mrs. Dibrell on Last Monday Afternoon.

Mrs. Gunner wife of Major Gunner gave a very interesting and an educational talk on Armenia. which was greatly enjoyed by all present. On the regular program were Mrs. T. L. Smith who spoke on foreign events, Mrs. Rycroft who spoke on domestic events and Mrs. J. W. Elkins who spoke on current topics .

Delightful refreshments consisting of a delicious fruit salad with wafers and tea was serve dafter the entertaining program.

### ANNOUNCEMENT FORT BENNING ARMY BRIDGE CLUB CHANGES DATES.

Dates for the meeting of the Post Bridge Club have had to be changed so the next meeting will be held on Thursday, April 19th.

The following meeting will be held on Thursday, May 3rd. The last meeting of the season will be held on the evening of May 12th and will be given in honor of the husbands of the members.

All meetings will be held at the Officers' Hop Room.

### RETURN FROM A BOOSTER TOUR.

Captain Sandlin and Lieut. Dismukes recently accomplished the Columbus Boosters Club on a tour to Fiorlda. They were boosting Fort Benning, Columbus and the Florida Short Route.

They report having had a fine time and that the oranges and the grapefruits which they plucked were luscious and duly disposed of.

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**SOJOURNERS CLUB.**

The regular meeting of the Sojourners Club will be held Tuesday, April the 10th at Officers' Club Hop Room.

A good time is promised to all and also all members are urged to be present as the election of officers and other business will take place.

**MISS DISMUKES AND LIEUTENANT BURACKER MARRIED.**

Exactly at noon on last Tuesday Miss Rolling Dismukes and Lieut. Samuel L. Buracker were united in marriage at the home of the Bride's parents. Chaplin Wood performed the impressive ring ceremony,

The spacious lower floor was thrown into one, and simply but handsomely decorated for the wedding with garlands of smilax, Easter lilies and ferns. In the living-room where the ceremony was performed, an alter was arranged before a mirrored mantel, wherein glowing white tapers interspersed with Easter lilies, were reflected. Sprays of beautiful white dogwood were placed with artistic effect.

Promptly on the hour, the wedding march began, and was played by Mrs. Walter Byrd at the piano with Mr. Henry Freeman on the violin.

The bridal party made their entry into the living room through the wide hallway and grouped themselves around the altar.

After the breakfast, the charming bride changed her wedding gown for a traveling suit of brown tweed with which she wore a becoming sand-colored straw hat trimmed with brown feathers. Her gloves and other accessories were also of brown.

The young couple left by automobile for a wedding journey to Asheville, N. C., where they will be at the Grove Park Inn, and later will go to Washington, Baltimore and other points. On their return, they will keep house at Fort Benning, where Lieut. Buracker is stationed.

**MRS. McCASKEY HONORS MISS DUNKLE.**

Mrs. W. B. McCaskey wife of Col. McCaskey gave a very unique party at the Officers Club Mess last evening in honor of her house guest Miss Mirian Dunkle.

All of the twenty guests wore waiters and waitress costumes the officers the former and the young ladies the latter.

After the twenty merry young folks had eaten to overflowing they were put to work up at Biglerville Hall so all of you folks who attended the Army Relief can now understand why you received such excellent service for it were these same young folks that we have to thank for the excellent service that we received there.

**MR. AND MRS. LANE ARRIVE.**

Major and Mrs. Lockwood are having as their house guests the father and mother of Mrs. Lockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Lane of Detroit, Mich.

**MISS JULIA ROBINSON VISITING MISS KENT.**

Miss Kent is having as her guest Miss Julia Robinson of Macon. She will be here two or three weeks .

**MAJOR AND MRS. T. L. SMITH ENTERTAIN.**

On last Wednesday evening Major and Mrs. T. L. Smith entertained at five table of bridge in honor of Mrs. Smith's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Rainey.

1st ladies prize was won by Mrs. E. M. Burnette and Colonel Brown won the gentleman's high score prize. Captain Turner drew the consolation.

A delicious chicken salad and hot rolls were served as refreshments.

**NOTICE.**

The Columbus Reading Club who have advertised a benefit tea and bridge for April 10th, have postponed the event to a later date. Watch for future announcements.

**MISS CROSBY TO ENTERTAIN.**

Miss Crosby will entertain at a Hop Supper preceding the Baby Hop at the Officers' Club Room. Miss Crosby is giving the supper at the home of Captain and Mrs. R. C. VanVliet whom she is visiting.

**MISS AINSA VISITING HERE.**

On last Saturday Miss Marion Ainsa arrived to take a look at this part of the country. She is a sister of Mrs. E. C. Callahan and is visiting with Captain and Mrs. E. C. Callahan. She expects to stay for sometime.

**BRIDGE PARTY AT THE RALSTON.**

Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. Ketchum entertained at eight tables of bridge at the Ralston Hotel on Monday, April the second.

Mrs. Hartman won the top score prize a handsome silver vase and the second prize was won by Mrs. Owen Rhodes a silver tea bowl.

The decorations scheme carried out the colors of lavender and yellow.

A delightful salad course was served for refreshments.

**MRS. FRANK GREEN ENTERTAINS.**

On Tuesday evening Mrs Frank Green, wife of Major Green of the American Red Cross entertained at bridge in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Rainey, parents of Mrs. T. L. Smith, wife of Major Smith.

A delicious salad course was served during the evening to the twelve guests.

**MRS. BURNETTE ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE LUNCHEON.**

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. E. M. Burnette entertained at a Bridge Luncheon in honor of Miss Dunkle who is the guest of Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey and Miss Daisy Fairchild of Chicago and who is the guest of Lieut. and Mrs. L. B. Rock.

There were twelve guests present. Mrs. Wessels, Mrs. Rasen, and Mrs. White won the table prizes which were bridge score sets. The guests prizes were boxes of candy.

**MRS. STANTON DIBRELL AND SONS DEPART.**

The mother and two brothers Mrs. Stanton Dibrell, B. R. Dibrell, and Donnel Dibrell of Captain Dibrell who have been visiting Captain and Mrs. Dibrell have left for their home in Sparta, Tennessee. They have been spending the winter in Florida and stopped here on their way home.

**MR. GARBETT HERE.**

The father of Mrs. K. S. Whittemore Mr. Garbett of New York is visiting Captain and Mrs. K. S. Whittemore.

**MR. AND MRS. RAINEY VISITING FORT BENNING.**

The parents of Mrs. T. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R .T. Rainey who have been spending the winter at Long Beech, California are visiting Major and Mrs. T. L. Smith. They are enroute to their home in Black River Falls, Wisconsin and will remain at the Post another week.

**MRS. DIBRELL ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE LUNCHEON.**

At twelve o'clock last Tuesday Mrs. J. T. Dibrell entertained her club at a bridge luncheon.

Twelve ladies were present. Mrs. J. Andrews won the first club prize and Mrs. Harry Fisher won the second prize.

The rooms were attractively decorated in honey-suckle and dogwood.

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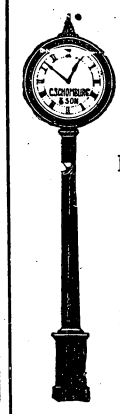

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## Births

The stork has sure been worked over time here and especially during the week end of last week.

Born on March 30th to Private and Mrs. Bell a future Hannibal and Caesar when a son Harry made his appearance at the Station Hospital.

Born March 31st to Lieutenant and Mrs. Broderick a son William Lewis. When interviewed William was right on the job and as he was slightly delayed he stated that the Stork was over burdened and that he was shipped overland but even at that he would have been on time if the Benning Road had been in better shape. We can safely predict that William is gonig to be a real he-man for as we can see from the above he doesn't hesitate to speak his mind. We sure need some more Alexanders the Great and Theodore Roosevelts in this country and believe that Mr. Bill will be fully qualified.

Born March 31st to Private and Mrs. Theodore Earnest Harris a son Alfred Fred. Now you can take it from us that when we took a look at Alfred he had his hand in exactly the same position a Napolian, now it is well known that coming events cast their shadows so here's to Napolian The American.

Born April 1st to Captain and Mrs. Kraul a daughter Dorothy Ann. Now we predict that not only will she be a Queen of Upatoi but that she is going to be an artist of renown, especially if she follows in the footsteps of her father for he shakes a wicked hand as the readers of the News can easily vouch for, and which have been sincerely appreciated but we are getting away from Dorothy Ann to whom this space is dedicated. As we entered the hospital to call on the little Miss we were instantly reminded of Madam Bernhardt and after a little conversation we discovered that she also showed unmistakable literary ability so here's to another Goethe and Shakespeare. Also in this day of women's rights and from the way that she already had the above youngsters going around in circles we further predict that when she begins to understand politics that she will see to it that the Army and the Navy will get their just rewards and that the following misguided organizations, National Council for the Prevention of War, Women's Committee for World Disarmament, American Union Against Militarism, Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Women's Trade Union League, Association to Abolish War, and the Friends' Disarmament Council had better look out.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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## Bakers and Cooks School

Well, here we are. Finally managed to break into our column. Some of the readers may scratch their head, especially if bothered with dandruff. and say; they did not know that such a school existed in the Post, but the fact is, we hav ebeen working so hard that we have not taken time to become acquainted, except with the kitchen police, therefore it will be necessary first to introduce the members of our detachment to the readers.

We will select, first, those who have to their credit, the most notable accomplishments in their chosen field of works, and perform the introduction by giving a short outline of the individual's most prized accomplishment. It may be said here, that perhaps never before in the history of the army was there gathered into one organization such an array of talented personnel. No, you may doubt, but read on and become a believer, therefore it is meet to begin with the highest non-commissioned rank and descend.

Master Sergt. Moore is our capable class instructor, who finds that it is quite tiresome to stand before the class and lecture on the same variety of subjects day after day. He has therefore practically completed a series of lectures made on soft phonograph records and hardened. These records he places on the Victrola which operates automatically and will play record after record without readadjustment.

In the class room a radio set will be installed, he will also have a similar set in his quarters. At 9:00 A. M. or 1:30 P. M. the class assembles in the class room. Sergeant Moore in his quarters at the other side of the camp, if he is still in bed, rolls over, yawns luriously, reaches out to the radio set next to his bed, tunes in on the class room, and calls the roll.

The control on the automatic victrola being operated by radio also, he reduces to the wave length required to release the control and the Victrola places on a record entitled, say, "A lecture on Beans," their origin, how manufactured, how counted and segregated for sales, etc. Sergeant Moore then quizzes the class by radio, and dismisses them, then returning to sleep or arising to feed the chickens.

We may casually mention that, even now before his present appliance is completed, he is concentrating his energies on some sort of a radio contrivance which works similar to moving pictures. You see he has to arise some mornings about 3:00 A. M. and inspect a number of kitchens. He has an idea that if he can install some sort of a chemical screen which reacts to certain electrical influences, in each kitchen, and then have a projecting apparatus on his radio set in his quarters, he can tune in on sight as well as sound, and inspect kitchens while reclining in bed at 3:00 A. M., however we can not say anything authorative on the subject as he is not giving anything to publication at present.

Now that you are introduced to Sergeant Moore, it is certain that the readers are full of conjectures as to what sort of an efficiency organization this is.

Some hint darkly that we are a prominent band of scientists brought together by kindred impulses in giving aid to sufferin humanity; namely, as one sixth of whole lives is spent in eating, to reduce the necessity of eating to the lowest possible minimum. All of us wish that humane did not have to eat to live, and all of us fervently wish that many humans did not live to eat.

Next week, we will introduce one or more of the prominent members of the command by the unique method of detailing their most accomplishment. much like Mr. Ford, Edison, etc.

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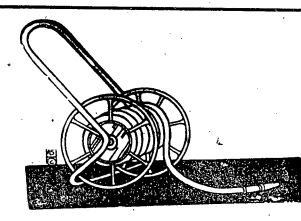

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## History of 7th Engineers

**(Continuation of Gen. Order No. 37)**

Eugene P. Walker, sergeant, Company "D" 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Verdun, France, November 4, 1918. When three boats in a pontoon bridge across the Meuse River were destroyed by artillery fire, he volunteered and waded into the river under heavy shell fire and by holding up the deck until new boats were launched and placed in position, although under great physical strain, permitted the uninterrupted crossing of the infantry.

Robert E. Crawford, corporal, Company "D" 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Verdun, France, November 4, 1918. When three boats in a pontoon bridge across the Meuse River were destroyed by artillery fire he volunteered and waded into the river under heavy shell fire and, by holding up the deck until new boats were launched and placed in position, permitted the uninterrupted crossing of the infantry.

Walter S. Sevalia, corporal Company "F" 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Brioulles, France, November 3, 1918. He swam the Meuse River with a cable for a pontoon bridge under direct machine gun fire. Later he carried a cable for another bridge over the Est. Canal, across an open field covered by enemy machine guns. Here he was wounded by a machine-gun bullet, but returned, carrying a message of great importance.

Fred A. Crowe, Private, Company "D" 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Cunel, France, October 14, 1918. He crawled forward under fire from machine-guns and snipers and killed two Germans who were operating a machine-gun in a tree.

Stanley T. Murnane, private, Company "D" 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Brieulles, France, November 4-5, 1918. When three boats supporting a pontoon bridge across the Meuse River were destroyed by artillery fire, he voluntarily waded into the stream under heavy artillery and machine-gun fire and held up the deck of the bridge until new boats were launched and placed into position.

William M. Hoge, major, 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Brioulles, France, November 4, 1918. After personally and voluntarily reconnoitering the site of a pontoon bridge over the Meuse, in daylight and under direct shell fire, Maj. Hoge commanded the movement of a train of heavy wagons, under enemy observation, to this location. He then supervised the construction of the bridge and the successful crossing of the train.

Wyman R. Swan, major, 7th Engineers. For extraordinary heroism in action near Brioulles, France, November 4-5, 1918. He demonstrated commendable judgment in locating the site of a pontoon bridge and personally supervising the construction of the bridge; although under constant shell fire, he remained in charge for 36 division east of the Meuse.

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### LETTER OF CONDOLENCE

Wherein the Great Father has seen fit to remove from our presence Bandmaster Joel P. Elazer, we, the members of the 24th Infantry Band take this means to extend to Mrs. Elazer and the bereaved relatives our deepest sympathy and most sincere commiseration. Mr. Elazer was an untiring worker in the interest of the Band, the Regiment and the entire Negro Race. His repeated statement was that he was working for the best band, not alone in the Army, but in the entire United States. During the ten months that he was with the Band he has improved wonderfully the intonation, technique and general ensemble of the band. He has brought a unity of spirit that has never existed before in this Band. He has always co-operated with the civilians and residents of the different communities in which he has been in charge of the Band to produce the greatest feeling or cordiality between the civilian population and the regiment. We feel that the community feels his loss as deeply as ourselves, and it will be long before we recover from such a blow.

We hope that Mrs. Elazer, though the loss is great, will find consolation in the thought that He who does all things well has done this also for the best, and that it is only a momentary separation and when one thinks of the long ages of bliss throughout eternity, when the loved ones are once more together, the present separation seems trivial.

Our sympathies go with her to the home of our beloved Bandleader, and also our hopes that the wound will soon heal.

Be it resolved that a copy of this letter be presented to the wife of the deceased.

### "SONNY" HAS THEME OF WORLDWIDE APPEAL

World wide, the reciprocal sentiment of mother love and the longing of a full-grown man or what he has never known, furnishes the guilding impulse in "Sonny," the stirring drama of every day life which is being presented at the Post Theatres Wednesday, April 11th.

Richard Barthelmess is the star, the picture marking his third production for Associated First National Pictures, Inc. Unlike "Tol'able David" the present attraction finds its locale in the crowded quarters of the big city, but like its predecessor it tells a story of simple charm and intensely human drama.

Pauline Garon has the leading feminine role in support of the star and is exquisitely charming. The remainder of a capable cast includes Margaret Seddon, Lucy Fox, Herbert Grimwood, Patterson Dial, Fred Nicholls, James Terbell, Margaret Elizabeth Faulconer and Virginia Magee. Henry King directed.

### "JAVA HEAD" A NOVEL PICTURE

How would you like to see how people lived three quarters of a century ago? You have your chance to do so in "Java Head," a Paramount picture directed by George Melford, which is to be shown at the Post Theatres next Tuesday. Life in old Salem, Mass., in the late Forties is "Jave Head's" attraction. The customs and costumes of that period have been faithfully reproduced, and most important of all, the story by Joseph Hergesheimer, which ran as a serial in the Saturday Evening Post, has been closely adhered to, so that in this respect none of the force or interest of the story has been lost. Leatrice Joy, Jacqueline Logan, Raymond Hatton, George Fawcett and Albert Roscoe portray the leading roles.

### HIERS HAS FINE ROLE IN SPLENDID COMEDY

Romantic, adventurous—and a haberdashery clerk at twenty dollars a week! A rare combination, indeed, are the ingredients which go into the character portrayed by Walter Hiers in his first Paramount starring vehicle, "Mr. Billings Spends His Dime," which will be the feature at the Post Theatre Saturday, April 14.

Between dodging a love-struck girl, escaping the assaults of a gang of plotting uprisers in a foreign country and planning how he will win the hand of the girl he loves, Mr. Hiers has one of the fastest comedy-dramas roles of the photopla yyear.

Opening in New York City, the story becomes a rapid whirl of exciting situations. A generous portion of ocean scenes and a climax that takes place in Santo Dinero, a Latin-American country where the natives are in the throes of a revolution, furnish backgrounds of unusual variety.

It is through the efforts of Mr. Hiers, as Bellings, that th government is saved from the revoluntary gang who seek to establish a rule of their own. Billings faces dath several times an dalmost loses the girl of his heart before he manages to restore order in the country.

Jacqueline Logan, who is featured as leading woman, heads a strong supporting cast.

A story of the young and reckless West. Its central figure is Cherie Dubois, a tantalizing combination of charm and mystery. Admired by all men, she skillfully eludes them until there comes into her life Bruce McLeod, an honest man, almost broken by sorrow, and Fred Cullum, a gambler by profession, and a plausible scoundrel, usually irresistable with women. These two men change the entire current of Cherie's life, unconsciously aided by two little children and the malicious tongue of Mrs. Poultry, the town gossip. The girl's love for the helpless babies, her scorn for Cullum, her growing attraction for McLeod, culminate in one of the greatest fights ever seen upon the screen and in her lifelong happiness. This is the story of "Nine Points of the Law," which comes to the Post Theatres, on Friday, April 13.

### YOUTH MUST HAVE LOVE SHIRLEY MASON'S NEXT

A drama of intrigue and mystery counterbalanced by a romance of adventure and love will be seen in Shirley Mason's next William Fox production, "Youth Must Have Love," which will be shown at the Post Theatre next Thursday.

A cast of exceptional screen artists, including Wallace McDonald, who plays opposite the star; Landers Stevens, the heavy; J .P. Lockney, an exceptional character actor and Cecil van Auker, who has played prominent parts in a number of recent productions, supports Miss Mason in "Youth Must Have Love."

The story is based on a youth, unjustly accused of the murder of an old miser and how a beautiful girl's faith and love and persistent efforts free him of the charge. How the real criminal is detected, when it appeared he had covered his tracks in such a manner as to prevent discovery, provides a mystery element to this play, which surpasses anything the youthful Fox star has been seen in in a long time.

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## PIGGLY WIGGLY SYSTEM AT THE COMMISSARY.

At posts the size of Benning and elsewhere, where there is such a great amount of personnel buying as here, why wouldn't it be a good idea to install a system similar to the Piggly Wiggly System. This system is carried out quite successfully by the Post Exchange Grocery.

There are several reasons for the installation of this system:

a. A customer could examine a particular item without requiring a clerk or several clerks to bring the entire shelf of goods to the counter for their inspection and incidentally delaying other customers as much as twenty or thirty minutes at a time.

b. Certain other customers just can't decide what they want and so hold up a line of customers while they decide.

c. Still other persons seem to believe that the "line up" of customers is a signal to pay all of their calls and seems to be especially insistant on talking to persons who are near the head of the line. The result is that the clerk is standing idle. while they finish their gossip and the other persons in the line up are delayed.

d. Most persons are courteous enough to take their place at the end of the line when they come in and work their way up to the head, but there are some few persons who pass up the end of the line and go prancing to the head of the line with the result that the clerk waits on the person at the head of the lineup. The person to whom this discourtesy has been extended rather than tell this individual where to get off at bears the discourtesy silently and gives thanks that most people are better mannered.

e. The adoption of such a system would not take greater personnel than at present and may possibly reduce the force.

f. There should be no greater loss than at present.

g. This would relieve several clerks from waiting on customers and they could be put to work writing up orders during the rush hour. After the rush hour several of these could be relieved to replenish the shelves and other routine work that is necessary.

We will admit right off hand that this system would not work at the meat and bread counters, we believe that it would work ideally for the rest of the commissary.

Why not try it out? Then the "talkers" and others could take as much time as they desired and not delay those who have something else to do.

## CAST YOUR BALLOT.

### Lets Find Out What We Want.

We are running the ballot, again this week as we have not received as many ballots as we really expected. At the present time the ratio is about as 4 is 2 1.2 for a roll collar and the ratio for the dress uniform is as 1 is to 4. Out of five hundred officers here we ought to get about 200 ballots to get a fair average. So fill out and send in the ballot. It only costs one cent if you mail your letter at the Post or if you happen to be near the Post A & R Office, just back of the Post Theatre just leave your ballot at the office. But the big thing is Send It in.

Do you favor a change of the present uniform?

Yes No

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Do you favor an additional uniform for dress purpose?

Yes No

If yes what color would you prefer for the coat?

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LOST: One tenth of a point. Very valuable and difficult to replace. Last seen going over the hill in a southerly direction. Finder please return to Second Section, Dept. General Subjects, and receive substantial reward.

FOUND: On Fort Benning road very small packet of religion. Owner evidently has not missed same. Was mixed up with broken automobile spring and Ford motor. Can be had upon proper identification. See C. U. Sword, care The News.

WANTED: Advice on "How to get a horse across a marsh." Phone 164, Fort Benning.

WANTED: "The Post Exchange is desirous of obtaining the services of a young lady, preferably the wife of a soldier, in the hairdressing parlor as assistant. Knowledge of manicuring and hairdressing not necessary but preferred."

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## ASSISTANCE THAT IS GOING TO HELP US

It is with real pleasure that the News notes that it has began to receive assistance on its fight for a good road to Benning.

The Columbus Enquirer-Sun has started a "scrap" to improve the road conditions and it is with real pleasure that we note this for in the year and half that we have been here we have noticed that when the Enquirer-Sun started something it stayed with it until it had won. Go to it and here's hoping you luck.

The following is what the Enquirer-Sun had to say:

The Lumpkin Boulevard to Benning should be built. Communication between the city and the post should be as easy as possible; one practical reason being that as the post becomes more of a complete institution, with better housing, shopping, amusement and social facilities, the army-folk will spend more time there unless there is added inducement to come to town. All the traffic between town and camp should not be over one road.

The route down the river bank is shorter and also is much more picturesque. For a considerable distance along the high bluffs of the Chattahoochee river it is a natural, logical place for a road. The road could be built so as to come into the present camp road at Bull Creek, or it could merge into the old road at the Bass place or some distance below the Bass place.

The point has been made that this road would be under water in times of freshets. Three days in each ten years, according to the average, it is covered by water from river overflow; for the other 3,649 days it is passable.

In the meantime, Brown street, formerly a quiet, rather easy going street in Wynnton, has leaped into local fame and has become a busy thoroughfare, with much passing to and from the camp.


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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter VI.

That Which Dealeth with the Company Clerk.

There are many positions in the Army of Samuel, but there be one that requireth an intelligent person and that be the office of Company Clerk.

A Company Clerk is one who is the Stenographer of the Captain, but worketh under the supervision of the sergeant.

To the company clerk is given the filing of records and important documents, so that if there be need of the same they may be found. But alas, if at a later date, the captain calleth for a certain document, the clerk findeth it not and sweareth by the moon and the stars that his eyes hath never beheld the same.

If the captain then demandeth the file the clerk looketh intelligent and goeth to the supply sergt. and sayeth "the capt. desireth a file" The sergt. sayeth that he doth not possess the file as it is kept in the orderly room. The clerk reporteth to the captain that the sergeant hath no file, whereupon the captain waxeth exceedingly angry and speaketh mighty words. The clerk leaveth hurriedly and wondereth how he hath offended his captain.

A brainless person often filleth the office of company clerk, but such a person who keepeth the office for long must be possessed of a "wooded" eye. The "wooded" eye be such expression as is supposed to make all ordinary soldiers feel as dirt under foot.

The wooded eye convinceth the multitude that the office of company clerk be one of great responsibility and further if the multitude shouldest know all the important secrets that the clerk knoweth, then alas the Army of Samuel would soon be ruined.

A company clerk keepeth himself exceedingly busy while the captain be near.

While the captain be away he doth nothing as a rule. He cleaneth not his desk nor typewriter. Neither doth he write the many letters that he shouldest. Doth it come to pass that he becometh ambitious and cleaneth his office he starteth with th captains desk which he cleaneth like upon the shining sun and of course throweth away many valuable papers. When the captain returneth and inquireth what hath become of these papers, the clerk sweareth that he hath never beheld them nor hath he ever laid fingers upon his captains desk, but insinuateth that per chance the room-orderly hath knowledge of that which is missing. For make ye careful note that a clerk never maketh a mistake, No Never.

If an order be issued and the captain or the first sergeant understandeth not the meaning thereof the company clerk always volunteereth a correct interpretation thereof, for by so doing he showeth his far superior intelligence.

When the room orderly be absent on other duties and the captain asketh the clerk to summon Private Samuel, the clerk goeth forth like upon a young capon and calleth long and loud as he goeth down the company street "Pvt. Samuel, Pvt. SAMUEL" the captain desireth speech with thee, and when it is accomplished the clerk feeleth mighty for he believeth that the company hath made note of his action and the multitude then knoweth that his office be exceedingly mighty.

A Company Clerk readeth many *books and it is* by this reason that he knoweth so much. Any clerk is an authority on "Snappy Stories," "The Wampus Cat," "Detective Tales," "Whiz Bang" and "Hot Dog."

Selah!

THE EDITOR'S EASY (??) CHAIR.

**We make play out of our work, if we worried about our job we would soon be crazy.**

### IT'S STRANGE—THE EFFECT OF PROHIBITION.

Cleburne, Texas.—One cow exploded and another died as the result of gulping gasoline here Monday afternoon.

The cows lapped up a tub full of gasoline which stood before a local garage. It was necessary to take drastic measures if lives were to be saved.

Taking a long steel instrument the veterinary punctured the side of one of the animals. Gasoline started to trickle out. The medico turned aside for a moment and lit a cigarette. His patient exploded with a black cloud of smoke.

Strange to say the gasoline explosion did not kill the cow, which cavorted madly down the road with a jet of flame spurting from its side. The animal was caught and the blaze extinguished. It will live.

The other cow, which was not punctured, died.—New Orleans Times Picayune.

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Private Jones was marching up and down on the parapet of the fort when a friend came along below.

"What are you walking up there for, Jones?" said the latter.

"Well, I'll tell you," said Jones." The general is coming in through this gate to inspect the command and the battery over there is going to fire a salute the minute he gets here, and I'm up on top to give them the signal the minute he steps inside."

"How are you going to do that?" inquired his friend.

"This way," said Jones, waving his cap.

Bang! went the salute. Jones fainted and the general, approaching a mile away, asked: "What's all the shooting about?"

POEM

### "IF I KNEW YOU AND YOU KNEW ME."

If I knew you and you knew me,
'Tis seldom we would disagree;
But, never having yet clasped hands,
Both often fail to understand
That each intends to do what's right
And treat each other "Honor Bright."
How little to complain there'd be
If I knew you and you knew me.

When'er I'd anger you thru mistake,
Or in my letter some error make.
From irritation you'd be free,
If I knew you and you knew me.
Or when I'd fail to answer in time,
And you wouldn't write nary line,
I'd wait without anxiety you see
If I knew you and you knew me.

When my letters didn't please
You'd "Fire Back."
Or make a kick on this or that,
There'd be no broken hearts you see,
If I knew you and you knew me.
If our love were true and strong,
We'd wonder how the past went wrong
Sometimes your fault and sometimes mine—
Little girl, how lovely things would be,
If I knew you and you knew me.

Then let no doubting thoughts abide
Of firm good faith on either side;
Confidence to each other give,
Live yourself, let others live;
But if at any time I come that way,
You'll admit me I hope and pray;
Then face to face we each shall see
And I'll know you and you'll know me.

—Submitted by Co. "D" 24th Inf.

### THINGS TO TRY ONCE.

1. Editing the "Fort Benning News"

2. Riding over the Fort Benning Road."

3. Shooting a gray squirrel for breakfast in front of the General's quarters.

4. Working all day and then put in eight hours more every night.

5. Buying what you want at the commissary without the clerks saying "we are out of that."

6. Rooting for the opposing team among a bunch of "Infantry School Rooters"

7. Bringing company home for dinner without telling the "misses"

8. Asking Captain Ellis why you weren't an R. O. T. C. Detail.

9. Asking a chief of department in the Infantry School for a "position as an instructor."

10. Aiding the Post A. & R. officer to get a competent clerk.

11. Asking an instructor at the Infantry School to raise your grade.

12. Asking an instructor at the Infantry School who is a good friend to give you a tip on the examination questions.

Ask the 1st Sergeant to do your K. P. for you.

Ask the employment office for a guaranteed servant.

Ask the Q. M. to hold your commissary bill over until next month.

Pass the General's Car when you are out for a ride.

Tell the dentist that he is rough.

Try to beat the grim reaper by drinking a batch of wood alcohol.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE.

**Infantry Rifle Team Make Further Donation.**

As a further inducement to get the News readers to submit titles for last week's front page picture, the Infantry Rifle Team have given in addition to the Cat's Whiskers and a pair of Snake's Hips, a Frog's Beard, a Clam's Raincoat and the famous Fur-lined Cuspidor.

The person sending in the best title to last week's picture will get all of these valuable prizes.

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Here is is a little verse that is so good that I want to pass it along:

I have to live with myself, and so
I want to be fit for myself to know.
I want to be able as days go by,
Always to look myself straight in the eye.
I don't want to stand with setting sun,
And hate myself for the things I've done.
I know what others may never know;
I never can feel myself, and we
Whatever happens, I want to be
Self-respecting and conscience-free.
—Boston Post.

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When the raisin mash is stewing,
And the worm is in the still,
There's pile of gravel waiting,
In the graveyard on the hill.
—Fire Engineer.

## School Division

### "AT EASE."

(By Ge Lievi.)

It begins to look like Old King Tut had everything but a safety razor. Kinda remind you of the number of things that came over on our beloved Mayflower?

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A wonderful woman,
I'm proud to say,
Is one Edna Kite,
Whom I met one day;
For she usually admits,
Without any fight,
That her dear little hubby
Is always quite right.

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The home brewers are possibly beating 'round the Anheuser Busch. Eh What?

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We just heard of an Ohio man who grafted some chicken skin on the back of his dog. Wonder if Fido lays around the house now.

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If Henry Ford runs for President next year will not his campaign be a rattling good cash and carry affair?

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Speaking of Muscle Shoals,—Henry Ford is trying to fertilize his way into the Presidency. Oh, well, a lot of that stuff has always been used in campaigns anyway.

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Have you heard this one?

A corporal strode up to a recruit and said: "We are to wear our pistols in our belts today."

"Just my luck," replied the recruit, "I wore suspenders today."

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Our idea of a man with a wonderful memory: One who staggers around these days.

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You can teach some animals with the lash, but not the flea. He just lives on rawhide.

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Sign of normalcy—burlesque shows going back to tights.

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Speaking of Georgia roads—last summer while on leave an officer was motoring through the Empire State of the South on his way to the Gateway City. Thinking himself lost he asked a native for directions and this was the answer: "You are on the right road. Atlanta is about four detours straight ahead."

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A broad-minded man is all right if his mind has depth as well as breadth. The depth of thought can often be determined by the height of ambition.

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Sgt. Oleboi says: A man may fail a woman—but words never do. One man's money is as good as another, but with credit it is different.

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**Listening in on the School Division.**

Lt. Leman—(shouting over long-distance telephone) "All right, doctor. Certainly, Doctor. Yes, sir, Doctor. Hectic days, Doctor. Goodbye."

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If you are one of those forefinger typewriting experts bear in mind the following when doing your trick:

1. Keep machine well oiled.
2. Keep a fire bucket handy to eliminate danger from sparks.
3. Wear a rubber glove on your right hand.

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### "TRIFLING WOMEN," DRAMATIC PHOTOPLAY

Rex Ingram's claim to film immortality is justified again in his remarkable new production, "Trifling Women," which comes on April 8 to the Post Theatres. It is the latest achievement of the skilled director, whose name has become synonymous with the best in filmdom, and a guarantee of exceptional screen merit. It equals and, in some particulars, surpasses his earlier efforts, and should win a high place among the best of the season's photoplays.

The brilliant director of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," "The Prisoner of Zenda" and other big Metro pictures, is himself both author and adaptor of his latest success. This fact makes his triumph all the more complete, for the story and continuity are on a par with the production itself. In all, it is a distinctly worthwhile photodrama, and it is recommended to those who want the best in their motion picture fare.

The story is concerned with the fascination of Zareda, a crystal gazer, whose siren-like fascination attracts men into her net. How she attains wealth and power through a marriage with a wealthy Marquiis; how she arranges his death to marry her young lover, Ivan; how she meets a terrible end with her lover when her husband finds them together, makes a graphic and dramatic story.

In the cast are brilliant players. Lewis Stone is seen as the Marquis Ferroni; Barbara La Marr as Zareda; Ramon Novarro as Ivan, and Edward Connelly as Ivan's father, Baron de Maupin. Others in the cast are Pomeroy Cannon, Hughie Mack. The fine photography is the work of John F. Seitz.

### WARRANT OFFICER, JOEL P. ELAZER, U. S. A. DIES

Was Band Leader of 24th Infantry. Regimental services honor his memory on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Joel P. Elazer, Warrant Officer U. S. A. and Band Leader of the 24th Infantry Band passed from the rolls of active service last Friday evening, March 30th, 1923. He was admitted to the post hospital late in the evening suffering with ambolism of the right lung from which he expired. His death was a great shock and a surprise to his friends.

Funeral services were held in the chapel on Saturday, March 31st in charge of Chaplain Alexander W. Thomas, with the entire 24th Infantry in attendance. The 24th Infantry Band was present and responded to the inspiration of its leader for the last time. The director's music stand was draped in mourning and stood in its regular place with Mr. Elazer's favorite baton resting quietly before the bier.

The following program comprised the service in the memory of this outstanding representative of the musical attainments of his people:

1. "The Rosary" played by the 24th Infantry Band.
2. "Some day the Silver cord will break." sung by Mrs. Jennings, wife of 1st Sergt. Jennings.
3. Ritual Service, read by Chaplain Thomas.
4. "I heard the voice of Jesus." sung by Mrs. Brown.
5. "The Holy City" sung by Mrs. Van Leer.
6. Selection, sung by Dr. M. L. Taylor of Columbus, Ga.
7. "The world is waiting for the Sunrise" played by 24th Infantry Band

A beautiful floral harp of lilies and roses was the token from the Band to its beloved leader. A large Pall mounted with a white dove was the gift of the Service Company to which Mr. Elazer belonged, and a large wreath represented the sentiment of the Women's club. Many other individual floral tributes crowded the altar space in the chapel.

Mr. Elazer had completed more than twenty years of service in the Army. This time was spent in the bands of the 25th Infantry, the 9th Cavalry, and as Warrant Officer since January, 1921. He has been with the 24th Infantry Band since May 26, 1922, and has held the standard of this organization well up where it has always been since the days of its medal winning performance in several world expositions where it competed with many military bands. Mr. Elazer was a clarinet soloist, and has a number of compositions to his credit. He made a number of adaptations of Filipino melodies and other folk songs.

After the services at Fort Benning, Ga. where the 24th Infantry is stationed, the remains were shipped to Webster Grove, Missouri, a suburb of St. Louis, where interment was made. Mrs. Elazer, who survives her husband accompanied the body. Mr. Elazer also leaves a brother and his mother.


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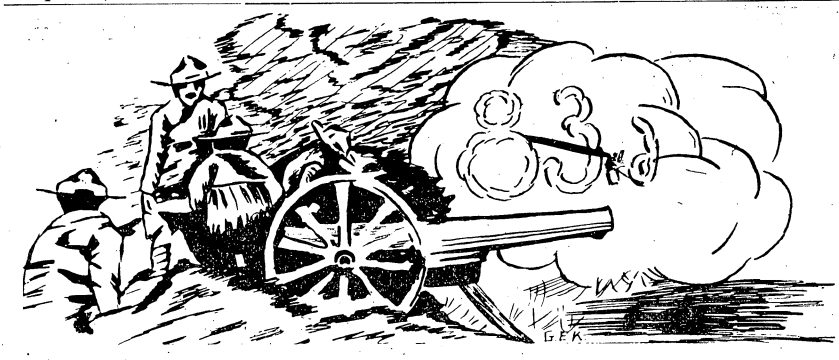

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She is often filled with sorrow,
For the petty deeds we have done,
You may find a friend on the morrow
But like Mother? No, not one.

When you were a very little lad,
So helpless, wee, and small
You often wanted things so bad
And Mother gave you her all.

What a loving Pal is Mother,
She would even die for you,
And you will never find another
As loving, kind, and true.

So boys remember Mother,
When you are led astray,
Just stop, and think, how she loves you
And turn the other way.

## Service Club No. 1 Notes

**NOTICE TO ORGANIZATION REPORTERS**

**All Co. notes must be in the office of the "News" by 4 p. m. on Tuesdays' of each week from now on.**

On Friday, March 30, Mrs. H. B. Stevenson who is a sister of and visiting the hostess of the Service Club, Miss Roe, gave a very interesting, educational, and delightful talk on "Manners and Customs of China" to a large group of men at the Service Club.

On Saturday another of our Casino Tournaments took place. Carl Carroll and Carroll Riggs were the lucky prize winners.

On last Sunday a delightful Marshmallow roast took place before the large fire place. A good time was had and the jokes that were cracked were excellent.

The regular meeting of the Dance Committee was held last Monday.

The regular weekly dance last Wednesday was well attended. The music was excellent as were the refreshments.

**HONOR ROLL FOR MARCH AT THE POST SCHOOL**

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**Third Grade**

Bennie Hall, Margaret McMurray, Sally Watson, Martha Petrasky.

Mabel Lay and Bennie Hall made 100 per cent. in spelling test. Margaret McMurray and Bennie Hall made 100 per cent. in arithmetic Test.

**Fourth Grade**

Helen Harris, Israel Wald.

**Fifth Grade**

Gertie Mae Duncanson, Louise Siebenichen.

**Sixth Grade**

(Not tardy or absent)
Samuel Wald.

**Seventh Grade**

(Not tardy or absent.)
Philip Musgrave.

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## Finance Detachment Notes

Private Hoyett Adams, of the Corps Area Finance Office, was a pleasant visitor to Private Bennett of this detachment last week end. Adams has many friends in Benning, having known them in Fort McPherson and McClellan.

A number of the detachment enjoyed a pleasant evening at Sergeant Kenneys last Tuesday. A wonderful course of chicken salad and ice tea being served by Mrs. Kenney, afterwards there were dancing and pinochle.

Wanted to know: Who is the senior non-com in the Finance Barracks.

Private Willis spent a couple of days with relatives in Gay, Georgia last week and reports a nice time.

**NOTICE TO SOJOURNERS CLUB.**

There will be a smoker and meeting of the Sojourners Club of Fort Benning Chapter No. 8 at 7:30 P. M. on Tuesday, April 10th at the Officers Club Hop Room.

It is important that all members be present at this meeting as there are a number of matters to be acted upon, among which are:

The election of officers.

The adoption of the Constitution and by-laws.

The election of delegates to the National Convention.

After the completion of the business meeting there will be a boxing bout.

All Master Masons who are elegible for membership and who have not already done so, should join before Tuesday night, or may join at this meeting on that night.

Every member and all prospective members are strongly urged to be present at this meeting.

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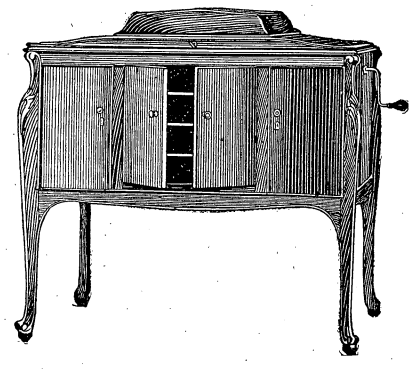

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

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**Service Company**

The Service Company is rejoicing in the news from the hospital that Capt. Ed C. Betts, the Regimental Adjutant is rapidly recovering from his injuries sustained in a Polo game last Sunday.

Private Freeman bought a Ford and took the Personnel Section out for a joy ride. When the bunch returned from the extended journey over the Cusseta road, they were minus everything they had in their pockets—the contents being scattered in the tonneau.

In the matter of Range practice, Private Calhoun takes the Brown Derby— he made exactly 240 jaw bone.

To prove that this Regiment is motorized and that the Service Company has full charge of our motor transportation, 1st Sergt. Huffenberger rides a bicycle. Well Huff, keep it up, you may yet qualify for the Olympic games.

**Company "E"**

A lot of hard luck and one or two bones caused us to lose a good ball game last Sunday. "G" Co. is one of the family so it was not like getting some outsider to put one over on us.

Dick thinks that Ty Cobb is no ball player because he did not get about three home runs, steal a few bases and play the infield while he was not spearing them out in the pasture.

Cribbage Tournament Finals.

All the boys had a good laugh the other night when the cribbage tournament broke up. Dad and New were playing for all the games that they had ever played and to decide who would be champ for all time. (Some stake if you have all the inside dope) New put a big skunk on Dad and made for the exit, with chairs, tables footlockers and stove wood following him. Mr. Brown cut his pillow and three blankets up and prayer for New to drop dead before daylight.

**Company "F"**

Private Hugh S. Wynne better known in the Co. as "Gertrude" was somewhat upset over the loss of his box of "Djer Kiss" perfume. Hugh, if you cannot find your "perfume" the Co. will gladly buy you some sandpaper.

Private Hayes' only regret is: To leave the Mess-Hall with so much chow on the table, why don't you carry a "Gunny-Sack" with you when you enter the Chow-Hall.

**Company "G"**

The company was very much pleased at the out come of the base ball game of the 1st. between Co. "E" and Co. "G." A miracle certainly must have happened when Co. "E" beat the Howitzer Company. Our company was beaten by the Howitzer company a short time ago by the tune of 1 to 0.

Company "G" is still leading in percentage of men depositing their money with the Quartermaster. This speaks well for the company. Keep it up fellows, that "saved up money," sure will come in handy some rainy day.

Say Bill, I hear the price of pies has raised, what's the matter, has the price of flour or acting lard, gone up? Keep it up, Bill, you won't have to re-up in July.

Sgt. Simmons, has had a slight increase in his famliy, for on Easter Sunday he was very much surprised to find four very noisy puppies in his supply room, squaking a Happy Easter to everyone.

**Company "H"**

Our scheduled baseball game was not played last Sunday.

Everybody is staying home this pay day.

Hudson wants to know what is the matter with the Detroit Team. Tell him Barnes.

The demonstrations what we've put on last Tuesday were excellent. They show what highly trained men can do. How did we stand on Deposits.

**COLUMBUS SECURES CHARTER FOR A RIFLE CLUB**

(Continued from Page 1.)

at Fort Benning, at the convenience of the Fort Benning authorities who have expressed themselves as willing to aid in taking care of all the shooters who qualify for high velocity work. This will be of the greatest value and convenience to the club members. The clubs private high velocity range will be worked out at the earliest possible date, and will be thrown open to practice to individual members and club teams as soon as arrangements are completed.

"All arms and ammunition used at the ranges will be inspected by the range officer before the shooter will be allowed to participate.

"It is pleasing to note the interest many of the ladies are taking in the club. It is hoped that it may be possible to form some crack teams from among their numbers. The girls club in Washington set a world record a few weeks ago scoring 1,998 bulls eyes out of a possible 2,000, and practically all had never shot in a match before. Thats some score and we take our hats off to the girls."

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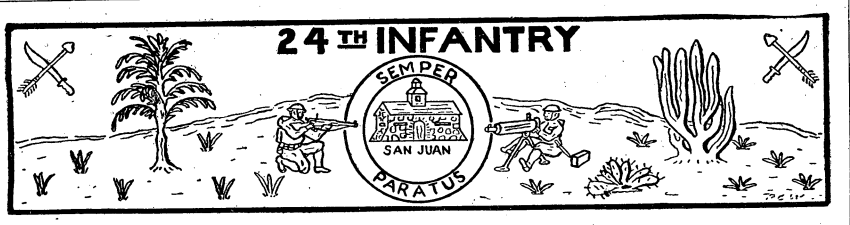


**Service Company.**

Flashlight Boyd showed the boys some more of the clean fighting, for which he is noted, when he gained the decision over Crawford of Company "M," 24th Infantry in eight fast rounds at the Service Club.

Oh, History! where is thy sting?

Pvt. Daily E. Oliver has been made captain of the Service Company baseball team. He claims the rag already responses in the Company orderly room.

We were sorry to bid good-bye to Staff Sergt. Davies when he left us upon retiring after many years of faithful service. Goodluck in your new field, oildtimer.

Seven retirements for this year is the record of the Service Company. Try and beat it.

**Company "A"**

Private Heath, our new comrade, is making rapid success with the instruction Rifle marksmanship. If he shoots like he takes his instruction, Oh boy! what a shot he will be.

Sgt. Mann is expected here from his vacation this week. He will be able to tell us all about South Carolina, Oh I forgot, its New York.

Oh, Boy! you should watch our top kicker get into the prone position rapidly. I would like to see the one his age who can beat him getting down.

Company "A" 24th Infantry is going to beat any organization its size in Fort Benning, shooting this season.

**Company "B"**

It's the Sergt. blowing the whistle, You had better come and see, The company is issuing it's hardtack, bacon and tea.

I assemble you all men to tell you, that we are in reserve tonight. And if the bugler blows call to arms, you, had better be Johnny on the spot.

Go draw your ammunition, and ration for the field, make up all your blanket rolls, and every thing you need.

And so that night at one-fifteen, the call to arms was sounded, We ran so fast through the company street, They thought that we was mounted.

Fall in men and cover off, Report all absentees, Wake up Sergeant and don't be afraid, These are the trucks coming that you see.

We march out to the dear old Y. and waited there with passion. Now men if we go across the bridge, We will go right into action.

**Company "C"**

The seven (7) wonders of Company "C" this week:

1. 1st Sergt. Larkins not dropping Drum Major's Baton.
2. Cook Gregory Cooking three (3) stewless meals.
3. Corpl. Mays taking only three (3) dances Wednesday night.
4. Mexican Joe only spending $40 during his two hours in town several nights ago.
5. Sergt. Powell staying away from home just one evening.
6. A sweet little girl looking for Corpl. DeWitt.
7. Pvt. Smith Pudding saying he will make expert.

**Company "D"**

Company "D" better known as the Machine Gun "Jazz Babies" has composed a song entitled "The Machine Gun Blues." The said "Jazz Babies" will play these blues with the 30 Cal. Browning M. G., on the target range this season. The jazz that "D" Co. will put in the bullets will make a "Holy Roller" lose his roll.

That which occurs in the Dining Room

We goeth into the dining room to eat all that is edible. We take our best position at the table, so that all movable parts can function freely. The Mess Sergeant walketh up and down the isle until he decides to give the command "Mess," at the said command the feed lever (arm) moveth to various spots on the table to collect such food as he desireth, which sitteth thereon. After the food has been placed on the plate, the feed lever moveth rapidly to and from the receiver (mouth). The functioning of the feed lever causes the receiver to open automatically. The feed lever continues this movement until the food is exhausted, which, at that time the container should be well filled. Selah!

**Company "I"**

Too much cannot be said about the selection rendered by the band, at last Saturday's ball game. When the C. O. walked in the box to deliver the first ball across the dish. The band started to playing the blues entitled "Don't brake the Wonderful one hoss shay."

Everybody is talking in their sleep, you can't hear anything at night but target practice, "I got a five," Man don't drop that rifle," "Shut up, Capt. Noble says you do it this way," so all we can say is Look, Company "C."

Remember the man who holds down the ladder at the bottom, is sometimes of just as much service as the man at the top.

**Company "L"**

Sergt. Shannon giving commands to the Second Platoon:

Right shoulder arms .....you too
Forward March .....you too
About Face .....you too

A certain Corporal came up and asked "Say, Sergt. what is the idea of the, "you too" behind your command? Sergt. Shannon answered, "I know this gang, They are known as a hard bunch. Everytime I ask them to do something under their breath I know they are going to tell me to go to H—l, and I want to beat them to it.

Private Charlie Vaughn better known as (Buck shots), walked in the Post Exchange and called for a tooth brush. The clerk asked, "what kind do you want?" His answer, "give me a large one, there are five of us in a tent."

A certain Private came in with his jaw swollen, and was asked if Home Brew caused it. His answer, "No, home bruise, the wife soaked me."

Sergt. Scott was asked what he intended to make on the range. He answered, "Sharp shooter." The company is wondering if he means on the range or in the Kitchen.

A certain ball player was heard bragging about his hits last year, Loout out, Corporal you won't be able to hit the floor if you fall out of the bed this year.

Our young Babe Ruth is showing up in fine shape. Keep it up,, Troop, you are batting 100 per cent.

**Company "K"**

Well the baseball season is here let us have some real Regimental sport. How about the Company teams?

We notice that Corpl. Merchant (Little Chester Gump) is sticking to post and target practice, ata boy, Merch, heres hoping "Expert" for you.

Sergt. Garrett (Tailor-made) are keeping out of the city these Pre-pay-days, whats matter Bill, promised too much?

Well thats alright Tolbert, don't rub it too strong on poor Belser, (pa-perkins) while he is out at Hawks pond.

All is well that ends well, so sayeth the Philosopher, so well and good Corpl. Jones, (Speaking of the book in last weeks issue) Nuf Sed.

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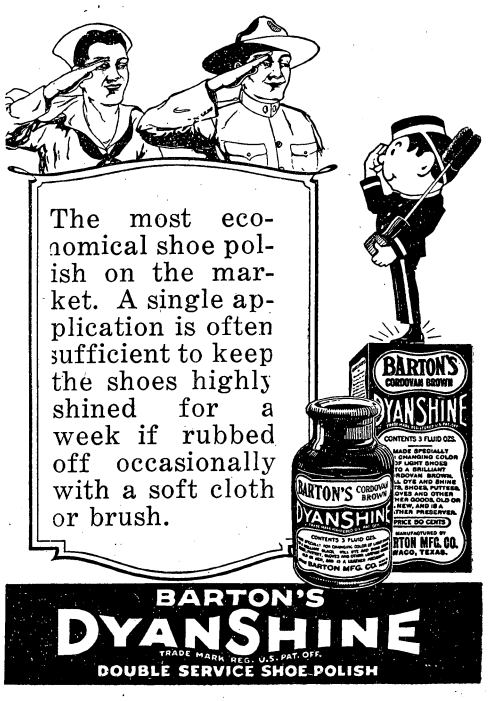

# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## AUBURN GETS WALLOPED BY THE INFANTRY

Those who witnessed the ball game between Auburn and the Infantry last Tuesday saw the Blues in fine form. The minute that the Alabamaians got a man on base the Doughboys tightened up like into a saddle cincha, and man it sure was joy to watch them hold the raring Tigers down. Yeh we said raring Tigers because they licked us last Saturday to the tune of 1-0 and then last Monday they took on Yale and beat them 5-0 so when they stepped out again they were looking for easy work-out and a cinched victory but alas the daughanty Blues piled up a score against them in one game that tied the total runs that they had to their credit of the two previous games. We sure have got to hand it to the men from Auburn for they sure showed that they were clean sportsmen throughout the two games with the Infantry and what is sportsmanship if it is not displayed during a game.

Auburn was unable to get a man to the third bag and only twice did they get a man to second which was in the first and then the last inning.

Hi Davis pitched the pill for the Infantry and say he sure handles that ball just like it was a trained pill. For the entire game he held the mound and never once did he show signs of weakening.

Moulton took the mound for Auburn and for five innings pitched some ball but in the fatal sixth the Blues found him out and made three runs and then one run each inning that they went to bat after that.

Honnen, Fountain, Nelson and Kgelstrom starred in the field for the Infantry. Honnen had a busy day at short and handled a big assortment of hard chances. Nelson stacked up fifteen putout to his credit.

Fountain and Kgelstrom led in the Blue hitting, the former getting two safeties in four trips up and Kgelstrom delivering himself of the longest swat on the Benning diamond this season.

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain, 2b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Honnen, ss. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 1 |
| Milburn, c. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Kgelstrim, lf. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Yon, cf. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McAlpine, 3b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Parris, rf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Davis, P. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 25 | 6 | 5 | 27 | 19 | 3 |

The score by innings:

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Auburn | 000 000 000 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Infantry | 001 003 11x | 6 | 5 | 3 |

Three base hits, Kgelstrom.

Two base hits, Griffin.

Struck out, by Davis, 2; Moulton, 9.

Sacrifice hits, by Milburn, McAlpine

Stolen base, Fountain, Milburn, Parris, Allen.

Earned runs: Infantry 2.

Double play: Fountain to Honen to Nelson.

## AUBURN WINS 1st GAME OF DOUBLE HEADER

Benning Loses 1—0.

In a close and exciting game played last Saturday at Driving Park, Auburn won by the close margin of one point. The Infantry were unable to put a runner across the homeplate and tie the score so Auburn won. However don't get the idea that Auburn won that one point in a walk away for they were unable to send that lonesome runner across home plate until the 7th inning. On different occasions the Doughboys had men on bases or even all bases full but "fate" was against us on that date and would not help us one iota.

Hutchinson took the mound for the Infantry and stayed on it for eight straight innings. He was in excellent form and sure made the little pill behave beautifully. Heckert went in to bat for "Hutch" in the last half of the eighth but the Alabamian pitcher was leery for he let Heckert walk. McNutt took up "Hutch's" job in the ninth frame and held the oppenents scoreless.

The Tigers used three pitchers in the game. Sheridan started off and he sure fired that ball to the catcher and for five innings it was nip and tuck who would be the better pitcher but at the sixth he had to give up the ghost to Knight. Knight was in poor form but managed to hold the box in place for two innings. During the eighth Webb took hold of the pill and pulled victory away from the Doughboys by his wonderful pitching.

There was only one error during the game and that was by Arnall 3rd Baseman for the Donahuians.

How it looks:

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Auburn | 000 000 100 | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| Infantry | 000 000 000 | 0 | 6 | 0 |

The summary:

Three base hits: Milburn.

Base on balls, off Sheridan 3; Knight 4; Webb 2; Hutchinson 1.

Innings pitched, by Hutchinson, 8; McNutt, 1; Sheridan, 5; Knight, 2; Webb, 2.

Struck out, by Hutchinson, 5; McNutt, 1; Sheridan, 4; Knight, 1.

## POLO.

Last Sunday the 29th Infantry and the 83rd Field Artillery played two periods on the last leg of the series for the Dierk's Cup but the game was discontinued just in the beginning of the seventh period when Captain Betts of the 29th was injured.

The first two periods were fast and were featured by hard riding.

From the Sunday before the score stood 1-0 in favor of the 29th but in the first period of play last Sunday or the fifth period of the game the 83rd made a goal making the score 1-1 a tie. During the sixth period the 29th shot a goal at a distance of about 70 yards from the goal posts and an angle of about 40 degrees. It was a shot par excellent.

The Blues and the Yellows finished their leg of the series and the Blues were the winners with a twenty point lead. From the Sunday before the Blues scored fourteen points while the Yellows were blanked. Last Sunday the Yellows had no better luck each time that they thought that they had the ball over the goal line a Blue would suddenly appear and start the ball flying down the field toward the Blue goal posts. Douglas of the 29th assisted the Yellows and sure played an excellent game and did some very hard riding. It was probably Douglas' excellent playing that the Yellows were able to make the one point that they did make in the seventh period.

The Blues were in the same good form as of the week before and showed excellent team-work. The final score stood 21 to 1.

## BASEBALL.

**April 7th—Inf. School vs. Gordon Institute at Driving Park**

**April 13th—Infantry School vs. North Georgia Agricultural College at Benning.**

**April 14th—Infantry School vs. North Georgia Agricultural College at Driving Park.**

## BASEBALL SEASON OPENS ON 24th INFANTRY DIAMOND

On Saturday, March 31st, the 24th Infantry team entertained the Alabama State Normal School nine on the local diamond. The game that was announced for Friday afternoon could not be played on account of rain. A return ticket is scheduled in Montgomery for the 17th and 18th of May.

Col. Nicklin, of hereditary baseball fame, opened the season by throwing the first ball of the game. His appearance with his regulation Baseball Cap assured the spectators that an auspicious occasion was about to be ushered in. A perfect wind-up and a tremendous delivery started the ball—a rollin' down to the plate. Ball Won!! bawled the Ump. Kid seats then took the pill and retired the hand picked lead off man with three straights. He then handed three puffs of wind to the conventional bunter. The clean up man in the third batting order only cleaned up a pop fly which was gahered in by Thomas on first base.

The visitors opportunity then came to show their brand of ball. It started off by walking the first man up with four straight. The second man succeeded in getting his man down to second on a sacrifice bunt to the pitcher. The third man up slammed a three bagger into the jaws of a strong wind, incidentally scoring the first run when Thomas went home with the bacon. A second run was tallied in the first frame when Williams hit to short, who fumbled, and barely managed to peg him out at first. The next man up fanned.

The first inning indicated to the spectators what kind of entertainment was to be dished out for the afternoon, and everything was rather listless on the sidelines until the fifth inning.

Captain Wilson decided that Seats could have a rest, and sent Green to the mound. The visitors seemed to think that this was a sign of a chance in their luck. After losing the first two batters on a strike-out and a high foul ball to the first baseman, they sent in a real slugger who reaped a home run. This added new interest to the game, and presented a new problem to the new pitcher. Consequently he walked the next two men. Two more found him for clean hits and brought in the second and third tally for that inning.

In the sixth inning, Wilson's warriors came back with a counter attack and raised the visitors three. Just to show that they could beat them, they made six runs in the first of the sixth inning to be compared with the visitors three in the fifth. The game was called in the seventh on account of the high wind and the severe cold weather. The final score was 14 to 5.

Umpire: Lt. L. V. Jones. Referee: Capt. T. F. Brasnahn.

The Line-up

| 24th Infantry | State Normal |
|---|---|
| Thomas, 1b. | Plomps, 1b. |
| Gilbert, ss. | Legree, ss. |
| Foster, ss. | McLemon, c |
| Washington, 2b | Wallace, lf |
| Williams, cf | Gilliam, cf |
| Bell, cf | Gilmore, 2b |
| Battles, lf | Kendrick, rf |
| Haywood, 3b | Johnson, 3b |
| Myers, rf | Anderson, p |
| Knight, rf | Lewis, p |
| Lamar, Wallace, c. | |
| Green, Seats, p. | |

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

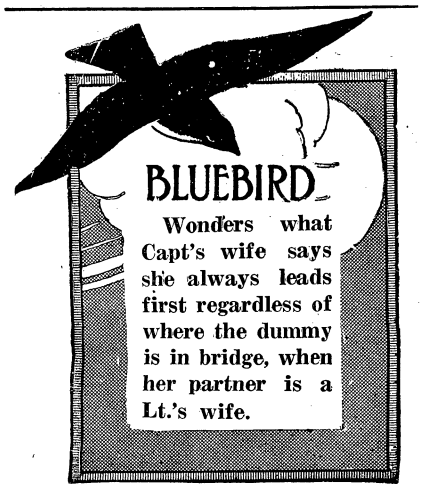
Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

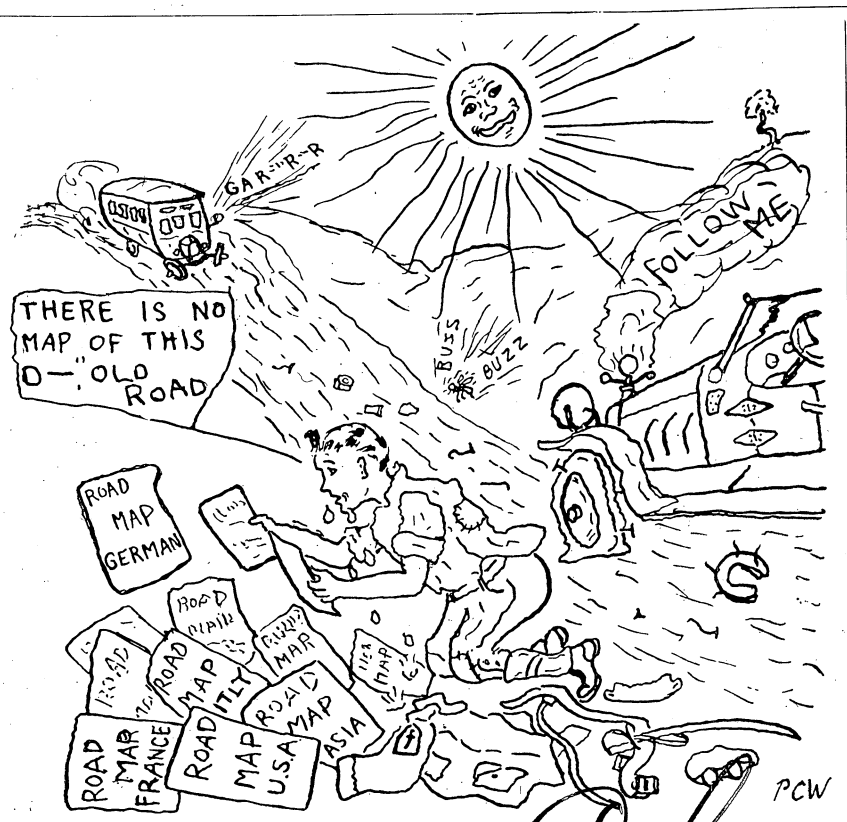
Hebrew—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.), City 1714, Post 74.

### 8th INFANTRY BRIGADE.

General Edwin B. Winans has been put in command of the recently organized Eighth Infantry Brigade (Reenforced) The 8th Brigade is composed of the 8th and 22nd Infantry Regiments, 1st Battalion of 2nd Artillery, Tank Platoon No. 4, 22nd Observation Squadron, 4th Photo Section and Headquarters and Headquarters Company.

General Winans is well known at this Station as he recently completed the Refresher Course at the Infantry School.




### COST OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

**Actual Costs Only 13.5 per cent of the Budget.**

Much has been said about the cost of the upkeep of the National Defense but the following percentages taken from the budget report's chart show the following:

Interest on Public Debt ....25.2 per cent.
Military pensions, retirements, life insurance, etc. .....19.2 per cent.
**National Defense .....13.5 per cent.**
Retirement of the Public Debt ..... 9.1 per cent.

Total .....67.0 per cent.

The first and last items should not properly be considered items for the cost of the Nation's Defense even though causes by the reasons of war still it was not the cause of the National Defense that caused these wars now should item number two be considered as used wholly for the upkeep of the present personnel as most of these expenditures are caused by past wars.

So there it is and regardless of all of the propaganda, about what the National Defenses are costing, the budget chart proves that only 13.5 per cent. of the budget for the fiscal year 1924 is all that is needed from the entire appropriations made by Congress for our Defense.

The per capita cost of the military

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### INFANTRY ASSOCIATION STRONG HERE.

**Every Infantry Officer A Member.**

Fort Benning recently went over the top for the one hundred per cent. mark when every Infantry Officer of the Post joined the U. S. Infantry Association.

There are very few posts if any that can claim such a record.

The Infantry Association has done very valuable work in the past that has been of especial benefit to the Infantry Officers and deserves the support of all Infantry Officers.

When the chief of Infantry, General Farnsworth was here sometime ago he spoke to us on what this Association had accomplished and there is no doubt but what his talk did considerable to make the officers at this Station realize the value of the Association.

### ARMY AIRPLANES MAKE REMARKABLE FLIGHT

**Cover 6,000 Miles.**

When the six airplanes commanded by Captain Lanphier landed at Bolling Field at noon April the 3rd they had completed a six thousand mile flight which started from Kelly Field on March the 3rd. The trip covered all of the Southern States, Cuba, Haiti

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning April 15 and Ending April 21, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, April 15.**

Adam's Rib, 10 reels, All Star. Chicken Dressing, 1 reel, Earl Hurd.

**Monday, April 16.**

Brass Commandments, 6 rreels, Wm. Farnum. Red Hot, 1 reel, Mutt and Jeff. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, April 17.**

Missing Millions, 6 reels, Alice Brady. Afraid of His Wife, 1 reel, Comedy.

**Wednesday, April 18.**

Sin Flood, 6 reels, Special Cast. Any Old Port, 2 reels, Comedy.

**Thursday, April 19.**

Primitive Lover, 5 reels, Constance Talmadge. All Wet, 2 reels, Al St. John. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, April 20.**

Good Men and True, 7 reels, Harry Carey. Roach Comedy, 1 reel. Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday, April 21.**

Kick In, 8 reels, Bert Lytell. Fighting Blood, 2 reels, Witwer Series.

### IV CORPS AREA HEADQUARTERS CHANGED

Headquarters of the Fourth Corps has been changed from Fort McPherson to the Red Rock Building corner of Spring and Cain Streets, Atlanta, Ga.

Radiograms will still be sent to Fort McPherson but all other communications should be sent to Atlanta.

### COULD YOU BLAME HIM.

**The gray squirrel travelled to the Sales Commissary,**
**To see the ladies line up for their groceries necessary.**
**But he left in a hurry—he saw these lady's expression—**
**As a high ranking lady joined the head of the procession.**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### LAST POLO DANCE OF SEASON WEDNESDAY.

The polo tea dances which have proven so popular with the people of Fort Benning and Columbus will reach their finale next Wednesday afternoon when the last of the series of such dances will be given.

The Polo Club House, known as such because the building was constructed by members of the Fort Benning Polo Association, will be the scene of this last dance and the funds derived therefrom will be devoted to the purchase of necessary furnishings for this club building.

The ladies of Fort Benning, under the leadership of Mrs. J. M. Graham, pledged themselves several months ago to the furnishing of the building and the dance next Wednesday afternoon is expected to enable them to accomplish this mission.

The members of the Polo Association are deeply appreciative of the efforts of the Fort Benning ladies in this connection and because of this fact the club building has been made available to all the ladies of the garrison, both on the Post and in Columbus, for the purpose of giving small dances, teas, and similar social affairs.

The committee in charge of reservations advise that the limited dancing space permits of only a limited number of reservations being made. These reservations may be made at the office of the Officer's Club, Fort Benning.

### AT THE COUNTRY CLUB.

Many delightful events took place at the Columbus Country Club during Easter Week which reached a climax last Saturday night when a dinner dance was given and about one hundred and twenty-five persons were present.

Among the Army folks were Major and Mrs. D. G. C. Garrison who entertained informally in honorr of Colonel McNab and Major and Mrs. S. C. Chamberlain.

Covers were placed for eighteen.

Major and Mrs. Sylvester were hosts to a party of thirteen.

At still another table a party of seventeen Fort Benning tennis players and friends were enjoying the evening.

### MRS. HICKOX ENTERTAINS.

On last Friday Mrs. A. A. Hickox entertained at a bridge party.

Pink honeysuckles and dogwood formed attractive decorations.

Mrs. W. Yancey won the high score prize, a boudoir lamp and the second prize a tufted bed spread was won by Mrs. Waddill.

Strawberries, ice cream and cake were served after the game.

### MRS. DRYSDALE AND ORTON ENTERTAIN.

On Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Drysdale, Mrs. Orton and Mrs. Drysdale entertained at a delightful bridge party.

The living room was decorated with dogwood, honeysuckle and jonquils while in the dining room, the table was centered with a large bowl of purple and white iris.

The high score prize, a pair of candlesticks, was won by Mrs. Noble Wiley and the second prize consisting of guest towels was won by Mrs. Hobbs, the third prize was won by Mrs. Hansell and consisted of a wicker basket and Mrs. F. Ross won the fourth prize an ice bag and mallet.

After the play a delightful salad course with tea, coffee and cakes were served.

### FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB.

On Thursday afternoon the Fort Benning Bridge Club held its regular meeting at the Officers' Hop Room.

Mesdames Milburn, Lussier, Martin, Metcalfe and Lester were the charming hostesses.

The first prize, a set of Maderia Napkins, were won by Mrs. Rickart while Mrs. Lukert won the second prize a pair of silk hose. Mrs. Inman cut the consolation.

A frozen salad, coffee and iced tea were served after the game.

### COLUMBUS ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.

On Thursday afternoon the Army Bridge Club of Columbus held their regular meeting at the Muscogee Grill.

Mesdames Longstreth, Ransom and Spann were charming hostesses.

Mrs. Gilbert won the high score prize and the second was won by Mrs. Kiser.

Sandwiches and iced tea were served after the game.

### ARMY RELIEF CABARET DANCE WENT BIG

Biglerville Hall was packed to the doors when the Army Relief gave their annual benefit entertainment on last Friday night.

The Hall was beautifully decorated with dog wood and long leaf pine. Tables were arranged around three sides of the big hall at which the guests were treated to what ever their fancy demanded and to induce the guests to eat young ladies acted as waitresses and it was such a pleasure to have these ladies around that you ordered things to eat just to get a chance to have a word or a look with or at the young ladies.

Mrs. E. G. Peyton who was chairman of the entertainment committee sure arranged an excellent program, which consisted of singing, readings, dancing, etc. At times to vary the program the guests were invited to dance and then at the given signal all visitors would take seats and another number of the program would be given, etc.

Miss Alice Fassett, sister of Colonel Fassett, who has been acting president of the local chapter of the Army Relief during the illness of Mrs. Gordon, wife of General Gordon, and Mrs. Cooper, wife of Major Cooper played the excellent accompainments.

Mrs. John Schoeffel chairman of the refreshment committee was ably assisted by Mrs. James Heidt. If any person left with an empty feeling it certainly was not the fault of these ladies.

Miss Kathleen Graham was head waitress and was assisted by Misses Ruth Schoeffel, Martine Ellis, Constance Hedge, Beatrice Tydings, Arvilla Mechling, Millie Ainsa, Marion Dunkle and Geraldine Ward. These young ladies were most attractive in their black waitress costumes with ruffled caps and aprons.

Mrs. Starr Moulton had a splendid candy booth and was ably assisted by the Junior Girl Scouts of the Post. Generous contributions of candy were made by Wheat's Drug Store, City Drug Store, Joy Candy Shop and Silver's, and ladies of the Post.

A large number of beautiful cakes and other delicious edibles were contributed by the wives of the Army officers and a prize offered for the best cake was won by Mrs. Starr Moulton, who immediately endorsed the check back to the Army Relief.

The judges, (who had to taste every cake), were General Walter H. Gordon, General Malvern Hill Bynum, General Irwin and Mrs. Clifton Butler.

Chances were taken on many of the other cakes, by a charming group of young girls headed by Miss Susan

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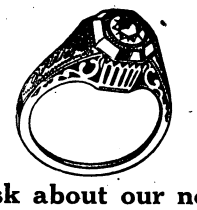

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Hansell. The other girls were Misses Mamie Graham, Charlotte Peyton, Marguerite Williams, Emily Brown, Katherine Hobbs and Helen Hendrickson.

The 29th Infantry furnished the dance music and the enjoyable affair, which began at nine o'clock, was concluded at midnight, a goodly sum having been realized.

The number on the program, which perhaps made the biggest hit, was a monologue by Capt. Arthur Pickens, who, with an absurd monograph map of the Chattahoochee, described a battle, the terrain lying near Columbus, with Girard represented by a bottle, as a base of supplies. The old steamer Callahan, which was to have brought reinforcements up the river was shown sinking to her doom, and other local references were equally ludicrous and greatly enjoyed by the crowd.

The whole of the evening's program, interspersed with dancing, was very excellent and Mrs. Peyton is to be congratulated on having arranged for it.

Other numbers were as follows:

1. Chorus—Musical Club, under the direction of Mrs. W. G. Hannah.
2. Impersonation—Mrs. John A. Stewart.
3. Solo—Lieut. Custer.
4. Dance—Mrs. B. A .Byrne.
5. Reading—Mrs. Custer.
6. Jiu-Jitsu Demonstration—Capt. Strain and Lieut. Smith.
7. Solo—Miss Cleveland.
8. Novelty Chorus—Mrs. Metcalfe, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Ketchum, Mrs. Foley, Mrs. Pomerene, Mrs. Finley.
9. Recitation—Mrs. E. G. Peyton.
10. Solo—Lieut. Brewster.
11. Dance—Mrs. Lampert.
12. Monologue—Capt. Pickens.
13. Solo—Mrs. Duvall.
14. Tango—Miss Agnes Harrison and Lieut. Douglas.

### CHAPEL GUILD.

Until further notice the meetings of the Chapel Guild will be held the first Monday of each Month at 10:30 A. M. at the Protestant Chapel.

The next meeting will be held on May 7th.

### MRS. R. JENKINS HONORED.

In honor of Mrs. Reuben E. Jenkins, a charming recent bride, Mrs. Kenneth Olsen gave a miscellaneous shower and bridge at her home on Thursday afternoon, April 5th.

Spring flowers made an attractive setting for the young matrons and maids who assembled, bearing lovely gifts. Mrs. Olsen presented Mrs. Jenkins, and Miss Lula Hill, a set of three embroidered tea towels.

A game of bridge was enjoyed, and Mrs. Burroughs Stephens won the top-score prize, a pair of earrings.

At the conclusion of the afternoon's entertainment, a tempting salad course was served.

This party was to have been given several weeks ago, prior to the marriage of Miss Hill to Lieut. Jenkins but was postponed at that time on account of the illness of the bride with influenza.

### CAPT. BETTS DOING NICELY.

The friends of Captain Betts who was seriously injured at Polo two weeks ago will be glad to know that he is improving rapidly.

### MISS SNODGRASS HONORED.

Captain and Mrs. Dana Allen entertained delightfully over the week end at their home outside of Wynnton in honor of their house guest, Miss Joyce Snodgrass, sister of Lieut. Snodgrass of the Post. A delightful supper was served followed by a dance at the Country Club.

### MAJOR AND MRS. TOBIAS ENTERTAIN.

On Thursday evening, April 5th Major and Mrs. Robt. Tobias entertained at six tables of bridge at their home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rainey parents of Mrs. T. L. Smith.

Mrs. Peyton won the ladies high score prize, a novelty hat pin. Major Smith won the men's high score prize two silk handkerchiefs. The guests of honor received guest prizes, Mrs. Rainey an artistic powder puff and Mr. Rainey, two silk handkerchiefs.

After the game excellent refreshments consisting of ice cream in meringue holders with cake and coffee were served.

### MISS MECHLING COMPLIMENTS MISS DUNKLE.

On Thursday, April the fifth Miss Arvilla Mechling entertained at dinner in honor of Miss Marion Dunkle, niece of Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey.

The table decorations consisted of red candles in silver holders and white lilies were artistically arranged about the table and quarters.

Covers were laid for ten.

### MRS. DELAPLANE ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE LUNCHEON.

At 10 o'clock on last Tuesday afternoon 1 P. M. Mrs. Channing Delaplane gave a delightful bridge luncheon at her home in Columbus.

The artistic decorations carried out the color scheme of yellow and lavender with potted plants, apple blossems and dogwood intermingling.

There were six tables of players present.

Mrs. O. N. Thompson won the high score prize and Mrs. Chas. Mason the second prize. Mrs. Mac Lough drew the consolation.

### 29th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. F. A. McKoon entertained the 29th Infantry Bridge Club at five tables of bridge.

Mrs. Scales won the high score prize a pair of silk hose while Mrs. Stevens won a beautiful corsage as the second prize.

Delightful refreshments consisting of chicken salad, bran muffins, olives, pickles, wafers and tea were served.

### DR. AND MRS. BROWNELL VISITING HERE.

Dr. and Mrs. Brownell of New York are visiting their son Major G. S. Brownell and their daughter-in-law Mrs. G. S. Brownell.

### MRS. L. S. ARNOLD ENTERTAINS.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. L. S. Arnold entertained at three tables of bridge.

Her quarters were beautifully decorated with spring flowers for the occasion.

Mrs. R. T. Arnest won the first prize and Mrs. W. R. Tomey won the second prize. Mrs. James A. Murphey received a delightful guest prize.

Delightful refreshments of ice cream and cake were served after the game.

### CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Currents Events Club will be held next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Reeve Turner.

Mrs. Guth, Mrs. Peach, and Mrs. Dibrell will have charge of the program.

### LIEUT. AND MRS. DIBRELL HAVE A PARTY.

On Monday evening Lieutenant and Mrs. Dibrell entertained at three tables of bridge in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rainey, parents of Mrs. T. L. Smith.

Mrs. Peach won the high score prize and Mrs. Rainey was presented with a guest prize.

Delicious refreshments were served after the playing.

### GIVE PARTY AT THE COUNTRY CLUB.

Mrs. Thomas R. Gibson and Mrs. Edwin L. Lummis entertained at a very delightful bridge party of nine tables at the Country Club, on last Tuesday afternoon.

The Club was delightfully decorated with spring flowers for the occasion.

The first prize a silver berry spoon was won by Mrs. John R. Fountain and the second prize a silver butter spoon by Mrs. Ed. Lummus while Mrs. Paul G. Paschal won the third prize a pair of silver sugar tongs.

Excellent refreshments consisting of a frozen salad, sherbert, cake and coffee were served.

### COLONEL GEORGE H. JAMERSON HERE.

The War Department Inspector Col. George H. Jamreson, I. G. D. arrived here last Friday, April 6th and is the guest of General W. H. Gordon.

### MISS DUNKLE LEAVING.

Miss Marion Dunkle who has been the charming house guest of Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey for sometime will leave on April the 15th for Washington Barracks where she will visit her aunt Mrs. Kitts widow of Lieut. Colonel W. P. Kitts.

### HAVE GONE TO MEMPHIS.

Mrs. John R. Dinsmore and daughter Miss Mary have gone to Memphis for a month's visit with relatives.

### VISITED HER BROTHER.

Miss Joyce Snodgrass visited her brother Lieutenant Snodgrass over the last week end.

### MRS. SAWKINS IMPROVING.

The friends of Mrs. A. E. Sawkins wife of Major Sawkins, who has been very ill at the Post Hospital and who underwent an operation on Thursday, April 5th will be glad to know that she is doing very nicely.

### MISS ROBINSON LEAVING.

Miss Julia Robinson of Macon who has been the guest of Miss Kent will return to her home on April the 14th.

### WOMEN'S READING CLUB.

The Columbus Women's Reading Club will give a benefit bridge and tea at 3:30 P. M. on Wednesday, April 18th at the Country Club.

A cordial invitation to attend is extended to the Officers and the ladies at Fort Benning.

Those who desire to make reservations may do so by calling Mrs. Gordon, Phone 272, City or Mrs. McNulty Phone 3358 City or Mrs. Buttolph, Phone 1249 City.

Reservations are $2.00.

By calling Mrs. Slade the Secretary of the local Columbus Chapter further information may be obtained.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

The dance that will be given by the Officers Club on Friday, April 20th will be held at the New Post Gym.


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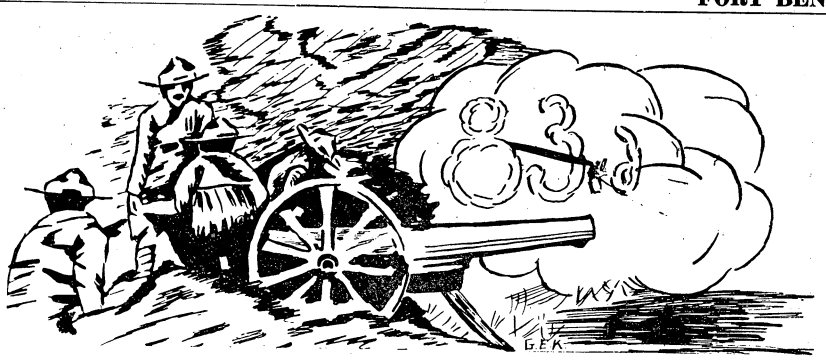

**Battery C.**

Cpl. Rollins and Pvt. Olson who have been in the hospital have returned to duty.

Sgt. Workman spent the week-end visiting friends in Atlanta and enjoyed himself greatly.

What does a girl generaly do when she buys her wedding dress and then doesn't need it? Anyone wishing any information about the above subject consult Pvt. Morris J. as we are sure he can give the correct answer.

**What Everybody Wants to Know.**

Why the noncom's squadroom door is always locked?

Where Pippin G. goes everynight after supper?

Why the cooks don't get two new alarm clocks?

## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Regimental Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Co.**

Just think the Annual Inspection is over, and we know we did well.

Dame fortune intervened, and the Co. baseball team went down in defeat before the roaring "E" Co. Team. Guess Sergt. Oudett (Burt) has been throwing too many rocks at the cats in the Wilds of the Ft. Benning reservation, "Don't worry Burt we will win lots yet."

Corporal Lawrence Mitzen, and Private 1st Class Willia mHarrison, have returned from Camp Alfred Vail, Va. from the Signal Corps school. (Wire communications where Second and Third Honors were given them for their splendid course) work. The entire company extends it's heartiest congratulations.

Sergeant Harry C. Dillard is about to leave us on an unlimited leave of absence, (in other words discharged), the rumor is he intends to work in the fair city of Columbus. Best wishes Harry and don't forget its only 9 miles from your destination to the best Company in the Regiment.

Sergeants Deavers and Herb, are still looking for the "Cat's Meow."

The Company has another "Old Timer" added to it, and he is a very small man too. (Don't worry Jimmie you are in a good Outfit).

Regimental Headquarters Company extends its best wishes to Master Sergeant David Nadeau, our former 1st Sergt. who is Retiring some time this week.

**Service Company**

The first group finished range practice for record with gratifying results. Fifteen expert riflemen, thirty sharpshooters and about twenty marksmen. We also hold the high score of the Regiment. Sergeant Duncan made a total of 316 points. The clerks in the Regimental Headquarters also showed up well, Master Sergeant Still and Sergeant Shewfelt making Expert Riflemen and Pvts. Freeman and Regoski qualified as marksmen. Watch the News for a real thriller when the results of the record practice of Sergeants Fink and Green are made known through these kolyums. Neither having qualified before in their life.

The Service Company won another ball game Sunday from 1st Bn. Hq. Co. via the forfeit route. Our percentage is still 1000. We might add that we consider ourselves lucky in this deal, for had 1st Bn. Hq. Co. showed up on the field, we would have had five substitutes for as many members of the regular players, who were on pass.

In view of the fact that a large number of enlisted men in the Service Co. own automobiles and many more would buy cars if storage facilities were available, we suggest that a shed, with separate stalls be built by the Service Co. west of Edwards St. Such a structure would be appreciated by the enlisted men of the Company. As it is now, it is the same old "you can't park here," "you can't park there."

First Lieut. H. H. Harris also fired the course and qualified as Expert Rifleman.

**1st Battalion Hdqrrs. Co.**

We are making son.e very good scores on the range and expect to qualify quite a number of experts and sharpshooters. Pvt. Ramsay made the highest score of the company firing preliminary.

Corporal Sexton returned to the Co. Monday, after doing some good recruiting work during last month. His score last month was six recruits, and he is to go out again in a few days. Good work Corporal, keep it up.

**Company "A"**

Due to the fact that the Company is on the range and the reporter is the only one left in from said range, we beg to be excused from a lengthy spiel this time, but wish to report Company "A" present or accounted for.

**Company "B"**

Short, I was given to understand that you are a lady killer, not the kind that wins them with a beautiful smile and an oily tongue, but by the old Cave-Man style.

Your attention for the time being is directed to Pvt. Shroyer, as he has requested to give him a write up in the News about himself. Well Shroyer, they may let a little news thru but if it was your picture, before I made the undertaking I would want to double my insurance.

There is a fine chance for all the men firing on the range to qualify this year and there seems to be quite a bit of rivalry between the men (Sgt. Mintz your cigars sure do smoke fine.)

**Company "C"**

Pvts. Milner and Kage are back for duty again after what they thought would be a vacation in the wire City.

Corpl. Rankin is back from Recruiting service and has 13 recruits to boast of, bring them in Corporal "C" Co. will give them a good time and plenty of work.

Several men deposited money with the Quartermaster this pay day, Sergt. Keasak for one made a good start on his re-enlistment with a deposit of $165.00.

4 men in this Company who passed the Red Cross life saving test last year have just been notified, Corpls. Whitmore, Rankin. Pvts. Beard and Morgan. It believed that Corpl. Whitmore's looks will cause more people to sink than his efforts will save.

**Company "D"**

Private Stotts' Garage?

It looked like anything but a garage in fact if it hadn't been for a few pine slabs it might of dated its birth from the middle ages, such was the orde rof the materials and the sequence of construction when the writer saw it. If it really is a garage it is certainly in an embryonic stage for only the architect could imagine it as such a thing. We have heard of men bringing order out of chaos but the builders of this structure must perform wonders and their names should go down in history as the greatest men of all times.

If the poet should see it he would certainly say "Destruction here is thy masterpiece."

But if we look into the matter more closely we find that more heads than one are in consultation over the construction of this great building so if there is anything in the adage "in a multitude of counsel there is safety" this project may be a success after all. A glance at the names of these men changes our opinion completely all doubt is removed and in its place is absolute certainty. Here are the names of the men; names that are familiar to all as outstanding in their respective professions:

Private Harvey E. Stotts, B. S. (Barber Shop '21) Chief Architect. Sgt. Terry, C. & B. S. (Cooks and Bakers School '22) Assistant Architect. Cpl. Harry L. Groves, M. C. C. (Master Co. Clerk) Consultation Eng. Pvt. James T. Roberts, M. S. (Master Slunburner '22) Asst. Const. Eng. Pvt. Donald G. Trecartin, M. A. (Master of Animals '22) Transportation and Mechanical Eng. Corpl. Irwin Goldfeder, M. A. M. S. (Maker of Alibis '22) Master of Salvage '23) Consulting Eng. Pvt. John Cybulski. B. S. (Bread Sergt. '23) Consulting Eng.

**Hdqrs. Co., 2nd Battalion**

We missed last week, for the first time, and the last time. It really could not be avoided as the reporter was engaged in a crusade in search of the key to the parade ground. Have some more reasons, in case this sounds fishy.

Here is something that ought to sound fishy, coming as it does, from Private Throgmorton.

A party of fishermen from this Company caught forteen whales, last Sunday about so long. It was their intention to bring same in to place on exhibition on the pool table. They started back, Pvt. Mitchell toting the fourteen whales (?). But the fish had other business to attend to, and one by one dropped off the string, so that by the time our sportsmen reached home, the existence of the record catch was more in the imagination than actual possession.

Corporal Davis has been appointed Sergeant.

**Company "H"**

Our Company passed the General Inspection Monday in tip top condition. We stood well up on the list.

Parris is playing excellent baseball on the Infantry Team. He is batting 500 per cent. in the last two games and his fielding is first class.

Cpls. Joyce, McGee and Joyce have been appointed Sergeants, and Pvt. Lunz has been appointed Corporal.

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## Quartermaster Detachment Notes

Well folks, here we are again, with the spice of the week's doings in and around the Detachment. One more of our men took a vacation this week. His address will be care Hotel DeBack, Thirty-Strand Ave., Walled City.

Since the fall of our Non-coms, they have our sympathy. We know it will be hard for them to take care of their families on their new pay.

Pvt. Bracye, had a new Ford out last Saturday and he was heard to say: "I wonder how I am going to get it in my room where the I. G. will not see it."—Simple enough. Remove the tires and crank, slip it in the ash can by the Kitchen, and watch the I. G. smile as he sees the Corn Willie the G. M. eats.

Pat to 1st Sgt.: Give me a pass for the show.

First Sergeant: We have no passes for the show, you will have to see Toby.

There is a certain fellow in this Outfit who goes to every dance, but we never see him on the floor. Wonder what he goes for? One man says to show his nice Pompadour, another says he goes to teach the girls the correct way to eat Ice Cream—but I am in doubt.

We have a fur lined Pool Cue for the one that solves this one:

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Bounded on the south,
By No Man's Land.
Bounded on the west,
By Georgia.
Bounded on the east,
By the Chatta(hooch)ee River.
If you can guess the Combination,
You may keep it.

## Bakers and Cooks School

It is with extreme regret that we announce the completion of the course for Mess Officers on April 15th, as we lose Captain Bazire and Lieutenant Paterson.

In accordance with our announcement last week that we would introduce by way of discussion of their merits, each member of our distinguished detachment, we will call attention to the bread proposition. Since prohibition, bread is generally conceded to be the staff of life, which calls to our mind, Sergeant Weisenberger, our Post Baker, who turns out bread of most excellent quality. There is not another bakery in the Post that can favorably compare their bread to his.

Sergeant Weisenberger will in all probability soon be called upon to demonstrate to a great staff of prominent scientists the feasibility of a plan he has eveloped during his twenty years experience as a baker.

Briefly stated, the idea became planted and matured in the fertile soil of his brain through a very simple happening. One day, while making some sort of a test in an old beer bottle, he imprisoned some millions of yeast germs therein with malt as a yeast food. Shortly thereafter, to his great consternation the bottle exploded with great concussion, rocking the bakery to it's foundations (they are still busy repairing it.) The explosion made such a terrific noise that it was almost impossible to hear Sergt. Montague talking in the next office.

The thought flashed through his brain, "why let such power be expended uselessly? Why not imprison this force and let it work for me?"

The areation in bread, resulting in the cellular tissue apparent in the baked loaf is caused by the action of the tiny living plant life, generally called bacteria this particular species being called "yeast plant," which in the space of pin 'shead of profiting dough, are millions of these plants feeding on the malt and glucose in the dough, reproducing rapidly and emanting a carbonic gas, which being susceptile to heat, expands and rises causing tiny cells in the dough.

He has therefore perfected a cold motor operated solely by the pressure of carbonic gas on the cylinders, holding the gas in check much like steam is held in high pressure in the locomotive, regulating the reproduction of bacteria by fresh air valves, malt and sugar. To this motor he has attached the dough mixer, automatic moulders, a dynmo for the electric lights, attachments for the motor which will sweep the floors, scrub, fire the ovens, issue the bread keeping tally thereof, peel the bread from the ovens when baked, etc. Through his innovation, he has eliminated the necessity of having more than one man to operate the bakery, therefore through this achievement Sergeant Weisenberger is introduced to the public.

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**APRIL 14, 1923.**


## OUR POST THEATRE.

How would you theatre goers like to have a Post Theatre so that you wouldn't have to wear a raincoat in the building, when it rains to keep dry or an overcoat to keep warm? Also how many of you hesitate to go to the present Post Theatre when the wind is blowing for fear that the wind will blow the building down?

The motion pictures that are being shown at the present time are as good as those that you will find in the leading theatres in the large cities but the present building is deplorable.

A generation or two ago the present Post Theatre was a good building along its line for it was built for a cow-shed and it was never intended for a theatre. But even under the present *rotten* conditions for showing pictures this Post sent the United States Motion Pictures Service over $23,000.00 for the year 1922 and the nightly attendance was around five hundred for the yearly average. At the present time and for sometime in the past our attendance has been hugging close to eight hundred persons per night, and to date this Post has sent the above army activity over $9,600.00 already for the year of 1923.

It is now rumored that maybe a new roof will be put on the present Post Theatre. Well you have got to have foundation and side walls to hold a roof up in the air so why waste this thousand dollars that it would probably cost to reproof the present shed. Also will a new roof keep out the cold? or wind?

Now we have a new temporary theatre started why not take the above thousand dollars, add a few more thousand to it and complete the present building for all that it needs is to be covered, and a floor put in and the building could then be so fixed up that it would be possible to show pictures in it.

As a further suggestion why not build a permanent theatre here. The U. S. Army Motion Picture Service constructed a large theatre in nearly all of the camps during the War and it was a gamble if these buildings would ever pay for themselves. Now Benning is a permanent Post and so far the Picture Service has only expended sufficient funds to install a few motion picture machines and these have paid for themselves several times over. Why shouldn't it be reasonable to expect that since this Post has proven itself capable of maintaining a good nightly attendance that the Picture Service should construct a respectable theatre at this Station?

A new permanent theatre would only cost about $50,000.00 and the net profits even on last year's average attendance would pay for it in two years and with the present nightly attendance a little over a year will pay for it.

If a presentable building would be provided and placed nearer the center of activity its a dead cinch that our nightly attendance would jump upward and an attendance of 1500 persons a night could reasonably be expected. Also if a decent place is provided the people living at the Post would rather go to the Post Theatre than go to Columbus, nine miles away to see an inferior picture. Also the present shed dignified by the title of Post Theatre is too far from the center of activity to induce people to come.

Why can't the Motion Picture Service see fit to give us a decent theatre?

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The Columbus Edition of The Industrial Index is a credit to the Editor, the City of Columbus, the printer, and the Southland.

A perusal of the new industrial activities going on indicate that this section of the country has entirely recovered from the period of depression common to the entire country for the past two years.

Of particular interest to the military personnel is the matter relating to Fort Benning and the Infantry School. Conditions on the reservation are graphically portrayed. It would be well worth the small expense involved for every member of the garrison to send a copy of the Index to his friends expecting to come to Benning next year and also to put a copy in the hands of his congressman as propaganda influencing appropriation legislation at the next Congress.

This number of the Index is profusely illustrated and the cuts show up well. Especially does the picture of the new theater at Fort Benning bring out in detailed clearness the ventilating system of this building.

Here's congratulations to the staff of the Index including the printer's "devil."

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## CAST YOUR BALLOT

If any more Officers intend to cast their ballot for or against a change of the uniform it is requested that you do so immediately. Cast your ballot don't wait to let the other fellow do it, for he may have different ideas that wouldn't please you and if he wins, you will "holler" that the organized minority always win. Cast your own ballot.

## Kajolery Kolyum

This KOLYUM belongs to the members of the military establishment who seldom have anything given them except—well, practically nothing. If you have something to sell or want to buy something use this Kolyum. Some of the things in it may be serious. A great many will be damphoolosh. Use your own judgment and let your conscience be your guide.

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FOR SALE—Essex Roadster, Cheap. This ad was run last week but nobody answered. Good qualities of this car not realized. Has three good tires. Motor runs frequently. Good mileage (three cylinders use less gas than four) Springs good—off Fort Benning Road. Horn in first class condition. Car well trained and can be driven with one hand. Phone 77, Post.

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SOLD OUT—The book department of the News has sold out all vest pocket editions of "How to be Made a Mess Sergeant." A new edition will be made available as soon as completed by printers. Now on the press.

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WANTED—Revised copy of Major Sweatshop's "Horsemastership." Phone Artilleryman, 164 Post.

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CLERK WANTED—There is an opening for a bright energetic young soldier in the office of the Post A & R Officer. Work hard and hours long. Should present neat appearance be honest and accurate. Many have been called but few chosen. For further information consult your company commander or first sergeant. Also see A & R Officer.

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DESIRED—Some man with the nerve to take a chance on getting beaverboard out of the Futilities Officer. Ambulances and Medical aid furnished.

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WANTED—Information as to how to rid my quarters in block 23 of water bugs. I have tried all kinds of insect powders without results. Annoyed.

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Dear Annoyed—The following method of water bug extermination is absolutely guaranteed to give desired results. No poisons, drugs, etc., necessary. Secure two blocks of solid wood about 4"x4" and place one in sink near drain pipe. Place the other, right side up, about 12 in. to the right of and on prolongation or the line drain pipe and block number one. Without exerting under pressure, grasp one of the annoying bugs between the thumb and fore finger of the left hand and carefully place him in the center of the wood block near pipe. Next, take black number two in the right hand, wrist straight and elbow down. Bring block number one down upon block number two with sufficient force to crush the insect, being carfeul to keep edge of blocks flush with each other. Repeat until bug has been completely annihilated. The Editor.

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FOR SALE—27 White Leghorn Hens and Three Roosters, $60.00. Reason for selling, no room for chickens and peasants. See Master Sergt. Silas C. Grenstead, Quarters 18-23.


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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter VII. Part 1.

That Which Dealeth With The Recruit Instructor.

The Instructor looketh at the men just joined and calleth out loudly "Fall In." Not a man moveth but all looketh at the instructor as if he were weak of mind.

The instructor then explaineth just what he meaneth and the recruits maketh a neat circle about him for they understand not what a straight line meaneth, as yet.

But after much mighty persuasion he maketh all understand what is desired and the recruits conform after a fashion—for they know no better.

The instructor then explaineth the well known position of attention and demonstrateth the same. But when he asketh the recruits to do likewise, it giveth a sight sufficient to make an image of Saton smile.

Some men putteth not their heels together because of much inward bending of the knees, others maketh not their legs straight, because the knees bendeth to much outward.

Still other pusheth the belly well forward and thereby thinketh that they archeth the chest, and pulleth the shoulders well backward but pusheth the head forward like unto a question mark, but after much persuasion and mighty talk the instructor convinceth all that he is right and they are wrong.

The instructor then undertaketh to teach these embyro soldiers right from left, but alas, when he commandeth right face or left face there always be many who meet face to face.

When he teacheth them the "about face" the eye easily distinguisheth the man who hath tripped the light toe over the dance floor for he tangleth and untangleth his feet and legs gracefully. But he who hath not practiced the gentle art of dancing maketh himself into such a knot so that he turneth not at all.

When he commandeth "forward march," it giveth a sight to behold, some walketh as if the ground be exceedingly soft or as if each hath a spring in each of his heels for with each forward step each one bendeth the knee forward mightly, others keepeth the knee crooked all of the while, some take a very long step and other a very short step and each believeth that he doth exactly right.

But the instructor halteth them and collecteth them all together again and giveth right dress and lo and behold every eye taketh its position on the line, but the feet are in various and divers places and positions, but usually some distance behind the line so that the recruit leaneth forward and placeth his eye on the line much like unto a goose that looketh cautiously around a corner but exposeth not the rest of his body. Others getteth far ahead of the line, but he to placeth his eye on the line but to do so he leaneth backward so that he looketh like unto a person who hath been running rapidly and desireth to stop suddenly, for his head stoppeth but his feet keep in motion.

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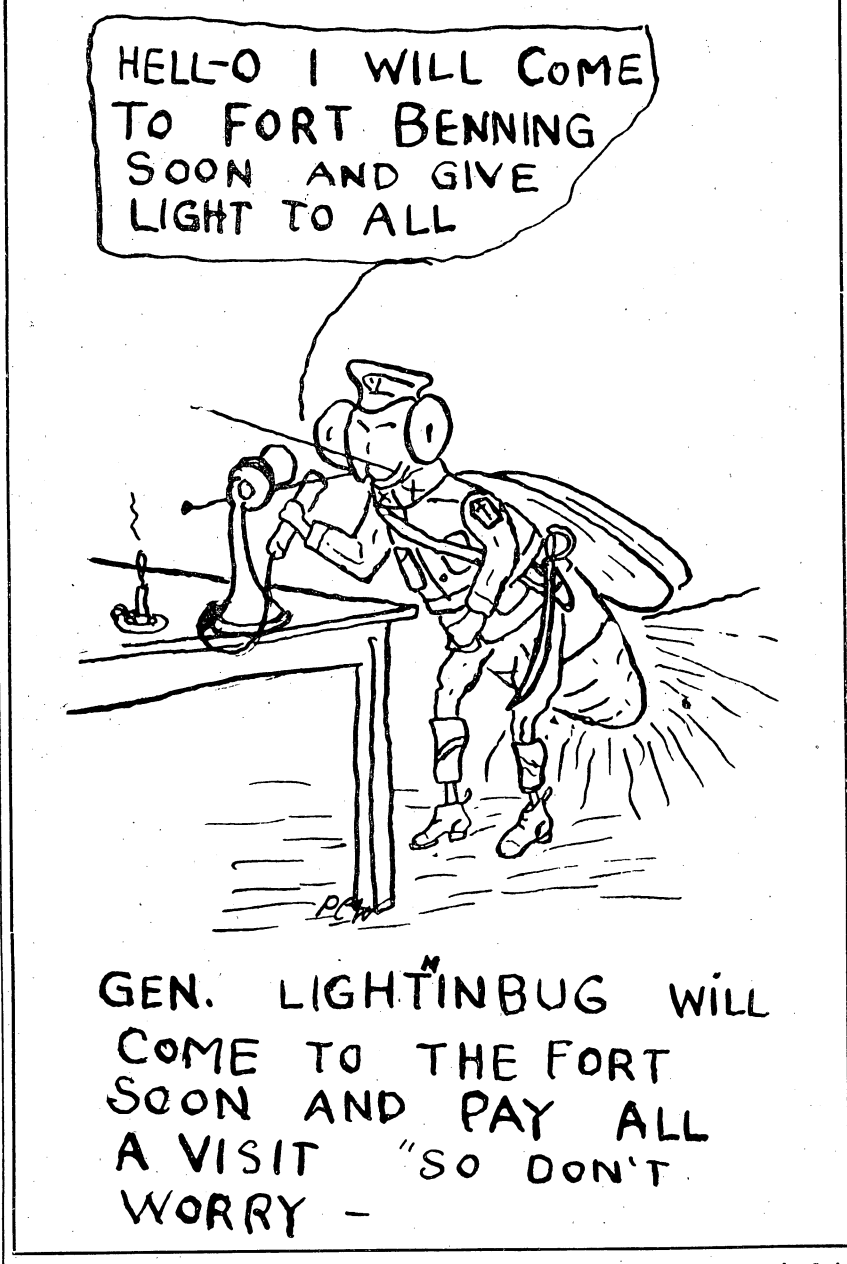


### MINUTES OF THE POST EXCHANGE COUNCIL MEETING

The meeting, having been called to order by the presiding officer, was formally opened with silent prayer by the junior member. The choir then sang Hymn No. R-6, 334,582: "The Great White Father in Washington Moves in a Mysterious Way His Blunders to Perform."

The minutes of the last meeting were then burned by acclamation. Under the heading of new business, it was moved and seconded that the meeting adjourn. Vetoed.

Moved and seconded that all receipts, rentals and fixtures east of a given line drown from a point north of the locus of the flagpole be divided equally into thre parts, one half to be devoted to the upkeep of the regimental rum shop, First Red Infantry, and the remaining three fourths to provide a sinking fund for sudden and unexpected calls from the Comptroller of the Treasury.

Captain Dumbgard arose to a point of order, and demanded the definition of a locus. The chairman, who was under the impression that a locus was a night-blooming bird of a species which infests trees, ignored the interruption with the contempt it deserved. The motion was carried, and Lieut. Ducrot, J. A. G., was appointed by the chair, to draw up the necessary papers. It was pointed out by Major Plumbob, C. E., that assistance of a technical nature might be required in their preparation, inasmuch as the last annual crop report for this region showed an average precipitation of 3.2 inches, and it followed that the mean deviation of the flagpole would, be hazarded, be in the neighborhood of two, or perhaps three, microfarads, which would tend to throw out the appointment of territory for the appropriation as much as three, or at most, not more than five, parsasangs, on the Camp Futilities Map.

Exception was taken to this statement while the speaker was citing some figures from the Police Gazette in support of his contention, by Major Reekal, the police officer, who called the attention of the meeting to the fact that Major Plumbob was quoting from a periodical dated June, 1890, and he, Major Reekal, claimed that the figures had since been materially altered, whether due to windage, drift, or a Republican administration, he was not prepared to state.

Prolonged snores greeted this statement, and the speaker sat down amidst deafening silence.

The Exchange Officer then asked and received permission to do business for another month, and the meeting adjourned.

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Mr. Goldberg, his wife and small son, Moses, found it necessary to wade across a creek. Papa Goldberg carried some of the family belongings. When they got half-way across, Papa Goldberg looked for Moses but not seeing any head above the water, said, "Becky, where is Mose?" "Oh, he's all right, I got 'im by de hand," she replied as she paraded across the creek.

## The Jist of Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### BAREBACK RIDERS.

Four children were riding an old horse, and at the end of their joy ride, the youngest came scampering in to tell the mother. "We were all riding the horse." The mother said: "You did not ride him bareback, did you?" To which she replied. "Mamma, he wasn't bareback wif all us kins on him, was he?"

### BRINGING UP MOTHER.

A lady visitor once observed a small son picking out the kernels from nuts for his mother. She asked him: "Why don't you let her pick them out for herself?" The little Chesterfield replied: "Why 'cause we never raised her that way."

### HOW FAST IS ALACRITY?

Valerie, aged 6, was seated on the lawn beside her auntie. The child asked: "If a bee came close to you what would you do?" The aunt replied: "I'd move with alacrity." Valerie queried: "Can't a bee move faster than that."

### PROMPT OBEDIENCE.

When Valerie was five years of age, she was playing marbles on the counterpane on her bed. Her mother told her to do something and she did not budge. Later her mother told her again and said: "Baby you must learn prompt obedience." She seemed to pay no attention, but when mamma's next orders came, she hopped down and did as bidden hastily. Then she asked: "Mamma did I prompt obedience that time?"

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Evelyn wanted some cumquat marmalade, which was a new dessert to her. She forgot the name but remembered it sounded like a game she played called "Gimme, gimme squat." Marmalade was too big for her to manage so she asked for some of that "Gimme squat jelly."

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Evelyn was watching the building of a birdhouse and noticing the little windows had no curtains to them such as she had in her own room, she asked: "Had you not better put something up to the windows? The birds will want some privacy, won't they?"

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William's mamma was reading a book about the Brownies visiting the differrent countries in the world and left off reading for a time when the Brownies had reached Turkey. Later when she took up the story again she asked: "William, where did I leave off?" He puckered up his little brow a moment, then gleefully replied, "Brownies in Duck."

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Edward was leaning down in the aisle in school and his teacher asked him what he was doing. He said: "Nothing." She said: "What are you leaning down in the aisle that way for?" Again he said: "Nothing." Then she said: "Are you tying your shoe?" He said: "No mam, I'm tying my string."

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Ikey came near being drowned one afternoon but a young companion saved his life and took him home. After Mrs. Goldstein saw her boy was all right, she came over to the other boy, she said, "Is you de *boy what saved* my Ikey from drownin'?" "Yes," modestly answered the youthful hero. "Well, said Mrs. Goldstein, "What did you do wid his hat?"

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# School Division

## "AT EASE"

**(By Ge Allevir)**

Whales are said to live to be 400 years old. But who wants to be a whale?

This is a very good old world,
We really like it fine;
'Tis better to wear a sunny smile
Than sit around and whine.

The latest Ford joke: Henry for President.

Contraposition: Golfer perspires; sawyer sweats.

**The Height of Precaution.**

A parcel mailed at a certain Georgia postoffice the other day was marked, "This side up."

The month of April we've ushered in
Along with its balmy showers;
The gentle dandelion will soon appear
'Mongst the Nation's popular flower.

The acreage reformer is about as impulsive as a gas leak with a lighted match attached.

A woman can take the shine off of her nose with talcum, but the only thing that will take the shine off of a pair of trousers is a new pair.

The shape of a fellow's head is not essential, it is the shape of his finances that gets him a-head.

A fellow works to win a woman's hand, but her tongue comes free.

Our idea of zero-usefulness——the duration dancing championship.

There are some things that can't be bought with money, but people don't appreciate them very much.

The latest evidence of civilization in Japan is the death of a prince in an automobile accident.

Europeans are said not to be as bluff and hearty as Americans, but they are just as good at a hearty bluff.

A sure way of becoming satisfied with your lot in life is to keep the back part of it cleared of rubbish.

The editor of a large metropolitan daily says, When we become fully civilized we will spend a little more money to build roads instead of spending so much to 'improve' them.

Have you heard this one: "Here, waitress, This doughnut has a tack in it."

"Well, I declare! I'll bet the ambitious little thing thinks it is a flivver tire."

Sgt. Oleboi says: Beauty doctors have a lot of patients where there is no chance for a cure. A liar usually has *poor material* to work with.

**Company "C" Company Commanders Course.**

As explained by Capt. Pope a "TERRAIN EXERCISE" is a terrible lot of exertion (or exercise) put on paper and turned in to the instructor, to be all littered up with them red and blue pencil marks. It don't make no difference whether the terrain is all wet and et cetera, you must take your exercise anyhow.

This above explanation may not be absolutely clear to every one, so am going to give you a example of one where a squad is a point in a forward guard during a fight:

SITUATION 1:

We is broke (nothing out of the ordinary) through following a Major General Attack and our squad is a pint way up front, there is also another gang of soldiers following us, along this rode. You is the Corporal of our squad. (This situation painted by Von Lud. himself)

REQUIREMENT:

What formation is our squad in.

Captain Stewart's solution: Oh! I'de through out a couple of flankers and beat it right on down the road. (Cut No. 1.)

Captain Wheeler's solution: I would take a chaw of backer and think it over. (Cut No. 2.)

Captain O'Day's solution: You said they wus going down the rode. If that be the case I would let them go until I got fatigued. (Cut No. 3.)

Note: Due to the lack of time I will not be able to give any more solutions to this first requirement.

SITUATION 11.

At this point you see four of the enemy coming out of those woods in a patrol formation. (NOTE—the woods are about 200 yards away) Apparently they have not seen you.

REQUIREMENT: What do you as squad leader do?

Captain Patrick's solution: I don't know unless you was mistaken when you said "patrol formation" and meant "Patrol wagon." (Cut No. 4.)

Captain Rodgers: Fourth squad FALL IN. (Cut No. 5.)

Captain Speer: I would let the blind devils go, they will fall in a lake if it keeps raining and drown themselves. (Cut No. 6.)

Captain Ostrander's Solution: I would shoot and talk later. A dead enemy cannot carry tails. (Cut No. 7.)

CUTS commonly called COMMENTS

1. Flankers shouldn't be thrown out you might break your arm in doing so.
2. You already had a chew. Even a horse would choke on a bale of hay.
3. We hoped to go farther than that.
4. All patroles are not wagons Pat.
5. The command should have been LINE UP. References Department of Military Art, 1st Section, Drill and Command Vol. X Page 676.
6. No, they should have been reported for wearing raincoats when overcoats were ordered.
7. Your answer is very good, provided you have a hunting permit.

The little boys played in the sand last Monday.

Walker with a seven in the hole. "What's your limit."

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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Miss Maude Bowman, Army Nurse Corps, has entered the race competing for one of the automobiles awarded for the highest number of votes received. All persons subscribing for the Ledger, please cut out and mail the coupon in her name direct to Ledger Office or mail to Station Hospital.

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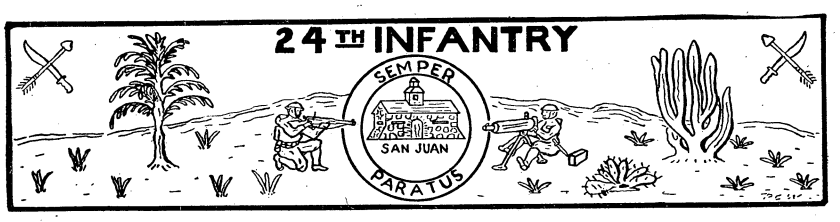


### Company "A"

Private Heath made his debut on the gallery range for the first time. At four positions 25 yards, he made a score 160. Not so bad for the 1st time. Heath, follow your instruction closely and practice your positions more, and your scores will greatly improve.

Pvt. Hill, your score was alright; but for an old shot you could have done better. Now wake up old timer, and get into the game. I know you haven't lost your shooting spirit.

Pvt. Murphy is trying to get in shape for the target season. He says he is not going to leave the range until he causes the government to lose $60.

Sergt. Mann is back from his vacation and has taken up his rifle, and is in line for target practice with the determination to hold the shooting standard of Company "A" on top.

Sergt. Burley, we hope you will be out of the hospital in time to help us make the highest percentage of any company in the Regiment.

### Company "D"

Bugler Washington, better known as "Kid Crip" has got one of his patents to stick at last. He polished his Retsett Belt, and its' appearance was so much better than the unpolished ones until our Company Commander ordered all the company to polish their belts.

Sergt. Jones wore out his slippers a few days ago, and now he is on his feet again. He says if he wears out one more pair of slippers he can't be hit with a red apple.

### Company "F"

Corpl. Hightower is representing the Company by being among the first to fire on the target range.

Pvt. Todd has held up his hand and said "I do." No not in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony, but for three brand new ones.

Colter, bteetr known as Kid Pistol, has at last succumber to the fair sex.

Since Knight has been to Tuskegee we cant' get along for his explaining.

They have most honorably accepted Bugs Taylor among the ranks of the K. P.'s

### Company "G"

Miss Flossie Taylor Thompson, the daughter of Corporal and Mrs. Wm. H. Thompson, has been quite ill for the past few weeks; however at this writing we are glad to say her condition has improved considerably.

We wish to extend our thanks to our neighbors and the good ladies of the camp who visited and assisted us during her illness.

### Company "I"

Corpl. Reeves (Big Noisy is on pass) Good bye Co. "I."

Sergt. Steger (Greens) after buying all the greens in Columbus and vicinity *is having* success at raising his own.

Corpl. Williams (Head) no Taxi service, what?

Woods Reuben (Official boy) takes his week-end passes regular. Beware girls, cupid is awake.

Sergt. Steger (Greens) is having a pit dug to help find King Tuts tomb.

Pvt. Childs (Co. Evangelist) is still preaching every night that he can get car fare to Columbus, Georgia.

Sergt. Butler (Poor boy) is still trying to decide whether to swear or preach.

### Company "K"

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Road Closed—Officers school making stride scales.

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Sporting Extry!—Wilson's Blue devils take two straights from Tuskegee.

### Company "M"

1st Soldier—"Who was the man lying down between "M" Co.'s mess hall and the aid station?"

2nd Soldier—"Gracious goodness man! can't you see any better than that, 'at was Sergt. Signor Green (on the track) running."

1st S—"Well what was he running for?"

2nd S—"Ask Sergt. Green."

There was a conversation over telephone between one of our distinguished soldiers and, a Damsel in the city of Columbus a few days ago which was as follows, fro mthis end of the line:

Soldier:

Hello, yes—

You seem to have an awful cold,

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No they di dnot tell me anything about it.

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Now it will be a grand affair, if you will ask Miss So and So in on that.

A certain Corpl. of "M" Co. tells of his thrilling experience with a hold up man in Columbus.

Tell how he made him (the holdup man) splash the water out of a ditch.

Well Corpl. there was no one there to tell us about it, so we don't know who splashed the water out.

T. S. (Matrimony kid) Says he will soon be locked to the wheel of holy matrimony.

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"Adam's Rib" is not a story of the Garden of Eden, although Mr. De Mille does include a few cave man scenes as a "vision," but one of everyday life and a humorous one at that. The production is massive and the supporting cast is of the highest De Mille standard.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## BASEBALL

### Infantry Defeats Gordon 6-3.

The Infantry met Gordon last Friday and placed the game on ice right in the first inning when they made four runs.

Finnessey took the mound for the Infantry and set a Blue record for season when he fanned ten of the Gordon clan.

Wilson held down the mound for the invaders and with the exception of the first inning he sure tossed the old apple across home plate and for the remaining eight frames the Infantry only made two more runs.

The Infantry team made a very poor showing at this game, they lacked ginger and pep and each player seemed to have the attitude that he was not going to put out any more than he just had to or else they had the Gordon bunch under rated, or it may have been the fact that they made four runs in the first inning that affected them. At any rate from the fans point of view it was a rather uninteresting game. At no time during the game did the Barnesville men seriously threaten to take the game away from the Doughboys.

After the first inning the Blues did not send another runner across home until the last of the sixth when two men completed the circuit. Gordon sent one man around the diamond in the third, another in the sixth and the last one in the seventh.

### INFANTRY DEFEATS GA. MILITARY COLLEGE 7-6

In a close and suspense holding game the Infantry finally defeated Georgia Military College.

At no time was the game cinched by either side.

Hutchinson took the mound for the Blues and handled the old pill nicely until he stopped a hot batted ball with his leg and then stopped a still hotter ball at the next throw when the batter lammed it straight for his middle but at that he was nervy and stuck with the mound until the seventh inning when Finnessey took the mound and hurled the old apple with such wonderful control that the GMC'S were unable to find out at just what part of the base the apple crossed or else fate put holes in their bats at any rate they couldn't connect with it.

McMullin knocked a home run when he burried the ball across the railroad track but as fate would have it there was not a Blue man on base. McMullin also knocked a three bagger as did also H. Davis and Yon. Yon also put another pill out for two bases.

| | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| The score: | | | |
| Inf. School .....010 131 10x | 7 | 7 | 2 |
| G. M. C. .....000 030 300 | 6 | 9 | 4 |

### INFANTRY AND GORDON TIE IN THE SECOND GAME 9-9.

When the Blues and the Gordons tangled for their second game last Saturday they sure put on a score making game. Each team made nine runs and the umpire called the game in the ninth inning on account of darkness.

All in all it was a running game but we can't improve on what Brooke Leman says in the Columbus Enquirer-Sun so we quote the following extract:

The Infantry outhit Gordon by thirteen wallops to eleven and also swatted the pellet for more extra bases than did the Barnesville lads and this extra hitting percentage was what it took to pull the battle up out of the mud, after the Blue had almost hopelessly tossed it away by some erratic pitching and worse fielding in the first two frames.

It was one of those days when nothing seems to go right on either side and it was evident from the start that the battle would be one of the old time festivals for the Blue spotted the Gordonsters six runs in the two opening innings.

### INFANTRY WINS 2nd GAME FROM GA. MIL. COLLEGE 6-3.

The following extract by Brooke Ieman in the Enquirer-Sun is quoted:

Mister Dickey Kerr Whitesides hurled the Infantry into a clean sweep of the Cadet series yesterday afternoon at the Driving Park stadium. Whitney fought out a pitching duel with Rainey, portside star for the Barnesville crew, and the Little Boy copped the honors.

For eight frames the Cadets found Whitesides for but three scattered hiis. Two more came in the ninth frame, after the ball game had been put in the cold storage vaults, and accounted for another G. M. C. talley, which, however, did not figure in the finale.

Don't interpret by this that it was a one-sided affair. Far from it! Rainey was wild in the first frame and walked three of the Blue. This costly performanence together with two timely singles raced over four Infantry tallies; enough to cinch practically any ball melee. Rainey steadied down after this and hurled a brilliant brand of ball. The Infantry found him but seven hits and these were doubled up only in two innings.

The battle was a pretty one to watch and was far from over until the last Cadet had been accounted for. Fact of the matter the hardest hitting rally of the visitors came in the final frame. Fans were kept on edge thruout and got their money's worth out of the battle.

Fielding honors for the day were shaded in favor of the Infantry, but there were bright occasions on both sides.

### ARMY AIRPLANES MAKE REMARKABLE FLIGHT

(Continued from page One)

and Porto Rico. The return trip was made over the same route to Jacksonville, Florida but from there they followed the Atlantic Coast Line to Bolling Green.

This trip demonstrated that it is really possible to get in touch with our Island possessions in case of need and which might prove of incalculable value in time of war.

### COST OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

(Continued from page One)

establishment is $2.34 so therefore if the Army and Navy were completely abolished there would be no appreciable reduction in the cost of government or the reductions of taxes.

The last photograph quoted from the Ary and Navy Register is well worth reading and keeping in mind:

Americans who are asked to subscribe to petitions or other communications to Congress for reductions in the appropriations for the nation's defensive services, on the plea that the "cost of militarism" is a direful burden on the American people, would do well to inform themselves of the facts and to examine into the character and patriotism of those who are promoting the pacifist campaign before taking a step tha tmay readily align them with the enemies o fthe republic.


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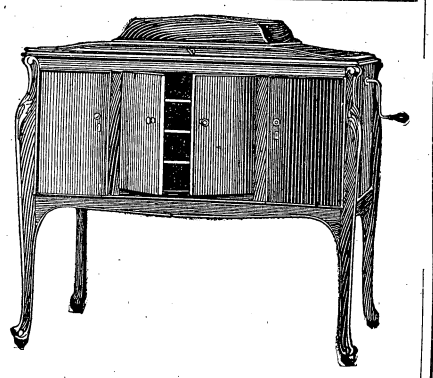

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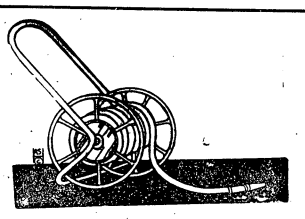

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## Inf. School Detachment Notes

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A man from this detachment who has just completed a course at the Back School of Pickology, claims to have discovered a new material that is the hardest substance in the world. He has named it Nicklinite.

Recently a certain young man who was A. W. O. L. in Atlanta, entered the dining room of a leading hotel. When the waiter came to take his order, he told him to bring a plate. Then he took a package from his pocket, unwrapped a sandwich and putting it on the plate calmly proceeded to eat it. The manager immediately came over and said, "Here, we can't allow a thing like that in here." "Who are you?" asked the Doughboy. "I'm the manager," said that dignitary. "Well, you're just the guy I'm looking for. Why the H—— ain't the orchestra playing?"

Our Detachment Commander finally decided to enlist in the Benedict's Brigrade. Here's wishing that he is made first class, is never put on K. P. and will finally retire for long and faithful service.

It only takes one man to give you your money, but four of them to take it away.

Pay day a man asked Mr. Hardin if he rode a horse. "No,' said the jawbone King, "Why?" "Well," said this private looking at the forty cents he had left, "Jesse James did."

The Ark kept Noah from drowning but an ex-Staff Sergeant says if he could get that arc on the bottom of his Sergeant's chevrons, it would keep his head above water.

A certain very prominent young staff Sergeant states that he is going downtown to a Wedding Rehearsal tomorrow night. We can't imagine why he is going to the rehearsal, unless he intends to get a few pointers on how to act, and we must say it looks very much like he intends to get hooked up in the near future. How about it, Magoni?

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**The entire post was saddened by the death of Corporal Joseph H. Lavoie, Infantry School Detachment, Friday night, March 30th, at the Station Hospital, death being caused from accidental gun-shot wound.**

**Corporal Lavoie re-enlisted in the Army on November 8th, 1920, and had served his country more than five years at date of death. He was well liked by all who knew him and will be missed by the entire Detachment.**

**Funeral services were held from the Post Catholic Chapel at 9 A. M. Monday, Chaplain Lennan officiating. The body, together with a beautiful floral offering from the members of the Detachment, was shipped to his mother at Nashua, New Hampshire, Corporal Spinelli, Infantry School Detachment, acting as an escort.**

**The deepest sympathies of the Detachment are extended to his bereaved loved ones.**

## Motor Transport Notes

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Private Alexander Bates and family returned from Louisville, Ky., and reports a very pleasant trip.

Private Jossie Moffett says its shame to feed corn to horses and chickens when they can make such good corn juice out of it.

Corporal Willie McCloud was seen reading a book the other day and some one asked him what are you reading Cpl. He ans, that he was trying to find out how to make prune juice kick.

Private Wiseman Baker was in town the other day and went into the call again lunch room and after seating himself, the waiter asked him what can I do for you? Baker, holding up one finger saws swich one. The waiter replied, I don't understand you—— I want pig tails dummie.

The older Private Mack S. Davis gets the younger he looks on top of his head.

Cook John Morgan says that he lent a book to a friend, this friend lent it to his friend, so John says one of these days maybe his book will be lent to him.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## TUSKEGEE LOSES TWO STRAIGHT TO THE 24th INFANTRY

The Baseball team of the 24th Inf. journeyed to Tuskegee Friday where two games were played with Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute. The first game resulted in a 12 to 2 victory for the soldiers and the second 3 to 2.

In the opening inning of the first game it looked as if Tuskegee would score, but a double play, Williams to Washington after a sensational catch in centre by the former cut short the Tuskegee hopes. The big inning for the 24th was in the third, when with three men on bases and none out Williams came to bat and cleared the bases with a triple. This was only a starter, for before the 24th was retired Seats drove out a homer and Washington a double, and a total of eleven runs were scored. Tuskegee's two scores were the result of slow fielding by the 24th.

The second game was played Saturday and the 24th Infantry started with a vengeance. Thomas, the first man up, got a three bagger and was brought in along with another 24th Infantryman before the Tuskegee team registered a single putout, and but for poor base running would have scored a couple more runs.

The soldiers cut short several chances of the Tuskegee boys scoring by fast fielding. Two double plays, Washington to Gilbert to Thomas, aided materially in keeping the score down. Gilbert had two sensational running catches to his credit.

Tuskegee scored in the fifth by a single, followed by a homer to left field. This ended the scoring by Tuskegee, and tied the score.

The 24th won the game in the 6th on a hit by Battles who stole second, took third on an error by short, and scored on a single by Knight. This ended the scoring for the day.

To date the 24th Infantry has played four games and won them all. The team bids fair to equal if not better the record of the 3rd Battalion team of last year that won 33 out of 39 games played.

Negotiations are now pending for games with Morehouse College April 20th and 21st. The Birmingham "Black Barons" April 22nd, and Talladega College, April 25th.

**1st Game.**

| 24th Infantry. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thomas, 1b. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Gilbert, ss. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Washington, 2b. | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Williams, cf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Heywood, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Battles, lf. | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Knight, rf. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lamar, c. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Seats, p. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | 32 | 12 | 12 | 21 | 9 | 2 |

Summary—Home runs, Seats; 3-base hits, Williams; 2-base hits, Washington; stolen bases, Battles, 3; struck out by Seats, 7; Clinton, 2; Double plays, Williams to Washington; time of game, 1 hr. and 45 min.

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| 24th Inf. | 0111 000 0 | 12 | 12 2 |
| Tuskegee | 01 0 100 0 | 2 | 9 8 |

**2nd Game.**

| 24th Infantry. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thomas, 1b. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Gilbert, ss. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Washington, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 0 |
| Williams, cf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Heywood, 3b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Battles, lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Knight, rf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wallace, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Green, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| | 38 | 3 | 10 | 27 | 10 | 1 |

Summarry: Home run, Woolridge; 3-base hit, Thomas; 2-base hit, Woolridge; stolen base, Battles 1, Washington, 1; struck out, by Green 3, Kendrick 7; bases on balls, by Green 2, Kendrick 2; time of game, 2 hours.

| | | R | H | E |
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| Tuskegee | 000 002 000 | 2 | 11 | 4 |

## MAKING A WILD PITCH.

**(By Rooke Le Mann.)**

Benning's Bard Broke forth Beautiously in our recent Base Ball program.

BASEBALL IS A GAME of walks and strike-outs and the dope is ker-flu-ied for a parade of ash trays more often in the national diversion than in any other recreation. So you had better season your season's optimism with a pinch o' pessimism.

Daily Bulletin: Lost, near out-door gym, a pair of wrestling tights and a pair of white track trunks. Er,—ah—how did you get home, Ted?

There is to be a renaissance in football at Columbia under the regime of Sir Percy Houghton, late of Harvardshire, according to our esteemed Contemporary of PUTTING THE THIRD ONE OVER.

OUR OPINION is that this will be a good test to solve the old, old query, Does a team make a coach or a coach a team.

ONE OF COLUMBUS' OWN, one J. D. Thomason, of Georgia University, made a big name for himself when on his first attempt to pitch he held the slugging Dartmouth players to a tie. The next day Dartmouth jumped on Sale, Georgia's ace, and hammered him all over the lot.

THAT TENNIS contest between our own Van Vliet and Carleton Smith, of the Atlanta Athletic Club, was a dandy struggle, a fitting exhibition for Wimbleton or other scenes of tennis struggles of giants. One could use both 'hectic' and 'arsenic' in describing the battel.

FROM THE SHOWING of our tennis team in the first engagement it can be easily seen that some interesting contests are in store for folks at the post.

HOW DIFFERENT was the contest at the Driving Park, going on at the same time! That last game with Gordon reminds us of the old kiddie saying, When our baseball team's good, it is very, very good, and when it's bad, it's——(Neither 'arsenic' or 'hectic' will do here. How's a feller to say it?)——horried!

LET'S HOPE that our baseball team has got it all out of their systems and that they have better ground to play on from now to the end of the season.

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Cobb, the writer thinks, takes precedence over Sisler because there is more swagger and go and knack of putting it over to his than to Sisler's work and ways. Cobb has more of a way with him. He has a hitting style, a free, confident, loose and powerful bearing and swing that reach right down into the seat of your feelings and make you sit up and take concentrated notice. He embodies power, speed, unconquerable youth.

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## BASEBALL.

**April 14th—Infantry School vs. North Georgia Agricultural College at Driving Park.**

**April 28th—Infantry School vs. University of Florida, Driving Park (Double Header)**

## POLO.

**April 18th—Big Polo Tea Dance at Polo Club.**

**April 15th—83rd Artillery vs. Cavalry, at Benning.**

**April 15th—Blues vs. 29th Inf. at Benning. (Blues out for revenge.)**

## TENNIS

**April 14th—Infantry School vs. Ga. Tech. at Benning.**

**April 21st—Infantry School vs. Univ. of Ga. at Benning.**

## TENNIS

### A. A. C. Wins First Game of the Season.

The opening game of the tennis season was started for the Benning Tennis Net punchers when they met the Atlanta Athletic Club at Benning last Saturday afternoon.

The Benning Tennis Club has a good schedule for the season and all tennis fans can sure get some real thrill if they stick around the courts at the flagpole.

Last Saturdays game was not a walkaway especially when you consider the worthy opponents of the Blues.

The following by Brooke Leman gives the game in detail:

Carleton Smith, Southern singles champion, and the fast tennis team of the Atlanta Athletic Club won over the Infantry Blue in fast singles and split even in the doubles tourneys staged on the Blue clay courts Saturday afternoon. The A. A. C. netters won the four singles matches staged while the Infantry broke even in the doubles, winning one of the two frames played.

In the first singles match, Kennedy of the A. A. C. defeated Whittemore of the Infantry in straight sets, 6-2 and 7-5. Whittemore staged a savage come-back in the final set but could not stop the fast Gate City player.

Carter, of Atlanta, took two straight sets from Switer of the Blue team, 6-3 and 6-4. Superior stroking spelled the downfall of Switzer in these two fast sets.

Captain Finley, of the Infantry, lost his singles match to Hunt, of the A. A. C., 6-2 and 6-1. Hunt was perhaps the most spectacular of the visiting tennis sharks with the exception of Carleton Smith.

The real classic of the afternoon was the singles match between Van Vliet, of the Infantry and National American Legion champion, and Carleton Smith, of Atlanta, Dixie's single champ.

These two racket wielders fought out the two most, brilliant sets ever staged at Benning, or according to experts present, in the Southland. Smith won finally 9 to 7 and 8 to 6 and the two close sets are mute testimonials of the hard play. Superior ground strokes spelled the final advantage for the Atlanta champ.

But Van Vliet and his partner, Finley, of the Infantry and incidentally American Legion doubles champions, staged a Brodie and defeated Smith and Hunt of the Atlanta Athletic in straight double sets, 6-2 and 6-2. In the doubles affair Van Vliet and Finley uncorked their best tennis and their victory over the crack. A. A. C. doubles team was sensational. In the final doubles match Orr and Carter of Atlanta defeated Switer and Brand, 6-4 and 6-4.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

### COLONEL JOHN T. AXTON COMING TODAY.

Colonel Joho T. Axton, The Chief of Chaplains will arrive at Fort Benning April the 20th, and remain over the week end.

Conferences have been arranged with the chaplains of the Post for this afternoon and tomorrow.

This evening Chaplain Axton will speak for Rabbi Rosenthal at the Jewish Synagogue in Columbus and on tomorrow morning he will address the Student Officers.

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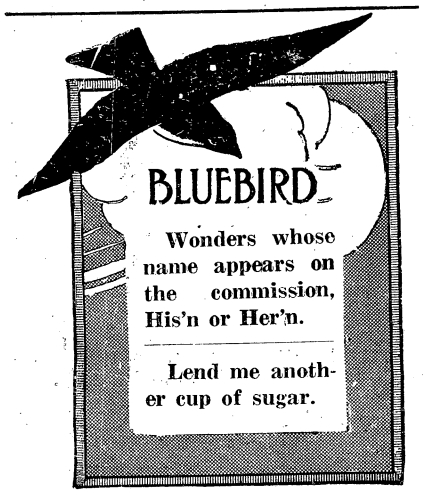



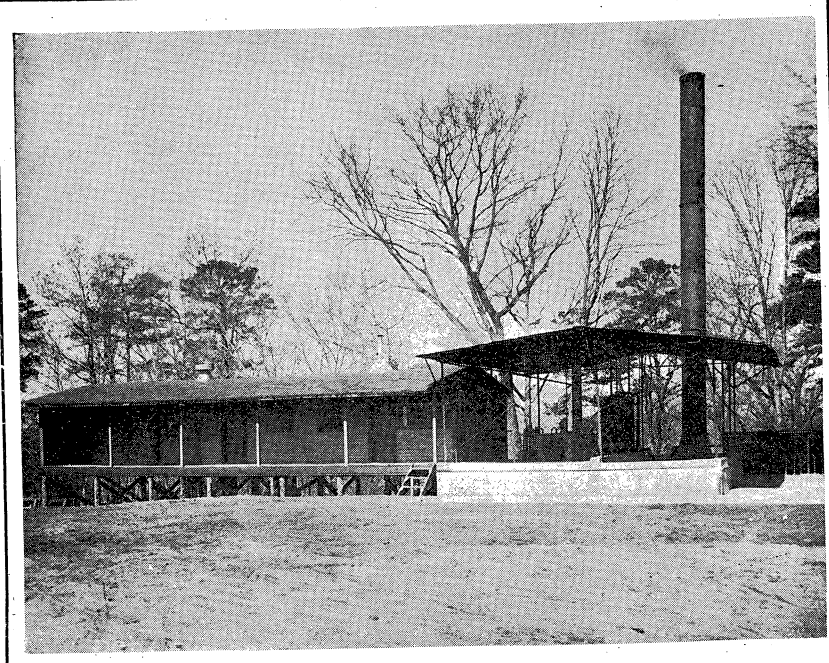

THE NEW POST INCINERATOR, (FRONT VIEW)

### NEW POST INCINERATOR.

**Constructed by Major Starr A. Moulton.**

At last this Post has an incinerator that is the real thing and when it is realized that there were no funds and no material available for its construction, except what Major Moulton was able to salvage, or find surplus on the Post, and when neither of these were available then throuh his own ingenuity make substitutes from materials on hands, it is really a remarkable achievement.

The new incinerator is located just north of the Corrals and it will be well worth anybody's time if they would

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### CAPTAIN W. J. COLE.

**Captain W. J. Cole of the 24th Infantry and commanding Co. I. was instantly killed when his Dodge roadster hit a curb at 10th Ave. on Wynnton road and then crashed into a telephone pole, turning the car over and pinning the Captain underneath. Several persons heard the crash and rushed to the rescue but the Captain was dead when the car was lifted from his body immediately afterward.**

**Captain Cole was married and lived in Block 40 on the Post.**

**Funeral arrangements had not been made at the time of going to press.**

**The "News" extends sincerest sympathy to the bereaved ones.**

### COLONEL MERCH B. STEWART HERE.

**Goes to West Point.**

Colonel Merch B. Stewart G. S. is at Benning and giving the Post and the School Division the "once over" so as to get a better idea of what the Infantry School is accomplishing.

He will return to Washington from here and then about July the 1st he will go to West Point and assume the duties of Commandant of the Military Academy.

Colonel Stewart is the guest of Colonel Kerth.

### THE INFANTRY BOARD.

Believing that the officers of the Army are interested in what the Infantry Board is doing, and since the News goes to every post of the world, where U. S. troops are stationed we are starting a column in this issue of just what this Board is doing. Articles will appear from time to time

### THE NEW GYMNASIUM COMPLETED

**Turned Over To The Post A & R Officers.**

After many delays and much discouragement the new post gym. has at last been completed and was formerly opened on last Wednesday evening when the enlisted men held their regular weekly dance there.

The building which is an aeroplane hangar is 240 feet long and 66 1-2 feet

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning April 22 and ending April 28, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, April 22.**

"Sherlock Holmes," 9 reels, Barrymore. "Glad Rags," 2 reels, Bull Montana.

**Monday, April 23.**

"Truxton King" 5 reels, Gilbert. "Pair of Aces" 2 reels, Lee Kids. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, April 24.**

"Thirty Days" 5 reels, Wallace Reid. "Poor Boy," 2 reels, comedy.

**Wednesday, April 25.**

"Cave Girl," 5 reels, All Star Cast. "Frozen North," 2 reels, Buster Keaton.

**Thursday, April 26.**

"White Flower," 7 reels, Dorothy Dalton. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, April 27.**

"Scarlet Car," 5 reels, Rewlinson. Roach Comedy, 1 reel. Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday, April 28.**

"World's Applause," 8 reels, Bebe Daniels. "Long Shot," 2 reels, comedy.

### ARBOR DAY.

Next Tuesday is Arbor Day. Plant a tree and some flowers.

### AIN'T IT THE TRUTH.

**The Gray Squirrel travelled to the P. E. Filling station.**
**And saw cord tires selling like all creation!**
**When he learned the low price he shouted out in glee**
**"Ain't it fine to have a real, live, low-priced 'P. E.'"**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### GENERAL AND MRS. GORDON ENTERTAIN.

On next Sunday evening General and Mrs. Gordon will entertain Colonel and Mrs. John A. Axton at dinner.

### MRS. KENNETH WHITTEMORE HOSTESS TO STUDY CLUB.

Mrs. Kenneth S. Whittemore was the gracious hostess to the Benning Study Club Monday afternoon. This was the last meeting of the club for the year.

Mrs. James V. Heidt read an interesting paper on India.

Mrs. E. G. Peyton's subject was a study of Egypt with special reference to the recent excuavations—a most timely topic.

Lieut. H. H. Fay gave an interesting lecture on Propaganda as used in the last war.

### 83rd F. A. BRIDGE CLUB.

On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. E. J. Roxbury entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club at three tables of bridge.

Wild flowers were artiscally used to form the decorations.

The first prize was won by Mrs. Kersh and the second by Mrs. Biderlinden. Miss J. Wood drew the consolation.

Excellent refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake, coffee mints and nuts were served after the playing.

### MRS. CHAS. H. KARLSTAD. TERTAINS.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Chas. H. Karlstad, wife of Captain Karlstad, entertained thirty of her friends at bridge at her home in DeLaunay Place Columbus.

A pink rose motif was carried out in the decorations, favors, tallys, nut cups, flowers and prizes.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Morris, the second by Mrs. Wickham and the consolation by Mrs. Tharp Mrs. Dunphy cut the tea prize.

After the game a two course luncheon was served.

Mrs. Hodge and Mrs. Fraser assisted Mrs. Karlstad during the afternoon and all three ladies were gowned in pink .

### MRS. A. E. SAWKINS HOME

The friends of Mrs. Alfred E. Sawkins, wife of Major Sawkins returned home from the hospital on last Monday.

She is improving rapidly and will soon be out.

### CAPTAIN BETTS

The friends of Captain E. C. Betts will be glad to know that he is home from the hospital and that he attended the Polo Tea Dance given last Wednesday evening at the New Polo Club House, for a few minutes.

### MRS. O'LEARY HOSTESS.

On last Friday Mrs. Herbert O'Leary was a charming hostess at a delightful bridge luncheon given in honor of Miss Robinson, the guest of Miss Kent.

Miss Kent won the high score prize a filet lace collar and the second prize was won by Mrs. Lockwood, a set of playing cards.

The guest of honor, Miss Robinson, received a beautiful bouquet of carnations.

Delicious refreshments were served after the playing.

### THE CURRENT EVENTS CLUB

On last Monday afternoon Mrs. Reeve Turner entertained the Current Events Club at her home.

Fifteen members and guests were present.

Excellent papers were read by Mrs. J. T. Dibrell, Mrs. E. W. Peach and Mrs. I. W. Guth.

A delicious salad course was served at the close of the program.

### MRS. O. M. MOORE ENTERTAINS

On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. O. M. Moore entertained her bridge club at her home.

Mrs. Roberts won the top score prize and Mrs. John S. Moore won the second club prize.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream, cake, and coffee were served.

### COLONEL AND MRS. McCASKEY ENTERTAIN.

On last Monday evening Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey entertained General Malvern-Hall Barnum and Colonel James H. Jamerson informally at dinner.

### MRS. WILLIS AND MRS. O'LEARY GIVE BRIDGE PARTY.

On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs O'Leary and Mrs. Willis entertained for five tables of bridge and several tea guests.

Pink Carnations and sweet peas formed the beautiful decorations.

1st prize was won by Mrs. Helen Butler, a set of table mats, the second was won by Mrs. Chas. Hall, a set of knife and fork holders and Mrs. Wheeler won the third prize a mayonnaise bowl. The cut prize was won by Mrs. Sproule a beautiful picture frame.

Delicious refreshment of chicken salad, hot rolls, coffee, candy, olives and nuts were served.

### MR. FRANK PEARSON LEAVES.

Mr. Frank M. Pearson of Atlanta, who has been visiting his son and daughter-in-law Captain and Mrs. F. J. Pearson left last Thursday for his home.

### COLONEL AND MRS. SMITH ENTERTAIN AT DINNER.

On Saturday, April the seventh Colonel and Mrs. W. O. Smith entertained General Barnum, General Winans, General Allan, Colonel and Mrs. Hocker and Lieutenant and Mrs. Barber informally at dinner.

On Saturday, April the fourteenth Colonel J. H. Jamerson was informally entertained at dinner by Colonel and Mrs. W. O. Smith.

### MAJOR AND MRS. MOULTON ENTERTAIN.

On last Tuesday evening Majpr and Mrs. Starr Moulton entertained at three tables of bridge complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Rainey parents of Mrs. T. L. Smith.

Mrs. Tobias and Captain R. McClure won the hight score prizes and Mrs. Rainey was presented with a guest prize.

After the playing delicious refreshments were served.

### POLO TEA DANCE A SUCCESS.

The Tea Dance given by the Ladies of the Polo Club at the Polo Club was a huge success both from the point of finances and the good time had by all who attended.

This delightful affair took place last Wednesday afternoon from four to six. The tables were laden with all kinds of food, candies, cakes. Lunch was served during the entire period, all that you had to do was stop dancing go over and eat till you couldn't down anymore and then dance until you had room for more eats and then go over and fill up somemore and so on until you couldn't settle the food and simply had to stop eating.

Some wicker furniture is going to be purchased immediately and plans are under way to furnish the club as completely as possible.

### THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT BRIDGE CLUB.

On April 12th the members of the Medical Department Bridge Club met at the home of Captain and Mrs. John T. White for their regular meeting.

Captain Arnest, Mrs. Moulton and Major Moulton were the prize winners for the evening.

Delicious refreshments were served after the game.

The next regular meeting of the Club will be held at the home of Captain and Mrs. Richard Arnest on Tuesday evening April 24th.

### 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

On Tuesday, April the 10th Mrs. R. B. Wilson entertained the 24th Infantry Bridge Club at her quarters, to four tables of players and six tea guests.

Mrs. C. C. Candler won the high score prize and Mrs. W. A. Stetler the second. Mrs. B. P. Nicklin drew the guest prize.

Delicious refreshments were served after the play.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Moore, mother of Captain Moore.

### MISS CROSBY COMPLIMENTED BY MRS. VAN VLIET.

Mrs. R. C. Van Vliet gave a buffet supper preceding the dance at the Officers' Club Hop Room on last Friday evening in honor of her guest Miss Francis Crosby of Canola.

After the excellent supper games

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were enjoyed by all after which the enghteen merry folks wnnt to the dance.

### MADEMS MILBURN AND PASCHAL ENTERTAIN.

On Thursday, April 12 Mrs. Frank Milburn and Mrs. Paul Paschal entertained at a lovely bridge party of 45 ladies at the Officers' Mess.

The Mess Hall was beautifully decorated with spring flowers for the occasion.

Mrs. Lester Lampert won the high score prize, a bridge cover with four napkins and the second prize a pair of silk hose was won by Mrs. Reuben Jenkins. Mrs. Lyons drew the consolation, a bridge set.

After the playing delicious refreshments consisting of a frozenn salad, cheese straws and iced tea were served.

### MRS. BUGEE HOSTESS

On Thursday 12 Mrs. Fred W. Bugbee was the charming hostess at a delightful luncheon given at her home in Columbus.

A lovely bunch of violets tied with a yellow ribbon formed the table decorations while the place cards were hand-painted Chinese balloons.

Covers were laid for nine.

### MRS. HATTIE GIVES BRIDGE PARTY.

On Friday the 13th Mrs. Joseph C. Hatie entertained four tables of bridge at her apartments in the Dimon Court.

Decorations of jonquils and other spring flowers were artiscally used for decorations.

Mrs. Smith won the high score prize a rose silk pillow and Mrs. Prindle won the second a leather card case. The consolation a boudoir cap was won by Mrs. Chas. Mason.

After the play delightful refreshments consisting of ices, cakes, nuts and candy were served.

### AT THE COUNTRY CLUB.

On last Saturday evening a most enjoyable dinner dance was given at the Country Club.

The Army people who enjoyed the evening were Captain and Mrs. L. L. Lampert with ten guests, Captain and Mrs. J. A. Stewart with thirteen guests Lieut. T. E. Davis with three guests, Lieut. and Mrs. Byrne with four guests and Captain L. W. Brown with ten guests.

### MISS KENT ENTERTAINS AT DANCING.

On Thursday, April 13th Miss Kent complimented her guest Miss Julia Robson by entertaining about 85 persons at a dance given at the Officers Club Hop Room.

The Hop Room was artistically decorated with Dogwood and other wild flowers.

The 29th Infantry Orchestra furnished the excellent music.

Punch was served during the evening and ice cream with cake was served during the intermission.

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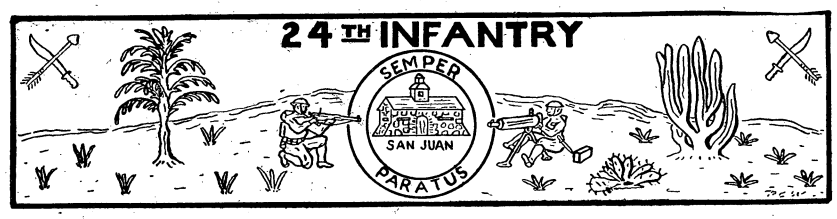
"Someone has said that in this world a man must be either anvil or hammer." "He was wrong. Some men are neither; they are merely bellows."—London Answers.




### Service Company.

The baseball team of the Service Company defeated the Baseball team of Company I, in a hard fought game Saturday, April 14, 1923. The final score was six to five. The Service Company club showed wonderful form and is looking forward to winning the pennant.

### Company "B"

G. H.—"Say Harry W. What are you worrying about?"

H. W.—"The game is hard and I cannot play."

But September is not very far Away Now.

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Everybody that has chickens had better keep a close eye on them for some one was seen making a chicken coop, and I know that some one is going to be short very soon.

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Corporal E. M. Endraws you should stay out of town if you are going tc be at a right shoulder arms and not a trail arms.

### Company "C"

Corporal Mays, being a well polished carpenter, has finished erecting his new home. He drawed up his own plans and prepared this foundation before building upon it. Of course he had his ups and downs, naturally more downs than ups. On the rocks he built the foundation, but after the rain he was unable to find it. The boards on the sides that so weakly rest upon one little nail are constantly trembling for they know not when they will drop to earth.

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Each shot of the one pounders on the target range five miles away shakes a plank down, so he tried to insure it against possible danger but the insurance company could afford no chances. The agent said "Just look at the damage one drop of rain upon the roof would do. Why, a light breeze would rock it, while the passing of a Ford auto would shake all of the window panes out. For fire it is in constant danger the smoking of a camel cigarette in the house is sufficient to call all the fire departments in the state of Georgia out, and an ordinary wind would spread it's accessories to the four winds of the heaven. And to walk heavily across the floor when you should be on your tip toes would mean a well constructed (according to plans laid by architect Mays) cottage razed to terra firms. But regardless of all defects Corporal Mays nobly proved that you can take a tooth pick and build a lumber yard.

### Company "D"

Company "D" known as the "100 per cent. Company" was at this time last April enjoying the sweet Melodies of the Browning Machine Guns, on the Camp Furlough Target Range, but this April it is enjoying the opportunity to impart it's knowledge of instruction with Company "M" who heretofore was not instructed in Machine Gunnery

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"Things to try in "D" Co. and think you can get off with it.

Go out to drill without service shoes.

Keep the Company from making 100 per cent. in anything they start.

Keep Jello and Finch from the pool hall.

Go out to drill before "Kid Crip" has inspected your shoes, to see whether or not they are shined sufficient.

Go out to drill before Law has inspected your clothes to see whether they are pressed sufficiently.

Ask Booker to put rubber heels on your shoes for less than $2.00.

Ask Corporal Givens to let Vilieska have his corner.

### Company "L"

A jitney car operated by Sergeant George Scott between Fort Benning and Columbus, Ga. broke down the other day. He halted a passing Roadster and of the driver inquired: "Do you know anything about this car?" "Only a lot of bum jokes," he replied and drove on.

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"Don't you all know it's wrong to shoot craps?" piped the Chaplain as he discovered a portion of his congregation pursuing the Goddess of chance among members of Company "L". "Yas, suh," admitted Private Roosevelt Martin, "an 'bleve me, um, paying fer dem sins."

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C. C. Co. "L" (to battered soldier) Page, how many times have I told you to drop and count to a hundred before fighting?

Private Page, That's what I was doing Captain, but the other fellow's Captain told him to count only ten.

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The President of the Heart breakers club (J. H. K.) has adopted another club motto: When we swear, let it be by the hand of justice; When we steal may it be always from bad company; When we lie may it be in the arms of the one we love best and not before the Company Commander.

### Company "M"

The Cooks and Bakers School of Co. "M" have perfected the baking of rolls and take most pleasure in introducing their profession by serving rolls. They are now putting boards on the side of their bunks to keep from rolling out.

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The gentleman that was thought to laying down between the Mess Hall and aid station last week, but was determined on the race track, has recently been defeated by a certain soldier since he has been forced to attend the Midnight check. Due to the fact that a taxi driver was driving at a very slow speed of about 75 miles per hour and it was 11:55 P. M. this soldier dismounted the taxi about 9 miles from Fort Benning and ran to Camp said soldier had been [illegible] when the midnight [illegible] cated by the N. C. C. in quarters.

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A few remarks from a certain N. C. O. in charge of quarters:

Says he, "I'm in charge of quarters tonight and, my heart is black, it sure ain't red. And, I know the men in quarters are sleeping tight, for I'm so sleepy I'm almost dead, and I'm not checking shapes in bed. But, I am checking feet and beds.

(Yes Sergeant we are with you on the part of having a black heart because anyone who sleep between two Mess halls all night should have some kind of a heart.

### Company 'I'

Attention "K" Company, Sergt. Steger has captured fifty (50) bed dummies, will sell to the "Shady rest syndicate" every night at 12:30, for the small sum of 6, 8, 10 and 12.

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Sergeant Butler's weekly talk: Boys, when you get real sick, say with 6th Ave. Blues or crapshooter's cramps or sprain, don't run to the Hospital but wait until something happens like K. P., fatigue details, or school of La Marksmanship, then and only then it is absolutely necessary to consult a doctor. For now what might not develop if this good old Army Custom were neglected or ignored.

It is not always necessary to be real sick, you'll be marked duty any way. Folks want week end passes are advised not to get sick on Saturday morning.

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Sergeant Campbell your overcoat is furnished you as an article of wear; not to clean the bore of your rifle with. Besides it is hard on the buttons as they are apt to become stuck in the barrel. In this event simply insert and discharge a cartridge, this will remove all buttons, barrel and etc.

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Corporal Reeves, has been on a three day pass, and came back with a pair of doublebreasted pants. He says he got on a razor back hog and he was so sharp he could shave with him.

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## . AXTON COMING TODAY

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Arrangements have been made whereby the Chief of Chaplains will be present and speak at the following services on Sunday:

9:30 A. M. Protestant Sunday school.

10:00 A. M. After Mass at the Catholic Chapel.

11:00 A. M. Will preach at the Protestant Chapel.

2:00 P. M. At the Recruit Center.

3:00 P. M. At the Chapel at the Guard House.

5:00 P. M. At the 24th Infantry.

5:45 P. M. At the Jewish Service, Catholic Chapel.

## NEW POST INCINERATOR.

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go over and take a look at it as the above cut does not do justice to the incinerator nor neither can you get a real idea of how large it is unless you actually look it over.

Major Moulton had a total of eight men at his disposal to collect the necessary material and do the construction so that about a year was consumed in the work.

To begin with, the bank of the gully had to be cut away so that it would be vertical and then this bank had to be re-enforced with a concrete wall about eighteen feet high.

The furnace was started at the lower edge of the wall and built up out of salvaged fire brick extends about five feet above the retaining wall and has six sets of shelves placed at different heights, the shelves were made from old rails and are so placed that when the garbage is fed in at the top the shelf is filled first and when it is full the surplus falls onto a lower shelf and so on down to the fire boxes. The grates will hold a total of five and one-half cubic yards of garbage. When the fires are started in the fireboxes, the flames will shoot from one grate to another so that in a very short time the whole furnace contents are a roaring, burning mass.

A cement dump was constructed where the wagons dump the garbage. On this dump everything of salable value is saved and the rest is burnt. Also animals that are condemned are killed here and then put in the furnace and burned up. Before this incinerator was constructed it was necessary to use about a cord of wood, a barrel of crude oil and the time of several men for several days to destroy an animal, but the incinerator does the job in a few hours and there is no additional cost as the burning garbage furnishes the fuel.

The salable articles are all stored in a large warehouse that was constructed for the purpose. The bottles and unbroken glass is first carefully washed in a large sink made for the purpose and which has running hot water entering it. As the water becomes dirty and greasy the sinks are drained into a series of large grease traps which are connected with the river. Copper wire is thrown into a fireplace and the covering burned off and and the copper is stored until sold. Old rags are saved and sold.

On one edge of the dump is a large wash rack so that wagons leave the incinerator clean.

The warehouse is twenty by fifty feet with an office and a large shower bath at one end, this later for the benefit of the men who are working there.

But as we said above to get the correct impression of this construction you have got to go and look at it yourself. It will not only surprise you but will be very interesting and instructive as well.

Major Moulton has received Commendations from the Chief of Infantry and The Surgeon General of the Army for this accomplishment and he is entitled to every bit of it. The News extends sincerest congratulations to Major Moulton on his achievement and the commendations received.

We quote the following letter received from the Office of the Surgeon General:

"Your report pertaining to the construction and operation of the incinerator at Fort Benning, Georgia, has been received in this office. This is an excellent piece of work. The office of the Chief of Infantry commended you for the constructive work accomplished and recommended that extracts from your report be filled with your efficiency record. This commendation has been forwarded to the Adjutant General recommending that it be made a part of your efficiency record on file in his office. Extracts from your report and the commendation of the Chief of Infantry have, of course, been made a part of your efficency record on file in this office.

The report is being forwarded to the Quartermaster General for his information. * * *

## THE NEW GYMNASIUM COMPLETE

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wide. The Maple floor is 200 feet long and the width of the building and large enough to accomodate three basket ball courts without crowding.

The foundation is of cement and the building is covered with corrugated iron.

The last forty feet at the rear is partitioned off so that a large dressing room is provided and also four smaller rooms. Of these the post A & R will have one the physical director of the School Division will have two, one for an office and the other for a storeroom. The fourth room can be used for a ticket booth, check-room or for whatever is needed.

Over these small rooms and the dressing room is a second floor divided into two room, one about fifteen feet square and the other room the size of the rest of the floor. The smaller room will be used by the Post Athletic and Recreation Officer as a record and filing room and the clerical men will have their desk here also. The other room will be used as a storeroom for A & R Property.

Captain C. G. Hammond had charge of erecting the building and certainly accomplished wonders with the material that he had work with. However due credit goes to our Commanding General, General Gordon, Colonel W. B. McCaskey, G-1, Lieut. J. W. Elkins, Post A & R Officer and Capt. G. V. Braun, physical director of the School Division for it was by their untiring effects, that the material and funds were slowly collected together until at last the building is ready for use.

## FAMOUS VOLCANO FILMED

### Kilauea in Hawaii Is Seen in Betty Compson's "The White Flower."

Manipulating motion picture cameras on the edge of the famous volcano Kilauea furnished plenty of excitement to the cast of "The White Flower," the new Betty Compson, Paramount picture, which was screened in the Hawaiian Islands, and which will be on view at the Post Theatres next Thursday. The company remained in Hawaii for several weeks, encompassing in that time beautiful backgrounds of Honolulu, exciting swimming scenes on the beach at Waikiki, scenes with a background of pineapple and sugar cane plantations and other views colorfully representative of the famous American possession. Miss Compson plays a half-caste Hawaiian girl, and is supported by Edmund Lowe, Edward Martindel, Arline Pretty Sylvia Ashton, Leon Barry and Lily Philips.

## CHARLTON BROWN

**Private Medical Department, A. S. No. 6338280.**

**Died at Station Hospital, Wednesday evening, April 11, 1923. Death caused by Pneumonia. Enlisted December 28, 1922, for the Detachment Medical Department, Fort Benning, Georgia. Funeral services were held at the Prostestant Chapel, Friday morning April 13, 1923, Chaplain Stephen R. Wood officiating. The body together with a beautiful floral offering from the Officers, Nurses and Enlisted men of the Medical Department, was shipped to his mother at Alamo, Georgia, Sergeant James I. Cook, Medical Department, acting as an escort. Sympathy of the entire Detachment is extended to his loved ones.**

## Motor Transport Notes

### NOTICE TO ORGANIZATION REPORTERS

**All Co. notes must be in the office of the "News" by 4 p. m. on Tuesdays' of each week from now on.**

The Motor Transport Co. No. 100, Q. M. C. has lost another old timer, 1st Sergt. Richard Simmons who is retiring some time this week, Sergt. Simmons served in the 24th Infantry from Sept. 13, 1901 to Oct. 14, 1917, served Honorably as Commissioned Officer from Oct. 15, 1917 to Oct. 31, 1919, Quartermaster Corps from Nov. 1, 1919 to March 31, 1923, the Organization extends its best wishes to 1st Sergt. Simmons upon his retirement to Civil life.

The question was asked Private Jackson (Big Ben) was he in the Barber shop? Answer was, "No I am in the Butcher shop."

Miss (X) two months ago I was just wild about Sergeant Wallace now I can't see him at all—strange how changeable men are.

On Thursday night April 12th Corpl. and Mrs. Harry Parker gave a delightful house party for the benefit of the children of the M. T. C. and 24th Infantry the house was beautifully decorated with spring flowers for the occasion refreshments of Ice Cream and Cake were served after the dance.

Sergeant Dave Riggins has retired from the fishing game, until some one of the post fishman beat his record, Dave is the holder of the largest catch of last seasen.

Sergeant Taylor was seen a few days ago getting his fihsing lines in shape the Sergt. has been going fishing for the past Two years and haven't caught any thing yet.

## Births

Born to Captain and Mrs. G. J. Braun, Infantry, On April 16 at the Station Hospital a future George Washington and Abe Lincoln with a special hobby of gymnastics inherited from his father.

When we interviewed Gus Jr. (yes he has the same name as his father), he immediately complained to us that there wasn't any gym equipment at the Ward and that he wanted some right away as he was going to have a busy life and that he didn't want to lose any time getting started.

### A CORRECTION.

Two weeks ago in announcing the birth of Dorothy Ann a daughter of Captain and Mrs. Kraul, we stated that she would be a future queen of Upatoi, what we intended to say, was that she would be a future queen of Utopia. All hail the queen!

## Finance Detachment Notes

Private Barker made a flying trip to Atlanta last Thursday evening, returning Friday night, and reports everything O. K. in the Capitol City.

Major Gralund is enjoying a month of well earned leave of absence, the greater part of which will be spent in Washington, and it is needless to say that he will be missed by the office force.

What the writer considers the best joke ever, is this: Friedenthal wanting a mask to wear to the masquerade ball—why the mask Friedy? It looks like a doughface now.

Bennett and Hinderlider were seen strolling towards the theater Monday evening just as nonchalant as if they had show fare in their pockets.

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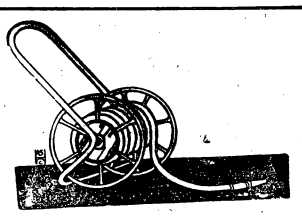
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## Bakers and Cooks School

Sergeant Pool recently was subjected to an operation at the station hospital, in which he was relieved of a good sized stone quarry. Perhaps readers noticed an advertisement in the News for (50) husky laborers for work in a stone quarry. That was it. We are glad to be able to state that Sergeant Pool is recovering rapidly, and will soon be convalescent.

Sergeant Russey has kindly condescended to allow us to publish the following recipe for gaining first place in the kitchen sanitary inspection. First find out who the Sanitary inspector is. Discover his greatest hobby. If it is paint, paint the kitchen, garbage cans, tables and everything. If it is cockroaches, run over to Sergeant Math the night before and borrow one Heiferroach, and one cock-roach, and deposit in a corner. Next morning there will be thousands of them. If he likes pie, bake a nice pie the night before, and meet him at the door with a piece. In other words cater to his likes and dislikes. This, Sergeant Russey explains is not hand-shaking but is diplomacy. We are looking forward expectantly to the next inspection.

Sergeant Rommel, one of our scientests, is conducting experiments along the following lines, using the Student Officers Mess as an auxiliary to his plans. The relation of foods to each other. Their action and inter-action in the human body. He maintains however that there are but few subjects to experiment on at this mess.

Along about the first of the year, some officers suggested that the Student Officers Mess install dumb waiters for economy. Well this has been done, but still there are those who kick. This reminds us of the old saying that: We come into this world kicking, and kicking our way through life, finally kick off.

Sergeant Rommel is selling his Dodge Roadster, and will buy an aeroplane. We advise all Mess Sergeants to do this. It provides an excellent means of escape, should escape become necessary.

Ryan, our Special Investigator has just dropped in with the information that he has certain information about revolutionizing process being blueprinted and developed by Sergeant Glant, who is in charge of the Station Hospital Mess.

Ryan has been instructed to carry his investigations further and if he is successful, we can promise a "scoop" next week. Sergeant Glant is most reticient on the subject, but even the most secret plans cannot escape detection when Ryan is on the job.

### WHAT'S IN A NAME?

**Kalla Pasha of "Thirty Days," Screen Villain, Has Two Cognomens.**

Here's a bit of the secret history of a couple of well-known and popular screen villians, if popularity can be subscribed to men who measure their fame by hisses rather than by handiclaps. The villains in question are Kalla Pasha, who plays with Wallace Reid in "Thirty Days" and Noah Beery, a well known Paramount player. Kalla's real anme is Joseph Richard while Noah pays his income tax under the cognomen of Noah Bierce. Kalla changed his because Joe Rickard doesn't sound tough enough while Beery is decidedly easier to remember than the Swiss handle of Bierce. Kalla Pasha provides much relishable comedy in the role of a Prison Warden in "Thirty Days," which comes to the Post Theatres next Tuesday. Wanda Hawley is the leading woman.

## Medical Dept. Notes

A leave of absence for two (2) days has been granted 2nd Lieut. Dorothy Cleveland, Army Nurse Corps, for the purpose of visiting Atlanta, Georgia.

Barracks 5-B was honored one night last week by the presence of a certain Staff Sergeant, who stayed in for one night. How about it Brown.

Our little short Sergeant is now under careful consideration, withal the roads are bad, he is Columbus bound every night. Some of us think that he is contemplating making a future home in Columbus soon.

With the discharge of Private S. H. Proctor, Med. Dept., and the enlistment of Privates Cherry and Christmas, during the past week, it can be said that we are holding our own.

### POWERFUL CAST.

**Assembled by William de Mille for "The World's Applause."**

A cast of exceptional excellence even for a de Mille production, was assembled by William de Mille for his latest Paramount picture production, "The World's Applause," featuring Bebe Daniels and Lewis Stone, which will be shown at the Post theatres next Saturday, April 28. This is a delightful picture with a timely theme, produced according to the highest de Mille standards.

Mr. de Mille considers the cast assembled for the picture one of the best in his successful career as a motion picture director.

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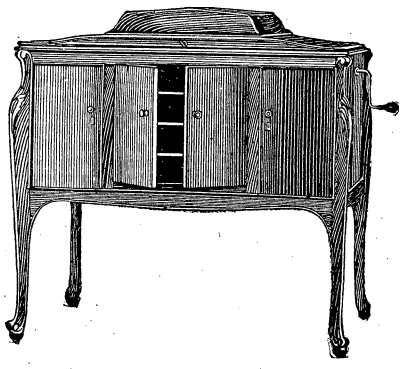
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## PREPARATION AS A PREVENTIVE OF ANOTHER WAR

It is to be hoped that the world will never see another war, small or great, and, certainly not such a conflagation as set Europe on fire in 1914. But wise men know that there is always danger of a small spark causing a great fire. The old saying, "watch as well as pray," may be paraphrased in a way into the saying, preparing as well as hope,"

The next war, if there shall unfortunately be another, will be unlike any other that has ever been fought. It will be as much unlike any other as the great world war was unlike **any** that had preceeded it. In the next war the air will more largely be the "battle-ground" than will be found anywhere else. This seems to be certain, if we may judge by preparations that are being made by the nations to equip themselves with airfighting craft of various kinds.

At present France leads overwhelmingly in air power, and this fact is causing considerable anxiety to England. England now has thirty-two air squadrons while France has two hundred. France, therefore, has a great advantage over England. It is pointed out by a well known writer that "England once ruled the waters. Now France rules the air waves, and ocean waves no longer count," Major Turner British military expert, in the London Telegraph, thus expresses England's concern:

"Before 1914 we were content with out small army, knowing that at the worst we should have time to create armies. That assurance has gone forever. For within a few hours of a rupture of peace our homes, workshops, transport and munition plants would be attacked."

And the attack would be from the air. No time, and very little use, to mobilize troops on the ground when a destroying squadron of airships is making an attack overhead, dropping deadly bombs and poisons from the air above. Land forces could not cope with those of the air, neither could the forces on the water.

With the air forces that France now has, within a few hours after a declaration of hostilities, she could ruin London, and London knows it. This accounts for the anxiety of the British air ministry.

The development of airships that will sail across the Atlantic is not far away. It will be but a short time when such machines will be constructed as will make the flight carrying sufficient cargo to do great damage to cities. Therefore, the United States should not be behind any other nation in the development of its air service. We are at peace now, and it is the hope of us all that we may continue so. But we were at peace with all the world until suddenly, in 1917, we were forced to make very great sacrifices in men and money in order to stop the war.—Columbus Enquirer-Sun.

## THIRD CORPS AREA GAZETTE ARRIVES

The latest addition to our exchange list is the Third Corps Area Gazette, a monthly magazine.

The magazine is a credit to the Service and as we read it over we grow envious—because when we had just reached the place where we were beginning to strut around like a pouter pigeon and feel like we were doing ourselves "proud" to get out a 16 page paper here comes the Gazette along and knocks us into a cocked hat by publishing a 32 page paper. The cover is done in colors and, to cap the climax, has an article signed by General Pershing.

The Gazette is full of newsy Corps Area items, historical matter, book notes, and matters of general interest to the Service at large. We extend congratulations to the Editorial Staff who, with becoming modesty, withhold their name from the public good judgment, say we, speaking from sad past experience.

"Come along with your criticism. We must have it."
—Third Corps Area Gazette.
Don't worry, brother, you'll get it."

## WOMAN'S EXCHANGE.

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John and Mary, newly wedded, were on a train passing thru a tunnel. As they emerged and the light came again, John said, "Darling, had I known it would have been like that in the tunnel I would have kissed you." "You didn't" replied the astonished Mary, "Well somebody did."

## Kajolery Kolyum

This Kolyum belongs to the members of the military establishment who seldom have anything given them except wel practically nothing. If you have to sell or want to buy something use this Kolyum. Some of the things in it is serious. A great many things will be damphoolish. Use your own judgment and let your conscience be your guide.

Hair dressing done by Mrs. F. E. Bassman, The Madam C. J. Walker method used. No. 56, Non-Commissioned Officers Quarters (Colored).

FOR SALE—27 White Leghorn hens and three roosters $60.00. Reason for selling, cannot raise chickens and pheasants a the same time. See Master Sergeant Silas C. Grenstead.

FOR SALE—1922 Georgia Automobile license. Slightly used but can be put in good condition with a little paint. Reason for sale, no longer required. Phone 1473 Post.

FOR SALE—Essex roadster in good condition. Tires good. Reason for selling, leaving Fort Benning. Phone 77 Post.

GIVEN AWAY—The "News" has been the recipient of several packages of water-bugs and cock-roach exterminator which are guaranteed to kill. We will gladly give these away free as they were received without cost by us. Apply in person at the office of the "News" at the New Post Gym.

## CAST YOUR BALLOT.

We are running the ballot on the uniform question for the last time this week. All officers who are interested in this question should cast their ballot without delay.

Today the roll collar ballots lead by a large margin.

Cast your own ballot don't let any one do it for you.

BALLOT

Do you favor a change of the present uniform?

Yes No

What change do you prefer?

Answer:

Do you favor an additional uniform for dress purpose?

Yes No

If yes what color would you prefer for the coat?

For the breeches?

Remarks:

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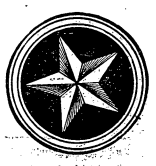
**Star**  **Cars**

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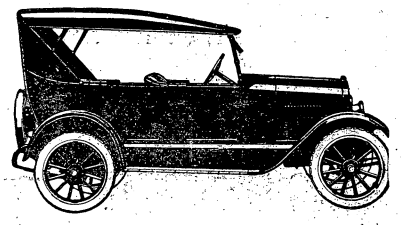

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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter VI Part 2.

**That Which Dealeth With The Recruit**

The Recruit Instructor teacheth many things, some of these the recruit learneth by explanation, demonstration, and repetition, others he learneth only by word of mouth and he must give close heed that he remembereth the same.

The recruit heareth the Articles of War read to him and if he wouldest be a good soldier he giveth close attention, so that he transgresseth not the law.

If he be so weak of mind and heedeth not the laws or the meaning of them then alas he also learneth by experience.

If his punishment be easy he learneth that he receiveth extra labors such as kitchen police and other disagreeable work.

But if his punishment be severe he learneth where is located a place of evil commonly known as "The Stockade."

At this place he learneth that he worketh only, but drilleth not.

But that be not the end, for he soon learneth that he hath no liberty.

He also learneth that he receiveth no pay while he remaineth a member of the drilleth-not union and then still later he learneth that his actions have been carefully writ into the record of his service.

Further he learneth that when cometh the end of his enlistment he must still stay awhile to make up for all of that time which he hath lost from drill and duty.

When at last cometh the day of discharge he then findeth out that even his discharge telleth all the world that he hath not been a faithful soldier for his discharge containeth not the words "Character Very Good," or "Character Excellent," but instead one readeth, "Held in the Service X days under the 107 A. W."

So heed you all and keep thine records clean, for then it giveth thee pleasure and thine heart sayeth "well done good soldier" and then when cometh the end of thine enlistment it giveth a clean discharge and showeth a noble record.

But hast thou been an evil soldier so then will thine heart tell thee and thy record will show thee and when at last cometh the day of thy discharge thy mind and thy heart telleth the that thou hast not guarded thine oath carefully and thou feelest as if the men in thine company are exceedingly joyful that thou takest thy departure; and whoever thou meetest thou thinkest that he looketh downward at thee.

Further, shouldest thou try to reenlist so may thine black record cause thine rejection and this is not to the credit of any man.

Thou then feelest as if thou wouldest then seek new fields and bury thine evil record but alas who so ever seeth at the foot of thy discharge the words "Held in the Service X days under the 107 A. W." he knoweth that thou hast been an unfaithful soldier and trusteth thee not.

So thou leavest the new field for still another new field but alas forgeth thou not that old adage of "evil will out" so that soon thou feelest miserable in mind and heart and again seeketh new fields and then again new fields until thou becomest like unto a rolling stone which always moveth but never doeth good. Then thou learnest to thine everlasting sorrow that all new fields soon learn thine evil record and that thou be not welcome with them.

So what hath thou accomplished if in thy work thou had not done some good thing and further holdeth not one man whom thou canst speak of as a "friend?" Selah!

—P. C. W.

**THE BENNING ROAD AS SHE IS ON A RAINY DAY AND GIVETH GREAT JOY TO ALL TRAVELERS, SELAH!**

### DO YOU KNOW—

THAT the Firs tRed Infantry has more blank files than any other unit in the army, with the sole exception of the magazine bniders in the Officers Club?

THAT the reason the 83rd Field Artillery has not put down a barrage on the Columbus Road is that the number of shells required to smooth it, if placed end to end, would reach from one place to another?

THAT Hannibal, who herded a swarm of elephants across the Alps in midwinter, without changing a tire, never carried enough spare parts to negotiate the distance between Fort Benning and Columbus?

THAT the amount of army paperwork prior to the war was neglible in comparison to what it is today, but that the Board to Reduce Paperwork has since made tremendous strides?

THAT Prof Einstein has established after exhaustive research, that a ray of light, traveling at its accustomed speed, 186,000 miles a second, if required to penetrate the intelligence of some person, would emerge so bent and distorted that it would make a dog's hind leg look like the shortest distance between two points?

### THE GRAY SQUIRREL.

The Old Gray Squirrel, with his wife, son and daughters, is certainly due for exemption from slaughter. The "Tales of Tanlac" always tell of "some cures" but doctor squirrel sees, that he points out yours, in prose to his sons or in verse to his daughters, and if fair minded you feel you got just what a "you'd oughter" but even at that he springs such good stuff you hope he'll continue to be a bit rough. Hit the gink who drives by you at thirty per hour, splashes mud in your face, gives you cause for the sour and unhealthy look that appears on your face for Post Orders read fifteen and he wants to race. Yes, there's a plenty of good work for our friend the "gray squirrel" and I hope that he will keep up his regular whirl and not in a cage but out in the open. Thank the originator and here's hoping for another Post Order with wording "hog tight" that will stop the hog passing on left or right while you drive the limit, are in just as much of a hurry to get to your lunch and back to your worry as he is but you respect regulations, get his mud or his dust and mutter damnations. So "here' to you" old gray squirrel, and long may you wave, may you and your family for years cheat the grave.

### THINGS TO TRY ONCE.

**With Profit.**

1. Giving the Post A & R Officer a little assistance.
2. Saluting the Flag when the Retreat Gun is fired.

**With or Without Profit**

1. Trying to get a package mailed at the Post Office in a hurry.
2. Driving past the bridge-guard without stopping.
3. Driving over the 29th Infantry parade ground with a motor vehicle.
4. Leaning on the Adjutant's Desk while conversing with him.
5. Ignoring a traffic cop.
6. Forgetting a dinner engagement.
7. Telling the School Secretary that you were late to formation because the baby didn't wake up.
8. Trying to make your superior officer believe that he misunderstood some remark of yours.
9. Walking into an office and use somebody's typewriter without permission.
10. Trying to kid an inspector when he finds something wrong.
11. Telling your colonel that the odor of hops on your breath is the result of eating frog-legs.
12. Telling the wife that she doesn't need a new dress.
13. Telling the bunch about your war experience in France when you never even saw the Atlantic.
14. Telling the bunch how it happened that you missed sharpshooter one point.
15. Signing notes for a person and expect him to repay you.
16. Loaning a friend a gallon of gasoline and expect to get it back.
17. Inviting yourself to a party.
18. Telling the people of Georgia that they have rotten roads.
19. Calling a submerged captain "mister."

## The Jist of Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

**Watch the Old Man.**

Little Johnnie was saying his prayers one evening and he asked reverently that God would bless Mamma and Sister and then he added as an afterthought—"It might be well for you to keep an eye on the old man, too."

**Diplomatic.**

"Teacher, said Willie, should a fellah get punished for something he did not do?" "No, Willie, that would be very unfair." "Well, teacher, I didn't do my rifmatic."

**Extra Ordinary.**

Fashion Note: The important announcement has just arrived that the frogs at LaGrange will wear one-piece bathing suits this spring.

**Will Say You Can't**

A young bride went into a drug store where the druggist was known to have a side line of canaries, and she asked: "Have you any canaries?" The druggist said "No, not at present. We have the birdseed only." "Can you raise them from seed? I didn't know that."

**Ambition.**

Two tramps were wadering along a lonely road when one of them spied a bottle on the ground. After partaking of some of its contents one of them said to the other, "I have decided to buy all the hotels and railroads in the United States." The other answered, "You might as well give up the idea for I have changed my mind about selling.

**Not The First One.**

The young husband had sent home a rabbit for supper but when he got home he found his bridge in tears and nothing ready for supper. "What is the trouble?" She replied thru her tears: "I've been picking this rabbit all afternoon and haven't got him halfpicked yet and I did not have time to do anything else."

**"Yes" or "No."**

A lawyer once was opposed to Abraham Lincoln in a cese in court and the lawyer insisted that his question should be answered either "Yes" or "No" without any explanation. The witness said he could not answer that question that way. The lawyer insisted that any question could be answered that way. Lincoln then said, "May I ask you a question that you will answer either "Yes" or "No" "Certainly" said the lawyer. Then Lincoln asked him, "Have you stopped beating your wife?"

**Children Will Be Children.**

Mr. Jacobstein said to his wife, "I think I vill git a buggy. It would be nice for me to go to work in. Mrs. Jacobstein said, "Yes," that would be nice," but she saw visions of pleasure drives. Just at this point the two children got to arguing about which one of them was to sit in front seat. They were just about to come to blows when Papa Jacobstein settled the whole matter by saying, "Ikey, you just git right down out of de buggy now."

**Some Bait.**

A minister was standing on a bridge talking to two very pretty girls, and they were watching a man fishing in the creek below them. A stranger came up to the group and by way of being friendly said to the minister, "Are you going fishing?" The ecclesiast drew himself up rather proudly and replied, "Why, sir, I would have you know I am a fisher of men." The stranger after a glance at the girls remarked, "I see you have the right kind of bait"

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**NOTICE TO ORGANIZATION REPORTERS**

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**"AT EASE."**
**(By Ge Allevir.)**

Swat the fly! But what about the human fly?

It has been calculated that an oyster five inches long consumes one-twelfth of a cubic inch of solid food daily, and to obtain it must filter eight or nine gallons of sea water. Who wants to work that hard?

Recently the world has been getting some glaring examples of how people who go in for high life are brought low.

**Definition.**

Self-determination: When a small boy decides to go barefooted without first asking his mother's consent.

The wasp waist is out of style among the girls, but at that there are a lot of chances of being stung remaining.

The well-to-do have to watch out or they will be done.

Knowledge may be power but it will not take the place of gasoline in your auto tank.

There are lots of folks who have spring fever all winter.

With spring has come
The froggies' note;
They were not dead,
Though they often croak.

Before marriage he pays her attention, afterwards her bills.

Bill Shapespeare once said: If I mistake not, something about, "Aha, I have you on my hip." There are a lot of folks nowadays in that shape who are not saying a word.

It is said that Russians have only 35 letters in their alphabet. That does not look like half enough to spell one of their family names.

It is all right to let your light shine, but don't get lit up or it won't.

House-cleaning time,
Will soon be here,
And hubby then
Will not be near.

It will not be long,
'Till corn is in the hill;
If you're short o' seed
Try the owner of a still.

There are three million kinds of bugs in the world. This includes those in California who wear Valentino trousers.

Sgt. Oleboi says: The spare tire has taken the place of the spare room. Going up and staying up is a proposition.

**Have You Heard This One?**

"Do you think I shall live until I'm ninety, Doctor?"

"How old are you now?"

"Forty."

"Do you drink, gamble, smoke, or have you any vices of any kind?"

"No. I don't drink. I never gamble; I loath smoking; in fact, I haven't any vices."

"Well, good heavens, what do you want to live another fifty years for?"

**A SIP O' TH' TIP.**
**O' TH' MORNIN'.**

**(By Ge Allevir.)**

Oh, it's springtime in ol' Georgia,
An' like violins th' sound
O' th' mockin' bird in the orchard
Comes a-floatin' all around;
Ther's a kiss o' dew a-lingerin'
On the jasmine in the lane,
An' a blue jay's a screechin'
At the dawn with might and main.

There's a crow or two a-cawin',
And a pair o' circlin' hawks,
An A' a hen along a furro'
Findin' grubs, with little squawks;
There's a spot along an old fence,
With the violets a-peepin' up,
Just to sip th' tip o' the mornin'
With the yello' butter-cup.

There's the colored man a-hoein'
In a nearby cotton field,
An' the south wind's gently blowin',
Whisperin' prophecies o' the yield;
There's an April shower o'er yonder,
An' a zephyr from the south,
That's a bringin' growin'-weather,
An' no prediction o' a drouth.

Well, I s'pose it's kinda foolish,
Just a dreamin' here to be—
But a spring in dear ol' Georgia
Kinda gets the best o' me.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Regimental Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Co.**

Accounts with the Post Laundry seem to cause lots of trouble, but we know what a shortage or average means. (Giving Sergt. Houghby much deserved credit for his efficiency in such lines.)

Sergt. Houghtby, the Company extends its heartfelt sympathy.

The Court martial Section of 29th Infantry is still trying very hard to help the 96th and 61st Articles of War Victims by wishing them well.

Private 1st Class Charles Baldwin, has been promoted to Sergeant.

Sergeants Herb and Deavers have located the "Cats Meow" and will carry it to Columbus, Ga.

A much deserved promotion has been given Private 1st Class Akers, one of the best horsemen in the Regiment "Look out Windy," Corpl. Akers will get you yet.

**Service Company**

All members of the 29th Infantry Band have completed range practice with the pistol and all records for unit firing have been shattered. Some members of the band making scores of 92 per cent. Everybody qualified and it all seemed so easy that if one isn't at least a sharpshooter, why, he is looked upon by the experts as just an ordinary "shot" Poor Marksmen—where do they come in?

The Service Company won another baseball game Wednesday afternoon (April 11th). This time Company B was the victim. We are still undefeated and what's more we don't contemplate losing any games this year. The Veteran Sisco worked like a top and our opponents just couldn't connect—he was striking 'em out right and left and with the excellent support of the remainder of the team, the result was never in doubt. Preliminary negotiations are now in progress with teams in and around Columbus for post season games.

Sergeants Fink, Zigler, Freeman, Willis, Bradley, went to the baseball game last Saturday afternoon and saw the Aggies go down in defeat. Incidentally, one of the party is about ready to sacrifice his "civies" for strictly military attire. Reason he was soaked one berry for three soft collars on a shopping tour the same afternoon.

Familiar sights: Galhoun twisting his mustache with one hand and filing a General Order on a Bulletin file with the other. Huffenberger, Guthrie, Washilik and McCaslin playing pinnocle with feverish enthusiasm. Snider, the brains of the corral arriving with his gang for dinner. Ruggerio, Hubbard, Taylor and Benson and others arriving in Ruggy's new (maybe) Ford.

**1st Battalion Hdqrs. Co.**

Pvt. Kruse is being discharged next week. We trust that he will decide to re-enlist in our company. Remember, Kruse, you are sure of your slum and beans here anyway.

Pvt. Fulkerson has bone homt on furlough. We were very sorry to hear of his mother's illness and trust that she may have a speedy recovery.

**Hdqrs. Co., 2nd Battalion.**

Headquarters Co., 2nd Battalion took 4th Place among the organizations of the Post in deposits for the month of March and the other Companies of the 2nd Battalion occupied almost all the highest places on the list. This may explain why the Battalion Court Martial Clerk (Private Thorogmorton) has had, lately, such a great amount of nothing whatever to do.

For the past few days the Company has been thinking of having its picture taken. As this is the first time this Company has ever attempted to do such a thing we all look forward to it. But on account of fatigue and various other details we haven't been able to stick together long enough to visit the photographer intact. Of course we had to pass over Friday of last week, which was the 13th also, as we need to be careful in order to put it over just right. Today, now that we are at last ready, it rains, the weather turns against us, what will the camera do? The signs are bad, but we hope for the best.

**Company "A"**
**The Truth**

The following is a conversation which was heard during the time this Company was undergoing the Annual General Inspection:

Inspector to Pvt. Dahlstrom, whose shirt was unbuttoned at the collar: "Is that shirt too small for you?"

Pvt. Dahlstrom to the Ins.: "No, sir, my neck is too big for the shirt."

**Heard in a Day.**

"How did it happen Oexle?" (Anybody)

"Kin I have a baseball?" (Everybody)

"They can't get along on maneuvers without me." (Corpl Stevens).

Many true words can be spoken in a joke. Therefore the following: Trash to be separated into as many G. I. cans as there are different articles of trash and then dumped into one truck and taken to the Dump at one load. How do they do it?

Will some authority on baseball please come and tell us what is wrong with our team, besides the coaches.

The writer, though not accomplished in this line, has to make these notes this week or the sole purpose of keeping the public informed that there still exists a Company "A" 29th Iinfantry and also to keep the Editor of the News from hopping us.

The regular reporter left this morning for the front line on Fivet ridge, May the angels guide him.

Welcome is extended to: Privates Exum D. Phillips, Vick and Bryson, newly joined, and may their days on K. P. be few and far between.

**Company "C"**

With the Company firing on the range and going on demonstrations to, we have very little to report.

Corporal Peters is suffering with a broken arm received at the open air Gym last Sunday.

Just ask Sergeant Mansfield why he sticks around the Company so close for the last week.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

(Continued from Page 10.)

We all want to hear Private express his opinion of the Stockade.

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If sore toes and ear ache would excuse any body from the emonstration Pvts. Moore and Hanes would never go on another one.

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**Company "D"**

Bob Moore had a unique experience while at the races last year. He was at Churchill Downs Derby Day but unfortunately the pari-mutels has sent him to the cleaners the day before. With Morvich as favorite Moore stood outside the track ruminating his unfortunate condition when his attention was attracted to three individuals whose aversion for pork is traditional. The three were planning to get into the track without paynig and having agreed on a plan executed it as follows:

The first started through the pass gate and was stopped by the guard.

"Hey, where's your badge?" questioned the guard.

"Don't bother me guard," hurriedly said the man. "I left my badge at the hotel and am in a hurry."

"Who are you?" asked the guard.

"Oh," the man cautiously replied. "I'm the owner of Morvich"

The guard immediately adopted a fawning attitude and said: "Excuse me, sir, pass right in."

The other two conspirators in turn worked the same scheme. The second one adopted the roll of trainer of Morvich and the third the jockey of Morvich. In both cases the guard was sufficiently impressed and the Isrealites went in.

Bob having witnessed all this biplay decided the stunt was good enough for him to work. He started through the gate and was promptly stopped. He explained in a hurried way leaving his badge at the hotel and went through all the rigamarole the other three had gone through with. Then the guard asked:

"And who are you?"

Moore looked at the guard in distain and said,

"Me, you ask who I am, why I'm Morvich."

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Harris is of the opinion that the Ku Klux Klan does not amount to much. He says that whenever the K. K. K. attains any importance the Jews will own it.

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**Company "E"**

Well for the second time, Tent 32 won first prize for the best Tent in the Co., by beating Tent 33 and 38. Smatter Brown and Tea Hound.

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Our Baseball team defeated Hdqrs. Co. 5 to 4. It was a hard game up to the last inning; with two men down and two men on base Payne gets a single and scored the two runners. Of course you know who won.

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The Company started preliminary rifle instruction a few days back and every one is packing the old pep that put us on top of the list yast year.

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Three of our baseball stars, Payne, Brown and Crane have gone out for the Regimental team. The rest of the Co. don't think the team will be a success unless these three men make it.

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I guess we had better get these few nothings in before the first soldier goes on the war-path.

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**Company "G"**

We were all intensely interested in a pathetic scene a very interesting picture at the theatre the other night when, what was apparently the screen began to move to and fro. The audience as usual, made wild protest to the operator. The operator in his confusion, flashed on the lights and stopped the machine. To our surprise he had been throwing the picture on, "Pop Rowan's" bald head and not on the screen as he intended. Keep out of the front row Pop, we don't like to wait so long to see the movie.

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Cangratulations, Ballentine; we wish you the best of luck.

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The topic of the Day is now trying to invent a way to escape the coming ten (10) day hike.

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A recruit upon being issued a new garrison belt, innocently asked the supply Sergeant, "Where's the rest of it, Sergeant?"

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Wonder what Fox was running around hunting an empty bottle for the other day?

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Cook Walker, is so tall that he has been nick-named, "Big Six."

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Fox, is writing a story entitled, "Oh Columbus, the soldier's must love you so, For on pay-day, they all give you their dough."

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**Company "H"**

We want to know who told 2nd Battalion Hdqrs. they could play baseball. We lost track of the score the other day when we played them. They pitched the whole team against us.

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Parris got four hits off the "Aggies" Saturday. Attah Boy!

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The Champion Casino players of Italy and Russia played some exciting games Monday night. The series were called on account of darkness. They will be continued later in the week. The Champion of Italy is slightly in the lead.

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Toler and Crawford climbed another step up the ladder of success. They were made Corporals a few days ago.

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The title role is being played by Teddie Gerard, an American girl whose name is a byword in the stage circles of London and Paris, where she has appeared in a number of successes and where she has been during the last three years. Miss Gerard makes her debut in motion pictures in "The Cave Girl."

Another well known screen actor who appears in this picture is Charles Meredith who has the leading male role. He will be remembered from his parts in Ethel Clayton's pictures. The remainder of the cast includes Wilton Taylor, Eleanor Hancock, Lillian Tucker, Frank Coleman, Boris Karloff, Jake Abrahams and John Beck.


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The story is adapted from William Gilette's stage play and founded on Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's stories. The picture was made in three different countries—England, Switzerland and America, the entire company being transported for the purpose. Ingenious lighting, effects and special settings, several of which were designed by Barrymore himself, give the production a consistent atmosphere of mystery and suspense.

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**By Tom Bright Lankford**

If I were asked what I consider the best way in which an American Youth, who comes in the age limits, could do for his summer vacation I would say, from experience, a course in the Citizen's Military Training Camps which are being conducted all over the country.

Last summer I was out of a job for several weeks and was looking around for something to do. I had heard of this new idea the United States Army was putting over and investigated and the first of July found me with 3,000 other young Americans signed up for what was to be offered at Camp McClellan, Ala. I didn't know whether a bunch of hard boiled Army Officers would get me down there from my North Carolina home and work me to death in the hot summer days or let me loaf and do as I pleased. At any rate I went, and now I consider the experience I had there as one of the finest of my life.

I was rather anxiuos to see what this camp would resemble. I had volunteered in the Winston-Salem, N. C. Home Guard during a race riot at one time and I wanted to see if my new adventure would be anything like the old one, or if it would be like the R. O. T. C., S. A. T. C. or what. To my surprise I found it altogether different from either.

On arriving at Camp McClellan I learned that the training camp group was made up of high school graduates and college men for the most part, wanting to get some good physical training without cost. It was a nice bunch of fellows and, generally speaking, we all liked each other from the start. At first we were a little confused, home sick and almost ready to wish we hadn't come, but after being assigned to regular companies and knowing each other better we began to find satisfaction in what we had decided to do, and our actual training really began the first day, although we were not aware of it. We were graduated according to height and placed in squads, marched to and from delightful meals.

On the second day we were taken to Drill Ground No. 2 where we watched the regulars go through the things we were to try to learn to do We were kept busy from then on and at the end of a week it would have been hard for anyone to recognize us as the boys who first hit camp.

Then came talk of the rifle range and many of the boys dreaded this because we had heard how the nine pound rifles kicked and cut up if not handled properly. But we had excellent instructors and most of us came through the rifle work without any trouble. It seemed rather remarkable that no one got hurt, but if every man's mother had been there to give warnings, things could have been done more carefully than under the direction of those Lieutenants, Captains, Majors and even the old regulars themselves.

Field day was a great day for my company as it carried off her part of the honors. I was among the largest men in the group and was selected Captain of the "Tug-of-War" team. With the aid of seven other men the regimental prize was captured and our company placed in every event it entered.

There wasn't a dry dull moment from the time we got down from the train until the camp closed. Dancing, boxing, wrestling, swimming, track, baseball, tennis, polo, and many other wholesome forms of exercise were offered. It proved a good place for the prep school or college athlete to keep in good shape.

And somehow, I feel as though something should be said about the officers in charge. I saw Captain Conner and the other members of his staff grow thin and pale under the strain of the work they were doing. They were always planning something new for the amusement of their men. Often, on guard duty. I noticed their lights burning far into the night as they worked on plans for their company. It was real work, a man's job and when we fellows would talk it over we would wonder ho they stood it at all. It seemed to us that they were the poorest paid men in the world for the amount of work they were doing.

Civilians often think they would not like to be trained under such strict and harsh rules as one meets in the army, even, in the C. M. T. C. branch, but to the man in uniform it is known that is the only way it can be made effective. I do not know that there will be another training camp but if there is I hope to go and enjoy the life once more, and to improve my physique. I believe that President Harding knew the good this kind of training might do the country when, on one occasion while reviewing a battallion of C. M. T. C. men, he said that he wished there might be a thousand for every hundred going through with it.

If the camps are to be conducted again this summer they will be fine places for American Youths to spend a part of their time for their own good and for the good of their country. They come away from the camps with broader shoulders, clearer eyes, and with broader visions. They meet men from all over the United States, all kinds of types and thus know more about the character of the people. They change from drug store, fair skinned lounge lizards type of fop to real men, bronzed, hardened and trained to think quick and fast and to act at once. If any one not willing to believe the Army publicity matter, should like to know about these camps, from a fellow who has attended one, I should be glad to tell them more. My address is Harmony, N. C. Care of the Harmony Banking and Trust Co.


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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

**NOTICE TO ORGANIZATION REPORTERS**

**All Co. notes must be in the office of the "News" by 4 p. m. on Tuesdays' of each week from now on.**

Here we are again with all apologies for our non-appearance last week.

The regular weekly dance was held on Wednesday night, April 11th with several new faces among the gay dancers.

The B. F. C.'s held their regular meeting last Thursday P. M. at 2:30, when plans were finally made for a Woman's Exchange (Whose advertisement will appear elsewhere in this issue) and it is hoped that any one interested in this kind of an organization will take advantage of the many bargains offered by it. All ladies of the enlisted personnel are invited to join the B. F. C.'s

A special call meeting was called by the Service Club Committee last Friday evening, April 13th, when final plans were made for the big dance to be held in the New Post Gym.

Well, who said winter had gone? Anyone who happened to be at the Club last Tuesday evening could readily see that it had not as was evidenced by the crowd gathered before the open hearth baking their shins before the big crackling fire.

Mrs. Stevenson who has been visiting her sister, Miss Roe, returned to New York last week taking in the most interesting points in Florida on her way, accompanied as far as Florida by Miss Roe. Mrs. Stevenson has spent several months in Fort Benning during which time she has made hundred of friends among both the enlisted and commissioned personnel. To see Mrs. Stevensons smiling face was like a visit to your own mother and it is hoped that ere this year has flown she will be among our midst again.

The dance held in the new Post Gymnasium last Wednesday evening was the biggest success so far this season. The dancers were all dressed in country costumes and wore masks until 9:00 at which time many new faces were revealed.

Among the many interesting events of the evening was a short address by General Gordon and a beautifully rendered concert by the 29th Infantry Band.

The refreshments, consisting of a variety of cakes and lemonade, were enjoyed by all present and the music which was furnished by the entire 29th Infantry Band, certainly deserves credit for the wonderful music rendered throughout the evening.

The hall was beautifully decorated with flags and a quaint little booth erected in the center of the room and prettily decorated, furnished a comfortable place for the band.

There were hundreds of pretty girls from Columbus, four buses having been furnished for their convenience, and it is hoped that this dance has left such an impression on them that they will not hesitate to come again.

The total attendance for the evening could well be estimated at about 1000.

Miss Roe, the post hostess, is to be especially congratulated on the way the whole affair was handled.

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## EXAMINATIONS FOR COMMISSIONS SOON

**Appointment is to Grade of 2nd Lieut.**

1. A final examination of candidates for appointment in the grade of second lieutenant, Regular Army, will be held during the week commencing June 25, 1923.

2. This examination is open to all classes of eligibles as indicated herein and will be held to fill approximately eighty-five (85) vacancies in the combatant branches, Quartermaster Corps, Ordinance Department, Chemical Warfare Service, and Finance Department. It will not be open to applicants for the Phillipine Scouts.

3. Each applicant desiring to compete in the examinations should submit his application to the Commanding General of the Corps Area in which he resides, or to the commanding officer of the military post or station nearest his place of residence. The application will be submitted on the prescribed form (No. 88, A. G. O.), copies of which can be obtained from The Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, or from Corps Area Commanders whose addresses are as follows:

Commanding General, First Corps Area, Army Base, Boston 9, Mass.

Commanding General, Second Corps Area, Governors Island, New York.

Commanding General, Third Corps Area, Standard Oil Building, Baltimore, Md.

Commanding General, Fourth Corps Area, Fort McPherson, Georgia.

Commanding General, Fifth Corps Area, Fort Hayes, Ohio.

Commanding General, Sixth Corps Area, 1819 W. Pershing Rd., Chicago, Ill.

Commanding General, Seventh Corps Area, Army Building, Omaha, Neb.

Commanding General, Eighth Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Commanding General, Ninth Corps Area, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Commanding General, District of Washington, Munitions Bldg., Washington, D. C.

4. The regulations governing the submission of applications and the conduct of the examination are published in Army Regulations, 605-5, copies of which may be obtained by applying to Corps Area Commanders or Commanding Officers of posts and stations. Full details concerning examinations are set forth in those regulations and prospective candidates should familiarize themselves with the provisions thereof. In connection with the eligibility of candidates special attention is called to the following provisions of the regulations:

(a) Eligibility for appointment is fixed by law and requests for exceptions cannot, therefore, receive consideration by the War Department The age at the time of appointment must be between 21 and 30 years, and and a candidate must be a citizen of the United States.

At the time of the final examinations each candidate must be in one of the following classes:

(b) A warrant officer or enlisted man of the Regular Army having had not less than two years' service as much.

(c) A Reserve Officer or a member of the Enlisted Reserve Corps.

(d) An officer, warrant officer, or enlisted man of the National Guard.

(e) A graduate of a technical institution approved by the Secretary of War.

(f) To be eligible for appointment in the Philippine Scouts candidates must be male citizens of the Philippine Islands. The requirements as to age and examinations are the same as required for other branches of the Regular Army.

(g) Any civilian of the required age who passes the preliminary examination may, for the purpose of establishing his eligibility, enlist in the Reserve Corps.

5. Preliminary examination may be conducted at any time under supervision of Corps Area Commanders. This examination consists of an inquiry into the physical, moral and mental qualifications of an applicant to determine whether or not he has the requisite qualifications to justify his proceeding with the final examination. Such a preliminary examination will avoid inconveniences and unnecessary expenses to both the applicant and the Government in many cases.

6. The final examination is held simultaneously throughout the country and is the same for all candidates. The scope of the mental examination is such as to insure the Army securing men of the requisite educational foundations to satisfactorily follow a career as an Army officer. The elementary part of this examination embraces the subjects of history, grammar, geography, arithmetic, algebra, geometry, trigonometry and physics. The advanced part of the examination consists of a large number of subjects including mathematics, advanced mechanics, surveying, languages, literature, electricity, chemistry, law and minor tactics. Examination is required in but three of the subjects of the advanced group to be selected by the candidate.

7. Candidates for appointment in the Air Service, Engineers, Signal Corps and Ordinance Department are required to satisfy certain technical requirements, either by examination or by having graduated from technical schools.

8. The regulations provide liberal exemptions from examinations in various subjects according to the education, training and experience that the candidate has had. The granting of exemptions has been placed entirely in the hands of the examining boards and requests for exemption, cannot, therefore, be considered by the War Department.

9. Each candidate is permitted to express his first and second choice of the branch of service in which he desires to be appointed. In making appointments, however, while the preference of candidates will be given due consideration, the War Department reservies the righ tto assign them to such branches of the servece as may be necessary.

10. Should a number of candidates, in excess of those for which the examination s held, receive a passing mark on examination, those making the lowest mark will not be selected for appointment nor will they be placed on an eligible list for future appointment, as the experience of the War Department has been that such eligible lists are unsatisfactory both to the Government and to the individual.

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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

The Infantry Board stationed at the Infantry School, is an advisor to the Chief of Infantry and an agency of his office. It consists of the Commandant and assistant Commandant, Infantry School (ex-officio) and from three to five Infantry officers and one Ordnance Officer.

This Board renders reports direct to the Chief of Infantry on any question looking to the improvement of the Infantry Service, either received by the Board from outside sources or originated within the Board itself. Suggestions are encouraged and welcomed from any person (officer, enlisted man or civilian) interested in Infantry arms, equipment, training, tactics, personnel, administration or morale.

The Board is assisted in its studies and tests by the efficers and enlisted men on duty at Fort Benning, by the many specialists on duty as Instructors at the Infantry School, and by the Department of Experiment which is equipped with shops and ranges for testing devices of all kinds.

Subjects under consideration by the Infantry Board at present include:

Beaveralls, Bipods, Marmite Cans, Power Carts, Dispatch Cases, Waterproofed Clothing, Compasses, Cleaning Solutions, Cleaning Rods, Flashlights, Rubber Heels, Hobnails, Machine Gun, Cal. .50, First Aid Packets and Pouches Range Finders and Carrying Device, Pack Saddles, Gymnasium Shoes, Uskide Sole Shoes, Sights, Front, Rear, Receiver, Quadrant, Telescopic, Rifle Stocks, Targets, Fordson Tractors, Sub-Caliber Tubes for 37 M. Guns.

The following projects have been completed this month by the Infantry Board and forwarded with recommendations to the Chief of Infantry:

Gallery Rifles and Ammunition, Machine Gun Mounts and Tripods, Practice V. B. Grenades, Bayonet Scabbards, Larkide Sole Shoes, Chemical Warfare Service Material, Armor Piercing Ammunition, Hand Carts, Experimental Field Targets, Panels, Tables of Equipment, (Peace) Tables of Basic Allowances (War)

After consideration in the office of the Chief of Infantry and by other branches concerned, each project will be acted upon by the War Department.

From time to time the Fort Benning News will publish reports showing what progress the Infantry Board is making no others of the above projects and what new projects are being considered by the Infantry Board.

### Training Regulations.

A current question among officers of the Infantry, and, in fact all branches of the service is, "What is the status of the new training regulations that are to be issued in accordance with the policy of the War Department?"

A brief statement as to their method of preparation and publishing might be of interest and, as the majority of all infantry training regulations are being written and prepared at the Infantry School, the Fort Benning News can, by giving an insight into the preparation of these regulations, answer this question to a certain extent.

The policy of the War Department in preparing these regulations was to have each branch of the service write such regulations as were particularly applicable to their branch. The general staff is to write, and prepare, such regulations that are applicable to all branches, such as Field Service Regulations, etc.

The regulations are being prepared to embody all instructions, the distribution will be to the enlisted men, the officer and organizations as it applies. The private will eventually have his file of regulations as will the officer, and in this way, this benefits of the regulations will be derived by every man in the service.

Each regulation is on a specific subject, where references are required, proper reference is made to other training regulations by number. The regulations are grouped under ewenty-seven principle headings which are given below. The number preceding the principle heading indicates the general subject and the number following the dash indicates the particular subject. For example the number assigned to the Infantry as particularly applicable to the Infantry is 420, and the Drill of the Rifle, squad, platoon and company will be stated as 420-50. The principle headings are as follows:

10—Doctrines, principles and methods. 15—Filed service Regulations. 25—Commissioned officers. 50—The soldier. 75—Specialists. 100—General training. 300—Equipment. 310—Instruments. 320—Weapons. 330 — Ammunition. 340—Supply. 360—Animals. 380 — Transportation. 400 — Quartermaster Corps. 405—Medical Department. 410—Ordnance. 420 — Infantry. 425—Cavalry. 430—Field Artillery. 435—Coast Artillery Crops. 440—Air Service. 445—Corps of Engineers. 450 — Signal Corps. 475—Combined Arms. 500—Field Training. 550—Staff Manual. 600—Rules and land warfare.

Of the above general subjects, the Infantry Board has been preparing and has already submitted a great number of the following regulations:

*50-15 The Soldier, instruction dismounted without arms.
*50-20 The Soldier, instruction, dismounted with arms.
**50-25 The Soldier, instruction with bayonet.
**50-30 The Soldier, instruction with hand grenade.
**50-35 The Soldier, instruction with rifle grenade.
**50-80 The infantry pack.
***50-90 Display of equipment, foot troops.
**75-10 The messengers and agent.
****75-15 The color sergeant and standard bearer.
****130-10 Dismounted formations, ceremonies and inspections.
***135-5 Ceremony of Guard Mounting, foot troops.
****135-15 Interior Guard Duty.
**145-5 Musketry.
****150-5 Markmanship, rifle, general.
****150-10 Marmanship, rifle, individual.
***150-15—Individual score book for rifle.
**150-30 Markmanship, Automatic rifle.
**150-35 Marksmanship, Machine Gun.
**150-40 Marksmanship, 37 MM Gun.
**150-45 Marksmanship, 3" trench mortar.
**195-10 Organization of the ground for defense.
***200-5 Scouting and Patrolling.
*225-5 To pitch and strike shelter tents, foot troops.
**225-15 To pitch, strike and fold common wall, pyramidial and conical wall tents.
**240-10 Technique direct laying, machine guns.
**240-15 Technique indirect laying, machine guns.
****240-20 Combat practice, machine guns.
****240-30 Machine gun mathmatics.
300-30 Field equipment for officers.
***420-20 Dismounted ceremonies.
**420-30 Technique of 37 MM gun fire.
**420-35 Technique of 3" trench mortar fire.
420-40 Marches and Camps.
***420-45 General introductino, Infantry Drill.
***420-50 Drill, the rifle squad, platoon and company.
**420-55 Drill, the machine gun squad platoon and company.
****420-60 Drill, the Infantry battalion.
****420-65 Drill, The Hdqrs. Companies, Battalion, regiment and brigade.
****420-70 Drill, the service company, Infantry regiment.
**420-75 Drill, the Howitzer company squad, platoon and company.
****420-80 Drill, the infantry regiment and brigade.
****420-85 Extended order, the rifle squad, section and platoon.
**420-90 Extended order, the machine gun squad and platoon.
**420-105 Combat principles, the rifle squad.
**420-110 Combat principles, the rifle section and platoon.
**420-120 Combat principles, the rifle company.
**420-125 Combat principles, the machine gun section.
**420-130 Combat principles, the machine gun platoon.
**420-135 Combat principles, the machine gun company.
**420-140-145 Combat principles, the Howitzer company section.
**420-150 Combat principles, the Howitzer company platoon.
**420-155 Combat principles, the Howitzer company.
**420-160 Combat principles, the Infantry battallion.
420-165 Combat principles, Hdqrs. company, Infantry Battalion.
**420-170 Combat principles, the Infantry Regiment.
420-175 Combat principles, Hdqrs. Company, Infantry Regiment.
*420-180 Combat principles, the Service vompany, Infantry Regiment.
**420-185 Combat principles, Hdqrs. Company, Infantry Brigade.
420-190 Combat principles, Hdqrs. Company, Infantry Brigade.

In the above list * denotes regulations submitted to the Adjutant Genral, approved by the War Department and ready for publication. **denotes those in the process of revision. *** denotes those already printed and **** denotes those in the hands of the Chief of Infantry.

In addition to the above list, the Tank Corps at Camp Meade, Maryland is preparing regulations relative to the drill, marksmanship, repairs and tactical employment of Tanks.

The routine that a training regulation prepared at the Infantry School follows is the direct cause for the time required to publish them. The subject of the regulation is assigned to an instructor at the Infantry School who is an expert on the matter. He writes the original regulations, submits it to the other instructors on the subject for remark and criticism. Such corrections as required are made and the revised copy, after approval of the Assistant Commandant, is submitted to the Infantry Board. The Infantry Board reveiws and forwards the regulation to the Chief of Infantry, who, in turn, sends duplicate copies to other interested branches for their information, co-ordination and remarks. With very few exceptions the original copy is returned with the remarks of the various branches to the Infantry Board for reconsideration. These remarks, corrections, etc., are acted upon and the regulation is returned. In order that the returned regulations may be properly coordinated and the same terminology used thruout, they first pass through the hands of an editing board that carefully reads them with the idea of coordination, seeing that the plates agree with the text, paragraphs are properly numbered and lettered, that obsolete terms are not used and also read them for grammatical structure and general clearness. They are then forwarded to the Chief of Infantry for his action, incorporating all suggested and approved changes.

From this routine, it can be readily seen that the process of publication is naturally slow. The work is progressing very rapidly and it is hoped to have the greater majority of the Infantry regulations in the hands of the Adjutant General by the end of May.

These regulations when published will be the authorized regulations of the service and will be supplied free, according to the authorized distribution, to officers and enlisted men of the service. Those who do not receive copies or who desire additional copies will be able to procure them from the Government Printing Office for a nominal sum. Infantry officers are advised to keep their file of training regulations complete and up-to-date as they contain the only official enn ciation of the principles and doctrines approved by the War Department. With these regulations in their possessions there will be little need for officers to invest their hard earned cash in costly private publications on the same subjects, many of which publications contain matter not in harmony with these official documents.

### A THING TO TRY ONCE.

We have in our midst a store that is in operation for the convenience of the military personnel and it is up to these persons as to whether the margin of profit is small or large for the greater the trade the lower the margin of profit for the same overhead will take care of a considerable increase in trade.

But as you are not very much interested in the margin of profit but whether it is convient to you or not and in this case it happens to be for we have the Post Exchange in mind. A few of the lines carried are as follows: A complete grocery store and butcher shop. Fresh vegetables in season are on hand at all times as well as fresh fruit.

If it is bottled drinks, magazines, clothing to a certain extent, cigars, tobacco, novelties, thread, shoes for both the ladies and the gents or anything else try the Main Exchange and you will probably find it.

If you crave ice cream, soft drinks, milk, and cigars and cigarettes to a limited extent then go over to the South end of the Service Club and step right up to an up-to-date soda fountain and satisfy that feeling.

If it is auto accessories that you need go over to filling station and get just what you want. A complete line of Ford spare-parts has just been added to the already large stock. And tires why man they are so cheap here that they wear out the Benning road bring those tires in here so fast. If however, you don't crave spare-parts but only gas and oil they can fix you up with that too.

THIS CERTAINLY IS A THING TO TRY ONCE.

### THAT SATISFIED FEELING IS GREAT.

It is on rare occasions that we get that satisfied feeling but we made a startling discovery shortly after we arrived in Columbus taht when you had a dandy dinner already and on the table all taht you then needed was some Real bread cake, cream-puffs, and all of those nice fixing that you can buy so reasonably at Everidge's Bakery. If you are giving a party and don't have the inclination to do the baking just step to your phone and call the bakery and they will take care of your wants. Or if on the other hand you want some nice butternut bread just tell them about it and presto you have it.

# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## BASEBALL.

### Infantry Wins 2nd Game from Aggies, 5-4 Inf. gets four point lead in 1st. Inning.

When the North Georgia Agricultural College met the Infantry for the second game last Monday they felt the sting of defeat again when the Infantry put a total number of five Blue across the Home plate to the Aggies four.

The Aggies were wild in the field and got rather careless with the onion in the first inning and as a result the Blues slipped in a total of four runs.

McNutt took the mound for the Doughboys and pitched good ball in the entire game while the Aggies put their southpaw, Humber into the box for their pill tosser and he sure had good stuff on the ball after he got warmed up.

The feature of the game however was a triple play pulled by the Aggies in the fifth inning. Honnen was holding the second bag in place and had just started a steal and Fountain was on the 1st bag with McCarthy holding the hickory. It was just at this time that the pitcher threw Mc's favorite and he lammed it for what should have been a cracker-jack hit but the Aggie shortshop grabbed that pill on the tip of his fingers and hurled it to second and from there the pill went flying to first. When this frakus started the Blues had no men out but when it ended the Blues let the Aggies dmonstrate their batting ability.

The box score:

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain, 2B | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Honnen, SS | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| McCarthy, C | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Kgelstrom, LF | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1B | 4 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Yon, CF | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McMullin, 3B | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Parris, RF | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| McNutt, P. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 5 | 7 | 27 | 17 | 2 |

| Score by innings | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aggies | 021 000 100 | 4 | 7 | 2 |
| Infantry | 400 000 01x | 5 | 7 | 2 |

The Summary:

Three-base hits, Kgelstrom, Nelson; Two-base hits, Parham; Base on balls, off Humber 3; Struck out, by McNutt 2, by Humber 4. Hit by pitcher Parham by McNutt; Time of Game 2:05; Umpires, tewart (plate) Parks (bases).

## TENNIS

### BLUE IS VICTORIOUS OVER TECH IN TENNIS.

**By Brooke Leman.**

The Infantry Blue waved triumphantly over the Golden Tornado of Georgia Tech in fast singles and doubles tennis courts. The Doughboy net quartette won four out of five matches. The sixth was cancelled on account of darkness.

The Blue team won three out of four singles starts and Finley and Van Vliet, Infantry doubles aces, mopper up in the twin matches by decisive scores in straight ets. In the complete tournament out of eleven sets played the Blue racket sharks copped nine.

In the first singles match Van Vliet, Infantr ysingle champ, defeated McIvor, Tech's bright star, in two sets, 6-2. The Tornado player uncorked a hard, brilliant style, but was unable to successfully cope with Van Vliet's superior service and placements.

Finley, of the Infantry, followed with a win over Mathewson, of Tech, in straight sets, 6-1 and 6-3. It was a fast and interesting match but Finley showed a clear superiority from the start.

Murrah, of Tech, and incidentally a Columbus lad, carried Tech to victory in the next match, and this was the only success for the Tornado. Murrah defeated Switzer in the closest fought match of the afternoon. He took the first set, 10-8, after a round of play which brought the big gallery to its feet time and again. Switzer staged a hard rally in the second set and won, 6-4, but was unable to continue the pace and drpoped the third and concluding set, 6-1.

Whittemore, of the Infantry, won over Van Winkle, Tech, in straight sets, 6-3 and 7-5. The Tornado netmen came back in the second set with a determine spurt, but could not stave off defeat in a closely played match.

Van Vliet and Finley, National American Legion doubles title holders, won the only double bill of the afternoon. These two racket wielders smashed to a victory over Tech's crack pair, McIvor and Mathewson, in straight sets, 6-1.

In spite of the apparently one-sided tally, it was a very interesting and hard fought match. The Blue pair showed a better all round game but the Tornado artists forced them to extend all the way. Darkness prevented the concluding doubles go between Switzer and Whittemore, Infantry, and Murrah and Van Winkle, Tech.

## BENNING DEFEATS WOFFORD TEAM ON FORT COURT

### Infantry Makes Clean Sweep of Four Singles and Two Doubles Matches Wednesday Afternoon.

The lads from Wofford fresh from a victory Tuesday over Oglethorpe in Atlanta, met disaster at the hands of the fast tennis team representing Fort Benning on the latter's courts Wednesday afternoon. The doughboys made a clean sweep of the matches, winning all six, four singles matches and two doubles matches. It was not without effort that the Benning crew effected such a decisive victory. The Woffordites battled fast and furiously, but the age and experience of the Infatrymen stood them in good stead and they ran true to form.

The summary follows:

**Singles.**

1. Van Vliet defeated Lesesne, 6-3, 6-0.
2. Finley defeated Floyd, 6-1, 6-3.
3. Switzer defeated Childs, 7-5,6-3.
4. Whittemore defeated Dautzler, 6-4, 8-6.

**Doubles.**

1. Van Vliet and Finley defeated Childs and Lesesne, 6-1, 6-1.
2. Brand and Whittemore defeated Floyd and Dautzler, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2.

## "ROBIN HOOD" COMING TO GRAND

Many fine horses were needed for the scores of bold knights appearing in Douglas Fairbanks' cinema version of "Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood" ad the service of a recognized authority on "steedly points" was required. So one of the first things Mr. Fairbanks did upon deciding to screen this dramatic romance of the Twelfth Century was to summon the most generally recognized horsemen on the pacific coast. His name is Charlie Miller and with a lot of confidence in his ability Mr. Fairbanks turned him loose to assemble all the animals necessary for the production.

After Miller had accomplished his task and several scores of his selections were on the great tournament field in front of the riplica of King Richard's castle, ready to participate in the exciting jousting contest which is a feature of this picture, Fairbanks was rather disappointed over the fact that man yof the horses seemed unmanageable.

"Say, Charlie, are these the horses you picked out for us?" Fairbanks asked a little reprehensively.

"Yes, I picked the horses, but somebody else picked the riders," Charlie replied blandiy.

This was enough said to bring forth the famous Fairbanks smile.

"Robin Hood" will be the Grand offering for four days commencing May 9th.

## CUTTING THE CORNERS.

**(By Giggs.)**

We still have a few KNOCKERS around yet but don't forget that the BIG BLUE just finished a couple of hard series with the Ga. Bull-Dog and the Auburn Tiger and it took a mighty sweet club to break even, so leave the hammer at home.

But at that it was a good game when one stops to think that the field was in awful shape and the players had to grab where they thought the ball would be.

Well I guess that our own Ty and his Detroit Tigers did not make any better showing on the same ground a week ago after their claws were all sharpened up for the Maple leafs.

Folks are still thinking about the show that we had at the Post Theatre last Sunday night with the class of picures hat are being shown and the Sunday night Vaudeville it looks as thou B. F. Keith would have to close up shop.

When the Golden Tornado from Ga. Tech arrives here for the net game next Saturday with her stars, McIver, Mathewson, Carnes and Murrah let it be said right now that Mr. Van Vliet and Finley are going to make the going hard this is about as sweet a pair as any one would like to see in action.

The old Grey Squirrel must have been away last Friday afternoon while the Infantry was defeating Gordon Institute for there were a few nuts out that would bust off when the Umpire would call a strike that the batter struck at and missed.

To bad that all the old has beens can't make the team this year but then you will have to admit that we have a mighty strong team in the field and it takes a ball player to make it and not what Y-O-U might have done years ago.

The hot stove league will start about December 1st so don't worry you will get a chance to HIT three hundred or better before 1924 rolls around.

In th old days you could hear people say that two heads were better than one well I guess that there is more truth than poetry in that when our own Hannah-Leman combination got together at the Driving Park last Saturday and took Catcher McCarty out and sent Milburn in to hit the little fellow came thru with a screamer to right field for three bases and saved the day for the Big Blue.

Pitcher McNutt is getting to be a regular La Cobb Claude got two singles and a double out of four times up and it was his hitting that kept defeat from our back door.

Lt. Fay Smith who has won fame on the various athletic teams in the Infantry School made his debut as an umpire last Saturday and the way that the little fellow handled the game was a treat to all, stay with it Lt. we are for you.

## U. S. TO MAINTAIN STATUS OF OBSERVER AT LAUSANNE PARLEY

America's position at the forthcoming Lausanne Near East peace conference will be exactly what it was at the former conference—that of a friendly observer.

Richard Washburn Child, Rear Admiral Bristol and Joseph C. C. Grew, the observers who will represent this government, according to official announcement, were the American observers at the previous conference.

## PINES.

The Philippine Islands are the only insular possessions of the United States where rubber may be grown, according to a recent memorandum from the Bureau of Insular Affairs. It further states that Major H. F. Cameron, Corps of Engineers, now stationed in Hawaii, is one of the best informed men on the production of rubber in the Philippines.

Major Cameron spent a number of years in studying the subject of raising rubber in the Islands. It is well known that the natives have long collected and sold wild rubber but the possibilities of growing and handling it commercially have only been learned since the advent of the American Army. The Philippines at present produce about 202,000 pounds a year, with the amount increasing constantly as new trees come into production.

## KITCHEN POLICE BLUES

First we will go back a bit,
For a line on what started it.
'Tis claimed Bill had a notion
Just to start a war in motion.

Austria beat Serbia to a frazzle,
Over treaties Bill wouldn't haggle
He headedacross Belgium for France
For sometime he made them dance.

But Uncle Sam got in a hustle,
The Doughboys used their muscle.
Until Bill said Kamerad, I'll evacuate
The next train to Boorn Vill take

The call went all over the land
All stand to, and lend a hand
The people responded one and all
Big and little large and small.

They of whom we speak today.
Get no bugulers blast, no Hooray,
Just wait and you'll immediately see
Who skidded Bill, setting Belgium free.

He is not mentioned or cited
And is unknown in dispatches,
Don't show it if he feels slighted
Lots of rought stuff he catches.

Dishes and platters, Dishes and platters
In front flank and rear rattle and clatter.
A sea of them piled high, not a rift
All the bravest do is their best and shift.

It's do, tis and do that and on the run
Hoist hundreds of dishes as if one
Forever under a punk Sergeants wary eye.
No chance to pass anything on the sly.

No formations such as reveille and retreat,
If uniformed it sounds soft and sweet
Alas! a formality jam full of deceit
Of all men K. P. is most on his feet.

Were it ever proven who started the melee,
And even Kaiser Bill it proved to be
Perhaps justice, ministered full and free
Should yet give him some time doing K. P.

# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## INFANTRY WOLLOPS GA. AGGIES

### Hi Davis Gives Only One Hit.

The Infantry Men showed rare form when on last Saturday they greeted the North Georgia Agricultural College at Driving Park with two runs in the opening frame while the visitors were unable to hold the first bag in position.

Not once during the entire game did the Aggies show any serious intention of sending their men around the circuit. They were able to make only one hit and that was in the enghth inning when Clyatt got a single over first base.

Hi Davis took the pill in charge for the Doughboys and was in excellent form, he had complete control, speed and complete mastery of the situation at all times.

It seems as if our worthy opponents are trying to kill our pitchers as in this game as in the last the Blue pitcher was hit with two pitched balls. "Hi" stopped one batted ball with his head that knocked him goggy for a few seconds and then he stopped aonther with his legs. But the Doughboys claim that it is the stopping of the ball that counts and that any way it is done is alright, except that catching it in the hand is to be preferred.

McDonald held the mound for the Aggies. He is probably the best visitors mound hound that has appeared this season for he has the speed and the curves but he is wild and fate played against him as all of his unlucky breaks occured at more or less critical periods of the game. He was relieved in the eighth by Pound but he was pounded so badly that he held the mound for only one-third of an inning as he was wild. A south paw took his place by the name of Humber and pitched the last inning. He appeared to have good stuff.

Paris, Infantry right fielder got four hits out of four times up.

Shrimp, Milburn clouted three safeties in five times up, while Nelson rapped out a pair in four trips. Every man on the Infantry squad except two claimed at least one bingle and two of these were long distance drives. Kgelstrim dropped a triple against the left field fence ,while Honnen connected for a double.

Final score—Infantry, 7; Aggies, 0.

The Box Score:

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain, 2B | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Homer, SS | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Milburn, C | 5 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 0 |
| Kkelstrom, LF | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1B | 4 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 2 |
| Yon, CF | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| McMullin, 38 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Parish RF | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, P | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Totals | 33 | 7 | 13 | 27 | 14 | 5 |

| Score by innings: | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aggies | 000 | 000 | 000 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Infantry | 201 | 010 | 03x | 7 | 13 | 5 |

The Summary—Earned runs, Infantry 3; Three-base hits, Kgelstrom; Two-base hits, Homer; Struck out, by Davis 5; by McDonald 6; by Pound 1. Hits, off McDonald 11; off Pound 1; off Humber 1.

J. PLUV AND HERR HOODOO joined forces last Friday and both the Blues and the Reds—I mean, Aggies—had to withdraw in confusion. However, the Blues had been boned up of recent date on the 'Withdrawal' so the movement was made without much confusion.

MATHEWSON AND THE GIANTS—you couldn't dissociate the two any more than you could have a watch without a main-spring—Mathewson, tall, even tempered resourceful, supreme in his craft, masterful in his poise, no pose or mannerisms, no bluster, just the natural artist to his finger tips, reserved and even different off the field, was looked up to by players and fans alike.

THE PUBLIC IDOL ROLE sits best on those who are unaware of it. Eddie Collins, of Philadelphia Athletics days, like Mathewson, never seemed to care about basking in public approbation, yet each gripped the public. The style, the skill, the unstudied, boy-like agility of Collins are all his own. It always seemed to us that among his fellow players of the champion Athletics, a wonderful team, his was the best influential single figure.

OTHER CITIES HAVE THEIR IDOLS who are nationally known and will be remembered for ages. The player's skill of Cobb in Detroit and Speaker in Cleveland is too great to overlook. Cobb far and away is the most vivid and compelling personality in Detroit baseball. In those respects and in his ability, originality and daring he shines brilliantlly as a national figure. He could hardly be less than supreme as a local Detroit figure. Speaker and Lajorie outglow all the rest in Cleveland baseball, and Speaker, the equal in skill of Lajorie, outdoes him in usefulness. He brought Cleveland to the top and perhaps no other baseball leader ever won the genuine regard and civic backing and deep regard that are Speaker's in Clveland.

BROOKLYN AND CINCINNATI have had no really outstanding figures who have had great national influence. Wheat is more closely associated with Brooklyn than any other of its players. Roush, of Cincinnati, has more personality—color, if you prefer the word. He has been a great player in the climb from the ruck of Cincinnati teams and has shown cincinnatians the best outfielding they ever saw. He has brought more in the way of sheer class to Cincy than any other man there in twenty years, whatever may be his personal grip on the public through his annual 'holdout.' His natural ability earns him a place among the select.

WE KNEW nothing good could come of those attempts to establish a non-stop dancing record. Now see what happens—one man runs amuck, a lady partner falls asleep while dancing, a couple lose their heads and decide to dance together for life and then along comes the law and says thy've gotter quit such fool stunts.

NO WONDER that dancer ran amuck. Who wouldn't run amuck after listening to jazzamania rendered by the saxamaphone for forty circumnavigations o' the minute hand 'bout the face o' grandpa's clock?

WERE YOU AT THE AGGIE game Monday? If so, you heard the tons of advice handed out free by the would-be managers and coaches on the bleachers. This sure does test the religion of the managr on the bench; but ain't we got fun when we do it?

FROM SATURDAY'S PERFORMANCE we predict a higher place on the batting order for Parris. He shore did clout 'em; and can't that baby run? He is the fastest man on the team. If he could waitemount wouldn't he be a daisy for lead off man? Wonder if he ever led off.

WE HEARTILY AGREE with our contemporary of PUTTING THE THIRD ONE OVER about making this non-stop dancing a new branch of sport and formulating rules for governing it. We nominate her as the post representative at the first Fourth Corps Area contest.

## BASEBALL.

**April 28th—Infantry School vs. Univ. of Florida (double-header) Driving Park.**

## POLO.

**April 22nd—29th Infantry vs. 83rd F. A. Last 2 periods of the game for the Dierk's Cup. Game now stands 2-1 in favor of the 29th. Game called 3:00 P. M.**

**April 22—29th Inf. vs. Cav. Team, four periods.**

**April 22—83rd F. A. vs. Cav. Team, four periods.**

## TENNIS

**April 21st—Infantry vs. North Ga. Agricultural College at Benning, 2:30 P. M.**

**April 28th—Infantry vs. Univ. of Ga. at Benning, 2:30 P. M.**

## INITIAL CONTEST ON ROAD IS LOST BY THE BLUE NINE

### By Brooke Leman
### (Special to The Enquirer-Sun.)

Lebannon, Tenn. — CUMBERLAND UNIVERSITY, 5; INFANTRY, 3.

A certain fickle goddess called Fate played peculiar turns today when the Cumberland Bull Dogs defeated the Infantry in the first game of the Blue road series. Fate and the children of Fate, called breaks in the vocabulary of sport smiled beningly on the ferocious Bull Dogs.

The breaks came when they meant a ball game. Perhaps the most startling fact is that four of the Infantry runners perished at the rubber plate; Some may give opinions that it was erratic base running on the part of the Blue but, regardless of long chances taken, it's a pretty smiling piece of luck when four base-trotters go out by scant inches at the home station.

**Box Score.**

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain, 2b | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 4 | |
| Honnen, ss. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | |
| Milburn, c. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | |
| Kgelstrom, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 | |
| Yon, cf. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | |
| E. C. Davis, lf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | |
| McMillan, 3b. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | |
| Parris, rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Hutchinson, p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |
| T. Davis, x | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Whiteside, p. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| McCarty, xx | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Totals | 34 | 3 | 7 | 24 | 14 | 5 |

| Score by innings: | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Infantry | 000 | 000 | 012 | 3 | 7 | 5 |
| Cumberland | 022 | 000 | 10x | 5 | 6 | 3 |

**Summary.**

Home rnn, Moore; three-base hit, Murray; two-base hit, E. C. Davis innings pitched by Hutchinson 7, Whitesides, 1; hits apportioned, off Hutchinson 6, Whitesides 0; bases on balls, off Hutchinson 3, Whitesides 1. Kriegre 3; struck out, by Hutchinson 5, Kreiger 3, Whitesides 2; stolen base Infantry 2, Fountain and Honnen sacrifice hits,Honnen, Ladon; passed balls, Milburn; time of game 1:55 umpire, DeWitt.

**Consider---**

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

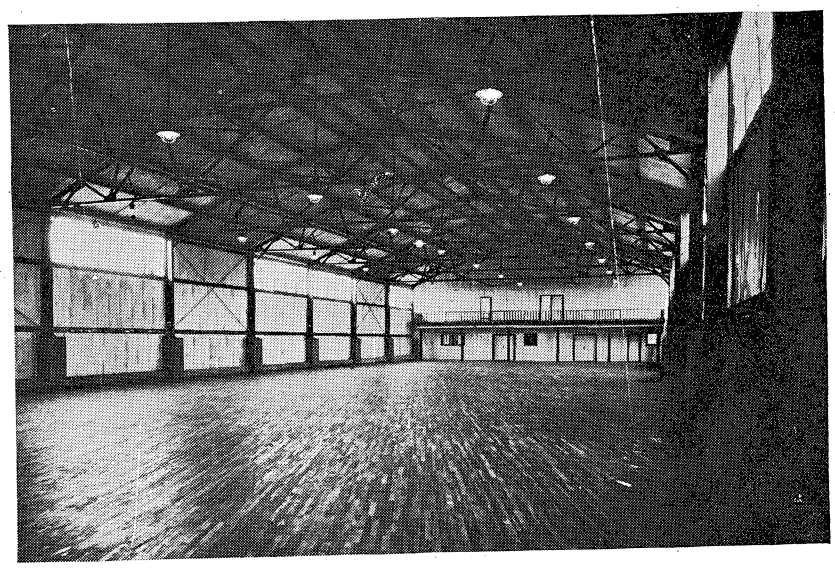
Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.)-City 1714, Post 74.

### 83rd FIELD ARTILLERY GETS MENTION.

The 83rd Field Artillery is feeling fine these days and actually struting a little but you can't blame them for they just got a copy of the Annual Report of the Chief of Artillery.

The report says that the 83rd Field Artillery is doing excellent work at the Infantry School along demonstration lines and is also engaged in valuable experimental work with motorized light field artillery.

Keep it up you Eighty-ehtrders and accept the hearty congratulations of the News as you are certainly entitled to everything that you can get.



INTERIOR VIEW OF THE NEW POST GYMNASIUM

### BENNING AGAIN AT THE TOP

**Another 100 per cent. Mark**

Major Rumbough, Commanding Officer of the 83rd Field Artillery is in receipt of a letter from the Secretary of the Field Artillery Association, congratulating him upon the one hundred per cent. membership of the officers of the 83rd Field Artillery in the Field Artillery Association.

This means that every artillery officer at Fort Benning is a member of this association. That is some record.

Now Benning is one hundred per cent. in both the Artillery and Infantry Association and that is some record. Can any Post beat this? Or even do as good?

Both of these Association have done excellent work for their respective branches and certainly deserve the full support of all officers of their branch.

### GOING INTO KHAKI.

Orders have been issued that this command will wear khaki commencing Wednesday, May 2nd at Reveille..

Look over your stock and see what you need and then order your uniform or uniforms from some advertiser of the News.

### LEATHER BELTS.

Five thousand leather belts were recently received and immediately issued to the enlisted men of the Post. They sure make a wonderful improvement in the appearance of the men if their uniform fits well. In case the uniform does not fit well the appearance is anything but pleasing.

### RIFLE USED DURING WORLD WAR AT BENNING

**Fired by Private Webster**

When Private Swall of Company "C" 29th Infantry drew a new rifle No. 721245 last month it was all covered with the usual cosmoline so he had to clean it. During the cleaning process a small roll of paper was pushed out and his curiosity being aroused he took this piece of paper, carefully unfolded it and found that the rifle had been used during the World War by Franklin Webster of Monterey, Ky.

Private Swall who was wounded in the arm "overseas" began to have trouble with his arm, went to the station hospital and from there he was sent to Walter Reed so he did not get an opportunity to shoot the rifle so it was issued to another man who made sharpshooter with it this year so we can readily see that this is a "he-gun" and there is not the slightest doubt in the world but what this noble rifle gave a good account of itself during the Meuse Argonne Offensive when it was fired point blank at seven Germans and again when it fired one hundred fifteen rounds at Death Valley.

The following is the note that was found:

"This rifle was used by Private Franklin Webster (2010213) Co. "I" 125th Infantry.

I fired this point blank at seven Germans October 7, 1918 in an attack on the Kriemhilde Stelling Line in the Meuse Argonne Offensive.

On October 11, 1918, I fired with this rifle 115 rounds in the 3rd Bn. of the 125th Infantry. Gassed Death Valley near Gismes, France.

Who ever draws this rifle can know that it has done its bit."

(Signed) Franklin Webster.
Monterey, Ky.

### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning April 29 and Ending May 5, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

Pictures have not been sent, so it is impossible to print the program for the coming week.

### R. O. T. C. STUDENTS GIVEN PREFERENCE AT C. M. T. CAMPS

Word has been received from Fourth Corps Area Headquarters, Atlanta, Georgia, that special opportunity will be given R. O. T. C. of the local High Schools and Colleges to attend Citizen's Military Training Camp this year.

Quotas will be assigned all units, based upon the strength of the unit. All men recommended by their Professor of Military science and tactics, within the quota, will be assured of going to camp. This preference can be granted between April 25th and May 10th only.

Applications are being received in large numbers daily from boys in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee, by the C. M. T. C. Officer, Fourth Corps Area, Red Rock Building, Atlanta, Ga. and it is expected that few, if any, vacancies will exist after May 15th.

**To the new Post Gym at the setting of the sun,**
**The Gray Squirrel hiked to find by whom 'twas run.**
**He took one look inside, then yelled out loud,**
**"Good gosh! Everybody! Here's the whole darned crowd."**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### GENERAL AND GORDON ENTERTAIN AT DINNER.

On April 15th General and Mrs. Gordon entertained, Colonel Jamerson, the War Department inspector and Mr. Friedman, the War Department Auditor, at dinner.

### MRS. LYNN BRASSFIELD HONORED.

On last Friday afternoon as a compliment to her house guest Mrs. Lynn Brassfield of Raleigh, N. C., Mrs. Harry E. Fischer entertained at six tables of bridge at the Muscogee Grill.

Apple-blossoms were artiscally used to form the decorations.

Mrs. Floyd Brown won the high score prize a pair of chiffon hose. Mrs. Brassfield received as a guest prize a set of Maderia tea napkins.

### COLONEL AND MRS. HOCKER ENTERTAINED LAST FRIDAY.

On last Friday Colonel and Mrs. Hocker entertained twenty-five guests at a delightful dinner at the Officer's Club Mess preceding the "Kid" party given by the Officers' Club at the New Post Gymnasium.

Snap-dragons and pink candles in silver holders formed the beautiful table decorations.

After the delightful dinner the entire party proceeded to the dance.

### MAJOR AND MRS. HICKOX HOSTS AT DINNER.

Major and Mrs. A. A. Hickox entertained at a delightful dinner Friday evening before the "Kid Party," all of their guests coming in the costumes of young children.

An orange-colored motif was carried out in the decorations and lolypops marked the places of the guests.

### 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

On Tuesday April 17th, Mrs. C. H. Moore, mother of Captain C. H. Moore, was the charming hostess for the 24th Infantry Bridge Club.

Mrs. W. A. Stetler made the highest score and won the first prize. The second prize was won by Miss Daisy Sproule. Mrs. Downing drew the prize for the tea guests.

About twenty members of the club were present.

Delicious refreshments were served after the game.

Miss Daisy Sproule will entertain the club next week.

### "KID" PARTY WENT BIG.

The delightful Kid Party given by the Officers' Club at the New Post Gymnasium went "Big" and everybody had a most excellent time dancing, drinking lemonade, eating lolypops and stick candy.

All of the dancers were dressed as kids and then proceeded to act accordingly.

General Gordon, General Barnum and General Irwin were present during the evening.

The Twenty-ninth Infantry Band furnished the excellent music.

### COLUMBUS ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.

The Army Bridge Club of Columbus held their regular meeting Thursday, April the 19th, at the Muscogee Grill.

Mesdames Morris, Shoe, and Thompson were the charming hostesses.

Mrs. Pickering won the high score prize and Mrs. Franson the second.

Maple nut ice cream and cakes were served after the game.

### MRS. OLSON AND MISS OLSON HERE.

Mrs. George F. Olson and Miss June Olson of Salt Lake City, mother and sister of Lieut. Olson are visiting Lieut. and Mrs. K. S. Olson.

### MASDEMES BUGBEE AND FULLER GIVE BRIDGE LUNCHEON

On last Friday afternoon at one o'clock, Mrs. Fred W. Bugbee and Mrs. Francis R. Fuller entertained 40 guests at a most cordial bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. Bugbee.

The tables and the home was artistically decorated with Cherokee Roses and Sprays of Dogwood.

The three ladies who won the highest scores had the pleasure of choosing their prizes.

Mrs. Hatie won the first prize, and selected a Chinese temple bell.

Mrs. Schoeffel won second prize, and selected a moro brass, fern dish.

Mrs. Lester Lampert won third prize and was awarded a brass flower tub filled with pink roses.

### MRS. HARDENBERG EXPECTED HOME SOON.

The friends of Mrs. R. W. Hardenberg who has been at Walter Reed Hospital know that she is improving rapidly and that she will soon be home.

### TAKING IN THE SIGHTS.

Colonel and Mrs. "Benny" Nicklin left for Chattanogga last Sunday by motor. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Major and Mrs. Max Sullivan left last Saturday for a ten days trip to Florida. Major Sullivan is G-4 and during his absence Lieut. Colonel W. O. Smith is acting in his stead.

Major and Mrs. X. F. Blauvelt who have been touring Florida by motor have returned home. They spent a part of their two weeks at St. Augustine and then motored down the East coast of the State to Maimi. They report having had a most enjoyable trip.

Colonel Jamerson who has been inspecting this Post left last Monday.

Mrs. Switzer's mother, Mrs. Russel, has gone to Washington and is visiting Professor Frank Clarke .

Mrs. Mitchell, mother of Major Mitchell, is visiting Major and Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. Alma Biggles, mother of Mrs. Lukert, is visiting Lieutenant and Mrs. Lukert.

Captain Frank T. Chamberlin who has been on a thirty days leave has returned to the Post. He says that he sure had "some swell time."

### MRS. JOHN W. LEONARD ENTERTAINING.

Mrs. John W. Leonard is entertaining at an informal tea this afternoon in honor of Mrs. John W. McGehee of Atlanta.

### MRS. GRAHAM RECEIVES LOVING CUP.

One of the most pleasant surprises given during the entire polo tournament happened Sunday afternoon when the Polo Association presented to Mrs. J. M. Graham, wife of Col. J. M. Graham, a loving cup as an appreciation of the interest taken by Mrs. Graham in polo and her support in the matters of furnishing the Polo Club House, together with her efforts in organizing the ladies of the Post in connection with the Sunday afternoon teas at the polo games. The presentation was made by General Gordon and the recipient was completely surprised. Mrs. Graham responded with a few well chosen words of appreciation.

### COLONEL AND MRS. HANSEL GIVE HOP SUPPER.

On last Friday preceding the "Kid" Party, Colonel and Mrs. Hansel entertained twelve guests at a Hop Supper in honor of Miss Emily Whittle of

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Jacksonville, Fla., who is a neice of Mrs. Hansel.

Wild flowers used with a pleasing effect to form the decorations.

After the delicious supper games were indulged in until the party proceded to the New Post Gymnasium to attend the "Kid" Party Hop given by the Officers' Club.

**LIEUT. AND MRS. KOVARICK COMPLIMENT MISS OLSON.**

On last Friday preceding the "Kid Party" at the Post Gymnasium Lieut. and Mrs. Kovarick entertained twelve guests at a delightful buffet supper as a compliment to Miss Olson of Salt Lake City.

All of the guests wore bibs.

After the delicious supper the entire party went to the dance.

**COUNTRY CLUB DINNER DANCE.**

The usual Saturday evening Dinner Dance was held at the Country Club last Saturday and was an unusually delightful affair.

Among the Army people Major C. L. Byrne had a table for eighteen, and Captain F. L. Burns had a table for six.

**BENNING BRIDGE CLUB.**

On Thursday, April ninteenth, the Army Bridge Club of the Post held its regular meeting at the Officers' Club Hop Room.

Mrs. Starr Moulton, Mrs. Jessie Harris, Mrs. T. L. Smith, Mrs. Maines and Mrs. LeGette were the charming hostesses.

The first prize, a casserole of Dutch silver, was won by Mrs. Lynn Brassfield, of Raleigh, N. C. The second prize, a linen bridge cover, was won by Mrs. Evans. Mrs. Metcalfe cut the consolation and drew a Maderia tray cloth.

Delicious refreshments consisting of strawberry ice cream and angel cake were served.

**CAPTAIN AND MRS. BURACKER RETURN FROM HONEYMOON.**

Captain and Mrs. Samuel Buracker returned last Saturday from their honeymoon which was a motor trip through Asheville, N. C., Baltimore, Washington, Richmond.

In Baltimore they visited the sister of Captain Buracker, Mrs. H. E. Brooks

The report having had a very enjoyable and pleasant trip.

Captain and Mrs. Buracker are now at home to their friends in block 23 building number 232507-A.

**29th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.**

On last Tuesday the 29th Infantry Bridge Club held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. B. C. Stevens.

Mrs. McCoy won the first prize a Maderia centerpiece. Mrs. Scales cut the consolation and receives a deck of cards in a leather container.

There were five tables of players and several tea guests.

Delightful refreshments of chicken salad, brown bread, olives and ice tea were served.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mds. Rason on May 8th.

**83rd F. A. BRIDGE CLUB.**

The 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club met Tuesday, April 24th at the home of Miss E. Peckinpaugh. There were four tables of players and several tea guests.

Chicken salad, sandwiches, cakes and ice tea were the refreshments.

Mrs. Wm. Webster won first prize, Mrs. Wm. A. Beiderlienden second prize and Mrs. John A. Chase the consolation.

Miss Jerry Wood drew the cut prize

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Wm. Williams on Tuesday, May the 2nd.

**INVITATION OUT FOR A BRIDGE LUNCHEON**

Invitation have been sent out by Mrs. John Heavy, Mrs. John B. Schoeffel, and Mrs. Wm. Davis, for a bridge luncheon to be given at the Officers' Mess on May 8th.

**MR. COLGATE HERE.**

Mr. Colgate, father of Mrs. Rumbough, is visiting Major and Mrs. Rumbrough.

**MRS. FASSETT AND THE MISSES FASSETTS ENTERTAIN.**

On last Tuesday after Mrs. Fassett, mother of Colonel. Fassett and the Misses Fassetts, sisters of Colonel Fasset entertained at a delightful formal tea at the Officers' Hop room.

Beautiful roses, spring flowers and burning candles formed the Artistic Decorations for the Hop room that drew many comments from the guests.

Those who assisted were, Mrs. Goodale, Mrs. Heavy, Mrs. Farraget Hall, Mrs. McMurray, Mrs. Peyton, Mrs. Wm. Smith, Mrs. Martin Mitchell, Mrs. Kaemetser, Mrs. Rumbough, Mrs. Hannah, Mrs. Hobbs, Miss Graham.

Mrs. John W. Heavy and Mrs. Goodale poured and Mrs. Hall served the punch.

The tea was given for the wives of the instructors and the wives of the Field Officers' class.

**ARMY RELIEF NOTICE.**

Miss Alice Fassett, acting president for Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Schoeffel treasurer, and Mrs. Peyton, secretary, the committee in charge of the cabaret dance of April 6th, are happy to announce that after all bills were paid, the sum of $927.00 was realized to be sent to Army Relief Headquarters.

The committee is deeply grateful to those who contributed so generously time, money, effort, or talent to make the affair the success it was, and begs to extend most heart-felt thanks to one and all.

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## Bakers and Cooks School

**A Scoop.**
**A new era proclaimed by Dr. Glant's Miraculas Discovery.**

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Space will not allow but a short outline of a modern miracle of the utmost importance to every human being on earth resulting from exhaustive research by the above named Scientist, a member of our general staff who conducts his experiments exclusively in the Station Hospital Mess.

As the following statements of facts may appear somewhat unbelievable to the readers it is desired to state that Dr. Grant is working in colaboration with such distinguished scientific men as Dr.'s Jueng and Frued of Vienna. Dr. Sidis of New York, and Emil Coue of Nancy to bring the benefits of his discovery to the relief of suffering humanity.

We have had the Stone Age, The Iron Age, The Golden Age, and now it appears that we are to enter the "Mental Age."

In Dr. Glant's elegantly equipped laboratory, the following tests, conclusions, and practical applications were arrived at.

That, as man partakes of food both organic and inorganic, his body can therefore but be a machine made of earthly materials, and inhabited by a Spiritual Mind, which is intended to control the machine much as the bodily machine is composed of such earthly materials as lime, water, salt, sugar, etc., transformed into the required molecular portions of food required by the internal organs of the body and such foods being needed as a fuel to operate it, and as the man of today clogs his bodily engine with tons of useless food, much as a mixture of gas, oil, water, and dirt would clog the motor of a car, the life of the machine is restricted to a very small portion of it's alloted span.

Therefore it was resolved to proceed on the problem by inductive reasoning, and knowing that our universe is controlled and permeated by electrical impulses, the principle of which is "That like forces and poles repel each other" pure food values stripped of their vehicles were combined to furnish the proper energy required by the body for all it's purposes, and reduced by an intricate method, to the smallest known or conceived particle of matter, "The atom," and transmuted into electricity, and stored in a battery. We therefore have a food that we cannot hear, see, smell or taste, but a transformer is attached to the battery, and one end placed against any portion of the body. The current is released, and immediately there steals over the subject a pleasant invigorating and soothing sensation, and all hunger leaves him. Food values are being transferred into his body in electrical form, and spreading to all portions of the body and are immediately taken possession of by the tissues, which use and store the energy according to their requirements.

This method of feeding the body relieves the bodily organs from all duties, the stomach, liver, heart, etc., are through. There remains no bodily waste to be carried off, and our body becomes only an electrical machine, each tissue and cell being a living electric plant maintained by it's source.

Now the internal organs of the body, which will be relieved from duty, will in succeeding generations disappear, or be utilized for some other hither—to undreamed of function, and the mind of man, "The driver" of our machine, which has heretofore been divided into two parts, the subconcious and the reasoning, may now combine themselves and work together giving man greater mental capacity, wisdom, etc.

The tests of this discovery proved to be entirely successful, experiments were made on numerous occasions.

A patient was operated upon. His stomach was opened. His kidney was cut upon, a number of gall stones were removed, and as he was previously aged and infirm, little hope was held for his recovery. Dr. Glant secretly subjected him to the Glant Electrical food current for five minutes, during his period of unconsciousness, and two hours later Doctors and Nurses were astounded when he bounded out of bed, his incisions entirely healed, and full of the joy of living.

The electrical food was tried on a team of mules, however this test was in a way unsuccessful, in that it was found tha tthe food reacted violently upon animals. The mules dashed madly away, playfully wrecking a Ford Sedan, and continuing their flight. One hour later, word was received that they had arrived in Birmingham, Alabama, unfatigued and rid of their surplus energy.

A runner was dispached with a small pocket battery containing 50,000 calories of energy for hi suse, with a message to the Mayor of New York City. He left in the morning. That evening a radio was received from the Mayor telling of his arrival in good physical condition at New York.

It can be readily seen how an obscure little experiment on such a lowly subject as food, led to a discovery so great in it's immensity that it's possibilities would fill volume. It is the key that frees the human race from the slavery of their physical body, and proclaims the new age. All hail to Dr. Glant.

Medical science as such will cease to exist. The science of cookery will entirely disappear, and in their place will appear huge electrical plants to transform food from solid substances to electrical atoms. These electrical foods will be classified according to their action on our electrical engine.

Now a little word for the Mess Officers, Mess Sergeants, Cooks, and Kitchen police, who's days are indeed numbered as such. Let them think of the many times when they were despondent over the apparent meniality of their duties. Over the hardness of their lot in working day after day without surcease to satisfy the gulping, guzzling appetites of their brother humans, and oftimes received in return, not htanks, but abuse.

Let Dr. Glant's achievement teach such workers that all work, no matter how lowly it seems, if it be applied for the common good, contains unlimited possibilities of achievement. But one thing is necessary. Apply the proper principle. There is a principle of right, but none of error.

If, in your work, your body merely performs the physical functions of your work, "Your are only a machine," someone else is the operator.

If, in your work you apply your mind, to conceive and percieve, always looking forward to some sound ideal for common betterment, then you are driving your own car and it runs smoothly.

At last the lowly Mess Sergeant, Cook, and kitchen police come into their own.

## HAROLD CLIMBS HEAVENWARD

"For a thousand dollars I'd climb to Heaven and hang by my heels from the Pearly Gates!"

And all for the love of a maid, because that is just about what Harold Lloyd does, only it's a twelve story department store he climbs in "Safety Last," his new seven-reel Pathe comedy which will be shown next week at the Grand Theatre. The maid in the story is Mildred Davis, of course, and the perils Harold fearlessly overcomes for her sake furnish more excitement and laughs than ave ever been registered before on th escreen.

## OFFICERS ORDERED AWAY.

Captain Ralph L. Ware, Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas—A. P M S & T—College Station, Texas.

Captain Cylburn C. Mattfeldt—To Walter Reed General Hospital.

Captain Walter L. Mitchell, Walter Reed General Hospital.

Captain Paul N. Starling—A P M S & T—University of Illinois.

Captain George B. Norris—A P M S & T—University of Illinois.

Captain Barnwell R. Legge—To France about August 1st, to Ecole de Guerre (2 yr. course.)

Captain George H. Weems—A P M S & T—to Davidson College, Davidson, N. C.

Captain V. N. Cordero—A P M S & T—University of Porto Rico, Rio Piedras, Porto Rico.

Captain Charles S. Pettee—A P M S & T—To New Hampshire College of Agricultural and Mechanical Arts, Durham, N. H.

Captain Elbridge G. Chapman—A P M S & T—To Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

Captain Charlie A. Valverde—A P M S & T—To University of Okla., Norman, Okla.

Captain Alex. J. McNab—A P M S & T—To Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y.

Captain Ted H. Cawthorne—A P M S & T—To College of the City of New York, New York City.

Captain Owen R. Rhoades—A P M S & T—To Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

Captain John W. Thompson—A P M S & T—To Cornell University, Uthaca.

## THE YESTERDAY.

Sgt. Goode contributed this. He is best known for his recent poetical success, "Why Should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud."

I.
heard yesterday talking, and it seemed
to say to me:
"I'm what mankind has made me, not
what I hoped to be.
I did not bring the failures, my hours
were bright and new.
I was the time alloted—the work was
mans to do.

II.
I am what others made me, I had no
will or choice,
Through all the days of trial I was
not given a voice.
If victory came man earned in his
was the faith and power;
If sorrow came, God sent it—I furnished but the hour.

III.
I came here empty-handed, a day that
was to be.
And what I am in passing mankind has
made of me;
I am their petty failures, their glory,
their success.
I am their souls' advancement, their
shame and happiness.

IV.
I was not born in evil nor governed by
the stars,
I brought to none high honors, to others
ugly scars,
Only my hours was numbered, I was the
time for toil,

V.
I am what man has made me, not what
I hoped to be,
And so shall be tomorrow which soon
shall follow me.
Our days are good or evil, as each man
serves and strives,
For days are but the records on which
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## LET'S TRADE!

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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

**Headspace Adjustment**

The Infantry Board has this week made recommendations concerning the method of making headspace adjustment on Machine Guns.

**Machine Gun Record Book**

The Machine Gun Record Book not having proved entirely satisfactory, The Infantry School has forwarded, through the Infantry Board, details to be incorporated in a new form of Machine Gun Record Book to replace same.

**Liaison Between Branches.**

There has been started a movement to create better liaison between the experimental departments of various War Department branches in order that each of them may know what developments are being considered by all other branches and activities.

**Training Regulations.**

The following Training Regulations have been submitted to the Chief of Infantry during the past week:

150-35—Marksmanship Machine Gun.
420-160—Combat Principles, Infantry Battalion.
420-170—Combat Principles, Infantry Regiment.
240-15—Indirect Laying, Machine Gun.
240-10—Direct Laying, Machine Gun.
420-150—Combat Principles, Howitzer Company Platoon.

These Regulations have been revised and edited by the Editing Board. Information has been received that Training Regulations No. 420-85, extended order, Rifle Squad, Platoon and Company has been approved by the Chief of Infantry and submitted to The Adjutant General of the Army for publication.

There are approximately fifteen more Training Regulations to be submitted by The Infantry Board to the Chief of Infantry and every effort is being made to complete this work by June 1, 1923.

## Signal Corps Notes

The traffic and maintenance departments of the Signal Corps unite in extending to the readers of the News their utmost apoligies for their inexcusable delinquency in submitting their notes. In fact, we feel that it will be impossible to face the seething multitudes, who weekly read the News, and say that we have done our duty. We haven't. Although we haven't and know we haven't, we can only seek admission into the good graces of the populace by showing an effort to right this great wrong we have done them. To allow the subscribers a qualitative analysis of the integrity of our desire to square up, we offer a solid gold what not to the reader of the News making the greatest number of sentences out of the word "it."

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The Signal Corps, with all of it's faults and delinquences, makes an ardent effort to be prompt, progressive and accomodating and above all, polite. To tell the truth, we are polite twenty-four hours every day, three hundred sixty-five days every year. This is our opinion of the maximum of politeness. Incidentally, the personnel of the Signal corps is composed of Americans. And investigation and even experience discloses the fact that the American people as a whole, are the most impolite people on the civilized face of the globe. You know that, most everybody does.

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Once, in New York, an old lady, a stranger in the city approached a pedestrian standing on a street corner with "Pardon me sir, but I'd like to go to the times building, "and got this reply, "Run right along this time little girl but don't ever ask me again."

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Again, a lady riding on a street car asked the conductor which end of the car she should get off of. He answered that it made absolutely no difference, that both ends stopped.

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But the politest man I ever knew of—not he wasn't a Signal Corps man—was a Norwegian. A tourist stopped this man once and asked the direction to a certain city. The native bowed low, saying that he was very sorry, that he did not know. The tourist had passed on for about a block when he turned to hear someone running up behind him. It was the native, who stopped, blew for a moment and said, Just after leaving you, sir, I met my rother-in-law and am sorry to say at he also does not know.

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Last but not least, I'll say that the Signal Corps works harder and longer than any organization in the Fort—except one.

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We have the best telephone system in the army, except one.

Among our ranks are the best cultivators, reapers and distributors of the grand old "everything" — except one.

## Motor Transport Notes

Sergeant and Mrs. George Taylor entertained at their residence Sunday April 23, 1923, a number of visitors from the city were present. A delicious menu, consisting of chicken salad, saltines, brick cream and cake were served, the occasion was an enjoyable one.

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Private R. R. Lee one of the membersof the —K-A-C-K Club seems a little down hearted since his New King Tut straw hat got caught in last evenings showers.

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Who was it that asked the butcher if he had any dog meat and he wanted to know if he wanted to eat it here or take it with him—ask McCarthy.

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Just received a letter from Private Mack S. Davis, which reads as follows I arrived in Miami, Fla. a few days ago and believe me I am having some real sport hunting alligators, and wish to be remembered to Cook John Margan. P. S.—I have just finished a dish of black eyed peas and rice.

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Clarence Clark another one of our old timers, but a recruit 1st Sergeant is no wliving on easy street awaiting his retirement, which will be some time in June, 1923.

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**NOW IS THE TIME.**

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When spring time comes it is quite natural for all of us to turn our thoughts to the great outside, and also to think about a change of clothing that would be a little cooler so if you will just drop into Blanchard and Booth Co. and ask them to show you what they have we think that you can find just what you want for they have ready-to-wear dry goods and notions all in the latest styles and shades.

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## Inf. School Detachment Notes

Our Detachment Commander returned from his honeymoon and reported a very pleasant motor trip to Washington, Baltimore and other points.

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Sergeant Otto Siebeneichen of P. K. O. S. fame, finally got his transfer to the Army Band and has gone to his new outfit in Washington.

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Wanted: A bugler to go on the maneuvers next month.

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Sergeant Stewart never has explained why there was no meat in the slum.

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Babe got Andy Gump into trouble and it seems like Engle was troubled the same way.

## Medical Dept. Notes

We are very sorry to report our dietitian, (Miss) Estelle Carnes, sick in hospital, all are looking forward to a speedy recovery.

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About four members of this detachment have been gathering violets in and around Columbus, Ga. We wonder if this is some new sport of merely a way of passing the time. Brown, Lester and Orr are the founders of this enterprise.

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Private 1st Class William A. Taylor, Med. Dept., left for Denver Col. April 24, 1923, as an escort for two patients being transferred to Fitz? patients being transferred to Fitzsimmons General Hospital.

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The past week brought us a new pharmacist, whom we expect to make us a good man. (Lee Allen, Jr.)

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## "THE EDITORIAL"

Any publication that contains one or more editorials is in position to accomplish good or do much harm to its readers.

Those persons who take time in this busy day and a great many do, expect and have a right to expect that the contents of an editorial are based on some fact that can be proven or if not based on a fact then calling the attention of the readers to certain improvements that are of current interest and if carried out would probably benefit the community. It therefore behoves the editor that he spend sufficient time upon his editorials so that it will convey the same meaning to the readers that he himself had in mind.

An editorial that contains vague parts or worse yet insinuates certain things so as to give the reader misinformation or leads him to believe that certain things exist but which do not exist in reality is unfair to the reader and should not have a place in an editorial. Such "stuff" can be used elsewhere in the paper as fillers.

We admit that an editor has a great liberty in writing his editorial but nevertheless he should be careful that misinformation is avoided, so that his readers are not misguided.

## THE ROUND TOWER.

It is always a pleasure to receive a new publication from another station and this week it was our good fortune to receive the "Round Tower" a classey little get up by the Third Infantry at Fort Snilling, Minn.

This is a neat little get up and should be an added morale builder to the men and officers with their ladies at that station and also it gives something to look forward to even if you know exactly what the "dope is" that each publication will have in it.

Go to it "Round Tower" and may you have the best of luck and meet with the best of success.

## WHEN YOUTH TAKES UNTO ITSELF WINGS.

In this age of progress many strides forward are being made. The young of our species, especially those belonging to what in former years were of that gender known as the "gentler sex" can now, due no doubt to environment, training, and heredity, perform feats which within only a decade past would have led either to the old woodshed or the room upstairs, behind whose closed doors scenes, good for the soul but to painful to relate, were enacted.

The flappers are women in sophistication and the floppers are men in experience.

Even the very young are possessed with such remarkable increased judgment and sense, compared to the very young of a few years ago, that it is now no uncommon thing to see high powered automobiles roar past on highways with a youngster behind the wheel who, from his or her general appearance, can be not more than thirteen or fourteen years old, the age when we old foggies were allowed to drive the old horse only when the "old man" was sitting in the buggy with us. And in this manner does youth take unto itself wings.

Some states require drivers of motor vehicles to have a license. Others require a certain age, usually a minimum of sixteen eyars and it is generally conceded that a certain amount of mature judgment is required to operate with safety an automobile truck, or motorcycle. Yet so Advanced has the youth of this day become that even now "kids" are driving cars who "in the good old days" would have been classed as infants. Such a condition exists in Columbus and Fort Benning and, although there are city ordnances and military regulations fixing the minimum age limit, we cannot but feel—being an "old foggie"—that such practice is, to an extent, a menace.

Here's hoping nobody gets his or her neck cracked and, in these days of high repair charges, no carse smashed all because some parent thinks that his or her child is so much "brighter" than the average run of children.
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WATER BUGS KILLER—The News still has twelve packages of waterbugs and cock-roach killer. Those that have tried it out claim it sure does the work if the directions are followed. Apply at the Office of the Fort Benning News at the New Post Gym.

Private Llewellyn Heard of the Infantry School Detachment announces that he has opened a school of academic mathematics at the Telephone Exchange, Signal Corps, subjects to include algebra, elementary and advanced, geometry, plane, solid and spherical, trigonmetry, plane and spherical, to all members of the enlisted personnel who desire to learn or review mathematics. There will be no tuition or expense. Class to be conducted one hour each evening, five days each week, between six and seven o'clock. For information call "Test Board"

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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter VI. Part 3.

**That Which Still Dealeth With The Recruit.**

At last cometh the day when the Recruit receiveth orders to go and join his company.

This giveth the Recruit much joy for he now thinketh that he is a real soldier and that all blessing of a real soldier will be bestowed upon him but alas he still hath much to learn about the ways of the Army of Samuel.

When he arriveth at his company he thinketh that he wouldest go right in and shake hands with the captain but behold a first Sergeant and a Company clerk standeth in the way and asketh what is wanted and when the Recruit sayeth that he is a new soldier and desireth speech with his new leader the First Sergeant is gracious and bears such message to the captain, and the captain sayeth, "sendeth me this man and let mine eyes behold him and may be He who bestoweth all blessings see fit to send me a good soldier."

After the Captain and the Recruit have had conversation with each other the Recruit reporteth to the first sergeant and the first sergeant sendeth him to the supply sergeant who issueth the Recruit his equipment and the Recruit feeleth thankful to all persons and especially to the Captain, first sergeant, and the supply sergeant.

But the supply sergeant giveth the Recruit not three or four things but many and then more and then still more and all the while he maketh careful note of each ietm. But after a while the Recruit receiveth all and then there appearth another man who telleth the Recruit to follow him as he wouldest take him to his tent, the Recruit again feeleth thankful and believeth that the Army of Samuel is great.

When the Recruit starteth for his tent he discovereth that he cannot carry all those of which he hath received and sayeth that he desireth help.

Many men are cheerful in the Army of Samuel and so many hands take hold of that which the Recruit hath just received and again the Recruit sayeth that the Army of Samuel is great.

Alas, Alas when the Recruit arriveth at his tent with his load his eyes behold not one man or one hand that so cheerfully offereth to assist him move all of his equipment. Nor is that all, the Recruit seeth not nor doth he ever find any of this equipment which hath disappeared like unto dew in the morning sun.

It is by experience that the Recruit learneth, also he soon learneth that his days of learning are notyet over nor that he is as yet a real soldier.

When he desireth to go to town and asketh the first sergeant for a pass he learneth that he must know his "General Orders" fourteen in number and that until he knoweth these he receiveth not a pass.

That is not all that the Recruit learneth for he soon findeth out that if he be so careless as to go to mess with hair not kempt or dirty hands or fingers nails in mourning that his Corpl. will send him from his mess to make himself aright. When this is done then may the Recruit return and partake of the meal if there be any left.

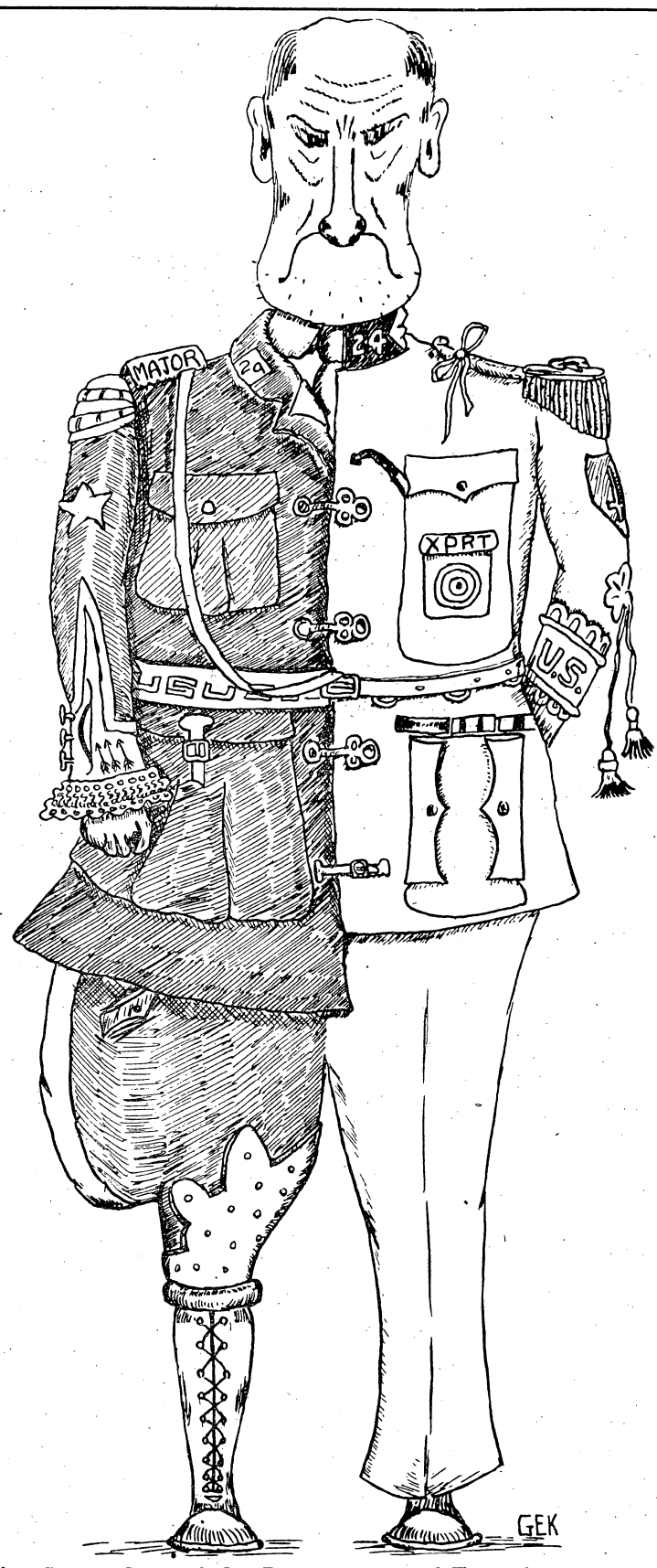
He also learneth that he must keep his hair cut short and should he fail in this then so may willing hands, unseen, seize him and clip his hair for him. A Recruit that hath his head clipped looketh like unto an ape and that is not to the credit of any man. Another thing that he learneth is that he must put water and soap upon his body and wash it thoroughly and if he objecteth and sayeth that he youldest not do so, again many unseen hands seize him and there is much rejoicing as the Recruit is escorted to the bath house.

At the bath house it giveth many persons with many scrubbing brushes and much G. I. soap and the Recruit receiveth his bath and this is as it sould be for the regulation requireth all persons to bathe.

But it is by experience that the Recruit learneth unless he is wise and doeth what he is told and ask not many foolish questions of why this and why that.

Also the Recruit soon learneth that the older soldier send him upon many foolish errands such as three yards of skirmish line, or the key to the parade ground and other foolish things.

But soon the Recruit beginneth to learn and then he beginneth to "catch on" until soon he knoweth what the older men know. Then when cometh the day when still more new Recruits joineth the company he hath his sport with them and it giveth him much joy and merriment for it is so done in the Army of Samuel. Selah!




**Major Sweatshop of the Department of Experiment wearing the new uniform patterned after the combined suggestions of our readers.**

### THINGS TO TRY ONCE.

**When on Guard.**

1. Forget to turn out the Guard when the officer of the Day comes over to the guardhouse.
2. Letting the O. D. walk between you and your prisoners.
3. Going to sleep on your post while the O. D. is inspecting the guard.
4. **Letting a prisoner escape.**

## The Jist of Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

A lady was crying one day when her litlte niece came to her and asked her what was the matter. She said, "Oh, I've got the blues." The little girl put her arms around her a moment then went away for a little while. Then she came back and looking at her auntie sympathetically, she said, "Auntie, is you still purple?"

An English bachelor nobleman was extremely averse to children and he objected to any of his tenant's children coming anywhere near him. He had a gate keeper, however, whose wife presented him with a young son. Upon hearing of the event, the nobleman dashed down to the gatekeeper's cottage and wrathfully exclaimed, "I put you here to open and shut the gate but not to propagate."

A dowager duchess was once riding in her coach with a few other passengers and when the coachman tried to make a sharp turn the coach turned over, burying the duchess and her companions under their luggage. Her Ladyship called out to the coachman, "John, John, pull me out. The black legs are mine."

Valerie, aged seven, is deeply interested in the wonders of the construction of her own small body and one morning was inquiring into what occurs when, in her rather athletic play, she gets bumps, bangs and bruises. Her mamma was trying to explain to her the structure of her skin and why a blue spot appears when she gets a bang and why a red spot comes when she knocks part of the upper skin off of her knees. After listening to the explanation she thought a moment and then said, "O yes, when I get skinned up, it is the epidermis skin what busts."

Some time ago there was a contest held in Louisville, Ky., and a prize was offered for the one who could give concisely the best way to keep a husband at home. The winner of the first prize gave this method: "Feed the Brute."

Pat worked as a gardener for a nobleman and during a hunting party, the nobleman and his friensd dashed across a part of the garden upon which Pat had worked particularly hard. However, this particular gentleman was a bit more considerate than many of his class and after seeing the damage he went to call on Pat to make amends. Pat sat gloomily upon a fence and refused to go to work. The nobleman said, "Pat I will pay for the damage. Go on with your work." Pat sullenly sat on the fence swinging his feet. "What's the matter, Pat, aren't you ever going to work any more I told you I would make amends." "No, sor," said Pat, "I'd ruther have me gravance."

An Irish immigrant got his first job carrying a hod of bricks up to the bricklayers who were building the second story of a house. When evening came, Pat regaled the other hod-carriers with a rare joke he had played on the boss, saying, "I shure fooled the boss today, I been carrying the same hod of brick up and down all day, and begorra the boss thinks I been workin' all the time."

**Trustworthy.**

Drink to the thought that where e'er a man roves
He's sure to find something that's blissful and dear,
And when he is far from the lips that he loves,
He will always make love to the lips that are near.

## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Service Company.**

Will O'Leary please tell Willis why he threw a perfectly good young rabbit out of the car on the Cusseta road about two weeks ago.

We won another base ball game last Sunday, defeating Company "C" 16 to 6. Hall twirled great ball. The support he received from his team mates was of course, excellent. Kod Hall had never prior to this game pitched in a regular scheduled game and the fans were delightfullq surprised to see him put such an excellent variety of stuff on the ball, which completely baffle dthe Company "C" players.

Private Modlinka, who temporarily is busy with a Chineses occupation, holds out great hopes for the future, asserting that O. D. shirts will, hereafter, shrink only one inch per week, instead of three as heretofore.

**Hdqrs. Co., 2nd Battalion.**

Sergeant Davis is showing some speed since his promotion. He is owner of a brand new Ford.

Now what? Famous sayings by: Corporal Bold—"When I get discharged I intend to live the life of a backwoodsman, in the sticks"—Army life at Fort Benning, two weeks after pay day, is a bit too exciting.

Corporal Weiss—"When I get discharged—well, ask me then."

Private Conley—"One more rubbed out, that leaves 3 months and 28 days."—Did you say "approximately or exactly?"

2nd Battalion Hdqrs. Co. (ensemble) "Deposits, up-the-pole, ten-day-maneuver, show-fare, pay day, civilian clothes, fatigue, short-timers, etc."

**Company "E"**

Mr. Brown will go on the range tomorrow and that means all the target force will have to start working early and late to keep enough bull's eyes and spotters for his use.

The Major gave us a nice little piece of advic this morning when he said "Keep your mouth shut and your ears open."

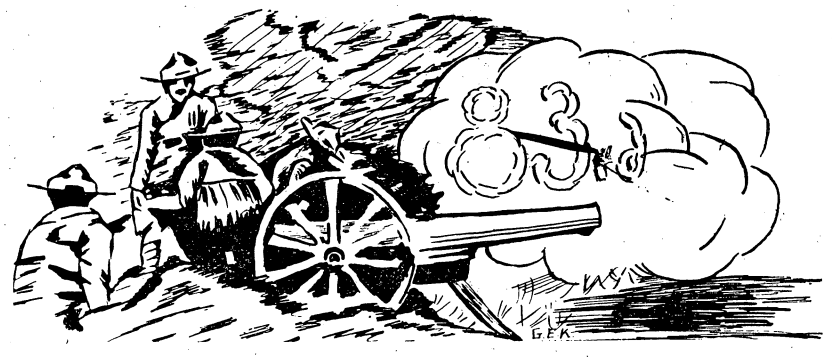
We all hate to see Seabury catch these long guards—but better him than us.

Sergeant Jones is getting to be some sport these days. Top kicker was seen playing golf down town Sunday afternoon. He shakes a mean stick, so they say.

**Company "A"**

The offensive against Elliott Hill last week was a grand success and with the exception of a few colds there were no casulties. Heaven help that imaginary enemy if the 29th ever catches up with him. There will be no quarter given or expected. We may land him this coming month as we go out in the hills after him the fifteenth and will fight it out with him for ten days.

My friend last week mentioned the fact that I was going into action at Revere Ridge and used the expression "May the Angels guide him." Well, there are angels and angels, and I know the kind that "guided" me. First I tripped over a stub in the woods and nearly broke my neck and then a little further on when the Co. Commanders Class was right where they could see us I made up my mind that I was going to show them how to hit the ground. I did—right on a nice bunch of cactus and I have sure got to apologize to that angel for the things



**Battery "A"**

While out on the range a while back, one of our drivers started up his machine intending to come back to camp, but when he came to the crest of the hill, which was rather steep, he threw it in reverse, now Butts who ever heard of going down a hill in reverse?

Mystery—Why is it Sergeant McCann dives into his foot locked after every formation?

**Battery "B"**

We are sorry to report that we are losing Privates Hall and Trent. Wish that I said. But then, the maneuvers are not so bad—that they couldn't be worse.

**Company "C"**

The Company is sprucing up in general with new flower beds, and even Rosie the Company Mascot is getting her baths regularly.

Up-to-date 88 men have fired the record course on the Range and only two men failed to qualify.

Our Recruit Special duty men are now learning the rudiments of firing a rifle. Even Private Lister has landed himself a special duty job.

Our old reliable Mechanic Bidzinski has left us to sail on the seas of Matrimony, rather funny what influence a woman can have over a man.

Corporal Walton is counting his days until he will he-up in the great outside.

**Company "F"**

Well, the 2nd Battalion is on the rifle range and by the look of the scores, so far, we, the members of the 2nd Battalion, 29th Infantry, are certain of capturing the Prizes, also making the 1st Battalion's Record Score looks mighty small. Remember the "Swell Feed" Boys, if ye put it over.

Well a fellow certainly does hear many "Alibies" on the target range, such as: "Now L was goin' to take a half point right." "There's sompin' wrong with this rifle I know." "What did ju make on this range, huh?" I made forty-four, etc.

Of course "F" Co. is going to produce quite a few "Experts" what I mean—"E" Co. had better watch their Loving Cup which they won last year. It is due to change hands this year. and Old "F" Co. will be on the receiving end.

**Company "H"**

We owe an apology to the Champion Casino Player of Bohemia. Last week we called him the Champion of Russia and got roasted for it. To top the error he overwhelmed the Italian Champion thus acquiring the European title.

There were some motor driven tractor carts tried out last week by the Company. One made the first test O. K. but the other one broke down. Both of the mule drawn carts came through.

you the best of luck, boys, when you get back on the farm.

We have found another use for Corporal Harrison; Besides his other trades he is an Automatic Pistol Mechanic .

The Gun sections defeated the Lip Stick Department (B. C. Section) in a game of Baseball 36 to 2.

Private 1st Class Braley and Wallace have been promoted to the grade of Sergeant.

Through the habitual clumsiness of our ambitious Battery Clerk (Corpl. Crowsen) on April 18th he fell and broke his right arm.

**Battery "C"**

The Battery started preliminary pistol practice several days ago. By the patience and enthusiasm shown by the men at practice we believe that the battery will have a high percentage of qualifications.

Private Thomas (Blackie) Erdos is leaving us. He says he can get too many fight's on the outside to think of re-enlisting. We wish you the best of luck, Blackie.

Sergeant France our famous lady killer doesn't go to town very often any more. Wonder why?

## 15th Tank Battalion News

A big crystal goblet will break into more pieces than a little brown jug, if it gets a fall and this was illustrated in the first game of the season between headquarters and "C" company. The final score being 9 to 8 in favor of company "C." Batzell pitched a brilliant game held headquarters to a few well scattered hits.

Last Friday "C" Company discovered another pitching ace "Barrick" who as our friend Lemon would say proved arsenic to Company "A" sluggers holding them to five hits. "C" Company winning 6 to 5.

Corporal Bryon who sprained his ankle in the headquarters game was on the side lines encouraging his team mates along.

Team standing April 24th, 1023.

| TEAMS | WON | LOST | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| "C" | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| "B" | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Hdqrs. | 2 | 2 | 500 |
| "A" | 0 | 3 | 000 |

Corporal Huber who has been in the station hospital for the past two months sick, is now well on the road to recovery and can see visitors. Anyone passing in that vicinity drop in and pay him a visit.

After a siege of several weeks illness. Corporal Allen is around once more. Although the Corporal lost considerable weight he retains his hearty laugh and good nature.

Sergeant Bridges our congenial member of the beauty M. P. squad, is back in the saddle after the siege on the target range.

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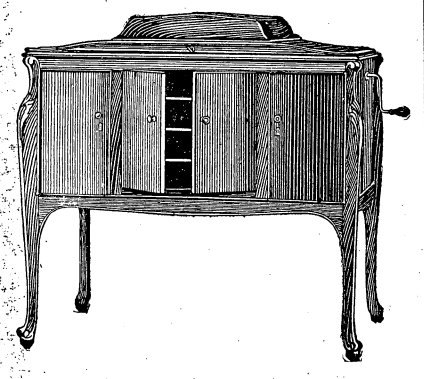

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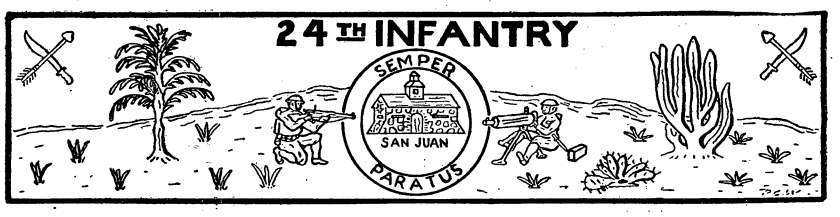


### Company "A"

Sergeant Allen has been sent out on the target range to prepare himself for the try-out for a place on the team. We are satisfied that if there is place to be got Sergt. Allen will do his utmost in securing it for benefit it will give company "A" in percentage. If Sergt. don't make good, it won't be his fault, for try is his name.

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Private Orange has made a record for himself by showing if you try, how much you can accomplish! He said he wanted a chance and he has got it, and we want to see that when you leave the range you will be second to none.

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### Company "B"

Sack Fuller, if you will stay out of the exhaust of the motorcycle you will not have so many weeks to stay in camp, I saw you crawl through the other day and before you could get in camp you had one week. Keep your eyes clear and look neat Fuller, for Wednesday is near.

Say Mr. Hall, if you go to the institution again you will lose all of your brains. Look out Pal something is going to happen and you will have to be the judge.

McGuire, you have become a settled man here of late. Take life easy and have no fear for November is a little ways off.

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### Company "C"

A certain member of the company got permission from 1st Sergeant to speak to the Company Commander. The First Sergeant heartily gave him the permission sought, so after going thru the usual form, he was asked what was wanted which was something like this:

Sergt. Sir, I would like permission to marry.

C. O. Sergt, Why, have you such in mind?

Sergeant—

There's no use to wait or tarry,
I've enough of living alone,
At last I think I shall marry,
And build a nice little home,

The Sergeant posing as Xerxes, with good indications of pep,
But his pose stole away,
When the Captain did say ,
Sergeant, have you fully considered such a step.

The Sergeant calmly wiped his smile away,
And nervously said, "Sir for the past ninety days."
I have fully considered and found, no cause for dismay,
And since I am anxious, why! should I delay.

As the Sergt. was twisting and turning about,
And perspiration was fast coming out
When the Captain said, "Yes Sergt. you have my permission.
The Sergeant quickly changed his uneasy position.

He may have been stern, but he looked broken hearted,
Made about face, and from the Office he parted.
And back to his tent he freely tottered
Where his matrimonial step, had so seriously started.

Well Sergt. we praise you, although you've caused a sensation,
But you have Company's "C" full congratulations,

### Company "D"

Company "D" is of the opinion that it can qualify 80 per cent. of Company "M" this target season. Of course for "D" Co.'s part, it can qualify 100 per cent. the darkest night, and is not worried, but by qualifying Company "M" will prove that "D" Co. is as good in instructing as in shooting.

Booker, the company "Shoe Butcher" still has the wrong idea about repairing shoes. For the hundreth time he has been told that he couldn't repair shoes with Barber and Carpenter tools, but he is still cutting half soles with a hand saw, pulling tacks with tweezers, smoothing the edges of the sole with a vibrator, polishing the edges of the sole with hair tonic, tearing the old soles off with wrecking bars, using tar for cement, using roofing nails for tacks, and an adz for trimming heels.

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### Company "F"

Members of Company "F" 24th Infantry that Fort Bennnig cannot do without:

Sergeant Anderson, head bouncer at Service Club.

Corporal Porter, Ph. D., P. D. Chief politician and head of the Bureau of Politics in Tent 30.

Private B. F. Cloudy, head block setter, Fort Benning Lumber Company.

Privates Alexander and Taylor, head bus boys at Handy's lunch room.

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### Company "I"

Very sorry to say that Corporal Reeves hasn't a thing to say about the last four ball games on Regimental diamond. All he can say is he "split even."

Heard at the Hospital It is nothing my boy but a little boil on the back of your neck, but you had better keep an eye on it.

Sergeant Butler's weekly talk—When saluting be careful that your thumb is held tightly against the first finger, not tucked in, nor left flapping in the wind, or the thumb and nose are in a very touching postion, because some think you are robbing the salute of its proper meaning.

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### Company "K"

What's the matter Sergt. Garrett? We haven't had a "Review" in a long time. Well that's right keep to post and there won't be any.

Corporal Jones (he-vamp) was in the Sunday seeking new Territory to Conquer, Loouout shacks.

Corporal Leonard (the Shiek) appeared to take cramps while Pitching for the Outlaws last Sunday until a soft voice was heard saying "go on kid" the joke is on you Corporal that was one of the Boys.

### Company "K"

We regret to report the Sad, and untimely death of our "Company Commander" Soldier, Officer, and Friend, Captain W. I. Cole. We have heard these words in passing, from different members of Co. "K" "He was as a Father to us."

And as we think of these remarks, and think how we could probably have made his burdens of life much lighter if we had bridged the gap of Rank that seperate us, and said a few of these things to him while he lived and could hear them.

Our sincere Condolence go to his wife in her bereavement.

"RESOLVED" that from now on we shall make it a point in life to try saying, and doing those things which make lighter the burden of life for those over us.

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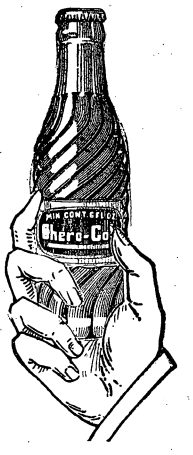


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## School Division

**"AT EASE"**
**(By Ge Allevir.)**

**An Optimist** in Fort Benning is a woman who has taken off the blankets and folded them away in the closet.

**A hot-head** is a man who hardly can restrain his impulse to make other men fight for his country.

**His salary ought to be raised.**

**A preacher** in a Western state made the following announcement from his pulpit: "Brethren, the janitor and I will hold our regular prayer-meeting next Wednesday evening as usual."

**Who put the "hooch"** in Chattahoochee? Is there really as much "hooch" in it as there is "chat?"

**Ah, so plain spoken!**

"What's the penalty for stealing a man's daughter?"

"Hard labor for life."

Bills: "What's all this bunk about vitamines in all our food? I don't believe a word about it. My ancesters got along without such stuff."

Pills: "Yeh,—but look at your ancesters; dead, all DEAD."

Captain: "Right shoulder a-rms! Left shoulder a-rms! Present a-rms! Right shoulder a-rms! Left shoulder a-r—"

Rookie: (Putting gun down): "F'r Heaven's sake, man—MAKE UP YER MIND!"

**One day last fall** during the time that skunks were somewhat annoying at the post a Fort Benning lady and her five year old son were out walking for exercise. As usual five years kept up a continuous chatter about nothing in particular. Finally he turned to his mother and, without preliminary, like a shot from a gun came the question: "Mother, where do skunks come from and why does God make'em?"

Some folks in this country still have a little, while others have a little still.

It pays to be straight. Look what the Eighteenth Amendment did to the corksrcew.

A Benning man remarked the other day that he did not have to use a radio to hear broadcasting. He always gets fed up on it when the Bridge Club meets at his house.

When a novice plants a garden,
He has an inspiration,
But soons finds out that tending it
Causes perspiration.

No wonder they are kicking about the return of the long skirt. How are they going to run for office in'em?

If some fellow would invent a muffler for soup and celery eaters he would have a fortune in his own hands.

**Household Hints.**

Electric light bills can be kept down by going to the movies every night. Wear and tear on the house can be prevented by spending more time riding around in the motor car.

"Love will find a way." That is true enough, But what love needs these days to bring June weddings back to normalcy is a job.

"OUR ARMY IN A NUTSHELL" is the name of a book in the Infantry School Library. If Congress takes another whack at it you won't need more than a nut shell to shelter it.

"INDIANA ONION GROWERS DISCUSS CONDITIONS" — Headline. Probablywith tears in their eyes.

OUR IDEA of an unhealthful job these days—being a Volsteadian Archeologist.

Have you heard this one?

A Colonel who had been doing his bit in the SOS thought he would visit the front line. He got himself a horse and rode until he came to negro camp of this regiment he ran across a artillery regiment. A little beyond the negro sentry who was lying down near the brow of a hill. The colonel, thinking the enemy was near, stopped his horse and asked the sentry "where are they?" and the man of color answered in a whisper "over dar." The colonel dismounted and tying his horse in some underbrush crawled and squirmed his way up past the sentry to the brow of the hill.

"How far away are they?" asked the Colonel.

"'Bout five kilometers, suh"

(Brain storm on the part of the Colonel for some five minutes—four minutes fifty-seven seconds to be exact)

When the storm was somewhat dissipated the colonel thundered, "What do you mean by whispering around here when the enemy is five kilometers away?"

"Suh, Ise god a bad code."

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## BLUE NET TEAM DEFEATS AGGIES

**Doubles and Singles Matches Won From Dahlonega Boys By Infantrymen Yesterday Afternoon at Fort.**

Winning all the singles and the one doubles match, the trusty crew of Benning swamped the North Georgia Aggies on the local courts last Saturday.

It was a one-sided contest throughout, the Infantrymen winning all the matches hands down.

Once more Jupe Jluvius threatened to take charge of th eevent but Old Sol came to the rescue and by 3:30 the courts were in readiness for use.

The Doughboys played up to their usual form, thought the lack of competition made it an easier affair for them.

Not one of the local players had to exert himself to cop his match. The North Georgia Aggies only brought three players as a team, necessitating the playing of only one doubles match.

Finley, playing number one for the Blue boys, swept aside Brookshear to the tune of 6-1, 6-2.

Switzer, playing number two, had an easy go, taking his match from Neaders by a count of 6-4, 6-1. Neaders exhibited some neat tennis in the first set, but weakened in the second.

Brand, playing at number three, swept by Mague, 6-1,6-0. This was Long Tom's first appearance on the hard courts as second player. He's a southpaw, having a natural advantage over every opponent.

In the doubles, Van Vliet and Whittemoore for Benning, whitewashed Brookshear and Neaders by the score of 6-1, 6-2. This, too, was the first pairing of the two local players in a match game and they exhibited some very clever team work.

Summary:

| INFANTRY | | AGGIES |
|---|---|---|
| 1. Finley | defeated 6-1, 6-2 | Brookshear |
| 2. Switzer | defeated 6-4, 6-1 | Neaders |
| 3. Brand | defeated 6-1, 6-0 | Mogee |
| 4. Van Vliet Whittemore | defeated 6-1, 6-2 | Brookshear Neaders |

## POLO TITLE IS WON BY 29th INFANTRY

**Twenty-Ninth Wins Dierks Trophy—Blues Win the Consolation Cup.**

Last Sunday afternoon the Dierks Polo trophy was won by the 29th Infantry when they defeated the 83rd Artillery 7-2.

The warm afternoon proved to be an added inducement for the military personnel and a large crowd of visitors from Columbus to witness the final act of the contest for the polo championship of the post, which was suspended in what might have been a tragic manner several weeks ago when Capt. Betts of the 29th Infantry team was injured during the fast game between the 29th Infantry and the 83rd Artillery.

The play began in the 7th period with the 29th Infantry getting a shot at the ball, the officials of the final game between the 29th Infantry and the 83rd Artillery having decided that the Cannoneers committed a foul. The final score was 7 to 2, the 29th Infantry having rung up five tallies while the Artillary outfit made one. The score at the end of the sixth chukker, when the back of the 29th Infantry team was injured, was 2 to 1 in favor of the Doughboys.

The Blue team, considered before the tournament to be the team to be feared in the tournament competition, played both the 29th Infantry team and the 83rd Artillery team for two chukkers each, after the Fort Benning polo championship had been decided. The Artillery outfit, who came first went down to defeat, the final score being 3 to 0. The Blue team then took on the Post polo champions for two periods and ran up a score of 4 to 1. This was the last game in which Lt. McKinney, the star of the Blue team was to play and he upheld his brilliant record by scoring two personal goals against the Artillery team and three goals against the Post champions.

The Blue team was presented with a beautiful loving cup as a consolation after the play last Sunday.

General Gordon presented the Dierk's Trophy to the 29th Infantry and the Consolation Cup to the Blue Team.

## BASEBALL.

**April 28th—Infantry School vs. Univ. of Florida (doubleheader) Driving Park.**

## BETTER BE READY.

When the Grim Reaper calls, he insists that prompt obedience be given and many is the time when he calls suddenly and without warning. We had all better be ready so that when the call comes we will not leave of dependent ones pennyless and to do this all you have to do is step up to your phone and call City 459 and call for Mr. Charles W. Campbell and he will write you any kind of policy that you would care for, for any amount in "The Prudential Insurance Company of America." Better not delay, better do it now, better be ready. Dead persons cannot get insurance.

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## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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**ATTENTION!**

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.**

All Knights are commanded to meet at Hicks & Johnson's drug store Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, April 29, for the purpose of attending the Memorial Services of The Knights of Pythias, to be held at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Visiting Brothers and Fort Benning are cordially invited to attend.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## VANDERBILT WINS FIRST GAME SCORE, VANDY 5, INFANTRY 1

**By BROOKE LEMAN**
**(In The Enquirer-Sun—Extracted.)**

Nashville, Tenn., April 20.—Hi Davis and Slim Embry, aces of rival camps, fought for honors here today and while Davis, Infantry pride, outhurled Embry and copped hill top laurels, Embry won a ball game. Vandy topped the Blue in the first of a two-game series by a 5 to 1 margin.

Davis held the Vandy wrecking crew of four hundred hitters to eight safe clouts, while the Infantrymen lambasted Embry for nine screaming raps in seven frfames. It was the hardest hitting Embry has faced this year and it came fresh on the heels of his two hit game against the Auburn Tigers.

But while Davis pitched winning ball his team-mates had a sad day in the field and booted the pellet about the lot, meanwhile the commodores took full advantage of the miscues and registered up at the counting station. Two of the Vandy hits were possible fielding chances and both figured in the tally making. Six times did the blue lads boot the onion. All handles were removed as far as handling difficult chances were concerned for the Doughboys.

**Infantry Threatens**

The Infantry failed to threaten in the opener and the Commodores followed suit, but the Blue made matters hot in the second. Kgelstrom and Nelson singled. E. C. Davis popped out attempting to sacrifice but the runners advanced a base on Yon's scratch hit. The sacks were full. McMullin lined a sizzler out to center which Reece snatched and Kglestrom was tossed out at home on a beautiful peg.

Box score:

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Honnenn, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Milburn, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| *Kgelstrom, lf* | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Nelson, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, E. C., cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Yon, rf | 3 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| McMullin, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Davis, T., p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 33 | 1 | 9 | 24 | 12 | 6 |

The score by innings:

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Infantry | 000 010 000 | 1 | 9 | 6 |
| Vandy | 012 000 11x | 5 | 8 | 0 |

The summary: Innings pitched: By Embry, 7; by Greek, 2. Hits: Off Embry, 9. Two base hits: Embry, Kuhn. Base on Balls: Off Davis, 4; Off Embry, 2; Off Greek, 1. Hit by pitcher: Fountain (byy Embry.) Sacrifice hits: Honnen, Woodruff. Stolen bases: Milburn. Double play: Fountain to Nelson, Kuhn to Taylor to McCullough. Strikeouts: None. Time of game: 1 hour 45 minutes.

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THE WAY OUR TENNIS STARS went through the matches with Georgia Tech and Wofford College showed the real class of racket wielders which we have among us. We predict that were there to be another contest with the Atlanta Athletic Club there would be another story written from the one following our first engagement this season.

IT IS RARE that a five man team are on their game at the same time. Generally one man is somewhat off form. This was not the case last Wednesday afternoon when the Blues swept all six of the contests with Wofford.

THE RAMBLIN' BLUES lost their first game on the road trip to Cumberland. It appeared to be a case of the absence of that final punch to put over a winner, that little difference between a good team and a pennant winner.

OUR ACE, Tracy Davis, came forth in the new role of Pinch Hitter and made good big by syamming out a one bagger. Hi has an ambition, and that is to emulate one Babe Ruth—not Andy Gump's Babe—and change from a pitcher to a sluggin' fly shagger in the outfield. Hi could do it all right, but what would we do without our Ace?

AS A RACE, the Chinese are tea-totalers—sort of a Carrie Nation. Let that steep for a while, Brooke.

LITTLE DICKY KERR Whitesides pitched the Blue to a win on Thursday in the second game with Cumberland.

THERE IS A DISPUTE about the value of pitching, in baseball competition is PITCHING.

ED ROMMEL WITH THE SEVENTH PLACE Athletics last year won almost half of the sixty-five games won by his team.

WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE THIS BOY would do is he had the Yankee wrecking establishment behind him?

AND JUST THINK WHERE the Athletics would be without Rommel.

THE TEAMS OF BOTH BIG LEAGUES ARE OFF on the 168-game grind which will last into October. Much can happen in that time. For the sake of interest, it is hoped that the eight contestants in each league will remain fairly well bunched. At any rate, may the best teams win. Play ball!

THE WAY THEY ARE STARTING OUT there is going to be a great harvest of home runs this season. Wonder who will wear the crown this year!

AFTER TOURING AMONG THE WILDS of the Hinterland for about a week Col. Hannah and Lt. Leman returned to the subtly attractive red clay hills of Georgia with the Blues.

EVIDENTALLY VANDY gave our players a couple doses of ARSENIC, judging from the HECTIC struggles.

## VANDERBILT BEATS INFANTRY IN LAST GAME ROAD SERIES

**Played at Nashville, Score 6-1.**

**(By Brooke Leman.)**
**(In the Enquirer-Sun—Extracted.)**

Nashville, Tenn., April 21.—The Vandy Commodores copped the last game of the Blue road series, when they won the fastest contest played on Curry Field this year. One hour and thirty-five minutes elapsed between the time Umpire Pique screamed "Play Ball," and the retiring of the final swatter in the last frame. Vandy won by a 6 to 1 score but it was a game full of more thrills than the box score will indicate.

Chief among these were the four rapid fire double plays which the Infantry inner circle pulled, thereby establishing a record for this dell of the woods. That little infield group of working like clockworking for the Honnen to Fountain to Nelson was Georgians. In the first five frames the stands were brought to their feet four times by swift doubling up on the Vandy men on the satchels.

Little Dickey Whitesides and Commodore Dicky Walker hulred the pellets for their respective crews. Both pitched excellent ball, but Vandy had a shade the better of the clouting, rapping the onion eight times to safe places in the daisy gardens, while the Infantryymen hit for six screaming wallops. Vandy's hitting was a bit more opportune and this was aided and abetted by four Infantry errors to such an extent that the Commodore got six tallies. Breaks of luck in the error column were peculiar for each team made four hoots but nary a Vandy error figured in the scoring while each of the Blue miscues made a tally possible.

**No Oglethorpe Games.**

The games with Oglethorpe University at Atlanta have been cancelled because of inability of the managements to secure Ponce de Leon park at Atlanta.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 0 |
| Honnen, ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| Milburn, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Kgelstrom, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, E. C., cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Yon, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McMullen, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Whitesides, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Davis, xx | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 33 | 1 | 6 | 24 | 14 | 4 |

xx-Batted for E. C. Davis in 9th.

The score by innings:

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Infantry | 000 000 001 | 1 | 6 | 4 |
| Vandy | 010 100 22x | 6 | 8 | 4 |

The Summary: Earned runs, Vandy 3; Infantry 1; Home runs, Honnen and Woodruff; Two base hits, Honnen, McCullough and Taylor. ;Base on balls off Whitesides, 4; Pass ball, by Bomar. Struck out, by Whitesides, 1; by Walker 4; Double plays, Infantry 4 (Honnen) to Fountain to Nelson, Fountain to Nelson, Fountain to Honnen to Nelson, Fountain to Nelson; Sacrifice hits, 1 by Kuhn.

Time of game, 1 hour 35 minutes.

Umpires, Pique (plate) Dewit (bases).

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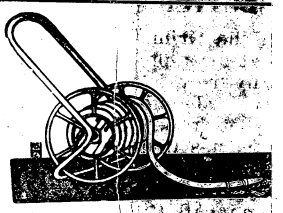
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ayer meeting every Wednesday, p. m.

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Block 7, Hall avenue.
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n.—Sunday school.
m.—Mass and sermon.
Name Society every second and Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
0:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
00 a. m.—Church.
p. m.—Evening service.

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### TICE TO INCOMING OFFICERS

The Fort Benning News is being sent to you so that you may have some idea what The Infantry School is doing and also what is going on at this Station.

This paper is sent to every officer now at Benning and it is being sent to you incoming officers as soon as we get the copy of your order sending you to The Infantry School.

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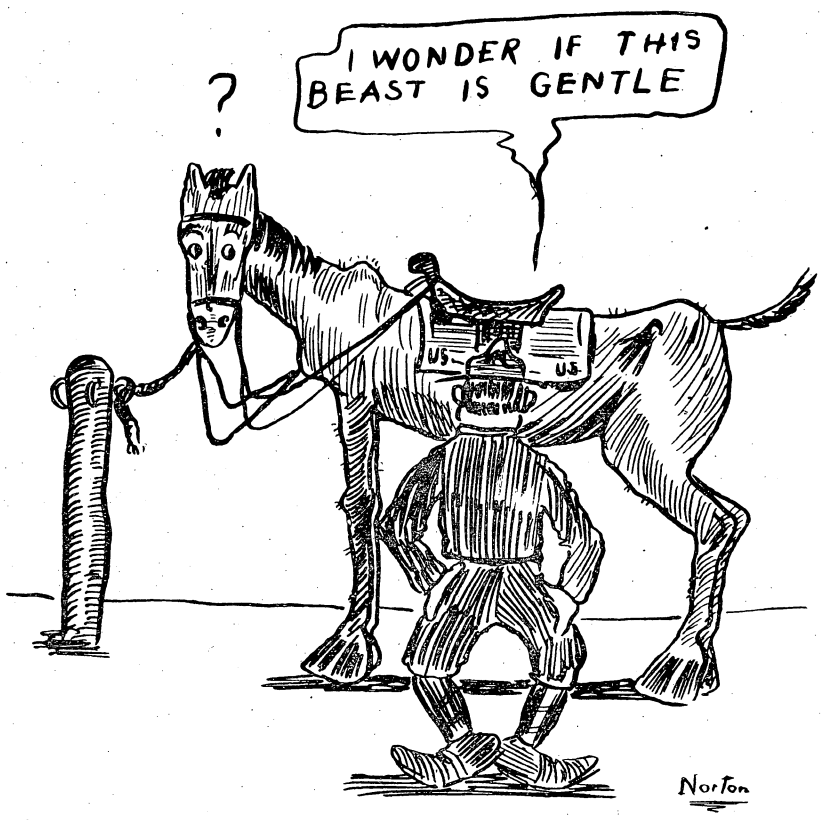


EQUITATION

**FAMILIAR VIEWS OF FORT BENNING.**

### NOTABLE VISITORS ARRIVE.

**Demonstrations this Afternoon.**

United States Senator Harris, United States Senator George, United States Representative Wright and Governor-elect Clifford Walker all of Georgia arrived at the Post this morning as the guests of our Commanding Officer, General Gordon.

These Officials are paying a visit to Fort Benning to see for themselves just what the conditions are here and also to familiarize themselves as to what the Infantry School is doing and accomplishing so that at a later date they will have first hand information if it should be necessary.

General Gordon is entertaining these distinguished visitors at luncheon after which they will witness a demonstration of a battalion in defense.

This evening the citizens of Columbus are entertaining the visitors at a get-together dinner in Columbus.

### 24th INFANTRY PUTS ON BOXING CONTEST.

**It Was a Great Night**

The boxing contest held at the Post Gymnasium, April 30th was one of the best and fastest ever held at Fort Benning.

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### CLUB ROOMS IN COLUMBUS

**Join The American Legion and get the Benefit of The Club.**

On Tuesday, May 8th, the Charles S. Harrison Post, of the American Legion, will open club rooms in Columbus. These club rooms are located in the new building over the Georgia Grocery on 12th Street, between First and Second Avenues.

Captain M. E. Eddy, Commander, of the Post, has extended an invitation to all soldiers at Fort Benning who are World War veterans to attend the opening meeting on Tuesday whether they are members of the Legion or not.

After a short business meeting a "rip-roaring" social program has been arranged and will be followed by a Dutch lunch.

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### MAJOR GREEN OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS RETURNS

**Has Been at Wendell, N. C.**

When a large cyclone struck in the vicinity of Wendell, April 7th doing damage to the three counties of Wake, Johnson and Nosh, Major Green received a call to go up and see what he could do.

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning May 6 and Ending May 12, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, May 6.**

"Peg O' My Heart" 8 reels, L. Taylor. "The Egg" 2 reels, Laurel.

**Monday, May 7.**

"Bond Boy" 7 reels, Bartholmess. "Mutt & Jeff" 1 reel, Fox News.

**Tuesday, May 8.**

"Drums of Fate" 6 reels, Mary M. Minter. "Roping Fool" 2 reels, Will Rogers.

**Wednesday, May 9.**

"Hungry Hearts" 6 reels, Washburn. "One Stormy Night" 2 reels.

**Thursday, May 10.**

"Heroes and Husbands" 5 reels, McDonald. "High and Dry" 2 reels, St. John. Fox news, 1 reel.

**Friday, May 11.**

"First Degree" 5 reels, Frank Mayo. Roach Comedy, 1 reel. Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday, May 12.**

"Dead Game" 5 reels, Hoot Gibson. "Grass Widow" 2 reels.

### NOTICE TO OUR ADVERTISERS

Beginning with this issue we are sending the Fort Benning News to those officers that have been ordered to Fort Benning to take the course for the coming year.

**GREY SQUIRREL**

**The Gray Squirrel snickered when somebody got mad,**
**At something he'd said which wasn't very bad. .....**
**"Oh Well," said he, "they can't hand me a growl,**
**Because that dog that's hit lets out the howl."**

# Social Notes

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### MRS. EVANS ENTERTAINING.

On last Friday Mrs. Vernon Evans entertained at six tables of bridge and several tea guests.

Her quarters were artistically decorated with Spring floyers.

Mrs. Paschal won the high score prize and Mrs. Hocker won the second Mrs. Heubner drew the consolation.

Delightful refreshments consisting of a frozen salad course and iced-tea were served.

### MRS. ELKINS AND MRS. BRANHORST ENTERTAIN.

On Thursday Mrs. J. W. Elkins and Mrs. Brandhorst entertained six tea-guests and seven tables of bridge at the quarters of the former.

The quarters were beautifully decorated with Spring flowers.

Mrs. Legge won the high score prize a desk set and Mrs. Arnest won the second prize a bridge slate. Mrs. Picket drew the consoliation a potted plant.

Punch and candy were served at the tables during the afternoon and after the play refreshments consisting of a frozen fruit salad with rosette wafers and cheese straws were served.

### MRS. CAWTHORNE GIVES BRIDGE PARTY.

On last Friday afternoon at her home Mrs. Ted H. Cawthorne entertained at four tables of bridge.

The house was beautifully decorated with sweet peas, ferns and pink roses.

The high score prize, an attractive hand-made breakfast set was won by Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. Schoffel won the second prize a pretty blue mayonnaise bowl. The third prize an engraving of Cologne Cathedral and one of the cities of Nurnberg was won by Mrs. Moran.

A delicious salad with coffee and home made candy was served after the game.

### MRS. LUKERT AND MRS. ARNEST ENTERTAIN.

The Polo Club on Shannon Field, Fort Benning, Ga., was the scene of one of the most delightful bridge parties of the season on Friday, April 27, when Mrs. E. P. Lukert and Mrs. R. T. Arnest entertained in honor of their visiting mothers, Mrs. Alma A. Diggles of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. E. M. Orr, of Birmingham, Ala., respectively.

The Club room was beautifully decorated with pine trees and blossoms. The color scheme, pink and white, was effectively carried out by the artistic arrangement of pink verberas and white blossoms about the room; bon-bon dishes on each table filled with pink and white jordan almonds; and the tea table itself on which was spread a pretty Japanese tea cloth centered with a large silver vase filled with pink and white blossoms, and flanked by silver candle sticks containing pink candles.

Prizes at bridge consisted of, first, sterling silver iced tea coasters won by Mrs. W. K. Carter, second, cut glass marmalade jar with sterling silver top and spoon won by Mrs. Jack Rycroft, and consolation, sterling silver boll won by Mrs. A. A. Roby. The honorees were each presented with a beautiful high, comb studded with stones.

At the conclusion of the game, delicious refreshments were served. Sandwiches, olives, celery, filled with cream cheese and nuts, iced tea with sprigs of mint, strawberry ice cream garnished with fresh berries, macaroons and candy were enjoyed by all present.

### MRS. LUMMUS AND MRS. BULLOCK COMPLIMENT BENNING VISITORS.

On last Friday Mrs. Lummus and Mrs. Deane Bullock entertained forty-five guests at bridge at the home of Mrs. Bullock as a compliment to Mrs. Geo. F. and Miss June Olson who are visiting Lieut. and Mrs. Kenneth Olson.

Sweet peas, roses and other flowers formed a charming spring decoration.

The prizes were very numerous and attractive. Mrs. Claude Scarborough made high score and was presented with an irridescent flower bowl. Mrs. Henry Crowell won the low-score prize, which was a bridge set. Mrs. Olson was presented a pretty wall-vase, and Mrs. June Olsen a powder puff in glass holder.

At the conclusion of the games a tempting salad course and iced tea were served.

Misses Julia Hartpence and Pauline Johnson assisted.

### ENTERTAINING MISS SIMS.

Mrs. Wilson Spann and Mrs. Cyril C. Chandler are entertaining at bridge this afternoon at the Ralston Hotel in honor of Miss Alice Sims, bride-elect, of Capt. C. G. Hammond.

### MRS. JAS. SPROULE ENTERTAINS 24th INF. BRIDGE CLUB.

The 24th Infantry Bridge Club was delightfully entertained on Tuesday afternoon April 24th by Mrs. James Sproule, wife of Capt. Sproule.

The top-score prize was won by Mrs. Bresnahan, Mrs. Jas. A. Murphey won the second prize. The prize for tea guests was drawn by Mrs. J. E. Custer.

After the play delicious ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

There were present about twnty mmbers of the club.

Mrs. Wylie V. Carter will be hostess of the club next week.

### AT THE COUNTRY CLUB.

The usual Saturday night dinner dance at the Country Club last Saturday was one of the largest and most charming affairs held this season.

Among the Army people Colonel and Mrs. J. W. Heavy entertained forty guests. The table was adorned in a color motif of shell pink, with white baskets of pink roses, alternating with pink candles in crystal holders.

Mr. Jack Battle had a pretty table wit hcovers for thirteen in honor of Captain and Mrs. Buracker who have just returned from their honeymoon.

At another table Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lummus, Major and Mrs. Troy Middleton, Mr. Jas. W. Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foley, were enjoying themselves.

Lieut. Pearson entertained at another table for four.

### COLUMBUS ARMY BRIDGE CLUB.

The Army Bridge Club held their last meeting of the season at the Muscogee club grill on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Norris A. Wimberley and Mrs. Wm. B. Yancey were the charming hostesses.

There were eight prizes, won as follows:

1st prize—Mrs. Wm. S. Spann.
2nd prize—Mrs. Guy Hartmann.
3rd prize—Mrs. Ernest L. McLendon.
4th prize—Mrs. Wm. B. Yancey.
5th prize—Mrs. Woodell Pickering.
6th prize—Mrs. Ted H. Cawthorne.
7th prize—Mrs. Hebert.

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8th prize—Mrs. Francis G. Brink.

At the conclusion of the game, pineapple sherbert and caramel cake were served.

### SIMS-HAMMOND ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Mrs. Edwin Huson Sims announces the engagement of her daughter, Alice Lenora, to Captain Claude Green Hammond, United States Army, the wedding to take place June eleventh.

### BEAUTIFUL DANCE HONORING MISS JUNE OLSEN.

Complimenting Miss June Olsen of Salt Lake City, Lieut. and Mrs. Kenneth Olsen and Lieut. and Mrs. Burroughs Stevens entertained at a beautiful dance Thursday evening at the Officers Hop Room, Fort Benning.

Bridal wreath, pine boughs and flags made a festive decoration for the ball room.

In the receiving line were Lieut. and Mrs. Olsen, Lieut. and Mrs. Stevens, Miss June Olsen, Lieut. Honnen, Miss Elizabeth Alexander, Capt. Allen.

Mrs. George F. Olsen of Salt Lake City, mother of Lieut. Olsen, and Mrs. Adabelle Dooley, mother of Mrs. Olsen presided at the punch bowl.

Others assisting were Mrs. Frank Lummus, Mrs. J. C. Alexander, Mrs. C. C. Hartpence, Mrs. Deane Bullock, and Mrs. Ed Lummus.

The Sergeant's Orchestra played exceptionally fine dance music. During the evening ice cream and cake were served.

About two hundred guests were present.

### MRS. DIBRELL AND MRS. INMAN ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Dibrell wife of Captain Dibrell and Mrs. Inman wife of Lieut. Inman entertained seven tables of bridge and several tea guests at the home of the former.

Wild spring flowers former the charming decorations.

Mrs. O'Leary won the high score prize, a set of flower bowls and Mrs. J. E. Andrews received a maderia tray cloth as the second high prize. Mrs. Dana Allen drew the consolation prize a hand painted sachet bottle.

A delicious frozen salad with wafers nut bread, stuffed dates, olives and iced tea were served as refreshments after the playing.

### MRS. J. M. GRAHAM HONORS STUDY CLUB.

On Monday at noon, Mrs. James Malcolm Graham honored the Benning Study Club, of which she is president, with a beautiful luncheon, given at her home.

The tables arranged for the guests were adorned with cut flowers and flags representing the various sections and topics studied by the club this year—the Lausanne Conference, Middle Europe, the Moslem Countries, etc.

The place-cards were hand painted in flags representing each country studied.

There were a number of impromptu speeches and toasts.

Among those present were Mrs. Walter H. Gordon, wife of the Commanding General, and about twenty members of the club.

### MRS. JOHN W. LEONARD ENTERTAINS AT TEA.

On last Friday afternoon Mrs. John W. Leonard gave a very delightful informal tea at her quarters in honor of Mrs. Chas. C. McGehee of Atlanta who is the guest of Mrs. Everett Stiupper.

Mrs. Hobbs poured tea and Mrs. Vernon Evans and Mrs. Vaughn Dexter assisted in serving.

Forty guests were present.

### FIELD OFFICERS CLASS GIVE DANCE.

One of the most delightful dances ever given at this Post was the dance given by the Field Officers' Class to the Post on last Tuesday night at the New Post Gymnasium.

The Gym. was profusely decorated with American flags intermingled with long leaf pine branches and other green floral.

In the receiving line were General Gordon, Colonel and Mrs. Fassett, Colonel and Mrs. Heavy, Colonel and Mrs. Heidt, Col. and Mrs. Schoeffel, Major Thomas and Major White.

It was a regular old time army dance led off with an old time grand army march.

Punch was served during the evening and during the intermission ice cream with cake was served.

The 24th Infantry Band furnished the wonderful music.

About five hundred persons were present.

### CURRENT EVENTS CLUB.

Mrs. O. G. Brown and Mrs. Guth were the charming hostess for the regular meeting of the Current Events Club which met at the home of the former on last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. G. Davis, wife of Lieut. Col. Davis was present and gave a most entertaining and instructive talk on Japan and her experience during a long residence there. Mrs. Starr Moulton and Mrs. Fiske, members of the club also delivered interesting papers.

Delicious refreshments consisting of frozen fruit salad, sandwiches and iced tea were served at the close of the program.

### TAKING IN THE SIGHTS.

Major and Mrs. Max Sullivan have returned from a ten days motor trip from Florida.

Colonel and Mrs. "Benny" Nicklin have returned from a motor trip to Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. Jeffords, a cousin of Mrs. Kent is visiting Colonel and Mrs. Kent and family.

Mr. Colgate father of Mrs. Rumbough, who has been visiting Major and Mrs. Rumbough is returning to his home in New York next Sunday.

### MAJOR AND MRS. HATIE ENTERTAIN AT DINNER.

At their apartment in Dimon Court Major and Mrs. Joseph C. Hatie entertained at a beautiful dinner last evening, their guests afterwards going to the Field Officers reception and dance at Fort Benning.

The decorations for the dinner were in handsome cut flowers. Covers were placed for fifteen.

### MRS. T. C. BROWN'S BRIDGE.

One of the most delightful affairs of last week was the bridge given by Mrs. C. T. Brown, wife of Captain Brown, at their attractive apartment on Second avenue on Friday afternoon.

In the double sitting rooms, a profusion of roses in all the shades of pink were used in baskets and low bowls as decoration. The first prize, a lovely vase was won by Mrs. Peach the second prize, a woven basket of pink rose buds was won by Mrs. Longstreet, Mrs. Burnside won the consolation, a dainty handkerchief.

Punch was served during the game, and following the game delicious sherbert and cake were served.

### MISS KENT ENTERTAINS.

Miss Kent is entertaining at a Hop Supper this evening in honor of Miss Katie Kinnett of Macon, who is spending the week end with Miss Kent.

### WENT ON A PICNIC

A very agreeable party consisting of Colonel and Mrs. Graham, Major and Mrs. Waddill and family, Major and Mrs. Elliott and family, Miss Graham and Capt. Allen motored over to Warm Springs last Sunday and enjoyed a swim in the pool which they say is wonderful at this time.

They carried their dinner with them and had a very delightful picnic lunch.

### COL. AND MRS. McCASKEY ENTERTAIN

On last Sunday evening Colonel and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey entertained Colonel and Mrs. Anding and Major and Mrs. Devoe informally at dinner.

### MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB

The Medical Department Bridge Club met with Captain and Mrs. Richard Arnest on Thursday evening.

Those winning prizes were Captain John W. White, Mrs. White, and Mrs. Dan Campbell.

Delicious refreshments were served after the game.

On May 15th the Club will be entertained by Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton.

### CHAPEL GUILD MEETS.

The Chapel Guild will meet on Monday morning May 7th at 10:30 A. M. at the Protestant Chapel.

### MAJOR AND MRS. RUMBOUGH HOSTS AT DINNER

Major and Mrs. Joseph Wright Rumbough were hosts last evening at a pretty dinner, given at the Officers Club Mess, to compliment Mrs. Rumbough's father, Mr. Gilbert Colgate of New York, who is here on a visit.

Sweet peas in pastel shades filled Venetian bowls which were placed with artistic effect on a handsome embroidered table cloth.

The guests afterwards went to the reception and dance given by the Field Officers Club.


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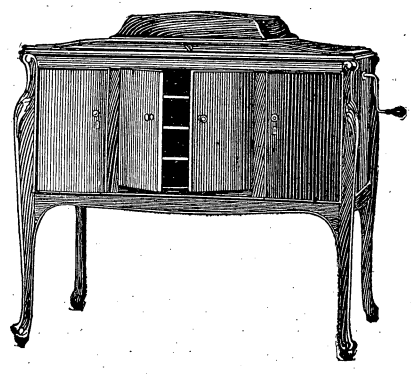

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## PICTURES COMING TO THE POST THEATRE FOR THE REST OF MAY

**Sunday, May 13.**
"The Hottentot"—McLean. "Dancing"—Bull Montana.
**Monday, May 14.**
"Brawn of the North"—Strongheart. Mutt adn Jeff and Fox News.
**Tuesday, May 15.**
"Adams and Eva"—Marion Davis. "Me and my Mule"
**Wednesday, May 16**
"Brothers under the Skin"—Helen Chadwick. "Look out Below"—Harold Lloyd.
**Thursday, May 17.**
"Tailor Made Man"—Chas. Ray. "The Pirate"—Cook. Fox News.
**Friday, May 18.**
"Gossip"—Gladys Walton. Pathe Review and Roach Comedy
**Saturday, May 19.**
"Inner Man"—Standing. "Fighting Blood No. 6"—Witwer Series.
**Sunday, May 20.**
"Kentucky Derby" — Denny. "The Rainmaker"—Hamilton.
**Monday, May 21.**
"East is West"—C. Talmadge. Mutt and Jeff, Fox News
**Tuesday, May 22.**
"Ninth Commandment"—DeMille. "Non-Skid Kid"—Rolin.
**Wednesday, May 23.**
"Broken Chains"—Colleen Moore. "Old Sea Dog"—Pollard.
**Thursday, May 24.**
"Shriek of Araby"—Ben Turpin. "Tin Broncho"—Sunshine. Fox News.
**Friday, May 25.**
"Is Divorce a Failure"—Leah Baird. Pathe Review and Roach Comedy
**Saturday, May 26**
"Snow Bride"—Betty Compson. "Deteketive"
**Sunday, May 27**
"Jazzmania"—Mae Murray. "'Twas Ever Thus"
**Monday, May 28.**
"Lorna Doone"—John Bowers. Mutt and Jeff, Fox News
**Tuesday, May 29**
"Glimpses of the Moon"—Daniels and Naldi. "Ain't Love Grand.
**Wednesday, May 30.**
"Forget Me Not"—Hughes. "Yellow Handkerchief."
**Thursday, May 31.**
"Single Handed"—Hoot Gobson. "Out of Place"—St. John.

## Bakers and Cooks School

Private Baker has started on a lone search for a typewriter with the letters "E," "T" and "H" badly worn.

He says tath he wants to form an acquaintance with the person who contributes the Proverbs of Solomon each week.

He has a deep admiration for the wisdom of Solomon, who became King of the Hebrews about 960 B. C. and showed his wisdom in forming an alliance with the then powerful king of Sidon. Solomon murdered (banished) his intefering brother who also wished to become king, and building a huge splendid temple for himself and a smaller one for Jehova, proceeded to recast the religion of his people. He lived in splendor from the taxes on his people, finally dying as his kingdom began to topple.

Private Crites who is to be discharged in the latter part of this year declares that he will not re-enlist. He apparently has begun to absorb some of the enterprising spirit permeating this organization. He announces his intention of purchasing a site of land midway between Fort Benning and Columbus and erecting a modern factory. He will place at intervals of two hundred yards along the road (error) huge signs reading:
WORN OUT, BLOWN OUT INNER TUBES AND CASINGS PURCHASED HERE. He estimates that within a few days he will have sufficient rubber on hand to begin manufacturing on a large scale. He will manufacture a new variety of non-skid chewing gum guaranteed to last throughout any ball game played at Fort Benning. Nothing wrong wit hthis idea.

Wanted—Information leading to the arrest of some person or persons who habitually steal, take, carry away, or eat the dog-meat placed in the Kitchen Ice Box for the private consumption of the School's four legged mascots.

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## MEDICAL DEPARTMENT NOTES

Second Lieutenants Alta Berninger, Bessie Jackson and Blanche Kingsley, Army Nurse Corps, spent two days of the past week in Atlanta, Georgia, where they attended Grand Opera.

The Hospital Area is beginning to look fine in general, with new flower beds and grass. The flowers receive their "daily baths" as Self is now on the job.

Our correspondence clerk, Sergeant Lowell D. White, woke up May 1st and found himself in a cotton uniform. On entering the office he tried to convince us that Tuesday was May 2nd, but as pay-day was May 1st he failed in that argument.

As the reporter was going to Headquarters the other day, two mosquitoes were heard quarreling, so after an inquiry the following conversation took place:

1st Mosquito: Corporal Moore has stopped chasing us.

2nd Mosquito: No, I was chased only the other day.

So after explaining to them that Corporal Moore had been relieved and that Private Slaughter had his place they flew away swearing they would watch for "Slaughter."

## School Division

**"AT EASE"**
**(By Ge Allevir.)**

It's gettin' so,
Ever' place ye go,
It's either auto
Or radio.

Shoes used to pinch. Now they blame it on the price.

Bolshevist: One who has nothing and wants to give somebody half of it.

We saw a suicidal blond the other day—she dyed by her own hands.

Have you noticed that the dry agents were unable to find Old King Tut's bier?

The drinker used to drown his troubles. Nowadays he gets quicker service with eternal sleep.

At ten, a child;
At twenty, wild.
At thirty, tame—if ever;
At forty, wise,
At fifty, rich
At sixty, good—or never.

The golden calf and the silk clad one are often the cause of trouble.

One morning a negress sauntered into an office in the Post and asked if she could use the telephone a minute. When told that she could do so she called up a number and after a few minutes' wait, said, "Is this Maj. Guffum's quarters? Well, I seen in de papeh whare you all wanted a good culled maid. Is yuh still wantin' one? Then the maid youse got is puffdectly satisfactory, and youse doesn't sonnemplate making' no change soon? All right, ma'am. Goodbye."

A colored soldier who happened to be nearby and who overheard the conversation said, "Howcum yoah tryin' to get a new job. Ah thought you all had a job all ready."

"Oh, dat's all right. Ise de maid what's got dat job, but Ise jest awantin' to check up."

**Tut! Tut!**

Willie, hunting for King Tut,
In a tomb was somehow shut.
In the far sweet bye and bye,
His mummy will be valued high.

"Now," said the overtime instructor in Grenades, six minutes after the close of the period, "I shall take a little detonator—"

"Don't stop him, anyone" whispered the tired student, "I will explain to the coroner."

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**Ripletts.**

There was once a man from Nantucket,
Who kept all his cash in a bucket.
But his daughter named Nan,
Ran away with a man,
And as for the bucket, Nantucket.
Dad followed the pair to Pawtucket
The man and the girl with the bucket
And he said to the man,
"You are welcome to Nan."
But as for the bucket, Pawtucket.

Sergeant Oliboi says:: Love and devotion to a cause in this land win, but it must be that devotion which sacrifices everything to the one love. The difference between art and a mere picture is that clothing is permitted in a mere picture.

## Births

Born to Major and Mrs. Frank Green of the American Red Cross one son name Hampton Terrell, date April 24th, weight seven and three-fourths pounds.

When Mr. Hampton was interviewed on last Friday afternoon we noted with pleasure that he had a copy of the Fort Benning News so quite naturally we asked him what he thought of our paper. He said several things about it but what stuck in our minds was the reference that he made to Dr. Glants Meraculas Discovery which was contributed by the Bakers and Cooks School.

He stated that was a wonderful discovery and that it would enable him to do several wonderful things one of which was to graduate from the Military Academy and the Naval Academy at exactly the same time. He figured that he could do this by taking the day course at one institution and the night course at the other.

After he had graduated from these schools he thought that he would be able to assume the presidency of the railroad for by that time he figures that all of the railroads would be one large system.

From the Presidency he thinks that he will soon be qualified to hold the job of the President of the then international red cross and by a few years experience in that position he will be fully qualified to ably fill the office of President of the League of Nations for as long a period as he desires.

Some ambition but go to it "Hamp" and the "News" certainly hopes that you will be able to attain your goal.

## 83rd Field Artillery

**Battery A, 83rd Field Artillery.**

Taken from The Atlanta Journal, Friday, April 20, 1923. There happened to be a number of conventions in Atlanta on that day and the following result of being unable to locate the right kind of a doctor transpired.

JUDGE LEAVES BENCH LONG ENOUGH TO UNITE COUPLE IN WEDLOCK.

Romance was injected into the cold business of enforcing the law in the criminal division of municipal court Friday, when Judge T. O. Hathcock left the bench for a few minutes to join in wedlock First Sergeant William Brant, Battery A, 83rd F. A., and Miss Lucy Bush of Elmira, N. Y.

At the time Judge Hathcock was trying two cases involving assault and battery and assault with intent to murder recently brought by R. C. Durham and A. M. Futrelle, vocational training students at Georgia Tech, against R. C. Connally. The case was the result of a general fight in an apartment house at 245 West Peachtree street on the night of April 11, in which Durham was severely cut and bruised.

While the evidence was being taken, the court baliff whispered something in Judge Hathcock's ear and the Judge roused himself. Reporters, following him into his office, witnessed the ceremony, Sergeant Brandt told Judge Hathcock he was stationed at Fort Benning and had sent for Miss Bush, his sweetheart, to meet him in Atlanta when he got a leave of absence. She came and they were married.

## Service Club No. 1 Notes

Thursday, April 26th Regular meeting of the B. F. C.'s was held in the South Room at 2:30 P. M. All members were present and all ladies of enlisted men are invited to attend these meetings.

On Friday the 27th another Casino Tourament was held in the South Room The winners were Corporal Harry Willis and Private T. E. Gunn.

On last Sunday a group of friends came out from town and sang with the men and helped to give everyone a pleasant time.

On last Monday the Dance Committee held their regular meeting at the Service Club.

The regular weekly dance was held at the new gymnasium on last Wednesday evening. A large attendance was present and a good time was enjoyed by all.

On Sunday afternoon May 13th (Mother's Day) there will be a musical entertainment at the club. Refreshments will be served to those present.

## LODGE NOTICES

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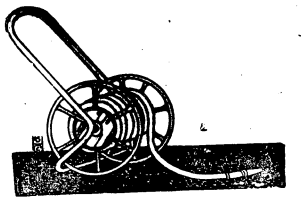
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## "MOTHER"

Oh what a meaning is the word of "Mother" especially if your mother was one of that kind that gave all and asked nothing in return that is what we understand by "Mother" Of course there are a few mothers that try to keep control of their children after they are grown up and even married insisting that a mothers right take procedure over everything else, this unfortunate misconception however is the exception to the rule.

We wish to call the attention of our readers to the fact that on Sunday, May 13, is "Mother's Day." Since the most of us are far away from home and "Mother" it would be too late to send some token of remembrance to her if we waited until the next issue.

It is impossible for many of us in the Service to be home on that day so we can not get a thrill that home coming means to you and mother but we, each and everyone of us can send some flowers or have some flowers sent so that they will arrive at her home on "Mother's Day." If you have been a little wayward and have not kept in touch with home ties don't you believe that you would give your mother a great thrill of pride if in addition to sending her some flowers you should write her a few words and tell her where you are, and what you are doing and above all tell her that you are well and playing a man's game each day? You all know that it thrills a mother's heart to know that "Her Boy" is honorable, unright, and industrious and that he is a credit to himself, to his mother, to his father and to his nation so write to your mother so that these few words may reach her by "Mother's Day" and give her that thrill that she as so often desired but which you have neglected to do.

If we turn to the Bible we find the following "Honor thy father and mother; which is the first commandment with promise (Eph. 6,2). If you are a christian and every noble upright man is, then you will obey the commandment to honor thy father and mother and you will remember when Mother's Day arrives and try to lighten her burdens on that day.

So now remember May 13th is Mother's Day and be sure to send her that letter and those flowers and after you have done this then to show the rest of your fellows that you have remembered your mother, wear a white carnation or some other white flower if your mother is living for the white flower sigifies purity, charity, and motherly love.

If however your mother is not living that you can still do your duty by honoring the memory of your mother and show it by wearing a red carnation or rose.

## ALL OVER THE WORLD.

We noted with pleasure that one of our recent editorials, "Pacifism vs. militarism" was used by the Boulder News-Herald of Boulder, Colo. as an editorial.

We certainly feel complimented and encouraged that things that appear in the News are reproduced.

A short time ago we also noted that another article of the "News" was reproduced in the 'Chilkoot Post' a paper published in Alaska.

**Word has just been received that Colonel VanDusen, Medical Corps, died at Walter Reed General Hospital at Noon, May 2nd. The News extends sincere sympathy to the bereaved relatives.**

## Kajolery Kolyum

LEDGER CONTEST. Mrs. W. M. Persans, wife of Sergeant Parsons has entered the contest given by the Columbus Ledger. She will appreciate the new subscriptions that will be given her and also if you are already taking the Ledger if you will pay her the monthly subscription it will assist her.

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FOR SALE—Indian Twin Motorcycle late model, good condition, and price reasonable. See Lt. S. R. Hinds, Building No. 72509, Headquarters Infantry Rifle Team. Phone 156 or 387-2R.

If you are troubled with ants, cocroaches, water-bugs or flies don't forget to procure some of the killer that you can get at the office of the "News" It was given to us to try out and so it cost us nothing. Any person desiring some may receive a sample from the office of the "News" in the New Post Gym.

FOR RENT—One office formerly used by the Post A & R Officer. Rent reasonable.

LOST—A Class Ring 1923 with a large monogram "M" with the words "County High School" under the large "M" On the inside has the initials "C. H." Finder please return to the Post Hostess, Miss Roe, at the Enlisted Men's Service Club.

## The Jist o' Life
**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

**The Ever Thrifty Scot.**

Two Scotchmen were discussing pleasure when one said, "MacDougal, I don't enjoy smokin' tobaccy." "Why not?" "Weel, I tell yuh. When I smoke mah own pipe, I worry about the expense of the tobaccy and when I smoke mah friend's I fill it so full, it won't draw."

**A Trifle Soiled.**

Hiram and Sarah were attending a theatrical performance during which Hiram observed: "That actress' face looks the same now as it did in the last act and yet twenty years are supposed to have elapsed." "Yes, remarked Sarah, and she ain't washed her face in all that time."

**A Tempting Tidbit.**

Johnnie and his ma were traveling on a train and a man gave Johnnie a handful of peanuts, which he contentedly munched down to the last one, which unfortunately dropped on the floor. Johnnie's ma wanted her young hopeful to be nice—as all mothers do—and when she saw what had happened she told Johnnie not to eat the peanut that fell on the floor. Johnnie squirmed in his seat a while as a vision of one more passed before his mind's eye. Finally he could stand it no longer so he said, "Ma, if I cannot eat it, can I get down and look at the peanut?"

**All the Same.**

"Ma, kin I go over an' play with Mickey O'Hoolihan?" "Naw, Pat, ye know we don't have nothin' to do wid the O'Hoolihans." "Well, Ma, kin I go over an' lick de stuffins out of 'im, den?" "Yes, gwan."

**Learning Bribery Early**

On William's first day in school, he refused to stop talking when the teacher told him to. To teach the rudiments of school discipline, the teacher told William to stand in the corner. He dutifully walked forward and stood facing the corner. Later when the teacher came past him, he looked up at her with tears in his big round brown eyes and said—remembering a precious coin deposited in his savings bank that morning—"Teacher is it worf a nickle to det out of the torner?"

**Pep Needed.**

It was Sunday evening. The minister had arrived at "thirdly" and the hour was nine. Suddenly he noticed a man sleeping—and in the front pew.

"Will you please wake up that brother next to you?" he said in a low tone to a man sitting beside the sleeper. The latter replied loudly: "Wake him up yourself. You put him to sleep."

**Something Coming.**

Tommy had been playing truant from school and had spent a long beautiful day fishing. On his way back he met one of his young cronies, who asked, "Catch anything?"

At this, Tommy in all the consciousness of guilt, quickly responded, "I haven't been home yet."

**Boy—Page Noah Webster.**

A somewhat rapid city man remarked to a farmer friend:

"Thursday we autoed to the country club and golfed till dark, then trolleyed back to town and danced till morning."

The farmer "got back" in this language:

"I've been having some time myself. Wednesday I muled to the cornfield and gee-hawed till sundown. Then I suppered till seven and piped till nine. Then I bedsteaded till five o'clock, then breakfasted till it was time to go mulin' again."


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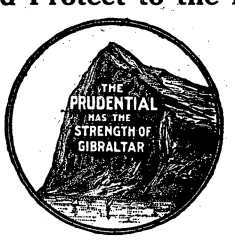

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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

CHAPTER VII

**That Which Dealeth With the Shooting of the Bow-Gun.**

There cometh a time during the year when regulations and ordinary work are forgotten or ignored and the speech of the men and the officers concerneth only one item and of this they sleepeth eateth and talketh until all concerned are in a feverish state but behold and condemn not these for know ye that the target season is at hand.

As the command moveth toward the range it giveth much singing and jesting and all in all the men feel exceedingly joyful.

But as they approach the range it growth quieter and quieter until at last only the sound of marching men is heard for the men now give a thought of earnestness.

The recruit wondereth if the gun kicketh much and of the older men each and every one wondereth if he can shoot as well as he did the year just past or maybe if fortunate luck favoreth him he may make a better qualification.

It is the ambition of every good soldier to be an excellent shot.

So it is for these reasoos that all groweth quite.

Soon after the arrival at the range all is put in readiness and the first order goeth up to fire. Those who fire not on the first order crowd eagerly forward and if it were not that all of the officers were exceedingly alert and ordereth these men back to a point of safety, there would be some few who wouldest try to get in front of the gun to see the bullet pass from within to without.

Soon there after it giveth a loud report and lo, a firer hath fired and the target season hath begun.

Some of the firers make a good shot the first time, others it giveth not so good but it is expected as the men know not their gun and so know not what adjustment of elevation or windage that they must make.

The reason for this strenuous period is for the purpose of teaching the men just what the zero of the gun is so that he knoweth just what adjustment is necessary for a given range.

After the first order hath fired they return and a new worder taketh their place and so on until all men have fired.

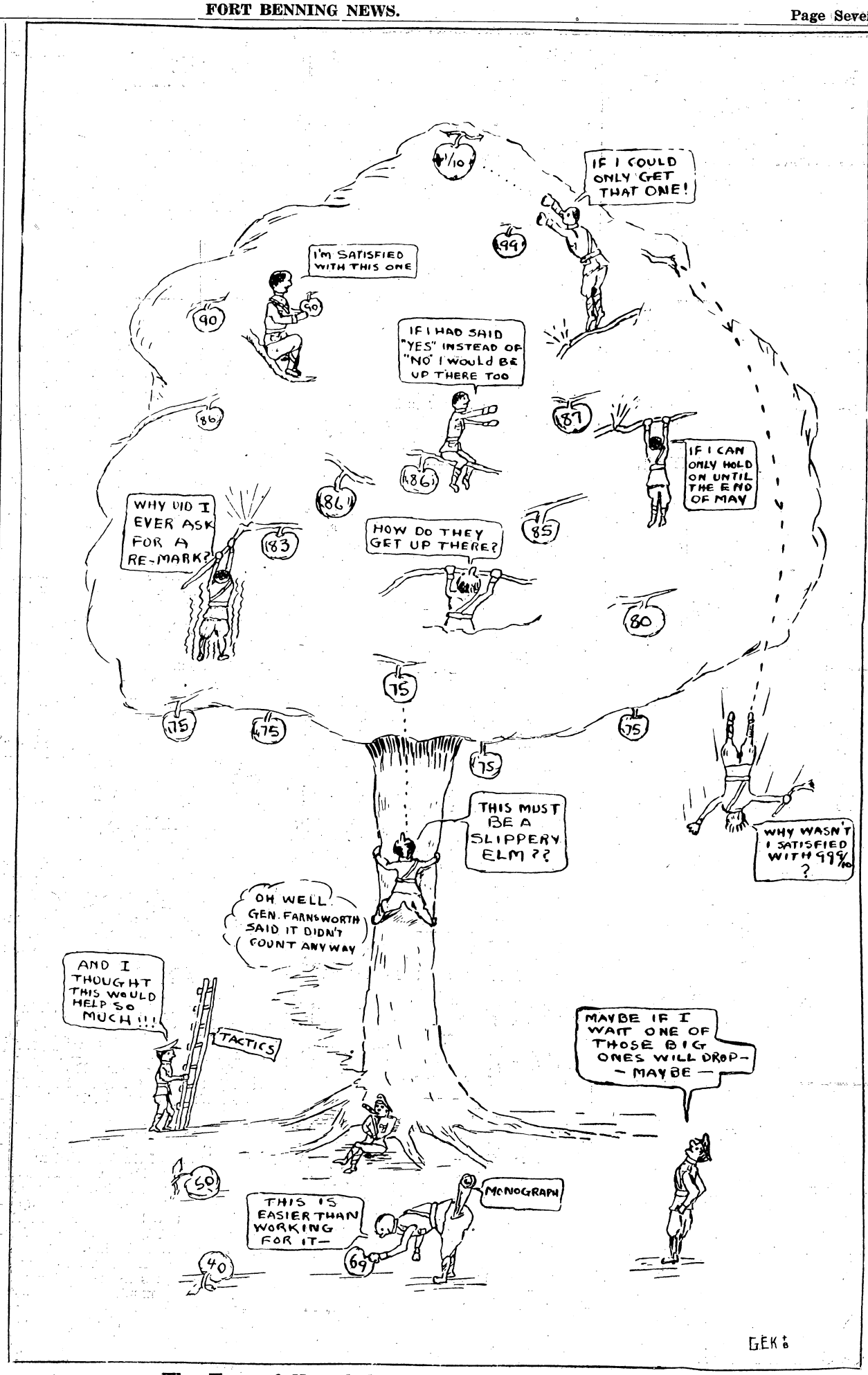
When a new man goeth up to fire he hath heard many stories, some of which he wisheth to believe and others that he doeth not desire to believe, but still he feareth that some of these undesirable stories may possibly be true.

So when he goeth to the point of firing he feeleth weak about the knees and giveth thanks that he can lay down to fire his first string.

He loadeth carefully and taketh exceedingly fine aim, but as he squeezeth the trigger slightly he wondereth if the gun kicketh mightly and while he thinketh he closeth the eyes snappily and jerketh the trigger heavily but he heareth only a sharp click and then feeleth the muzzel move upward slightly and that is all.

After a while he openeth the eyes cautiously and then sweareth mightly that he hath a misfire but at this time the keeper of the scores crieth out loudly so that all might hear "Private X a five" The recruit closeth his mouth so suddenly that he catches his tongue between his teeth but he mindeth not the pain for he has hit the center of the targe and also he now knoweh that the gun kicketh not and so, soon he learneth to shoot just as the other soldier before him.

SELAH!




**The Tree of Knowledge—Symbolic of the School Division.**

## THINGS TO TRY ONCE

5. Try spiting on the new gymnasium floor.
6. Getting someone to shoot your record course for you.
7. Trying to sell a used auto for what its worth.
8. Trying to get life insurance after you have been rejected by one insurance company.
9. Pull a Piano across the new gymnasium floor.
10. Trying to convince one unit commander that he should furnish replacement for another unit.
11. Taking a bootlegger's word of honor that he is selling only bonded "stuff."
20 Making "Calculator" a one man dog.
21. Telling the quartermaster that the coal is no good.
22. Trying to beat the Grim Reaper by trying to dash over a railroad crossing ahead of the train.
23. Telling an army officer that our army is adequate.
24. Request and expect to get an assignment near your home town.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Hdqrs. Co., 2nd Battalion**

Sergeant Powell reported in yesterday only to announce that he leaves soon for three more months recruiting in Tennessee. Six recruits this last trip is pretty good work as a starter, Sergeant.

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The Battalion Commander has announced that cash prizes will be presented all men exceeding the record of 316 points made this year on the range. This company hasn't started range work yet, so we have a chance to see what the other fellow makes and will know just how much will beat him.

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**Company "H"**

Everybody is getting in shape for the maneuver. We expect to be one of the best if not the best Company out there as we were on the hike to and from McClellan.

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We now have a fine wood cutter in the Company. Anyone wishing his servcie will kindly send in their request early. He will not work for men. He is a lady's man.

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Our baseball game with Reg. Hdqrs. Co. was postponed.

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Parris has a berth on the Regtl. Baseball Team as well as on the Infantry Team.

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**Company "F"**

Well the 2nd Battalion certainly did show what they can do when it comes to shooting for record. Stick to it boys remember the "War cry" boys, "CHOW" so put it over.

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Private First Class Moss, sure did pull a deep one supposing you needed five (5) points on 600 Novie, you would been out of luck don't you think But don't let a small thing like that worry you old timer.

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It is safe to say that every man in the Battalion will qualify.

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Sergt. Stephenson is shooting expert again this year, consistent shooting isn't it "Steve?" 305 it is. Selah!

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Remember Sid you want to make the high score in the Co. so stick to it.

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Private Perry is shooting Expert also. Do you want to let the girl know about it Francis?

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**1st Bn. Hdqrs. Co.,**

Lieut. Adams received a bill for $2.50 from a certain drug store in Columbus for flea powder the other day. He wrote them a letter in which he emphatically stated that he had never made any such purchase to which they replied that his wife had purchased and charged same to him. This is the first knowledge Lieut. Adams had of being married, and it undoubtedly came as a shock.

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Private Fulkerson returned from his furlough a few days ago, and we were very glad to hear that his mother's health is improving.

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**Company "C"**

Found an honest man in "C" Co. Boy page diogenese we have 'em in "C" Company.

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High Fiance, How to pay $44.00 on the salary of $19.00 Saturday and Sunday K. P. one solution.

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Logan Park will soon be completed a fe wmore twilight artist will complete the job.

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In spite of the target practice just held our old Top Kick claims there is one bum shot in Camp, mabeys silencer is the cause.

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**Company "A"**

Last week all the Post Chaplains wree around and gave an interesting talk on Church attendance. Some of the men that responded to the appeal, but the 1st Sergt. missed the services and atttended Summary Court as a witness at 1st Battalion Hdqrs. instead.

The same services will be held next Sunday and we wish to see the 1st Sergeant at Church services instead of Court.

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**Company "B"**

There seems to be a Sergeant in the company that is crazy about the girls and I believe that he will be a single man no longer than two or three days (that is if he can find ayone taht will have him which is very doubtful) so Humphrey don't get so——Struck and you will look better.

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Believe us, the men in the company are just crazy to go on the ten day demonstration for all the talk that one can hear is about the full field pack and the five minute rest in each hour.

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I wonder what can be drawing the presence of Private Short in the city every night as there is some that is getting anxious for his own personal welfare for anyone that stays up until two and three in the morning each night and seven nights a week, Well there must be something wrong.

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**The Good Old U. S. A.**

It makes no difference where you wander,
It makes no difference where you go.
If they ask you where you were born lad.
Speak right up and be proud to say
Its a land I love tha t is not above
But in the good old U. S. A.

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**Company "D"**

Sergeant Pohl has a team made up of men from Company "D" 29th Infantry and while well aware of the fact that the lineup which Lieut. Medaris has is undoubtedly the coming champs of the Fort he, Sergt. Pohl wishes to challenge Company "D" team for a series of three games, his line up is as follows:

Mingora, Chief coach, "Tony de" Jasper, asst. coach, "Shiek" Willard, Catcher, Randolph, Pitcher, Albert Johnson, Pitcher, Baranowski, L. F., Branoustki, C. F., L. D. Regan, 1st Base, Hanners, 2nd Base, Brinski, ss., Samakoig, 3rd Base, Regan, F. Utility infielder, Wicherowski, R. F., Pietrowski, utility outfielder.

Manager Pohl wishes to call special attention to his catcher "Shiek" Willard, who is one of the best and fastest backstops in the business, also Pohl has the best pitchers that money can buy who are under the personal supervision of the two best coaches in the business Mingora and "Tony de" Jasper. His outfield is known as the million dollar outfield. Pohl request that for this series the following men be assigned to umpire the games. These men while young know the game thoroughly and would be able to handle the crowds which would come to see the games: Fluegel, Metcalf, Mack and Reed.

While not wishing to interfere with the Post A & R Officer, who I realize has sufficient to do without taking advice from me, I would like to offer a suggestion and that is, why not set aside certain nights in the week, at the 29th Infantry theatre, for monkeys and comedians, while I personally enjoy comedy, especially while viewing a picture, I would much rather hear these so called sophisticatel crevices, (Wise cracks) from the stage than from in back of me at the show.

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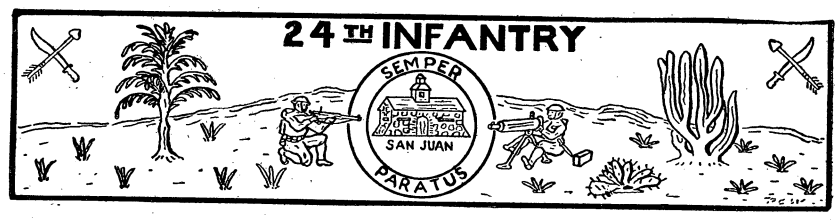


### Company "F"

Private Brown, David, reported to the Company Commander that he sent an O. D. Woolen Shirt to the Camp Laundry and only received an O. D. button back, the Company Commander replied that they must have washed the shirt in hot water and it shrinked.

The old Battery was well represented in the game with Talladega, by Rabbit Knight in short, keep it old horse your ball playing will some day keep the bear off you in civil life.

Mrs. Hugh Taylor, wife of Sergt. Taylor arrived recently from Dallas, Texts, we are glad to have her among us to help in our social functions.

Have you once thought of the "shooting F," we have 1 Officer and 22 enlisted men. 8 expert riflemen, 5 sharpshooters and 9 getting laundry money. Lieut. Jones, M. E., Oh, no! All will be experts in July.

Corpl. Hightower, (Gun sling Dave) drew a 10 inch bull eye in his sheet so he could practice shooting standing while sleep.

### Company "I"

Sergeant Handy (Twilight) has been transferred to the Blind Asylum, to teach Pvt. Woods the difference between 2 and 5.

Sergt. Butler wants to know what would Solomon have done if all his wives had work shirt waists that had to be buttoned in the back.

Private Brown (Capt. Hammond's dispatcher) is leaving us. He says that he built the post gym, and they wanted him to build the round house, so he has departed for the land of cotton and corn. We wish you the best of luck Brownie.

All men that think they will make "Sharpshooters" are commanded to meet at Sergt. Handy's tent Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, May 6th, 1923 for the purpose of instruction as "Experts" Rueben Wood and Sergt. Walker are cordially invited to attend.

### Company "L"

Private Chas. Vaughns (in music store) "I want a copy of The Stolen Rope."

Assistant—I'm afraid I don't know of such a song.

Private Chas. Vaughns—Why it goes Tum-tum-tumpety-tum.

Assistant—Oh you mean the lost cord.

Vaughns—Ah, that's it.

Corporal Burch—And what did you gevi your baby when it was christened?

Corpl. Bradwell—A silver spoon.

Corpl. Burch—Was it a good one.

Corpl. Bradwell—I'll say so it had Company "L" 24th Inf. on it.

Why don't you fellows line up when I blow the whistle for dinner (Sergt. Shannon)

(Member of the Company) "We didn't hear it."

Well, the next time you all don't hear it come and tell me.

It is said that while Private William Troup was on Furlough he was met with an opportunity to be present during a pacific oration, of which the orator was declaiming against war. Seeing Troup listening on the edge of the crowd, he roared out: "See that man! He is garbed in the uniform of war. But I belong to the army of Heaven." Then Troup, leisurely removing his cigar from his mouth dryly replied: "You're a'ell of a way from your barracks, then."

Being in the Army it was the first time this soldier had an occasion to ride in a taxi, and watching with growning alarm the driver continually putting his hand outside the car as a signal to the following traffic.

At last he became exasperated.

"Young man," he said, "You look after that car of yourn, and watch where you're going. I'll tell you when it starts raining." (Pvt. Cole Purvis.)

Wise men never borrow trouble when they can borrow money instead. (Pvt. John Bell).

Our friend Sergt. George Currence says there is only one time when two heads are better than one, that is when a man wakes up the morning after the night of payment.

The new teacher taking over his class of illeterates on the first night of school decided to find out how much or how little they knew, he asked Private Robert Agerson "Dou you know your A-B-C.'s-?"

"H—— no!" was the answer; I have only been here about five minutes, what do you think I am?"

Is long hair stylish? Yes you can prove that by Private Elbert Dorrah.

### Company "M"

A certain distinguished Gentleman proceeded to Columbus, Ga., recently and endeavored to change a baker shop into a florial store by purchasing snapdraggins.

We now have invented a new dish, as follows: Sweet potatoes alagram, sweet potatoe pie, sweet potatoes baked, sweet potatoes stewed, sweet potatoes boiled, sweet potatoes fried, and sweet potatoes, all in on meal. Beware Sergt. you have sweet potatoes in a jug but you have not got the stopper in your hand. I woke up this morning, and some one was knocking on my door, it was sweet potatoes.

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## CLUB ROOMS IN COLUMBUS

(Continued from Page 1.)

The local post has spent considerable money in the furnishing of these new club rooms and it is hoped that all soldiers who are Legionaires, will make it their headquarters while in town. The club rooms will be equipped with telephone, stationery, and recreation hall for the convenience of its members.

It is believed that many of the soldiers who are eligible to belong to the legion will take out their membership when they see what is offered them for the small sum of three dollars a year. Full privilege of the club rooms together with 52 issues of the American Legion Weekly, comes all for $3.00.

The Fort Benning News strongly urges company and battery officers and first sergeants to interest their men who are eligible to the Legion, to be on hand at the opening of the local post club rooms next Tuesday.

One Company Commander of the 29th Infantry, whose War Veterans are 100 per cent. members of the American Legion stated yesterday that the Legion has done more to help the morale of his company than anything else so far.

The Chas. S. Harrison Post now has a membership of 730 members. Efforts are going to be made during the next three weeks to bring this up to 1000 in order to be able to send a strong delegation to the State Convention at Athens in July.

The only post in the State that is now larger than the Columbus Post is Atlanta with a membership of 1100.

## 24th INFANTRY PUTS ON BOXING CONTESTS

(Continued from Page 1)

The contest opened by a three-round bout between Kid Dynamite and Kid Carbolic Acid two 60 pounder from Columbus who held the attention of the spectators during the three rounds.

St. Thomas and Page, of Fort Benning, staged a fast 4 rounds with Page the loser.

Battling Buckeye and Sloane William of Fort Benning fought 6 fast rounds to a draw.

The semi-final between Flashlight Bryd of Fort Benning and Tom Saunders was too fast and too short for the fans. Bryd floored his man in one minute and thirty-five seconds.

The main bout event between Billy Hooper the "wild cat" of Atlanta and Kid Moon of Birmingham was one of the fastest ever witnessed in this section of the country. These men fought 15 rounds, Moon getting the decision in the 15th round.

The attendance was about 450.

The Twenty-Fourth Athletic Club has slated some of the best colored boxers in the country who will box at the Post Gymnasium in the near future and guarantees clean sport for the boxing fans.

## MAJOR GREEN OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS RETURNS

(Continued from Page 1.)

When Major Green arrived he found that the cyclone had covered a strip of about fifteen miles long and varying in width from a hundred yards to one half mile.

Committees were organized and the stricken people gave immediate and hearty support. Pyramidal tents were put over the wooden frames similar to block 21 and the necessary supplies put in which included everything from the knives and forks to the bedding and stoves.

Abaut seventy families were affected and of these about twenty four were left absolutely destitute.

Major Green says that he never before was in a stricken community where everybody wanted to do something and all that they wanted was that they be told what was wanted or what was to be done and it was accomplished.

Those who were fortunate enough to escape the cyclone gave freely of money and other necessaries to help the unfortunate ones. Another committee from Raleigh which included Mr. Daniels former Secretary of the Navy came to Major Green and offered money and assistance.

Captain John H. Gibson formerly of Benning but who is now detailed to North Carolina State College as an instructor in Military Science and Tactics gave valuable assistance as also did the Navy Recruiting there in the way of assistance and transportation. The American Legion came in for their share of work also, for they furnished assistance and manpower.

Major Green returned April 26th and says that while the work is not furnished it is progressing nicely.

The cyclone di dabout $250,000, of damage.

## NOTICE TO INCOMING OFFICERS

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

THINK OF THE UNSPEAKABLY UNKIND truant officer in New Jersey who stopped the four tots bent on establishing a marathon dancing record after they had been dancing only two hours just in order to send them to school!

THE WAY THEY ARE POPPING the old horsehide out for homers and such like in the big leagues has revived that talk about "lively pills."

SPEAKING OF SLUGGERS, How about our own Shrimp? It does our heart good to see old Shrimp come up with two on. He nearly always delivers.

THAT MARATHON DANCE AGAIN—a man in San Antonio, Texas, danced 112 hours and felt no ill effects. They sure do have real folks down in Texas. (Brooke's from Texas, youkno.)

NOW THAT JOHNSON has disposed of Fulton—a trial horse—he gets a chance at Willard, a truck horse.

THE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE for next fall is a mighty impressive one. Now, if we can just gather together a good bunch of candidates for the team! Practically the whole of last year's squad are due to leave the post for service elsewhere.

IT WAS EASILY DEMONSTRATED last Saturday afternoon that no college no matter how good a reputation its team may have acquired, can send a substitute team against our Blues and get away with it. Those Florida outfielders are still panting from the HECTIC time they had shaggin' the drives of the Blue batters.

GUNN, THE BIG SWAMP ANGEL flinger, was not such a gun after all. He lacked both steam and control. Although he stood six feet six holeproofs and looked 'most sixteen when he took the mound he failed to use his height in producing steam. He preferred to toss them from the underground, a la our own McNutt.

OUR OLD FRIEND, BULL YON, Blue centerfielder, who is a Florida graduate and has also been ordered to the University for R. O. T. C. duty, received quite a panning from the bleachers over the showing of the Florida players.

## 24th INF. DIVIDES HONORS WITH VISITORS

The 24th Infantry had a busy week with the string of games which they played on their home diamond last week. Morehouse College team were their guests on Thursday and Friday, April 19th and 20th. The first game was a splendid exhibition of baseball, resulting in a victory for the local boys. The second game proved a nightmare for the team coach, when apparently his entire team had an off day. The score seems to tell the tale but no words or statistics could portray the wierd developments and friek situations that were continually beeting down on the local nine. The score:

**First Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 220 010 13x | 9 | 20 | 8 |
| Moorehouse | 020 100 100 | 4 | 14 | 5 |

One home run, 3 2-base hits.

**Second Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 002 100 000 | 3 | 12 | 8 |
| Moorehouse | 322 203 900 | 21 | 31 | 2 |

One home run, 2 double plays, 3 3-base hits, 4 2-base hits.

On Saturday and Sunday the Birmingham Black Barons, a professional team, which stands in the first ranks among colored baseball teams in the country were guests of the Regulars. The two games played were divided and a fine schedule of entertainment was provided for the weekend. The scores:

**First Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 100 103 00x | 5 | 13 | 2 |
| Birmingham | 001 011 010 | 4 | 16 | 6 |

Leonard pitched a water-tight game. A double play stopped a possible score in the 1st inning.

**Second Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 000 220 000 | 4 | 12 | 8 |
| Birmingham | 021 002 211 | 9 | 20 | 2 |

One double play. One home run, 2 3-base hits, 2 2-base hits.

On Wednesday, April 25th, the team from Talladega College were again reminded that not all athletes are in college. Leonard started the twirling for the 24th Infantry, but he was relieved by Green in the 5th inning. The score shows what happened after that. Knight was given a try-out at short stop in this game and came througgh with real class, both with the stick and on the fast diamond as well. Williams favored his admires with a thrill in the eighth when he pulled a home run which tied the score and added one of the tallies that spelled victory. The score:

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 112 020 23x | 11 | 21 | 2 |
| Talladega | 411 300 000 | 9 | 14 | 3 |

One triple play; 3 home runs, 2 2-base hits.

The 24th Infantry team will make a trip to Atlanta and play Morehouse College a return game on May 4th and 5th.

The next home games will be on May 11th and 12th, when the Central City College team from Macon, Ga., will play on the 24th Infantry diamond. No admission, and everybody is welcome.

## CO. "D" 29th INFANTRY DEFEATS SERVICE CO. 29th.

One of the best ball games ever played around Fort Benning was the one between Company "D" 29th Inf. and the Service Co., Sunday afternoon It was a clean fast game and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large crowd who attended said game. For the first four innings no man crossed the home plate in the last half of the fourth, the first man up was an easy victim for McGaha, McCaslin then knocked one way out left for a home run scoring the first run, Hall and Clark the next two were easy victims for McGaha who struck both of these boys out. In the sixth "D" Co. started, Bender the first man up knocked out a clean hit for one base, McPherson bunted forcing Bender out at second, McGaha, then came through with a clean hit advancing McPherson to third, Detwiller hit one back of short scoring McPherson and McGaha, but was put out at second. In the eight McGaha made a home run which cinched the game for Co. "D" Willis who pitched for the losers pitched wonderful ball and under ordinary conditions should have won the game but the Service Company couldn't touch McGaha. "Slick" Harkey, the veteran pitcher plugged the hole for "D" Co. at second and played a fast game.

Score by innings:

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Co. "D" | 000 002 110 | 4 | 9 | 4 |
| Service Co. | 000 101 000 | 2 | 4 | 1 |

Batteries: McGaha and Johnson; Willis and Shay.

Umpires: Davis and Kyelstrom.

## BASEBALL.

**May 4th—Infantry School Vs. Howard College at Ft. Benning.**

**May 5th—Infantry School Vs. Howard College, at Driving Park.**

**May 11th—Infantry School Vs. Oglethorpe, at Benning.**

**May 12th—Infantry School Vs. Oglethorpe, at Driving Park, Last Game of the Season.**

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## INFANTRY TRIMS FLORIDA.

**Doughboys Take First Game by 10-2 And Then Take the Second to the Tune of 9-2.**

**By BROOKE LEMAN.**

INFANTRY, 10; FLORIDA, 2.
INFANTRY, 9; FLORIDA, 5.

The Blue clad tribe of the Infantry romped into a double win over the visiting Swamp Angels from the Gator state yesterday afternoon. The Doughboys copped both ends of the twin engagement fought out at the Driving park and did so by healthy margins.

Whenever any ball club outfields and outhits another club they generally take the laurels. Add to this superior hurling by the Infantry moundsters, McNutt and Hutchinson, and you have the story of the Blue victory in a nutshell.

The Infantrymen won the first battle by the inflated and onesided score of 10 to 2. They took the second 9 to 5 and both games were put on ice early in the contest. Two innings filled with tallying by the Blue resulted in the ball game being stored away on the shelves for all time to come.

**McNutt's Star Slab Work.**

McNutt, underground slabster, went to the rubber for the Infantry in the opener and hurled brilliant ball. He let the onion aloose from off his shoe tops in a way that made the Gator swatters whiff at the empty zone. Out of the twenty-nine stickers to face him he retired ten by the windmill route. In the second and sixth frames he performed the unusual feat of whiffing all three enemy clouters. In the seven frames worked he yielded but four scant hits, at wide intervals, and was remarkably tight with men on the satchels.

So when the history of the first struggle is written the name of McNutt, submarine flinger; must be recorded on big type. But in passing it must be stated that the Blue lads behind this flinger hit the onion when hits were needed and this coupled with some exceedingly wierd fielding and worse pitching on the part of the Florida lads turned the first battle into an overwhelming Infantry victory.

**Gunn Chased to Showers**

A big six foot six Gator by the name of Gunn started to work for the visitors. He was the biggest of the visiting squad and from all visible performance had less on the ball. In the second frame he was fading fast, but the third found him a wilted lily. The Gator coach promptly chased him to the showers, meanwhile the Infantry had accumulated an even seven tallies, which coupled with three in the preceding game, put the battle on ice. Smith, ace of the Gainsville camp, took over the firing and finished in much better shape. He had some stuff behind the arm which loosed the pellet.

Florida cracked aloose in the opener at a whirlwind pace and shoved over a tally. Hitchcock walked, took second on McNutt's error of White's bunt and tallied when Beasley singled. But the second frame wrote another story for the Infantry shoved over three.

**Three More Scored.**

Kent Nelso doubled to left. Yon drew a free ticket while McMullin beat out an infield hit packing the stations. Up came McNutt and dropped a Texas leaguer in the center gardens while Nelson tallied. Gunn uncorked a wild pitch and Yon registered up. McMullin tallied when Fountain flew out to right.

The big doings for the Blue came in the next frame. McCarty was hit and limped to first. Kent Nelson drove out another hit for one bag. Yon connected for a screamer to center and McCarty stopped on third. The sacks were drunk.

McMullin connected with an ace between first and second and McCarty and Nelson tallied. McMullin was forced at second by McNutt, but in the toss to first Beasley threw wild. Yon tallied on this play. Olmstead walked. George Honnen was safe on Hitchcock's muss of his grass cutter while McNutt tallied. Fountain dropped a single over first and Olmstead and Honnen tallied. Rabbit Fountain then proceeded to get into a hot box between first and second and came home when Smith tossed the ball into the center field gardens.

This wild frame ended the ball game as far as any Gator hopes were concerned. The Floridans tallied one in the sixth when Beasley doubled and came home on McLendon's one timer. The rallyy was nipped in the bud and the last Gator chance passed. By agreement the game was called in the seventh.

**The Second Game.**

The slates being cleaned folks settled back to see another ball game. The Infantrymen turned it into a track meet in the first inning and raced five runs over the platter. These with three more in the second settled any argument as to where the second victory would rest. The Gators staged two rallies and shoved over two tallies in the third and three more in the eighth but these fell far short of overtaking the wide Blue margin.

Hutchinson went to the rubber for the Blue and outhurled Smith, who kept on the rubber for Florida. Hutch had things all his way save in the two frames mentioned and kept the Gators to eight bingles, fairlyy well dispersed. Hutch exhibited his best speed of the year.

The Infantrymen hammered Smith for a total of thirteen safe raps. Three of these were for extra stations. Hits came when hits were needed and this potent factor connected with some terribly wierd work in the field by the Gaters stacked up the big Infantry tally.

**The First Inning.**

The fireworks came in the first inning. Olmstead, first man up was safe on Bange's boot. Honnen made the initial sack when Beasley dropped the onion and Olmstead took third. Bange then proceeded to boot Fountain's drive as Olmstead tallied. Kgelstrom drove one over second and Honnen and Rabbit Fountain came home. Milburn was safe on an infield hit and Kgelstrom took third only to get out between home and third a few seconds later, on Nelson's hit to Smith. McMullin singled to center and Milburn and Nelson scored.

Three more Blue-legs flashed over the pan in the second. Honnen beat out an infield hit. Fountain sent him to third with a scorching bingle and Kgelstrom then proceeded to bring them home with his drive to center. Shrimp Milburn whanged one against the third-field stands for three bases and Kgelstrom tallied. Another Infantryman came home in the fourth when Kgelstrom doubled and came in on Milburn's neat drive for a pair of satchels.

Florida scored two in the third when Gunn doubled to left, advanced on an out and came home on White's single. Hitchcock drew a free pass and came home shortly afterwards on Milburn's toss to third through McMullin.

The Gators shoved over the final three in the eighth. White got a one-timer and scored when Bange doubled to left. Beasley tripled, scoring Bange and the former came in a minute later on McLendon's safe rap. The Gators staged their best stick rally of both games in this frame. But the threat ended here for they were retired one, two, three in the final sector.

**Fielding Stars**

Rabbit Fountain starred in the field for the Blue, making a sensational stop in the first frame of Owen's drive. The little corner—Honnen, McMullin to Fountain to Nelson—gave the Blue a pair of double plays in the second game, while McNutt figured in one himself to Fountain in the first battle.

Nelson, Yon, McMullin and McNutt each got a pair of safe raps in the first game, while Shrimp Milburn, Kgelstrom and Fountain shone in the second. Milburn got four hits in five times up, including a triple and double. Shrimp's batting eye was astigmatic yesterday. Kgelstrom delivered himself of a double and two timely singles, while Fountain got two one-time swats.

Beasley led in hitting for the Gators in the first melee with two safe raps, while White and Gunn took laurels in the second. The former got three raps, while Gunn contributed a double and single in four times up.

**1st Game.**

The box score:

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olmstead, rf | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Honnen, ss | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Fountain, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Kgelstrom, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarty, c | 3 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 2 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Yon, cf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McMullin, 3b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| McNutt, p | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Totals | 28 | 10 | 10 | 21 | 5 | 3 |

| Score by innings: | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Florida | 100 | 001 | 0— | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Infantry | 037 | 000 | *—10- | 10 | 3 | |

*Called end of 7th by agreement.

THE SUMMARY

Two base hits: Hitchcock, Nelson, Beasley.

Innings pitched: By Gnnn 2 1-3 Smith 2 2-3.

Hits: Off Gunn 7; Smith 3.

Struckout: By McNutt 10; Smith 1.

Sacrifice hits: Honnen.

Base on balls: Off McNutt 5; Gunn 5.

Hit by pitcher: By Gunn 1 (McCarty.)

Double play: McNutt to Honnen.

Wild pitches: By Gunn 2.

Time of game, 1 hour, 40 minutes.

Umpires: Wheeler (plate), Parks (bases.)

**2nd Game.**

The box score:

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olmstead, rf. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, E. C., rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Honnen, ss | 5 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Fountain, 2b | 5 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 1 |
| Kgelstrom, lf | 5 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Milburn, c | 5 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Parris, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McMullin, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Hutchinson, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Davis, T., cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 40 | 9 | 13 | 27 | 11 | 4 |

| Score by innings: | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Florida | 002 | 000 | 030— | 5 | 8 | 4 |
| Infantry | 530 | 100 | 00x— | 9 | 13 | 4 |

THE SUMMARY.

Three base hits: Milburn, Beasley.

Two base hits: Gunn, Kgelstrom, Milburn.

Double plays: Honnen to Fountain to Nelson, McMullin to Fountain to Nelson.

Struck out: By Hutchinson, 3; Smith, 3.

Base on balls: Off Hutchinson, 2; Smith, 1.

Passed ball: Milburn, 1.

Stolen bases: Olmstead and Hutchinson.

Time of game: 1 hour, 55 minutes.

Umpires: Wheeler (plate); Parks (bases.)


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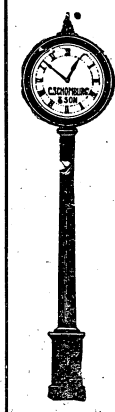
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## CHAPEL NOTES

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**MOTHER'S DAY SERVICES**

"Go to Church"
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**Protestant Chapel.**

9:30 A. M.—Sunday School, Mother Day Exercises.

10:30 A. M.—Morning Worship Special Mother Day Services.

6 P. M.—Song Service, Songs Mother sangs.

6:30 P. M.—Evening Worship.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday. 6:00 p. m.

**Roman Catholic Chapel.**

8 A. M.—Mass.

10 A. M.—Mass, Sermon on 'Mother.

Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**24th Infantry.**

10 A. M.—Sunday School.

11 A. M.—Mother's Day Service.

3:15 P. M.—Mother's Day Exercises.

**Jewish (Catholic Chapel).**

5:45 P. M.—Mother's Day Service.

**Recruit Center.**

2 P. M.—Mother's Day Service.

**Grand House Chapel.**

3 P. M.—Mother's Day Service.

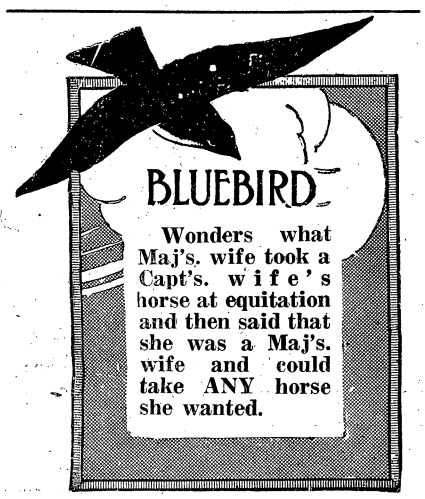
**To Every Mother's Son and Daughter.**

Because you are such, honor that mother by attending divine worship at one of the Chapels on Her Day.

**To Every Mother.**

Because you are a Mother and know the glory and sanctity of motherhood, honor your own mother by going to church on Mother's Day.

The Jewish ladies will come out from Columbus at about 2 P. M., Mother's day, to distribute flowers.

**Officers who expect to motor to their new stations, or expect to motor to Benning had better begin to practice so as to be prepared for all eventualities.**

### PANAMA CANAL TOLLS.

**Canal Tolls Are Rapidly Increasing.**

Traffic through the Panama Canal is growing by leaps and bounds as is indicated in the following amount of tolls collected.

The six months from November, 1921 to April, 1922 the total tolls received amounted to $5,550,663.57 while for the same months during 1922-1923 the amounts received as tolls amounted to $9,212,959.29.

During the month of last April there were 420 commercial vessels which includes 12 launches that passed through the canal and paid a total of $1,878,-994.45 in tolls.

### THE INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM.

**Training Has Started.**

The tryouts for the Infantry Rifle Team for candidates to make the trip to Fort Niagara, New York started Tuesday afternoon and in spite of the fact a bad wind prevailed, excellent scores were made. The tryouts will continue throughout the week until today. There are 103 candidates trying out for the squad that is to be taken to Niagara and the competition is high. Among this number of candidates are

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### 7th DIVISILON ORGANIZE

**Have Dinner at the Ralston.**

An informal reunion and dinner for all officers and former officers of the 7th Division was held at the Ralston Hotel, Columbus, Ga. on Saturday evening, May 5, 1923. The occasion

(Continued on page 10.)

### BASEBALL

**Last Game of the Season.**

The last baseball game of the season will be held at Driving Park tomorrow (Saturday) Let's go!

Even if every man on the team has been "shot in the arm" and vaccinated lets let Oglethorpe know that they have been through a ball game and that the Infantry had a big bunch of rooters out to support them. Selah!

### GET OUT YOUR RIDING BOOTS.

**Regulations To Be Changed.**

We note in the Army and Navy Journal that Army Regulations will be changed in the near future.

This will be greeted with pleasure especially those who favor the boot for dress purpose and those who already have one or more pairs.

Following is the change:

28. Footgear.

c. Boots.

(1) Riding boots are authorized for wear at all times by officers who are required to be mounted, as specifically prescribed in Army Regulations. Riding boots are authorized for wear by all other officers, and by warrant officers at all times except when actually on duty at troop formations under arms.

(2) Field boots are authorized for wear by officers and warrant officers in inclement weather and in the field.

(3) Rubber boots may be worn on mine planters, cable ships and transports, and during inclement weather when not under arms.

### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning May 13 and Ending May 19, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:

24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

The 29th Infantry Theatre will be closed beginning May 14th and continuing throughout the maneuvers.

**Sunday, May 13.**

"The Hottentot" 7 reels, McLean.
"Dancing" 2 reels, Bull Montana.

**Monday, May 14.**

"Brawn of the North" 7 reels, Strongheart. Mutt and Jeff and Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, May 15.**

"Adam and Eva" 8 reels, Marion Davies. "Me and my Mule" 2 reels,

**Wednesday, May 16**

"Brothers Under the Skin" 7 reels, H. Chadwick. "Look Out Below" 1 reel, Harold Lloyd.

**Thursday, May 17.**

"Tailor Made Man" 6 reels, Charles Ray. "The Pirate" 2 reels, Cook. Fox News.

**Friday, May 18.**

"Gossip" 5 reels, Gladys Walton. "Pathe Review" 1 reels. Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, May 19.**

"Inner Man" 5 reels, Standing. "Fighting Blood No. 6" 2 reels, Witwer Series.

### MOTHER'S DAY.

Have you sent your mother that letter and those flowers?

Better late than never you know.

**Gray Squirrel looked at Bluebird, resting in the very first column.**
**"Say" he said to Bluebird "what makes you look so solemn?**
**"You have a cinch" said Bluebird, "getting away with your stuff."**
**"You can always try to be funny but the editor always makes me act rough."**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### COLONEL AND MRS. PEYTON ENTERTAIN.

Last Friday at noon Colonel and Mrs. Peyton entertained twenty-five guests at dinner.

The guests were placed at small tables which were decorated with sweet peas and other spring flowers.

After the dinner the entire party witnessed the demonstration of a battalion in defense which was enacted for the Post's distinguished visitors of last week.

### AT THE COUNTRY CLUB.

The regular dinner dance was held at the Country Club last Saturday and was well attended.

Among the Army People were Capt. and Mrs. R. P. Bell who had a table for twelve and Mayor and Mrs. Dimon of Columbus had a party of one hundred sixty-five at which a great number of army people were present.

### MR. GILBERT COLGATE ENTERTAINED.

On last Friday Major and Mrs. Rumbough were the hosts at a delightful luncheon which was given in honor of Mr. Gilbert Colgate father of Mrs. Rumbough who has been visiting Major and Mrs. Rumbough.

Various colored flowers were arranged artistically in the dining room. At the conclusion of the meal the entire party witnessed the demonstration of a battalion in defense.

### MRS. SAM BURACKER COMPLIMENTED.

On last Friday afternon Mrs. John Shanks entertained three tables of bridge and several tea guests in honor of Mrs. Sam Buracker.

The house was beautifully decorated with pink larkspurs and roses.

Mrs. Thomas Shanks won the prize which was a string of crystal beads. Mrs. Buracker was presented with a Dorin.

Delicious refreshments consisting of a salad and ice cream were served after the playing.

### MISS JUNE OLSON COMPLIMENTED.

On last Friday afternoon Miss Elizabeth Banks entertained at three tables of bridge as a compliment to Miss June Olson who is visiting Lieut. and Mrs. Olson.

Pink and white roses, sweet peas and verbenias were the decorations and carried out the color motif of pink and white which colors were also carried out in the refreshments.

Miss Jeanette Williams made high score and received a deck of cards. Miss Olson was presented with a dainty Maderia handkerchief.

Delightful refreshments consisting of a salad course, with iced tea and sherbert were served after the game.

### 2nd SEC. DEPT. OF MILITARY ART GIVE DANCE.

One of the delightful week-end entertainments of last week was the dinner dance given by the Second Section of the Department of Military Art on last Friday evening at the Officers' Mess.

The guests were seated at small tables which were decorated with varicolored sweetpeas. The place cards were designed by the men of the department.

Colonel Peyton is head of the Department and Col. Williams is the head of the Section.

Beautiful music was furnished by the 24th Infantry Orchestra.

About seventy guests were present to enjoy the evening's entertainment.

### MISS KENT'S HOP SUPPER.

On last Friday night Miss Kent gave a delightful Hop-Supper at her quarters.

Sweet peas and roses were artistically intermingled to form the lovely decorations.

Miss Katie Kinnett of Macon, Ga., in whose honor the supper was to be given was unable to attend on account of illness.

After the delightful supper the fifteen guests went to the dance given by the Officers' Club.

### 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

On Tuesday, May 1st Mrs. Wiley V. Carter entertained the Twenty-fourth Infantry Bridge Club at her quarters.

Spring flowers were effectively used in carrying out the decorations.

The top score prize was won by Miss Ainsa, and Mrs. G. S. Clarke won the second prize. Mrs. L. V. Jones cut the consolation.

Delicious refreshments were served after the game.

### BEAMAN-GLUCKMAN.

Captain Arcedi Gluckman, Infantry, and Miss Harriet Darnall Beaman were married at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Geo. N. Smith at 1915 Hamilton Avenue, Columbus, G., May 5th.

The ceremony was performed by Dr. Thomas M. McConnell, of the First Presbyterian Church, and was witnessed by a group of relatives and close friends, including Major and Mrs. Manton C. Mitchell, Captain and Mrs. Wm. A. Ellis, Capt. Lewis C. Beebe, Capt. Allen J. Kennedy, and Lieut. Frank C. Burns.

### MRS. McCASKEY ENTERTAINS.

On last Monday evening Mrs. W. B. McCaskey entertained Mrs. Kent and Miss Kent and Mrs. Jeffords at dinner. The dinner was in honor of Mrs. Jeffords, cousin of Mrs. Kent who is visiting at Benning.

The dinner was extraordinary in that only ladies were present.

### MRS. ROBERT CHANCE ENTERTAINS.

On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Robert Chance entertained at one of the most delightful bridge luncheons given this season.

Her home in Columbus was beautifully decorated with sweet peas, roses and other spring flowers.

After the delicious luncheon the guests played bridge. Mrs. T. M. Chambliss won the high score prize a beautiful mirrow. Mrs. W. W. Millard won the second prize, a pair of candle sticks. The consolation was won by Mrs. A. L. Tuttle.

### COMPLIMENTING MRS. AND MISS OLSON.

On last Monday afternoon Mrs. J. C. Raaen was the charming hostess at a bridge party given in honor of Mrs. and Miss Olson, who are visting Lieut. and Mrs. Olson.

The quarters were prettily decorated with mountain laurel and other spring flowers.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. L. H. Sims who received a pair of handsome candle sticks. Mrs. Olson drew the cut prize a pair of candles.

Delightful refreshments were served after the playing.

### 29th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

The regular meeting of the 29th Infantry Bridge Club was held on last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. McKeon was the charming hostess.

Her quarters were beautifully decorated with cut roses.

Mrs. and Miss Olson were guests of honor.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Privett and Mrs. Stevens drew the cut prize. The guests of honor each received a hand embroidered handkerchief.

Delicious refreshments were served after the playing.

### MRS. SAWKINS.

The friends of Mrs. Sawkins will be sorry to hear that she has suffered a relaspe and is now confined to her home.

### MAJOR AND MRS. WATSON'S BRIDGE SUPPER.

On last Saturday Major and Mrs. Watson entertained at a most delightful bridge supper at their quarters.

Sweetpeas and other flowers formed the beautiful decorations.

There were five tables of players. Mrs. Dodge won the ladies high score prize and Major Evans won the prize for the gentlemen. Miss Peggy Kent drew the consolation.

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**DEPARTURES.**

Lieut. McKeon left for New York last Tuesday morning, having been called there by the sudden death of his father.

Mrs. Fogelberg and young son left for Wilmington, Del., to visit her parents prior to departing for Hawaii with her husband, Lieut. Fogelberg.

Miss Maud Fair who spent the winter with Lieut. and Mrs. Winn left last Monday for Chicago.

Miss Kenneth Olso is leaving for Greer, S. C., to be the matron of honor at the wedding of her brother, Earl Booly.

Mrs. John Leonard is leaving today for Signal Mountain, Tenn., to spend the summer. She will join Capt. Leonard in Washington, D. C. in the fall.

Mrs. Claire O'Brien will accompany Mrs. Leonard as far as Chattanooga

Mrs. Barrick and children are leaving for New Jersey on next Sunday accompanied by her mother Mrs. Woodhouse who has been visiting here.

**15th TANKS GIVE FAREWELL PARTY.**

On Thursday, May 3rd the officers and their ladies gave a farewell turkey dinner to Major and Mrs. Leonard, their commanding officer who is leaving for Washington, D. C., in a short time.

The affair was given at the Tank Officers Mess which was beautifully decorated for the occasion with spring flowers. The tables were centered with pink and white roses and a small bouquet of roses at each place, the place cards were designs of roses.

After the delicious dinner speeches were made followed by dancing.

**COL. McCASKEY GETS A SURPRISE.**

On last Monday evening a dinner was given in honor of Colonel McCaskey by those officers that were under his immediate command while he was G-1.

The dinner was in a nature of a farewell as Colonel McCaskey is going to school next year and those officers that were under his command appreciating the interest, courtesy, and advice that they received from him decided that a dinner at the Ralston would be the best way to show their gratitude, love and respect that they bear towards him.

Twenty three officers were present and a lovely six course dinner was served.

**COLONEL AND MRS. GRAHAM'S TEA.**

On last Sunday afternoon Colonel and Mrs. Graham gave an at home tea from 5 to 7 p. m.

Their quarters were artistically decorated with sweet peas and candles in silver holders.

A great number of friends dropped in during the afternoon to pay their respects.

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**FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB.**

The regular meeting of the Post Bridge Club was held at the Officers' Club Hop Room on Thursday, May 3rd.

Mrs. Ramee, Mrs. Peach, Mrs. Swartz, Mrs. Sims and Mrs. Scales were the charming hostesses for the occasion.

Carnations were artistically used for decorating the Hop Room.

Mrs. Chase won the high score prize and Mrs. Hess won the second. Mrs. Stevens drew the consolation.

Ice cream and cake were served after the playing.

**MRS. LYONS ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE.**

On Thursday, May 3rd Mrs. C. M. Lyons was the charming hostess for six tables of bridge and four tea guests.

Her quarters were beautifully decorated with sweetpeas, roses and poppies.

The first prize a basket of roses was won by Mrs. Milburn, and Mrs. McNair won the second prize a potted fern. Mrs. Whiteside drew the consolation and received a lovely potted fern.

Delicious refreshments consisting of a salad course with cheese straws was served after the playing. Punch was served during the afternoon.

**MRS. DUNPHY ENTERTAINS.**

Friday, May 4, Mrs. C. B. Dunphy entertained the members of Captain Lambert's equitation class at tea at her quarters, Bradley's farm.

An enjoyable ride was taken and the stop was made on the return.

Iced tea and cakes were served.

**83rd F. A. BRIDGE CLUB.**

On May the first Mrs. Wm. Williams entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club.

Her quarters were beautifully decorated with spring flowers.

Mrs. S. L. Mains won the high score prize and Mrs. J. A. Chase won the second. Mrs. A. L. Dasher drew the consolation.

The guest prize was cut by Mrs. E. J. Roxbury.

Candies were served during the playing and dainty refreshments were served after the playing.

**83rd F. A. BRIDGE CLUB.**

Last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Rumbough entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club .

Her quarters were prettily decorated with mountain laurel and other spring flowers. Each table was centered with a bowl of sweet peas.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. R. T. Adams and Mrs. L. S. Arnold won the second. Mrs. Wm. Williams drew the consolation.

Candies were served during the game and ice cream with cake were served after the playing.

The next meeting will be held on May 15th. Mrs. Chase will be hostess.

**MEDICAL DEPARTMENT BRIDGE CLUB.**

The next regular meeting of the Medical Department Bridge Club will be held at the home of Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton on next Tuesday evening.

**MISS TURNER'S HOP SUPPER.**

On May the first Miss Mary Elizabeth Turner entertained fifteen guests at a Hop Supper preceding the dance given by the Field Officers Class.

Wild flowers were artistically used for decorating and a beautiful bouquet centered the table.

After the excellent supper the party went to the dance given by the Field Officers' Class.

**BEAUTIFUL BRIDGE LUNCHEON AT THE OFFICERS' MESS.**

On last Tuesday Mrs. J. B. Schoeffel,, Mrs. J. W. Heavy, and Mrs. Wm. J. Davis, were the charming joint hostesses at a delightful bridge luncheon at the Officers' Club Mess.

The Mess was attractively decorated with pink and white roses and sweet peas. The tally cards were decorated in the same flower scheme.

Mrs. Bugbee received the high score prize, twelve Maderia napkins, Mrs. Hocker made second hight score and received two large towels. Mrs. Tobias received two Maderia guests towels as the third prize, and the consolation a maderia center piece was drawn by Mrs. Arnest.

About one hundred and forty guests were present .

**VISITING MAJOR AND MRS. GREEN.**

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Everhart of Atlanta are visiting their daughter, son-in-law and grandson Major and Mrs. Green and Hampton Terrel.

They expect to remain about two weeks.

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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

**Projects.**

BEAVERALLS: Beaveralls have recently been tested by the Department of Experiment and the Report has been forwarded this week by the Infantry Board to the Chief of Infantry. The Beaverall is a watertproof garment designed in the form of a unionall or overall to replace the raincoat for teamsters, chauffeurs, motorcycle couriers, truck drivers, etc.

GYMNASIUM SHOES: A new type of gymnasium shoe has been given a long thorough test in competition with the present issue gym shoe, and recommendations have been forwarded to the Chief of Infantry.

FOLLOWING BARRAGE: The Army Service Schools are attempting to determine by past experience and by experiments how close Infanrty may approach a line being shelled by their own 155's. The Infantry School has forwarded their ideas and the General Service Schools are giving the subject great attention.

ELEVATING BRACKET: A suggestion has made that steps be taken to have all right handed elevating brackets in position so as to permit insertion of pins from the left. The change could be made without difficulty at Post Ordnance Shops.

TABLES OF EQUIPMENT: The Infantry Board is making up for the Chief of Infantry complete tables of equipment for all Infantry organizations (Peace Strength) to include the Brigade.

**Training Regulations.**

The following training regulations have been submitted to the Chief of Infantry during the past week. T. R. No. 75-15, The Color Sergeant and Standard Bearer; T. R. No. 50-80, The Infantry Pack; T. R. No. 75-10, The Messenger and Agent; T. R. No. 420-50, Drill, The Rifle Squad, Platoon and Company.

Information has been received that T. R. No. 420-120, Combat Principles The Rifle Company and T. R. No. 420-160, Combat Principles, The Infantry Battalion have been submitted to the Adjutant General for publication.

There are twelve remaining regulations to be submitted from the Infantry School and every indication points to their being in the hands of the Chief of Infantry by May 25th.

## Bakers and Cooks School

With the Month ending June 15th, 1923, this school will have trained approximately two hundred and thirty three enlisted students inc ooking since the opening of the School, which began active operation in training in September, 1922.

These students were sent here from various posts and camps throughout the Fourth Corps Area, and completing a course of four months, were returned to their proper post or station.

With approximately, only nine instructors active in operation of messes, bakery, and class instruction for his period, it is estimated that each instructor may take credit for the training of twenty five students each.

To the layman who fails to comprehend the various intricates of cookery this number may appear small.

The Student enters the school with no knowledge of cooking or baking. He begins in the A. B. C.'s of cookery, learning first, the names of dishes, the names of the ingredients used in cooking and the terms applied to different modes of cooking.

He must be made to grasp the system used in applying the Garrison, Field, Travel, Filipino, Reserve, and emergency station. He is made to figure the ration value from a current price list.

From the beginning of his course he works daily in a kitchen, under the instruction of an instructor, who leads the student step by step from pots and pans, to the storeroom, mixing, preparation of dishes, to the range and cookery, and in co-oporation with the student's classroom studies, he is made to do the practical work in the kitchen after being taught the principle in the class room.

As the finished education of an excellent cook or chef" as you please" would fill volumes, it is manifest that the purpose of a school of cookery is merely to instill the proper principles of Thrift, Sanitation, and blending of food substances to produce other foods.

There are practically no limits to the thousands of different palatable dishes which may be learned, in each country, staple foods vary. In America a large smattering of all foods and dishes are prepared and eaten, therefore the Chef in America is not specialized as is the French Chef, or the Chinese Chef who specializes solely on his Nationa ldishes.

The student who leaves this school as a graduate generally knows how to prepare approximately three or four hundred dishes. If he continues to cook, he learns on the average of one or more dishes or bledings of foods to produce a new flavor each day.

Student cooks canot be drilled or trained in companies or squads by one or two instructors as are troops drilled in military tactics. Their drill is more complicated and specialized, and therefore necessarily slower.

Qualifications considered necessary in a student cook for the making of a good cook may be shown as Intelligence, initiative, cleanliness, common school education, and attention.

## NEW RAY FEATURE IS IN THE "SUPER" CLASS

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Charley Ray left no stone unturned to make "A Tailor Made Man," first of his super-feature for United Artists and coming to the Post Theatres next Thursday one of the most important and significant film productions of the year.

In the supporting cast of twenty-eight players, there are many who have been stars in their own right, both on the stage and screen. It has been a long time since any one cast of characters boasted of such high talent as Ethel Grandin, Jacqueline Logan, Douglas Gerrard, Thomas Jefferson, Edyth Chapman, Victor Potel, Thomas Ricketts, Kate Lester, Eddie Gribbon, Frank Butler and Nellie Peck Saunders These artists compose a neucleus hard to surpass, and these names are selected at random; there are a dozen others in this photoplay who possess a measure of fame in the domains of historionism.

The technical staff is one that has served Charles Ray with most advantageous results for some time past. Its roster ranks with the best. With Joseph De Grasse as director, George Rizard and George Meehan as cinematographers, Robert Ellis as technical and art director, Edward Withers as designer of art titles, and Harry Decker as film editor, one is assured of high results in point of technique and finesse. Albert Ray, author of several successful original photoplays, adapted "A Tailor Made Man" to the screen from the highly successful and long popular stage play by Harry James Smith.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**Regimental Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Co.**

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Why can't the 29th Infantry Theatre be made more comfortable, by opening a windows, and bringing peanuts back to the pre-war price.

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Samuel J. Parvin (Windy) is absolutely" up the Pole" Why?

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The Regimental Hdqrs. Co. Corral has a new addition, One Ford "Cut down," property of Pvts. Towns and St. John.

We are looking for it, wishing for it, asking for it, what is it, and where will it come from. (See next Week's News.)

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**Service Company.**

The 2nd group of the Service Company completed record range practice last Friday. Of the 39 who fired the course, about 16 qualified as expert riflemen, 15 as sharpshoters and the remainder as marksmen. Among the high scores made were Sergts. Harry Storm 321, Junius Pope 319, H. L. Fink 315. There were other high scores which will be published in future editions of the News.

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Some class to the Regimental Personnel Section. Of the six clerks employed therein, Sergts. Fink, Shewfelt and Brown are expert riflemen, while Privates Freeman and Regoski are Marksmen. One other clerk is now on the range and there is no doubt but that he will qualify.

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**1st. Battalion Hdqrs. Co.**

The baseball team of this company is now playing in mid season form, and promise to give any organization in the past a good game. Last Saturday and Sunday this company played the 7th Engineers, defeating them by the overwhelming score of 24-4 and 21-8, the hitting of the entire team was the main feature of the game. The Engineers were forced to use no less than six pitchers in the first game and three in the second, but failed to check the heavy swatters of the doughboys. Home runs seemed to be in vogue for the first battalion. In fact, if a player didn't hit at least a two base hit everytime up he thought he was having an off day. However, the Engineers have a plucky team, and they played a hard game until the final curtain was drawn.

Last Tuesday our team defeated the Howitzer team seemed to think they were going to make a monkey out of our team, but before the end of the game they found that they had miscauculated just a trifle, for just the opposite took place.

Another recent game was between this Company and Co. "F" 1st Gas Regiment, which we annexed to our chain of victories by the score of 9-6. The Gas Co. has a good team, and we would welcome a return game.

Any organization desiring a game call No. 12 or 13, 29th Infantry, switchboard. Ask for Sergt. Groves or Pvt. Adcock, and we'll try and give you a good game.

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**Company "A"**

Company "A" leaves in fifteen minutes for an all day hike. We like'em so well that we are not satisfied with the big one that comes off from the 13 to the 25th, so we are taking a little one by ourselves. Ganyway for shock troops.

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**Company "D"**

Speaking of dumbells, our friend "Soap Box" Durban was having his daily argument with "Chiz" when "Chiz" turned around and said to him, listen you're so dumb you don't even know what the Saturday Evening Post it. "Soap Box" said, "Huh, who don't know, why down in Cincinnati where I come from you see them all over town, they are hitching posts for the farmers who come in from the country to tie their horses to.

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Our weekly advice to the married men of this organization is to see the picture that is playing at one of the theatres in town this week, the name of said picture is "You Can't Fool your Wife."

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**Hdqrs. Co., 2nd Battalion.**

One good thing about the maneuveres, it means a holiday for the Company Reporters. There will be no news as everything is planned before hand, and most of us know what it is all about, except—the person who usually is required to know it all—this particular Company Reporter, who for good reasons is in the dark in this instance, so that what it is going to happen will be news to him.

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I did hear that we were to enjoy every condition of warfare, but instead of ball ammunition we will have blanks, instead of the Salvation Army, the Post Exchange Branch.

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We do not envy the fellow who is at present singing the happy song, but it is six months before some of us can join in the chorus of, "Just one more month to do it in." But as for the leader when that time comes, we hope that the attractions of foreign service will still be bright enough to cause him to sing, in earnest, "Only two years and six months to do it in, and I don't give a darn if I never get it in."

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**Company "E"**

The Company won another ball game Sunday Co. "C" furnished the opposition and gave us a good game but Bryant's curves and Cran's fast one was too much much for the 1st Battalion boys.

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It looks like "E" Co. will win another cup on the range this year. Out of 68 men that have fired for record we had 100 per cent. to qualify.

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Tea-drinking-teddy want to figure how he missed expert so far but of course the rifle was the cause of it all.

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Wanted: A sure way to beat this ten day maneuver that hits us in the near future.

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Al thinks Benny should be tried for wasting good ammunition. Nobody but an expert riflemen can pass the time of day with Al.

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**Company "F"**

Well, the 2nd Battalion, has tied the 1st Battalion for the highest individual score on the rifle range for record. Co. "F" produced the individual who made the score, Corporal Peter E. Offerman who made 321 points out of a possible 350. I must say that is knocking the "Bull's Eyes" for a "Row of Suburban Bungalows." And let it be further known that the man of "F" Co. are ready at any time to back Corp. Offerman to the limit, we are very anxious that Service Co. produce their best shot and shoot the "Tie Off," and watch the "Line" win.

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We are through on the Range until June at least, when we will make Expert's out of the few remaniing men who did not fire, Watch the 2nd Battalion's Record when all the men have a chance to fire.

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**Company "H"**

Hey telephone orderly — "Mark Thirty Sneven."

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Pvt. Johnson is going to Vadalia to get all the male members to enlist in the Army. Johnson has a good line so he ought to get quite a number of recruits.

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Hey locomotive! You better cut the familiarity. Mike has been around, you know.

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There seems to have been a real spaghetti bender visiting these little Stribling boys—and Oh! Johnnie Wilson! have a heart.

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This old outfit is going to be in the pink of condition if Sergt. McGlarity continues his instruction in this here gun drill. Atta boy Irish.

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Captain Switzer, our Company Commander, shaes a wicked foot on the tennis courts. Here's how, Captain.


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## AN APPRECIATION.

The News desires to take advantage of this opportunity to express the appreciation of the garrison of the work along athletic lines done by the coaches and the individual players of the various Infantry School teams during the past school year.

It is a characteristic of human nature to laud the winner and knock the loser. This is demonstrated at an athletic contest. If the home team is winning the grandstand is full of boosters. Let the team have a slump and what happens? Expressions concerning the "rottenness" of the players and the absolute lack of knowledge of even the fundamental principles of the game on the part of whoever happens to be the coach are forcibly expressed by the "gang" who has nothing else to do but sit on the sidelines or in the grandstand and watch developments.

Each year the teams put in the field to compete with the various colleges and universities for athletic honors are getting better at the Infantry School. The fact that these teams are improving is due to the unselfish efforts of the players and the unceasing work of the coaches.

Players on any varsity team have to put up with handicaps and theirs is not exactly a bed of roses. The rest of us, when our day's work is done, go home and interest ourselves in various things of a personal nature. We piddle around our yards, or read, or do something to occupy our time pleasantly. Not so the player on "the team." After he has done what ordinarily is considered a day's work he gets into his athletic togs and begins a two hour grind. He may have "points" to make up with his class but he feels that his duty lies with the rest of the garrison he is representing and accordingly he does his studying later in the evening. During the footall season he is out in the field getting bruises hitting the hard ground while the rest of us are taking life easy and then when he goes into the game we give him uncomplimentary remarks if he happens to "pull a boner."

The players on any team at the Infantry School have nothing to gain and frequently, a great deal to lose. The News goes on record herewith—and believes that its sentiments are the sentiment of the garrison—being of the opinion that the individual players and the coaches of the various athletic teams have shown, are showing, and will still show a most commendable spirit of unselfishness in the manner in which they have supported the Infantry School and the Infantry at large and our appreciation for this support is extended to the men who made up the athletic teams during the past school year.

## THE SALUTE.

Saluting is a military institution. The right to salute belongs exclusively to the soldier, and is recognized by civilians the world over. No one but a soldier can salute in the proper manner. You will frequently see civilians passing each other on the street, bring their hand up to their head in an attempt to imitate the military salute. At best it is but a sorry attempt and has nothing of the snap or meaning that is conveyed when one soldier salutes another. The person who laughs at, or makes slighting remarks about a soldier who renders a snappy salute at once advertises that he recognizes and is jealous of the fast that the soldier enjoys a right and privilege that is denied himself. The soldier who has formed the mistaken idea that he belittles the spirit of his American freedom by saluting his officers, proclaims himself a man of small mind and unworthy to be called a soldier.

We should always keep before us the fact that the military salute is the mark and perogative of military men, and we should be proud of the privilege of using a form of salution that marks us as members of a profession, that numbers in its ranks such men as Napoleon, Wellington, Washington, Grant and many others of the greatest men the world has ever known Moreover, the right to salute belongs only to soldiers in good standing, a prisoner under guard is not allowed to salute. Never miss an opportunity to salute and make it SNAPPY—(5th Corps News)

## EDITORIAL

After five years of peace, the passions and ambitions of man have again overthrown all those sentiments of good will and amity and concord with which humanitarian associations have imbued us, alas, in such small degree. At this critical juncture of our so-called progress it becomes us to meet the issues of the time not with despair of humankind, nor lack of faith in the ultimate success of all our dreams, but rather with that calm courage in calamity displayed in so marked a manner by that noted idealist, William H. Anderson.

Even as the terrafic struggles of the World War had their origin in the casual firing of a shot by Gavrilo Prinlip in the peaceful streets of Sarajovo on that fateful summer day in 1914, so may the evil consequences of today's conflicts be traced to a trivial incident.

The horrors of a civil war, however, transcend in importance the good, no matter in what quantity, the victory of a righteous cause may produce. That this quarrel should arise from a more heated conversation is incredible, but it is true.

The News congratulates itself that by its long advocacy of unpreparedness it has so influenced the forces that both will have the very dickens of a time. It expects that the shortage of paperwork forms will bring hostilities to an early close. It is certain that the shortage of gasoline will limit the monuments of both the Red and Blue armies. Spring rains will give the troops their choice of field or sea duty, however, and this is, in a measure, important to mobility. Whether victory will perch upon the motto of the 24th Infantry; "Semper Paralysis," upon the classis inscription of the 83rd Field Artillery; "Motor Moriturus," or upon that of the 29th Infantry, whose motto is still in the Message Center, and hence permanently unavailable, only the Department of Military Art knows, and it is uncertain. May the best man win!

## THE BULLET.

We received another agreeable surprise this week when we received "The Bullet" a weekly publication by the 25th Infantry.

We can say right frankly that we did not believe it to be possible to get up a remarkable publication like The Bullet under such conditions as the 25th is under but as the old saying goes "were there's a will there's a way" and the 25th Surely found the way.

It is with pleasure that we place them on our "exchange list."

## THE NEWS RECEIVES A LETTER OF GRATITUDE

The news is in receipt of a letter from Major Hill who recently received a couple of packages of the ant, waterbug, etc. killer that is being distributed by the News. His letter follows:

May 4th, 1923.

The Editor, Fort Benning News,
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My Dear Sir:

Recently you were so kind as to give me a couple of packages of your cockroach and water bug exterminator. Previous to getting this exterminator I had tried everything without any great success.

The exterminator that you are distributing does everything claimed for it and, in compliance with your request this letter is to advise you in this connection. Mrs. Hill is enthusiastic about the efficacy of the exterminator. We are recommending it to our friends.

Cordially yours,
(Signed) ABRAHAM HILL,
Capt. Inf.

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WANTED—Information as to a sure method for beating the "maneuver" next week. Please notify John Julius, Co. "E" 29th Inf.

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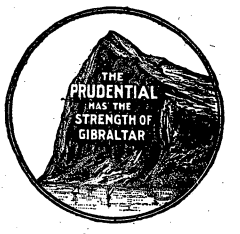


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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter VII Part 2.

**That Which Dealeth With The Shooting of the Great Bow Gun.**

After it has given many days of shooting and when at last the men have learned the "zero" of their bow, cometh the day of record firing.

This is now the third and last period of this great and strenuous period and it giveth great joy to the officers and to the men for it groweth tiresome.

When then cometh the day of record firing the men note their rifle and score book more carefully for it has now come to the point where each shot telleth a tale and if one be so careless as to miss his target or hit another man's target then so can he count that shot lost and never to be regained. Also the men must from now and to the end know how to adjust their own great bow so that the arrow penetrateth the center or near center of the target.

Some few men depend on luck to qualify, or some others not having paid close heed as they should have done cast anxiously about them for means to overcome their neglect.

So during the shooting they practice all manner of things such as trying to bribe the pitmen to mark a higher value that they shot or the mighty keeper of the score but alas due precautions are taken against such a thing. So if he succeedeth not in this then mayhaps he tryeth to borrow the bowgun of another who hath made a good score or perchance he buyeth hits at five dollars apiece from a good shooter of the great bowgun.

But such a man is always "found" and he gaineth—a few days in the kitchen.

As all men fire the record course they try exceeding to make a good qualification and also all men have a secret ambition to be the best target puncher in the Army of Samuel, but this last is only for a very few.

But finally cometh the last range.

Some there are who have a very safe margin and need not worry, others have a close margin and must needs worry considerable and still others can not make the highest qualifications so need not worry on that score but need worry little or none or mightly on the next highest qualification, depending on how close they come to the absolute zone of that particular qualification, and so on down to the end. But even there we may find the lowest man a good marksman.

But if he is not a marksman or above then he belongeth to still another tribe, called by ordinary soldiers "bolomen" Know ye that such a soldier needest not carry the great bow gun for they knowest not the use thereof or the function thereof but he is henceforth traind as a boloman.

Now be ye advised that these men do a noble service in the Army of Samuel and save the bowgunmen many labors. These bolomen do all manner of things such as kitchen police, and extra fatigue, and when it giveth a battle, again have these bolomen a certain duty to perform for know ye that the great bow shooteth many arrows and that it require certain men to bring to the bowguns sufficient ammunition so that they needs not go hungry and for this the boloman filleth the place wonderfully.

Therefore condemn ye not these bolomen for as ye have read, they are a necessary evil and the Army of Samuel hath a noble place for them.

Also be ye advised that ye condemn not too hastily for mayhaps if thine last shot had been a "2" or a "3" instead of a "4" or a "5" ye thineself wouldest be a boloman.

But it giveth great pleasure when at last cometh the last shot and thou needest a "4" to qualify for a particular grade and thou desireth the extra pay exceedingly so that thou takest most careful aim and fireth and then after a long while the target at last goeth down and then after a still longer while the pitmen change about the dics and at last they mark a four or a five and thou hath qualified? Delighteth it thee not so that tellest all of thy friends and ladies.

But alas if that same marker giveth thee a three instead and thou failest by one point, then so sayest thou than thine eyesight is bad or thine gun of no worth. But speak so and console thine own soul but think not that the other men pay heed to thee for they had the same stories in mind if they should have failed or qualification. Selah!

**Oh you ten days' maneuvers next week.**

### THINGS TO TRY ONCE.

Make a wise crack while the "Bluebird" or the "Gray Squirrel" are around.

Asking an instructor to be "easy" in correcting your paper because you misread one of the requirements.

Trying to get the telephone central when you are in a hurry.

Trying to make a colored maid understand you ocer a telephone.

Expecting a student officer to act dignified.

Trying to tell an instructor that he is wrong.

Telling the editor of the "News" that you would like to have his job.

Telling the A & R Officers that all of his property is expendable.

Swollowing water at the Post Swimming Pool.

Go into the Post Swimming Pool without a bathing suit.

Trying to make other people believe that your children are better than their.

Wearing a cap with a cotton O. D. uniform.

Wearing a new pair of shoes on a hike.

Trying to borrow somebody's mess kit on a hike.

Trying to beat classes at the Gym.

Trying to pass the bridge guard with a 1922 auto license.

Falling out on a hike without permission.

Being a good fellow and passing your canteen around to your squad.

Using your rifle for a tent pole on a rainy night.

Filling your canteen with Girard fire water.

Asking the Mess Sergeant when he is going to have ice cream for desert, while you are on hike.

Forgetting to ditch your tent and it happens to rain.

### DRINKS OF DIFFERENT NATIONS

**By "Jockey"**

The Frenchman drinks his native wine
The German drinks his beer.
The English drink the "half and half"
Because it brings good cheer.
The Irish drink their whiskey straight
Because it brings on dizziness,
The American has no choice at all
So he drinks the whole darn business.

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## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

Mike who had but recently come over from a country district in Ireland. got a job on the railroad. They were working at a junction where trains came by and when the train came along, Mike's companions realizing he was "green" shouted to him, "Drop your pick and run." Mike dropped his pick and "heeled it" up the railroad track ahead of the train. The locomotive was rapidly gaining on him as he sped breathlessly up the track in front of it. The engineer slowed down and shouted to him "Run up the hill." "Run up the hill!" exclaimed Mike wrathfully. "What would be the sense of that? Tell me now. I could not beat the dum thing on the level."

Queen Victoria often invited some one child of the noble families to lunch with her at certain periods and she insisted that the child come along as the children were always different alone than when chaperoned. The luncheons were always informal. At one such luncheon one little girl, who had been exceptionally well trained in table manners saw the queen take a chicken bone in her fingers, and she promptly said, "O piggy, piggy."

A traveling man was on a dining car one day and when the waiter came to his table, the man offered the waiter some whiskey and the waiter after drinking it said, "That's jes' right, boss, jes right." The second time the waiter came by, the man did the same thing and the waiter again said "That's jes right, boss, jes right!" The third time brought the same remarks. Then the white man said, "Say, Sambo, why do you always say, "That's jes right, boss, jes right, every time I give you any of this whiskey?" "Well I tell yuh boss, it's dis way. Ef it wuz any better dan it am yuh wouldn't gibe it to a po' ole niggah, and ef it wuz any wuse, I couldn't drink it, so it's jes lak I says, it's jes right, boss, jes right."

Two Irishmen were exploiting a wonderful echo on one of the lakes in Ireland and they took an American tourist out on the lake to let him hear it. They rowed along quite a while and then began to call "Hello there" but Echo did not answer. Then one of the Irishmen lost an oar which made it necessary for him to swim back to the short for another. After he reached shore the other Irishman began again to say, "Hello there." "Hello there" came back the echo with a trifle more brogue than the original. But just here the American decided he would call to hear his own echo. So he said, "Hello there." "Hello there" came the echo with a decided roll on the "r." "Will you have a drink?" asked the American. "Begorra, I will" roared the echo.

**Beating the Landlord.**

"Mary, where do you live?" asked the lady. "Over there," answered Mary. "Do you mean you live in that apartment house? I didn't know they allowed anyone to move into that apartment house if they had children. How did you get in?" "I was borned in."

**Certainly.**

An urban bride was asked by her rural husband, "Do you know what a gasoline is?" "Why, of course," she replied, "It is a young duck."

**Rural Entertainment.**

A city girl returning after a vacation among the cows and chickens was asked about the time she had had. She said: "I had a wonderful time. It was all interesting to me, but what I liked best was to hear the farmers page the cows."

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## School Division

### "AT EASE"

(By Ge Allevir)

Charles Chaplin has quit the knock-about-stuff, and has taken to straight comedy. Perhaps on account of the high cost of custard pies. Charlie always was a penurious sort of a cuss.

The weather forecaster evidently could do a better job at hindcasting.

Card players stick to the Demon Rhun.

Near Beer seems to be further off than ever.

Isn't it queer that a man never shows his temper until after he has lost it?

Hasten along to summer days,
A great many of us cry,
When we can eat with relish,
The famous Eskimo pie

Two women failed to find a sheik in the Sahara Desert, evidently not knowing that they had all emigrated to Hollywood.

If a woman of sixty can dress like sixteen, there ought to be some way for a man to enjoy a game of marbles.

About the only thing that receives less respectful attention than a speed limit is the man who was a hero five years ago.

Perhaps you never thought of it,
But it is really so,
Whenever England disputes with us,
It's about one Doc Monroe.

It is dancing endurance contests fasting endurance contests, air flight contests, walking endurance contests, and so many others that we wonder how much longer the public can endure such demfoolishness, Don't you?

**Form Anti-Flirt Club.**

About 125 Indiana University coeds have formed a new organization on the campus, to be known as the Anti-Flirt Club. Men of the university have retaliated by forming a Men's Mutual Welfare Association. It is said some of the girls who joined the club consider the matter a joke, while others say it is an honest-to-goodness organization that is opposed to all forms of flirting, both plain and fancy.

It's often that a man,
Is cured of all his ills,
By going to the golf links,
And 'aking a few golf 'pills.'

Archeology teaches us that there are rewards in unlikely places for those who dig.

Most men fully expect to repent of their meanness before they die, but they want to wait until just before the undertaker takes over their case from the doctor.

A profile photograph is merely a side-show.

Nothing jolts a narrow-minded man more than being forced to admit that he is in the wrong.

The other day the Post Prison Officer ordered a book the title of which was "How to Behave." Wonder if he is going to give nightly readings to his constituants!

Physioloists say that it takes sixty-five muscles of the face to make a frown and but thirteen to produce a smile. Hey, you conservationist, why waste energy?

Corporal: What's the difference between a young recruit, a veteran, and a worm?

Sergeant: There is no difference—the chickens of Columbus and Girard get them all.

**Worldly Wisdom.**

The fool picks a ply from a mule's hind leg. The wise man lets out the job to the lowest bidder.

**Extract from Connecticut Blue Laws**

No one shall run on the Sabbath day, or walk in his garden, or elsewhere, except reverently to and from meeting.

No woman shall kiss her child on the Sabbath or fasting-day.

A drunkard shall have a master appointed by the selectmen, who are to debar him the liberty of buying and selling.

Whoever sets a fire in the woods, and it burns a house, shall suffer death

Married persons must live together, or be imprisoned.

Sergt. Oleboi says: There are two sides to everything—except the most expensive phonograph records. It is difficult to understand a woman because they never try to make themselves plain.

**In Closing.**

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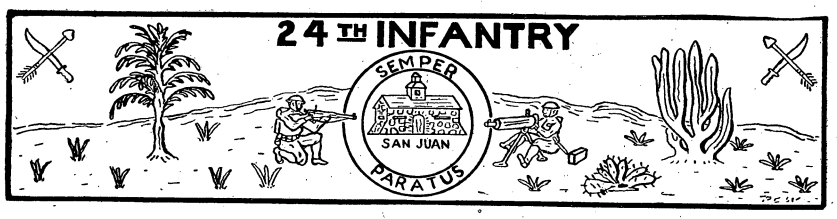


**"Service Co."**

Another man made happy, Pvt. John J. Brice, Band Section, has been detailed to Army Music school, which he has been working for quite a while, we hope he makes good, and return with high honors.

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Staff Sergt. Brown has crossed the line of resistance and on the thirty year line, his papers have arrived and he will soon be missing among the old guards.

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Flashlight Boyd, the fistic king in the Lighter class, is working hard for his next bout which we hope will be better, at least longer than his last one which didn't give us a chance to see the Flashlight flash.

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The Band is preparing to make a trip to the Capital City (Atlanta) for a few days, they are expecting to leave about the 27th of this month, the band leader, Sergt. Major is stepping on the boys very hard getting in readiness for a big hit which we are sure he and his jazz hounds will make.

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**Company "B"**

The wind laugh down the valley and sang to the whispering pines. The boys going on a manover some where near the Georgia pines. They will leave their garden of sweet perfume. An dscatter the scent among the green sick trees. The mountain sand you have left behind. There is no more blistering of the feet. It's through the woods of grass and round the flowery course, Round the little lakes you will wonder until yo uare lost.

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**Company "C"**

In the company news for the past month or so, Sergeant Williams seems to have been the "goat" but he should worry, for when one becomes popular from a moral standpoint, it's well worth the while to give the people a chance to talk. In other words, it plainly signifies that the one concerned realizes, the essentials that are necessary to the making of life a happy one, and if each one of us should consider as closely as he, and to feel within ourselves that the great architect of the universe rules supreme there would be more unity among mankind.

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**Company "D"**

Private Finch, known as "Kid Country" was defeated at the whist party last Saturday evening. Wake up "Country" or you will lose your titles as the "Whist Wizard."

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Wanted—A dancing instructor who can dance all dances; must be able to dance at least 36 hours without rest or letting heels touch the floor. Apply to "Grub."

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"Kid Jello" the southpaw, has won the title as "The Fadeaway King" will join "Rube Foster" next season and will appear against the "Monarchs" to shut them out.

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**Company "L"**

It was asked by members of Company "L" whether or not J. H. K. suffered with cold feet?

One swollow doesn't make a summer but one frog can make a spring.

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The misery of a child is interesting to a mother.

The misery of a Young man is interesting to a Young woman.

The misery of a 1st Sergeant is interesting to Nobody.

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Private Sam C. Jones came to his tent the other day with a splinter in his finger, and requested Prather to get it out for him, Prather replied:

"What have you been doing, scratching your head?"

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**Company "M"**

I am going to the barber shop after some groceries, and going to the grocery store to take a bath.

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Helloo is Mr. W. in? Yes, please hold the Phone, I am not holding the phone I am holding the wire.

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The Mess hall has became a magnet to Soldiers who go on three day passes from this Company, and seem to dra wthem back before their pass has expired.

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**Society Notes.**

Mr. and Mrs. Sweet Potato had the pleasure of entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Irish Potatoe for dinner recently, Mr. and Mrs. Sweet Potatoe was dressed in beautiful evening jackets. The table was decorated in onions and navy beans.

**MYSTERIOUS "SEA HORSES" USED IN "THE HOTTENTOT"**

Sea horses are used for the first time on the screen in Thomas H. Ince's new comedy drama special, "The Hottentot," which features Douglas MacLean and Madge Bellamy. The sea-beasts are one of the fifty-seven varieties that appear in this hilariously funny story of a horse-fearing yachtsman who mistakes an invitation to a fashionable steeplechase for a boat party and then finds it impossible to dodge all the horses around him. He ends up by riding the most dangerous horse of all in a spectacular racing sequence.

The sea-horses which appear in one comedy shot in the picture, which is an adaptation of Willie Collier's famout racing play, were secured with the greatest difficulty as sea-horses are almost as rare as shark's teeth.

Douglas MacLean plays the role of Sam Harrington, who gets so off a horse that he exclaims dismally, "That isn't a home, it's a stable." Madge Bellamy, recently starred in "Lorna Doone," plays the part of the adornable "Peggy Fairfax," for whose sake he finally overcomes his fear of the animals.

The picture will be shown at the Post Theatres, Sunday, May 13.

**SIBERIAN WOLF IS FLAPPER-VAMP ON SCREEN**

The flapper regarded as a development of twentieth century civilization is nothing new in the female of the species. Either that, or else wild animals have gone through the same psychological developments as have the humna race to evolve such specimens for a Siberian wolf in playing a part in motion pictures, has exhibited every wile that the flapper type of girl dotes in showing.

The wolf flapper vamps Strongheart the wonder dog star, in his latest Laurence Trimble-Jane Murfin production "Brawn of the North" a First National Attraction which will be shown Monday at the Post Theatres.

She was too wild to be directed in her performance in the same degree to which Strongheart is, so Mr. Trimble who directed the production, kept her separated from Strongheart until the sight of him and his aloofness had aroused a natural desire for admiration from him in her heart.

Then he turned the two of them loose and left it to the wolf as to how to attract his attention and affection.

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## Inf. School Detachment Notes

Our "Fashion Plate," Pvt. 1st Class Glean has departed on a short furlough. We all hope he returns single.

Mess Sergt. Bill Stewart has taken a furlough. Some one said he was composing a new set of Men's, here's power to you Sergeant.

Our "Old Timer" Sergeant Cream is in New York on furlough, we all hope he enjoys his well earned vacation.

Our office force has been increased by the addition of Corporals Walters and Green.

Jazz Magoni: "I'll be a millionaire by this time next week." We never did realize the value of Alabama real estate before.

Lt. Smith had visions of one of our deserters the other day, but he couldn't be found. We all hope you won't have to wear glasses Lieutenant.

## Medical Dept. Notes

We wonder what can be drawing Sgt. Heatherly to the city every night since he went with Sergt. Thompson. Maybe he was too young or didn't know where the wonderful sights were until somebody showed him.

Several men are now counting their days, but what is the use, for they all are sure to re-enlist. Times are too hard on the outside to venture into civil life.

### 7th DIVISION ORGANIZE.

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will be one that will long be remembered by those who attended. The spirit of real fellowship developed during the World War prevailed during the entire evening.

Steps were taken to effect a permanent association with the primary object of holding reunions annually. The following officers were elected:

Honorary Presidents: Brig. General E. Wittenmyer, Major-General E. F. McGlachlin, Jr.

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### SECRETARY OF WAR ON INSPECTION TRIP

**Will Visit Porto Rico, Panama and Alaska.**

Secretary of War John W. Weeks and a number of Congressmen left New York last Friday on board the U. S. Transport U. S. Grant to make an inspection of Porto Rico, Panama, up the West Coast of the U. S. to Alaska.

The Secretary of War is especially interested in the defenses of the Canal Zone which should be strengthened and the aviation facilities improved.

Straford, J. B. Lieut., Touart, A. J. Capt., Vevia, P. J. Capt., Welch, M. W. Major, Williamson, R. J. Lieut., Barton, J. A. Lieut., McDonald, D. Capt. Boyd, L. A. Lieut.

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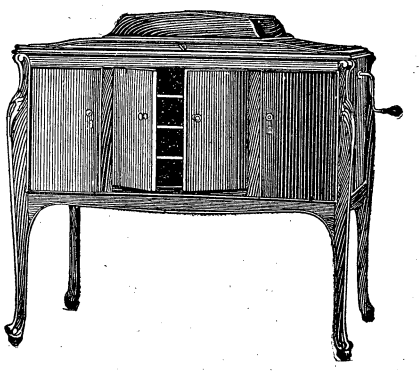
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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

The B. F. C.'s held their regular meeting on Thursday, May 3rd. All ladies of the enlisted personnel are invited to join this club.

Last Friday night a Casino Tournament was held in the South Room Private Jeffers and Privaet Rowe were the winners.

The regular meeting of the dance committee was held last Monday.

The regular weekly enlisted mens dance was given last Wednesday evening at the new post gym. An unusually large crowd was present and the music furnished by the civilian orchestra was good.

The regular dance for enlisted men will not be given on next Wednesday on account of the "Big Hike."

A group of singers will entertain all visitors and men at 2:00 p. m. at the Service Club on next Sunday (Mother's Day.)

A cribbage tournament will be held at the Club tonight (Friday.)

If enough men and enlisted men's ladies desire to start a dancing class a class will be started. Give your name to Miss Roe the Post Hostess.

### THE INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM

(Continued from Page 1)

representatives from the 29th Inf. the 24th Inf. the Infantry School Detachment, the student personnel and the instructor personnel of the Infantry School. Major Per Ramee, team Capt. is very much gratified over the excellent turn out and the co-operation shown by all organizations in the Fort in assisting to make the 1923 tryouts a complete success. From the material that is out at Benning, indications point to a big Infantry year and steps are being taken by the Benning News to carry full reports of the results of the shooting each week at Fort Niagara, and also Perry in order that those who are interested in the success of the team can keep in touch with the progress being made of the various members and the team as a whole.

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### INFANTRY LOSES TENNIS TOURNEY

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Carter, former All-Star Southern champ, in a fast singles match, 7-5,2-6, and 6-2. Van Vliet was slow in getting started on the courts, but when he did finally get warmed up he outplayed Carter nearly all the way.

Hunt again had Finley's license number, and forced the Benning net man to repeated errors by a masterful chop stroke. He took two straight games by the scores of 6-1 and 6-2.

Switzer won over Kennedy, 2-6, 6-2 and 6-3. The Benning player made a bad start off and was only able to win two sets from the Atlantan. He staged a comeback in the next two sets and was easily the victor. Kennedy is former South Atlantic champion.

Caldwell, formerly of Princeton, easily eliminated Whittemore, in two straight sets by the scores of 6-3 and 6-3.

Smith and Carter, of the Atlanta Athletic Club, won the first double match from Van Vliet and Finley by the scores of 5-7, 6-4 and 6-3. It was a rapid fire battle until the third set, when the Clubmen outclassed the Benning team and clinched the first double match.

Grant and Thornton, old strategists and veterans of many tournaments, proved too much for Brand and Whittemore, and were victorious by the scores of 6-2, 5-7 and 6-8.

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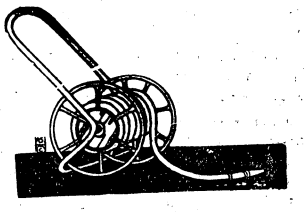

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## HOWARD AND INFANTRY TIE IN THE FIRST GAME

### Score Stands Six to Six When Play Is Halted.

**BY BROOKE LEMAN**

INFANTRY 6; HOWARD 6.

On last Friday Old Jupe Pluvius acted as the high arbitrator for matters sporting, stepping in and took a hand at ending a hectic contest between the Infantry and Howard College. Hectic is the word hearties and hectic it was.

With the tally standing six to six in the fifth frame along came the elements which aided and abetted by the gathering darkness induced Umps Wheeler to call it a day. But many things had happened in those brief five frames.

Both teams had used two hurlers in an effort to head off enemy tallying and both gave rather weird exhibitions in cruciay moments in the field. It was a slow and listless battle. Someone explained the Infantry end of it by announcing that the Blue had been shot with some of the Army serum. It may have been the case. At any rate, the usual zip and pepper of Captain Fountain's crew was sadly lacking.

The Infantry proceeded to spot the Slagtown nine with three tallies in the opening frame when Whitesides was wild and ineffective and again three more of the collegians raced over the rubber in the third. Whitesides was replaced by McNutt who fared somewhat better although being touched up for two raps in the third stanza, one a triple by White which figured considerably in the scoring.

Stubbs started on the rubber for Howard and didn't have a great deal of stuff on the pellet. He was wild as a March hare and twice packed the stations with five free tickets to first. With two Infantrymen holding down the satchels he was replaced in the fourth by Baines who managed to pull out of this difficulty after the Blue had crossed the rubber twice.

But the fireworks were postponed only for one frame for the Infantrymen shoved over four runs and tied the tally in the fifth. Luck and goodly portions of erratic playing on the part of Howard were close allies of the Doughboys in this stanza.

Howard out hit the Blue in the abbrieviated contest claiming eight safeties to seven. Fielding honors were about even and it was a slow day both ways.

Game called account darkness.

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olmstead, lf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| McCarty, ss | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Honnen, ss | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Fountain, 2b | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Kgelstrom, 1b, rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Milburn, c | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Nelson, 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Yon, cf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| McMullins, 3b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Whitesides, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| McNutt, p | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Daxis, x | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Parris, xx | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 19 | 6 | 7 | 15 | 7 | 2 |

x-Batted for McNutt in 5th.

xx-Ran for Nelson in 5th.

| The score by innings: | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Howard | 303 00 | 6 | 8 | 1 |
| Infantry | 000 24 | 6 | 7 | 2 |

x-Called end of fifty account darkness.

The summary:

Innings pitched: By Whitesides, 2 1-3 McNutt, 2 2-3. Stubbs, 3; Barnes 2.

Hits: Off Whitesides, 4; McNutt 4. Stubbs, 2; Barnes, 5.

Three base hits: White.

Two base hits: Stevens, Barfield.

The showing of our tennis team at Atlanta over the week-end was one to be proud of. It took the Atlanta Athletic Club, one of the best in these United States, to stop us. No other college or club in the South can do it.

We lost 4 to 2 to A. A. C. and at that they had to work every minute of the way. It is our opinion that our team was just a little bit fed up on tennis and was, therefore, not a their best game.

Have you noticed the huskies out every evening at Football practice? Looks pretty good for next year even though most of the old heads will be scattered to the four winds.

Our baseball team certainly had a couple of 'off' days when Howard College was here. When good, old steady Hi gets beaten you can just figure that it wasn't meant that we win the game, that's all.

Our prediction concerning the batting prolivity of Bull Yon is being carried out. Every day (in every way) he's hittin' 'em farther and farther.

Here's hopin' that Honnen and Nelson are in shape for the rest of the season. Get 'em feelin' good and they shore work purty in their positions.

Poor, old Walt Johnson won his 100th shut-out of his baseball career. He not only held the Yanks to three stingy little hits, but pounded out a three bagger of his own. He relied mostly on his 'smoke' ball as in his heyday. Reading the account of the game carried us back ten years.

Charles Paddock, California's Native Son, was the only American competitor, at the international intercollegiate games in Paris last week. France won first, Italy, second, and Szecho-Slovakia, third. During the four days of Paddock's participation he broke one world's sprinting record and equaled four other records, three of them his own. In addition to records broken or equaled during the last week on Sunday he equaled his own record in the 100 and 200 meter and 100 yard dashes. In addition to all this Paddock, by the mere participation in the games against the wishes and commands of the American Amateur Athletic Union, created almost an international situation in that all athletes who participated in the meet may be barred from the Olympic Games next year.

## HOWARD IS VICTOR IN SECOND HECTIC BATTLE

### Soldiers Tie Score in Eighth, But Slagtown Artists Come Back in Ninth and Score Three, Winning, 6 to 3.

**By BROOKE LEMAN**

HOWARD COLLEGE 6; INFANTRY 3

The grim invaders from the murky realms of Slagtown snatched a ball game out of the fire in the first half of the last frame last Saturday afternoon. In this aforesaid frame Howard shoved over three tallies which broke the knotted score and resulted in the ball game being crated back to the domains of the Yaller Hammer State.

Whenever any ball club can hammer Tracy Davis, Doughboy de luxe slabster, for fourteen safe raps, three being for extra satchels, that club is due to win a ball game. Howard did this trick yestetrday and in so doing piled up more safties than any team has this year against the Blue. Howard garnered almost twice as many safe raps off the slanting delivery of Hi Davis as did the husky Vandy Commodores.

This potent factor, together with better work in the fielding section, gave the lads from Birmingham a beautifully played and extraordinarily fast game. Up until the ninth inning it appeared to be anybody's affair, but in this fatal sector Howard clouted out four safe bingles, which connected with a very costly Infantry error gave the visitors three runs, which was, of course, enough to win the battle.

**Davis Not In Form.**

Davis lacked his usual stuff. His fast ball did not have the big hop and the control of other games was not present. Baines hurling for Howard had the Infantrymen guessing in the first half of the contest, but weakened in the latter stages and retired in favor of Stephens. It was this wise substitution on the part of the Howard mentor, as much as anything else, which gave the visitors the battle.

The Infantry failed to connect in crucial moments outside of the sixth and eight frames. Batting lamps were either untrimmed or else the offering of the Howard slabsmen had unusually baffling twists.

Howard shoved over one in the second frame when White doubled and came home on Grigg's one time rap. Another Birmingham lad crossed the rubber in the third when Lackey was safe on McMullin's bad toss of his bunt and scored when Barfield doubled. Dawson singled in the third, stole second and tallied on Alford's screamer for one sack.

The Infantry got men on the satchels in the second, third, fourth and fifth stanzas, but failed to deliver in the pinches. Two of the Blue were shoved over in the sixth.

Fountain walked and advanced on Milburn's single. Yon forced Fountain at third, but McMillin singled, tallying Milburn. Tracy Davis added his contribution to his own ball game with a single and Yon registered up.

**Infantry Rallies.**

Wit the score standing 3 to 2 the Infantry staged an eighth inning rally and tied matters up in a hard knot. Shrimp Milburn and Yon did the trick when both doubled and the former tallied.

But matters did not rest this way for long. Howard took the ball game home in their half of the ninth. With one down Stephens singled, Lackey poked out an ace and Shelton added a double bringing Stephens home. Barfield hit a garss cutter to Honnen, which the Blue shortstop booted, scoring Lackey and Shelton.

The box score:

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olmstead, lf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Honnen, ss. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Fountin, 2b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Milburn, c. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Yon, cf. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Kgelstrom, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| McMullin, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Davis, T. p. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Davis E., c. rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Paris, rf. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 3 | 8 | 27 | 11 | 2 |

| The score by innings: | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Howard | 011 100 003 | 6 | 14 | 0 |
| Infantry | 000 002 010 | 3 | 8 | 2 |

The summary:

Innings pitched, by Baines 6, Stephens 3.

Hits off Bains 6; Stephens 2.

Two base hits. Barfield 2, White, Millburn, Yon.

Base on balls, off Davis 1, Baines 4

Hit by pitcher, McManus by Stephens

## INFANTRY LOSES TENNIS TOURNEY

### Defeated By Atlanta Athletic Club in Hotly Contested Battle—Soldiers Win Two of the Six Matches.

The Atlanta Athletic Club won a hotly-contested tennis match from the Fort Benning aggregation at Atlanta last Saturday, by the score of 4 to 2.

The A. A. C. players had the better of the breaks throughout the matches. Van Vliet, of Benning, defeated Ed

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

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Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
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Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
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### 24th INFANTRY MAKES GOOD SHOWING AT THE TRY-OUT

**Gets three places in the first ten on the final count.**

The 1923 rifle season has not yet begun, but a preliminary course of instruction has been conducted for those of the regiment who comprise the "overhead" or "home guard" personnel for about two hours daily. From this aggregation of first sergeants, mess sergeants, cooks and K. P.'s company clerks and other special duty men within the regiment there has been de-

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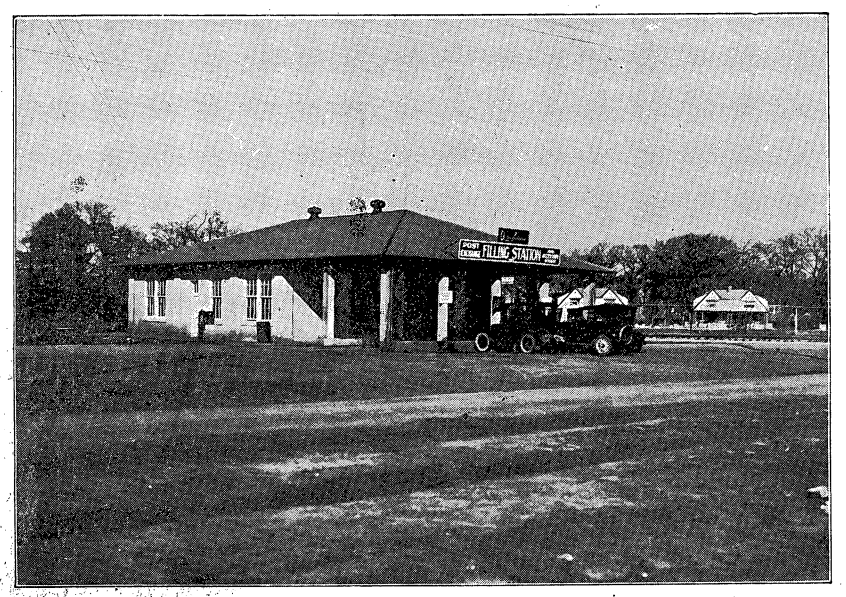

VIEW OF THE POST EXCHANGE FILLING STATION.

## WAR-DOGS' ARE LOOSE

**Hostilities Opened Tuesday Morning.**

After much controversy and debate diplomatic relations were suddenly broken off last Monday afternoon and orders issued for the troops to take the field.

So Tuesday Morning the troops were on the move and as they should be well within striking distance, a big battle will probably take place today, which may possibly last for a couple of days.

From the reports of our special correspondents. Lieut. Hess and Lieut. Leman both armies are well supplied with the munitions of war and also both armies have infantry, cavalry, artillery, tanks, aeroplanes and the necessary non-combatant branches to carry on thoroughly. They also report that the moral of both armies are excellent and that both are confident of victory.

All indications point that both nations were preparing for war at least a **month** in advance and this is borne out by the fact that it would be extraordinary for a nation or nations to put all of their troops in the field the day following the breaking of diplomatic relations if they were not prepared for war.

This is however an emphatic point to keep in mind for if one-side had not been ready they sure would have suffered a disastrous defeat right at the opening of the campaign which would have influenced the entire war.

Field Marshall John W. Heavy is the commander-in-chief of the Blue army, and Field Marshal James V. Heidt is the commander-in-chief of the Red army.

Both of the officers are well known at this station and for that reason it will be almost impossible for the inhabitants of this Post to remain neutral.

The News will try to remain absolutely neutral during this campaign and further we will try to give our readers unbiased facts of the campaign.

### SPECIAL REPORT FROM LIEUT. MIKE, ONE OF THE CORRESPONDENTS OF THE NEWS.

**Casualities Are Interviewed.**

Somewhere in Georgia, May 17, 1923.—Special—Along the Bois de Bois-Bossois Bois Road at dusk tonight straggled a pitiful throng, the wounded—returning from the front, where even yet rumble the sullen guns, whose mighty, ceaseless crashes awoke the day to life early this morning when Blue met Red in the first meeting engagement of the forces.

Back crept the wounded and the refugees. Forward lumbered the supplies; tons of them, Morning Report forms, Reports of Changes, payrolls, indorsements, and memorandum receipts. How fast they are consumed! It seems incredible this battle should require such unheard of quantities of ammunition. Such, however, are the demands of modern warfare.

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## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning May 20 and Ending May 26, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

The 29th Infantry Theatre will be closed beginning May 14th and continuing throughout the maneuvers.

**Sunday, May 20.**

"Kentucky Derby" 7 reels, Reginald Denny. "The Rainmaker" 2 reels, Lloyd Hamilton.

**Monday, May 21.**

"East is West" 8 reels, Constance Talmadge. Mutt and Jeff, 1 reel. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, May 22.**

"9th Commandment" 8 reels, Colleen Moore. "Non-Skid Kid" 1 reel, Rolin.

**Wednesday, May 23.**

"Broken Chains" 7 reels, Colleen Moore. "Old Sea Dog" 2 reels, Pollard.

**Thursday, May 24.**

"Shriek of Araby" 5 reels, Ben Turpin. "Tin Broncho" 2 reels, Sunshine. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, May 25.**

"Is Divorce A Failure" 6 reels, Leah Baird. Pathe Review, 1 reel, Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, May 26.**

"Snow Bride" 6 reels, Betty Compson. "Deteketive" 2 reels.

**Both the Blue and the Red ran last Tuesday.**

**GREY SQUIRREL**

**The Grey Squirrel wandered to the Friday night dance,**
**To watch the peppy jazzers hop around and prance.**
**He stayed for an hour (he arrived there at eight)**
**He said as he left, "Nine o'clock's too darned late."**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or**
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### DELIGHTFUL BRIDGE AT THE POLO CLUB.

Mrs. E. D. McCoy, Mrs. F. J. Lawrence and Mrs. W. R. Tomey were the charming hostesses at a most delightful bridge party given at the Polo Club House on last Monday afternoon.

The Club House was prettily decorated with a collection of spring flowers consisting of sweet peas, honey suckle, and huckle-berry blossoms.

There were eight tables of players and several tea guests present.

Mrs. W. L. Bartley won the high score prize and received a beautiful table lamp. The second prize a boudoir set was won by Miss Daisy Sproule. Mrs. Switzer drew the consolation and received a perfume bottle.

Punch was served during the afternoon and at the close of the playing a delicious fruit salad followed with ice cream, cake and iced tea were served.

### MISS ARMANTROUT RETURNS.

The many friends of Miss Barnette Armantrout will be very glad to hear that she has returned to Fort Benning.

Miss Armantrout returned last Sunday and is the house guest of Mrs. J. A. Barton.

### MRS. DUNPHY'S BRIDGE.

Friday afternoon, May 11, Mrs. C. B. Dumphy entertained five tables of bridge and several tea guests at her quarters, Bradley's farm.

The hostess was assisted by Mrs. N. A. Wimberley and Mrs. Fred Wickham

The living room was attracting decorated in yellow flowers and that color was carried out in mints, tallies and refreshments after the game.

Mrs. Lester Harris won the top top score prize, a leather vanity bag; Mrs. John Wheeler second, a vanity pact; Mrs. C. M. Neal cut consolation a pair of handpainted collars; and Mrs. W. Southerland cut the tea guest prize a darky darner.

Those present were Mrs. Lester Harris, Mrs. John Wheeler, Mrs. C. M. Neal, Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. E. J. Carr, Mrs. A. T. Cooper, Mrs. C. H. Karlstod, Mrs. Richard Arnest, Mrs. E. P. Lukert, Mrs. A. A. Roby, Mrs. Jos. Sproule, Miss Daisy Sproule, Mrs. Fred Jenkins, Mrs. C. P. Hinton, Mrs. M. C. Biglow, Mrs. Thomas Doyle, Mrs. F. J. Lawrence, Mrs. John White, Mrs. H. A. Barber, Mrs. Bernard Byrne, Mrs. Norris Wimberly, Mrs. Fred Wickham, and Mrs. Walter Southerland.

### MRS. C. A. LEWIS HOSTESS AT BRIDGE

One of the prettiest parties of the week was the bridge given by Mrs. C. A. Lewis, who entertained Monday afternoon at her home on Seventeenth street.

Quanities of lovely spring flowers were used in decorating the rooms open to the guests, and when the salad course was served, there was a corsage of sweet peas for each guest.

The first and second prizes were Madeira centerpieces, won by Miss Elizabeth Underwood and Mrs. C. W. Campbell.

Mrs. Walter S. Drysdale won the booby, a fancy powder puff, and her mother, Mrs. McIlroy, who came in for tea was presented a dainty hand-made handkerchief.

### MRS. CARROLL SCARBOROUGH ENTERTAINS FOR MISS SIMS

Mrs. Carroll Scarborough was the gracious hostess on Tuesday at a lovely spring party, the lower floor of her home on Third avenue being profusely adorned with quantities of garden flowers.

In the living room where the card tables were placed, vari-colored sweet peas were used. The dining room and hall were brightened with Dorothy Porkins roses.

Miss Sims, the attractive bride-elect who was guest of honor was presented a pretty gift of silver and the winners of high score and consolation were awarded Dorins.

After the game, salad, ices, and iced tea were served.

The invitation list was confined to a group of intimate friends of the honoree.

### DELIGHTFUL SEWING PARTY.

Mrs. C. A. Lewis entertained informally on Tuesday afternoon, the ladies of Camp Devon.

The guests brought their sewing spending a very pleasant afternoon, at the conclusion of which a salad course and iced tea were served.

### CARD PARTY AT OFFICER'S CLUB.

Mrs. John T. Dinsmore, Mrs. Henry W. Grady, and Mrs. Frank T. Chamberlin, were joint hostesses on Monday at a beautiful bridge party given at the Officer's Club.

A color motif in yellow and blue was attractively carried out with blue larkspurs and yellow daisies. Quantities of dainty huckleberry blossoms were also used.

Top-score prize, a Madeira luncheon set was won by Mrs. Per Ramee. The second prize, a buffet set of Maderia, was won by Mrs. Edward G. McCormick.

The third prize, a Maderia tray cover was won by Mrs. Benjamin C. Lockwood.

About ninety guests were present.

### AT THE COUNTRY CLUB.

The regular dinner-dance was held ta the Country Club last Saturday and was one of the delightful week end events.

Among the Army people were Capt. N. E. Olmstead with a table for eight; Lieut. and Mrs. Shepherd, for fifteen, and Capt. and Mrs. Findley for five

### COLONEL AND MRS. KENT ENTERTAIN.

On last Friday evening Colonel and Mrs. Kent were the delightful hosts at a pretty dinner party given at the Officers' Mess.

Mountain laurel was arranged in wall pockets and sweet peas centered the table making a very effective decoration.

Covers were laid for twenty seven.

After the delicious dinner, the party attended the dance given by the Officers' Club.

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### SO-JOURNERS CLUB.

**The last meeting of the So-Journers Club for the school year will be held at 7:30 P. M. May 24th, 1923, at the Officers' Hop room. All Masons invited. Don't forget the place don't forget the date, don't forget the hour. Everybody be there on time.**


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**MISS EDITH B. GORDON ARRIVES.**

Miss Edith B. Gordon of New Orleans a cousin of General Gordon arrived at the Post last Saturday as the house guest of General and Mrs. Gordon.

Miss Gordon will be here several days.

**DEPARTURES.**

Mrs. Frank Lummus, Mrs. Adabelle Dooley and Mrs. Drane Bullock left Tuesday for Greer, S. C., where they will attend the wedding of Miss Constance Davenport to Mr. Earl Dooley, which takes place in that city on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Dooley is a brother of Mrs. K. Olson.

While Mrs. Kenneth Olson is in Greer, S. C. Mrs. Olson and Miss June Olson who are house guests of Lieut. and Mrs. Olson will visit Savannah, Ga.

**MAJOR CAMPANOLE'S JAPANESE DINNER.**

Decidedly one of the most unique and delightful dinners given in Columbus in some time was Major Campanole's of Thursday evening, at his home on Fourth avenue.

Major Campanole has a Japanese cook that he brought with him from the Orient, and also many attractive Japanese ornaments and furnishings. On that occasion the table was decorated in the Japanese idea, and at each end a Japanese lantern was burning. In the center of the table was a glass reflector, and on it was one perfect pink rose. Sweet-peas and ferns mare a pretty mound around the reflector, and were scattered over the table.

A course dinner was served and every dish was prepared in Japanese fashion.

**24th INFANTRY BRIDGE.**

The regular meeting of the 24th Infantry Bridge Club was held at the home of Mrs. M. E. Jones.

Her quarters were prettily decorated with spring flowers.

Mrs. Geo. Clarke won the top score prize and the second prize was won by Mrs. J. E. Daugherty. Mrs. L. V. Jones drew the tea prize.

After the playing a delicious salad course was served.

**MUSCOGEE CLUB DINNER DANCE.**

The delightful dinner dance given at the Muscogee Club on Wednesday, May 9th was well attended.

These affairs are very popular with the army people and among those present were Capt. E. G. Chapman, Lt. Ritter, Captain Morrow, Lt. Snodgrass, Lt. Curren, Captain Reiner, Capt. Knight, Capt. Woodworth, Capt. Griffin, Capt. Thomas, Capt. Besse, Lt. Craig, Lt. Connor, Lt. Huntress, Capt. Pearson, Capt. Kennedy, Lt. Douglas, Lt. Nichols, Lt. Beatie, Lt. Davis, Lt. Howard, Lt. Honnen, Lt. Honnen, Capt. Vadala, Lt. Ziegler, Capt Scales, Capt. Dannison, Lt. Hendley.

**A MOST DELIGHTFUL BRIDGE TEA.**

Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Hahn were joint hostesses at a pretty party at the Polo Club on last Friday afternoon when they entertained one hundred and twenty guests at a bridge tea.

The Club was beautifully decorated for the occasion with a profusion of roses, sweet peas and wild flowers. The prizes which were hand-made linens were won by Mrs. Scales, Mrs. Dinsmore and Mrs. Tavenner.

**LIEUT. AND MRS. J. W. ELKINS ENTERTAIN THE BLUE POLO TEAM.**

On Sunday, May 6th Captain and Mrs. J. W. Elkins were the charming hosts for the Blue Polo Team.

Their quarters were very prettily decorated with primroses, mountain laurel and many other spring flowers.

The delicious supper was in the nature of a farewell to the Blue Team as several members of the team are leaving and so the Polo players have had to recognize the teams.

**"AT HOME"**

Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Haywood Hansell were "at home" on Sunday, May 13th to members of the Medical Corps.

**"AT HOME."**

Mrs. E. G. McCormick, wife of Major McCormick entertained at an "At Home" last Tuesday afternoon from four to six, to present her sister Mrs. Samuel Buracker.

**ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.**

Captain and Mrs. Reeve Turner announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Elizabeth, to Captain David Renwick Kerr.

**29th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.**

Mrs. Winn and Mrs. Paquet entertained jointly for the 29th Infantry Bridge Club which met at the home of the latter, last Monday afternoon.

Spring flowers were artistically used for the decorations.

Mrs. Sims won the high score prize and received a beautiful powder vase. Mrs. Olson, mother of Lieut. Olson won the second prize, a sandwich tray. Miss June Olson drew the consolation a bridge score set.

Candy was served during the playing and after the playing ice cream and cake were served.

**83rd FIELD ARTILLERY BRIDGE.**

Mrs. John A. Chase entertained the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club at a bridge luncheon at her home in Columbus last Tuesday afternoon.

Her home was profusely decorated with roses and sweet peas, and California poppies.

After the delicious course luncheon bridge was enjoyed. Mrs. W. W. Webster won the high score prize and Mrs. Williams won the second. Mrs. Biderlinden drew the consolation.

The next meeting which will be next Tuesday afternoon will be with Mrs. Lewis.

**THE MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.**

Major and Mrs. Starr Moulton entertained the Medical Department Bridge Club at their quarters last Tuesday evening.

After five frames of bridge delicious refreshments were served. The winners were Mrs. Thomas Smith, Mrs. Mary Turner and Mrs. Philip Green.

A delightful surprise of the evening came when Capt. Reeve Turner, M. C. announced the engagement of "Our Mary" to Captain David Kerr. The wedding to take place this fall.

**24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.**

Mrs. John Kneubel entertained the 24th Infantry Bridge Club at her quarters last Tuesday afternoon.

Her quarters were prettily decorated with flowers taken from her own garden.

Mrs. Bresanhan won the high score prize and received a hand-painted basket. Mrs. Daugherty won the second prize a bottle of perfume. Mrs. Nicklin drew the cut prize and won a set of ice tea spoons.

Punch was served during the playing and ice cream with cake were served after the game.

**MRS. JOHN E. MORRIS GIVES DINNER PARTY.**

As the husbands were all away at the Fort Benning War, Mrs. John E. Morris, wife of Lieut.-Col. Morris, entertained a number of her lady friends at a dinner Tuesday evening at five-thirty at the Cozy Tea Room. The guest of honor was Mrs. Chas. W. Mason, who is leaving at an early date.

Pink sweet peas and Dorothy Perkins roses with pink candles in silver holders and place-cards carrying out the same color note, made an attractive dinner table.

Those present were: Mesdames Morris, Anding, Mason, Hatie, Misses Davis, of Mobile, Mesdames Herbert, Hickox, Garrison, Wylie, Bugbee, Heidt, Carr, Bretz and Cook.

**ENTERTAIN AT DINNER.**

On Tuesday evening Major and Mrs. Goldthwaite entertained Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey informally at dinner.

**SPENT THE WEEK-END HERE.**

Miss Raffensburg of Atlanta spent the week-end at Fort Benning as the guest of Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Kneubel.

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### Company "A"

Corporal Adams, we admire your willingness to shoot and the place you hold on the team, but for strength—you need more. You know as well as I do you did not make the proper use of your sling. Neither did you hold and squeeze properly. Take this as a lesson and always keep yourself in physical condition for any test that may be put before you, and success will surely follow.

### Company "H"

The company has a new Top Kicker. Sergt. Fields is now the Do Do. He takes the place of Fat Pops who is in the battle with the reds and blues.

Bugler Robertson seems to have bad luck with the fair sex. He has decided to become a member of the "Down and out Club" of Company "H" Tent 36 is under the direction of Bugler Smith.

We can hear Bugler Smith singing "Trouble, trouble, I have had it all my days." Don't sing any more old boy, it looks like you have landed the said Fort again.

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Very sorry indeed, that Sergt. Campbell cannot take part in the Blue army he stepped on the cut-out and now he can not wear a 15 E. E. Shoe on that very 6 C. foot of his. Any excuse is better than none.

Corpl. Reeves says that you may laugh at the old maids, but it is strange that their money is always new and welcome.

Gentlemen; please treat your neighbor as you wish to be treated while he is out with the Blue and Red armies.

### Company "K"

Well if anybody asks you who sung this song tell 'em its Co. "K" attached to "E" Co. that been here and gone. Gone but not forgotten to the hills on the big drive, but there is one good consolation, they will have nothing to worry about but their personal welfare, for the boys at home will take care of the fair sex in Columbus also the "blocks" during their absence.

Said Lt. "X" 29th Infantry to a bunch of skinners in the "Blue Forces"

"Now men, are there any questions?"

Pvt. Monroe Lewis, "Sir, Lt. I want to know what do you want me to do with these four mules when they turn on the gas?"

Private Miles, John of the Service Co. and Private Porter Clarence, and Cook Norman Pickett are all running a race. It seems hard to tell who will win, from here to Columbus, and we hear that it is a case of a man who has the most patience. Of course there is one certain brother in the crowd that I know from personal experience has the patience of Job. The regiment wishes you all well, and you have it's sympathy, but if I tell you that a "Faint heart never won a fair lady, you'd hear me."

### Company "L"

While Sergt. Juilus Jennings, was on the range he fired 5 shots and received in reward the red flag five times. The range officer walked up and says Sergt. do you see the target? His reply was, "Yes, Sir," "Well Sergt, do you see the Bull's eye?" "Yes, Sir, I see three of them." "Nuff said Sergt."

Private Charlie Vaughns the shiek of Company "L" was seen putting shooting pads on a silk shirt. Vaughn you can't vamp those 30-30's into the Bull's eye.

Attention—Experts, Sharpshooters, and marksmen: There will be very heavy firing on the following ranges during the next ten days. 23—19—16—40 every one must shoot for record while the regular rangers are away.

One of our noted fellowmen is about to be discharged. The company is wondering if the Old ox cart and wagon is in good condition to meet him at the cross road. Do not worry Pleasant, they will be there if you wrote for them in time. (Two months is plenty of time.)

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

Letters only will be received for the troops on maneuver at the airdrome on the 29th Infantry parade ground. As this mail is being delivered by airplane it is necessary that they be condensed as much as possible.

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## Medical Dept. Notes

The past week has brought us a new 1st Sergeant. Sergeant Lang assures us that he is going to care for the members of the detachment, even if he has to go to the expense of purchasing a motorcycle for rounding up his men.

Lucky for us Sergeant Saunders who received his warrant the past week will replace Sergeant Lang on the N. C. O. roster, so we still catch charge of quarters every eleven days.

Corporal Thomas Martin recently made a trip to his home in Griswoldville, Georgia. It is rumored that he took on a new life partner while away, and he certainly looks the part.

Discharged during the week Private Arthur J. Frisch, who will go to his home in Rochester, N. Y.

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"The Kentucky Derby" is to be shown at the Post Theatres next Sunday. Much of it actually was filmed on the thorough-bred stock farms near Lexington and Louisville, Kentucky.

## THE POST SCHOOL FOR APRIL

**Honor Roll.**

**Kindergarten and First Grade**

Frances Lussier, Guy Malcolm Kinman, Betty Jane Milburn, Silas Grinstead, Elma Guth, Carol Sims, Frieda Wald, Sara Mae Cheek, Leroy Watson, James Baxter, Leonard Moore, Troy Royl, Marie Goodale, Rose Knubel.

**2nd Grade**

Maxine Wolf, Martha Allen, McKendree Scott.

**3rd Grade.**

Nona Elkins, Bennie Hall, Mabel Lay, Martha Petraski, Alice Floyd.

Third grade pupils making a daily average of 95 per cent. or more in spelling during April:

Margaret McMurray, 100 per cent.; Nona Elkins, 99 per cent.; Bennie Hall 98 per cent.; Mabel Lay, 97 per cent.; Conchita Leon, 96 per cent.

**4th Grade—Punctually.**

Angela Guth, Thomas Musgrave, Israel Wald, James Tripp.

**4th Grade—Attendance.**

Helen Harris, Margaret Goodale, Angela Guth, Israel Wald.

**5th Grade—Punctually**

Elaine Blauvelt, Gertie Duncanson, Charles Elliott, Gertrude Hannah, Stephen Hendrickson, Alice June, Carrol Mitchell, Reina Sutherland.

**5th Grade—Attendance**

Gertie Duncanson, Gertrude Hannah.

**6th Grade—Punctual.**

Manie Graham, Rudolph Hall, Samuel Wald.

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## FOOTBALL.

This is not a particularly attractive subject these hot days. It is made less popular because of the fact that the great American game of baseball now occupies the center of the athletic stage.

However at this time the football coaches are beginning to cast about for next season's football material and this gets us right down to the idea we have in mind.

What kind of a football team are we going to have next year?

The outlook right now is not bright, to speak frankly. A reason exists for this. In the first place the classes next year will be composed of older men whose football days have passed. It is an exceptional case where a man is physically fit to play football after the age of Thirty. Most of the members of next years' classes will be over this age.

For several reasons it is "up to" organization and detachment commanders to interest the football personnel of their organizations and detachments in trying out for the Infantry School team. This is the Infantry School and the fact that it is—although located on an Army post called Fort Benning—behooves every Infantry officer to give his hearty support to the athletics of the School, just as he would give his support to any other phase of Infantry activities.

If the organization and detachment commanders influence their men to the point where the men will feel that they are doing their bit for the Infantry by playing on a team representing the Infantry School there will be a creditable football team next year.

In the past there has been criticism from certain quarters of the method in which members of the various athletic teams were chosen. One of the most popular forms of criticism was that the enlisted man stood no show of getting a place on the team if he was competing against an officer. Such a condition does not exist and has never existed. Every effort has been made in the past to get the enlisted personnel out for the various teams without any great degree of success. The reason for this lack of success was because the company commander, in most cases, was not in favor of his men playing on the Infantry School team. It "broke up" his own team—notwithstanding the fact that his man got the best coaching available and was available to play on the organization team when needed—or "We don't get anything out of Infantry School Athletics", so why should we help them out?

Both arguments are narrow. As a matter of fact, so far as the latter is concerned, a percentage of all gate receipts to games on the Post accrue to the local recreation fund which in turn is expended, solely, for the recreation of the enlisted personnel of this command.

Let's forget our petty jealousies, if they exist, and put a real foot-ball team in the field next year. Such as Rompolski, Swantic, Parrish and a few others will, when gotten together on one big team, make a record. Incidentally they are going to get the coaching that will make them more valuable to their battalion teams. The News hopes that company commanders will think this over a while.

## AN APPRECIATION

The following letter has been received in connection with our editorial entitled "An Appreciation" of May 11, 1923. The letter is appreciated by the "News" and is published for the consideration of the entire garrison.

Fort Benning, Gt.,
May 14, 1923.

The Editor,
Fort Benning News,
Fort Benning, Georgia.

Dear Sir:

I wish to thank you for your fine editorial of May 11th regarding the sacrifice made by players of the different school teams.

Expressions of this type or even evidences of the sentiment prompting them are encouraging to players and help carry them through many discouraging situations of which the spectator is usually blissfully ignorant.

It is very easy to shout ones loyalty and support to a winning team but true loyalty and support is more clearly shown when the team may be losing.

This loyalty has been accorded the school teams by the majority of the post personnel and it was the realization of this that enabled the teams to "carry on" in the face of ennumerable handicaps and difficulties not encountered by any team played by us.

A college team personnel is usually younger than the players on our teams. They have more time to devote to practice. They are given rewards for performance not given our players. They have paid professional coaches who have their players usually for four years and can thus develop them individually and also perfect team play.

None of these conditions exist with us. Our personnel is a constantly changing one and there is no time for individual development. Coaches, like players, must devote the time used by all others in diversion, to practice. There is little incentive for this extra work by players. The courses are competive and the applause of the grand stand, when a good play is made hardly balances the inevitable loss of units through inability to prepare as thoroughly as non-playing students.

It is because of these conditions that your editorial, bringing them as it does to the attention of the non-participating members of the command is of special value to us.

I believe I am sufficiently familiar with the feelings of the players to warrant my stating that they join me in this as an expression of their appreciation as well as my own.

With best wishes for the continued success of the "Benning News," I am,

Very truly,
Jas. G. Hannah.

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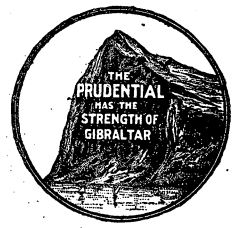


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## Proverbs of Pvt. Solomon

Chapter VIII.

**That Which Dealeth With Maneuvers**

There cometh a period during a soldier's enlistment when he leaveth the comforts of camp life and goeth into the field.

Some of these field exercises are real war and others are just practice, some be long and others short but even then too long for some soldiers.

When there giveth orders for a maneuver it giveth much excitement and worry. The ordinary soldiers are excited because it is probably their first maneuver and so the older soldiers tell the younger ones about varfous things some of which are good and some of which are mysterious.

Showeth thou me an old soldier who hath not seen a badger fight a dog or who hath never hunted snipe and then so will I show thee a soldier who hath never had much field duty.

Some soldier there are who are always losing something and say that it was stolen and they go right to the supply sergeant and demand that the lost be replaced and so seem to think that a supply sergeant is superhuman and when anything is needed all that the supply sergeant need do is reach into the air and pull it down and hand it to them. But alas when cometh the end of the month and so cometh pay day he finds that he be short a few gold pieces which were used to pay for "stolen" equipment or when cometh the end of the quarter and several more pieces of gold are missing from the pay, in payment of "stolen" clothes but such is life in the Army of Stmuel for when the maneuver starteth so must all soldiers have all clothing and equipment.

But finally cometh the hour of departure and all is in readiness. The bugle soundeth the forward and the column moveth off with a light step. But as the day groweth old the pack getteth heavier until at night that fifty yound pack feeleth like a hundred weight. So also at the time of departure many of the younger soldiers carried many unnecessary articles, but these are soon dispersed with for they soon learn to carry only what they must and leave the rest behind.

As they march along and the day getteth hotter and hotter so the young soldiers pull and pull their canteen oftener and oftener and some even try to be a good fellow by passing his canteen around so that soon only the old soldiers and the wise younger soldiers have a full canteen of water but the foolish have an empty canteen and desireth a drink mighty and say mighty words because the old soldier will not pass their water around but keep it for themselves. Nor heed you the wise and the old keep their water but the fool he giveth it away or drinketh exceedingly while the day is still young.

The first meal on the maneuver is usually a cold ration cooked before departure, eaten along the road without having to build a fire.

Shortly after the lunch the march is resumed and the long rest maketh the men feel better except those foolish ones again who are so endowed with worldly wisdom that they think that they can wear a new pair of shoes on a hike, until they try it and then their feet become sore, they sweareth mighty at the supply sergeant because the shoes do not fit.

But know ye that no soldier is at fault in the Army of Samuel, but it is always the other fellow who is to blame.

But soon the command arriveth at the camping place for the night and the tents are pitched and the men told to fix up their beds. This the older soldier and the wise younger ones do heartily, getting together dry grass, or the tender branches of the trees and so make a bed that would be fit for any king. But the foolish ones, oh well they are too tired to move about and besides they can't see the need of going to a lot of extra work, and also they are so tired that they could sleep on a rock and never know it.

Soon there raiseth a mighty shout and the men dance and feel gay for know ye that the rolling kitchens are arriving and that soon the evening mess will be ready. The men wait impatiently but after a while the bugle calleth out clear and loud "porky, porky without a streak of lean, soupy, soupy without a single bean, coffee, coffee without any cream" but nevertheless they run mightly and get their mess kits and line up.

But here again the younger soldiers soon learn that the non-commissioned officers head the line and they swear mightly but they must learn that it has always been so in the Army of Samuel and that they too must follow its traditions.

But now what meaneth that lone soldier that calleth out loudly? Alas he cannot find his mess kit and sweareth that some low down man hath stolen it but after he raved a while he cooleth down and then trieth to borrow a mess kit and alas when a man has only one he needeth it. Can'st thou imagine a doctor who was hurrying to a patient in his chariot and he meeteth another doctor who desireth to borrow his chariot so that he can make an urgent call on his patient? Thinkest thou that the first doctor wouldst give his chariot to the second doctor? So then canst thou expect one soldier wouldst give his mess kit to another?

But after the mess is finished then the soldiers have their fun. Some play with the "galloping dominos" and speak an unknown tongue except to a selected few. Others try many and divers ways to "break the dealer" Still others prefer to let the badger and the dog fight a round or two and those that feel fresh prefer to hunt snipe if they happen to be in a place favorable for such hunting. Still others get together and sing and tell tales. But it maketh no difference what they do or how late or how early they go to bed when that bulge speaketh out snappily in the morning air, "I can't get 'em up, I can't get 'em up, I can't get 'em up at all. A corporal is worse than a private, a sergeant is worse than a corporal, a lieutenant is worse than a sergeant, but the captain is the worse of them all. I can't get 'em up, I can't get 'em up, I can't get 'em up this morning." It giveth many groans and moans and some mighty words. But the older soldiers get out rapidly and get dressed and maketh ready for the march. But the younger soldiers idleth away his time and soon breakfast soundeth and he is not ready so he must needs make haste after breakfast, while the older soldier take a smoke and fill their canteen again.

But it is so in the Army of Samuel that there always be a few who are exceedingly wise and a word of advice falls on barren ground or is not appreciated until it is too late. But the foolish are with us always in the army or out. SELAH!

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To proceed from the sublime to the ridiculous we quote the following for your information and guidance.

"A little wild eyed Irishman went into a cafe the other day and sat down at a table a few feet from where a Englishman was ordering his lunch and the following conversation was overheard:

Waiter: What will you have sir."

Englishman: Bah Jove, I want a pot of English breakfast coffee, tea, ah—l—steak, rah-ther medium don't cher know, and some English muffins."

Waiter, to Irishman:" What will you have sir?"

Irishman: "Oi want some Irish stew and some Irish potatoes and a pot of Green tea.

Waiter: "Anything else sir."

Irishman: Yes Oi wish that Englishman would say something.

Having got that load off our chest we feel much better.

—Submitted by Recruiting Officer.

## FORT FABLES.

**By George Ed.**

**The Fable of the Dumbell who made a Lucky Guess.**

Once upon a time there was a young Promotion Lister who had been sent to The Infantry School thru no fault of his own.

Several Commanding Officers and many Adjutants had grown weary and exhausted their allowance of stationery in a hopeless attempt to keep him espirited. Up to the time of going to press no one had succeeded in bringing the Trivial fact to the attention of this Officer of the guard material that occasionally it was considered perfectly proper to Put Out.

He was a phonograph with a busted Main-Spring. He was so indifferent to the Minute that he could go to sleep at a Post Exchange Meeting. He was a well known character at all the eating houses in Columbus for his clever answers.

The time came when the Final War was fought on the plantation between the Students on one hand and the Instructors on both hands. The action took place just previous to the end of the course.

Our hero, having been Hot Stuff at the Friday Night struggle was not his usual self the next morning when someone assigned the tasks for the Ten Day wanderings in the wilderness. So it happened that before our Lieutenant could get Marked Quarters he was assigned to Command an outfit.

After wandering over the 97,000 diversified acres which comprises our playground he was doing nicely when he found that his company had foolishly become engaged with the opposing troops. Without stopping to give the Terrain the Double O or getting the necessary information as to whether the Commanding Officer of the Opposing Troops was his Senior. He shouted to his Second in Command to take the right flank! He then went back to sleep knowing that there must be a right flank somewhere.

The attack was very successful and he was highly complimented by all for his excellent leadership and the keen knowledge of tactics he had displayed. From that day on he became an authority on flank attacks and other things.

Moral: Always attack the right flank.

## THINGS TO TRY ONCE.

Throwing an egg into an electric fan

Ordering exceptional articles from the commissary and not accepting them when they arrive.

Buying gas at the Post Exchange Filling Station on Sunday.

Saluting.

Getting a late book at the Post Library.

Borrowing money from the Finance Officer.

Convicting a Provost Guard he is all wrong.

Drive an automobile to Jefferson's Hole.

Drive a truck through a swamp.

Putting your raincoat inside your roll when it happens to rain.

Forgetting your match when you are going on a maneuver.

Attempt to borrow a mess kit while on a hike.

**Famous Twos.**

Pork and Beans.
Ham and Eggs.
Tom and Jerry.
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Two Bits.
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## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

**More Ripletts.**

"The pair followed Pa to Manhassett
Where he still kept the cash as an asset,
But Nan and the man stole the money and ran,
As for the bucket Manhasset,

Pa followed the pair to Chicago,
Where the man proved a very Iago,
As a matter of course, Nan got her divorce
And weeping did back to Hermago."

**Poetry or Prose.**

Teacher—The difference between poetry and prose is like this:
Jack and Jill went up the hill,
If they haven't stopped they are going still,

Now that is poetry; In prose one would say:
Jack and Jill went up the hill, if they haven't stopped they are still going. Do you understand?

Pupil—Yes'm.

Teacher—Let's hear you give an example.

Pupil:
Jack and Jill went down the well,
If they don't stop they'll go to—

Teacher do you want poetry of prose?

Heavens, Johnnie, make it prose!

**S'ore Do.**

Teacher—Sambo, do you know what delight means?

Sambo—Yass'um.

Teacher—Give a sentence with delight then.

Sambo—De las' one in de bed puts de light out.

**When Jestures Proved Practical.**

Two men, Mr. Rosenbaum and Mr. Grabgold, were passengers on the same steamer crossing the ocean. Mr. Rosenbaum said to his friend, "I can't swim, If there is any trouble, will you take me ashore?" "Certainly" On nearing an island, something did happen to the ship and the passengers had to swim ashore. Mr. Grabgold struck out for land, forgetting his friend and his promise.

A few minutes later he was surprised to see his friend beside him on the island.

"Why, how did you get in? I thought you could not swim." "I can't but there I was in the water and I did not know what else to do, so I talked and I talked and I talked and that's how I got in."

**Two Kinds of War.**

Teacher—"The soldiers fought the war to the bitter end. Now, children do you know what that means?"

Class—"Yess'um."

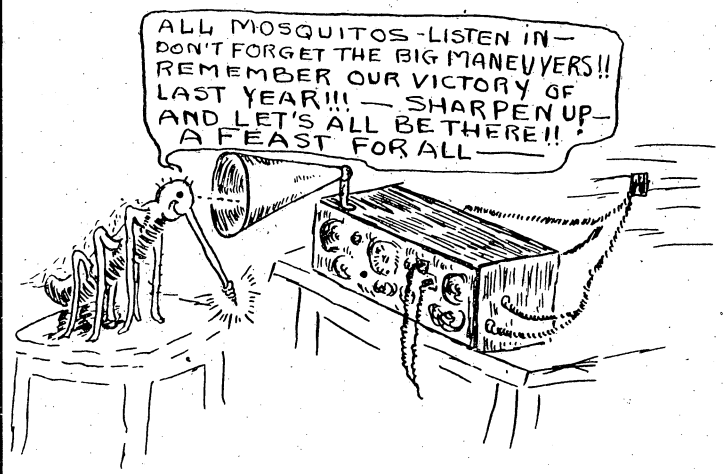
Teacher—"Well, Eddie ,give a sentence with 'bitter end' now so I will see that you get the sense of this."

Eddie—"The dog chased the cat under the house and bit her end."

**Worth Killing.**

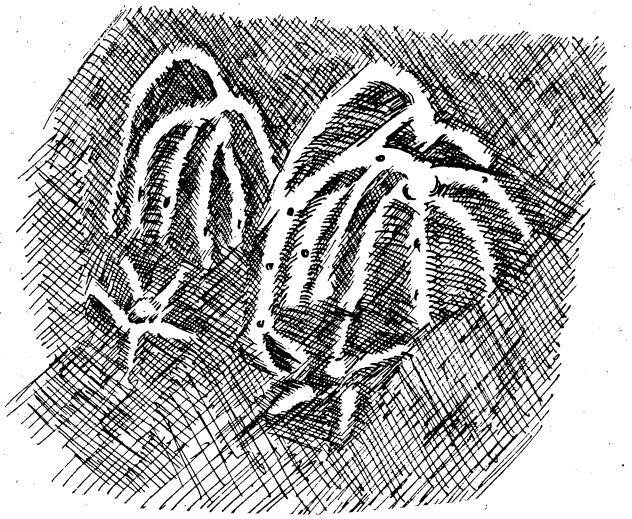
Reggie and Charlie were standing talking to Henrietta and Dorothy. They were languidly discussing which is the worst pest sparrows or worms. Charlie said: "They brought over the sporrows from England to get rid of the worms, but now there are so many sparrows, they are about as bad as the worms. What do you think about it Reggie, deah? Reggie adjusted his monacle and gave his cane a fancy twirl. "Weally, Chollie, deah, I don't know. You see weally, I nevah had sparrows." Then they sprinkled some water over two fainting Paquin dresses.

# REMINISCENCES OF THE INFANTRY SCHOOL MANEUVER




—AND THEY WERE ALL PRESENT—

THE FELLOW WHO KNEW
ALL ABOUT POISON OAK—



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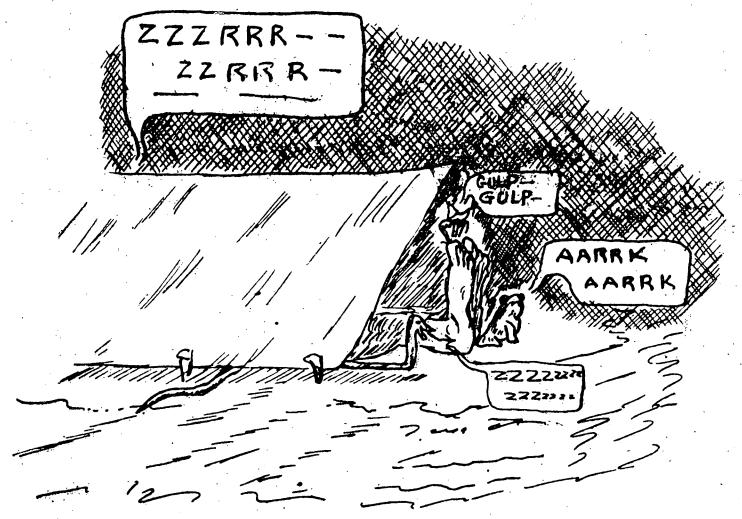


WE ALL HAD NIGHTLY VISITORS—

A GOOD SCOUT TAKING COVER

THERE WAS ONE "CALL"
THAT WE ALL KNEW——

G.E.K.

## Bakers and Cooks School

### IMPROVED METHOD OF CRYSTALLOMANCY DISCOVERED.

Crystallomancy of the past has been relegated to the fakirs and quacks by all sane-minded persons, although many such patronize these practioneers mainly for the "kick" they get out of it.

In our laboratory we have recently been carrying on experimental work in physco-analytical fields which has culuminated in a surprising discovery.

If applied properly, the discovery is apt to be of great importance to the world, however we have determined that it is extremely inadvisable to turn this discovery over to the general public for obvious reasons.

It has long been an established fact that the sub-concious portion of the mind under stress, certain, circumstances and surroundings can produce prescience commonly called "second sight," prescience of danger, or of great happiness.

This prescience of the future, if of sufficient strength off times projects into the reasoning mind a clear cut picture.

Such instances are common. "An engineer's wife has a vision of disaster befalling her husband and begs him not to go on his regular run. He laughs and goes. He is killed in a wreck."

Numberless instances can be cited of this power given to the sub-concious mind, and it is true that it most often manifests in the feminine sex because of their greater promises to emotion.

We have constructed a huge crystal globe with which the operator coaxes his reasoning mind to inactivity, or a semi-hynonatic state. We then attach to the operator's head a light hollow steel helmet containing a certain secret solution of radium-active substance which we cannot reveal here, however the function of this solution is to stimulate faculties until they acquire the degree of activity necessary to delve into the future.

The operator gazes fixedly into the crystal, concentrating on the question asked. Shortly there appears to his eyes only, the answer, perhaps in the form of a picture, or perhaps in the form of print from a future periodical, according to the question asked.

There is practically no limit to the distance into the future into which we may inquire. From fifty to a thousand, or ten thousand years, or beyond.

We do not presume to know exactly how the sub-concious ascertains such information of the future, but science has ably demonstrated that the words time and space as we use them are but empty words used to abridge that which we do not understand. Our sub-concious mind, however is part of the Universal or Cosmic mind, omnipotent, omniscient, and omnipresent, which renders us all powerful if we but function in accord with natural laws.

We can therefore ascertain the past, present and future at will, but as it would not do for John Doe to know that Mrs. Doe went riding with Bill Jackson last Saturday, nor for Mr. Jones to know taht he was going to die of heart failure next Tuesday at 2:00 P. M. we will undertake to render free service to those who desire it in generalities of the future, and topics of general interest.

This will be a labor of love, and should stimulate the scientific of this generation, and the undecided ones to fall in line and make themselves useful that the strides of the world toward perfection may be unfaltering.

Such questions will be answered of the future, as; What will be status of Nations to each other (800) years from today? What means of transportation? but inquiries of personel nature will go to the waste-basket unheeded.

Send questions to Dept. X, Ft Benning News.

## LODGE NOTICES

The Entered Apprentice and Fellow Degrees will be conferred by Mt. Hermon Lodge No. 304 F. & A. M. Thursday evening, May 24th, 8 o'clock, Masonic Temple, visiting brothers are cordially invited.

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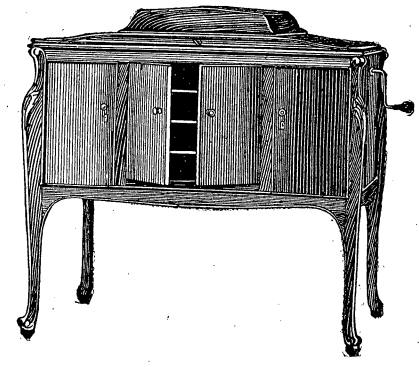

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## 24th INFANTRY MAKES GOOD SHOWING AT THE TRY-OUT

(Continued from Page 1.)

veloped a formidable representation to enter the official Infantry team try-out which has just closed at the Infantry school.

Where there is a will there will be found a way. This was the slogan of the regimental commander and the officers whom he placed in charge of the rifle instruction for the regiment. Preliminary instruction was begun and such men as could be found in kitchens, and other S. O. S. duty were gathered together for an hour each morning. Interest became aroused, and the K. P.'s were soon vieing with each other to get out for the rifle work at the earliest possible hour after breakfast. Through common consent, a schedule for a three hour period of instruction was arranged daily, and every available man relayed his turn through this course.

When the first installment finished the preliminary course, they turned out with shovels and other "peace-time weapons of warfare" and proceeded to build a gallery range in the back lot so that some preliminary firing with gallery rifles might add to the effectiveness of the instruction. This was soon completed and each man was fired through the gallery course of qualification.

The question of the regiment's quota of candidates for the Infantry try-out at Fort Niagara then bacame the live topic of interest. The presence of the Infantry team captain at the Infantry school and the fact that a try-out was to be held at Fort Benning under the supervision of Major Per Ramee opened the way for the 24th Infantry to qualify their representatives for the official try-out at Niagara. A certain number of selected men were reported for participation in the semi-finals held at the Infantry School, with the result that the 24th Infantry had three men in the first ten in this try-out, and three more in the first thirty. This try-out included the 29th Infantry, Student officers representing a great many regiments throughout the country, many old shots who were ordered here for the try-outs and other personnel entitled a representation on the Infantry squad.

Among the regiment's best are the ex-members of the Infantry squad Capt. C. M. Lyons participated in the try-out at Niagara in 1921 and also Corporal Harriston. Private Bradford was the sole representative of the 24th Infantry last year. The new material this year brings forth Lt. L. V. Jones and 1st Sergt. Larkins. All of these men chalked up scores that made the Team Captain offer congratulations to the 24th Infantry for their prospects for the Infantry team.

Most of the credit for the showing made by the regiment is due Captain John H. Kneubel, Infantry who is atached to the 24th Infantry. His name is well known in army circles as synonum for Infantry team or Marksmanshiu. He was placed in charge of the rifle instruction and all the officers of the regiment co-operated with him 100 per cent. for the best that could be accomplished from the limited opportunity offered for any instruction. In this connection it must be noted that the 24th Infantry enlisted personnel have become so absolutely indispensible that the Infantry School in all probability would cease to function if the "Details" from the 24th to unseen activities and other "institution" were called in for any such trifling diversion as a rifle season on the range. All of this being true, in spite of the fact that there is a small bonus for marksmanship for which every enlisted man is entitled to qualify once each year.

It is the secret hope of every member of the 24th Infantry, Commissioned and enlisted that when the Maneuver is over and the present school session is done, that we might be permitted to spend the jolly summer months shooting ourselves into the lime-light in a regular range riot.

## SPECIAL REPORT FROM LT. MIKE

(Continued from Page 1.)

I halted one of the wounded. A high explosive reply-by-indorsement had entered his efficiency report. "It has been awful" he said. "All day long we crouched in the Foret de Fere, shuddering under the impact of the enemy's famous Six-Thirty-Sevens. At three this afternoon one of our detachments of the Judge Advocate General's Department made a charge under the 96th Article. A heroic, but futile attempt. The enemy repulsed it ruthlessly with a plea to the jurisdiction."

He Staggered on.

I passed a group of staff officers busy over their maps in a secluded nook beneath the stately ten foot pines that line the First Division Road. The twilight showed faces wan with worry and haggard from loss of sleep. The map disclosed, as it was explained to me, a bewildering situation. The enemy had been reported at Adams Hill. Strong covering forces had been despatched in that direction. Unfortunately they had been despatched from the despatcher's office, and were irrevocably lost. Unfortunately, too, as it was likewise explaied to me, Sheet One of the Post map has two Adams Hills, and the enemy having leisurely departed from the other one, was even now hammering at the gates of camp. It was known that he could never get in as he had been deprived of his pass.

A debate began between two officers of the Staff as to the pronunciation of Smith Hill. One called it Smythe, The debate promised to endure as there is one hill of each. I passed on. A group of tactical instructors lay resting by the roadside, cheerfully singing the song of their corps: "Needles and Pins, Needles and Pins, give us a map and your trouble begins."

I was shouted off the roadside by a mounted detachment of the Finance Corps. Forward they swung at a thrilling gallop. Behind them jounced and jangled a battery of the dreaded long range pay stoppages.

By now it was intensely dark, and seeking some place where I could read my notes, I turned my steps toward a dim glimmer in the heart of the 29th Infantry Woods. Here I found, sheltered beneath a wrapper indorsement, a radio receiving set, and beside it, a glum looking officer of the Adjutant General's Department. I asked a question.

"The eyes of the army are blinded," he told me. "Our only plane is, I fear, lost." The observer attempted to send a message reporting an enemy reconnaissance in force. He was unable to spell reconnaissance correctly, and inasmuch as the latest regulations prescribe that army correspondence must be conducted in accordance with correct English, he has been directed to remain aloft until the correct spelling occurs to him.

"He must be out of gas by now," I ventured.

"He is."

"Then how is he to come down?"

"That," responded the officer sternly, "is up to him. He must show results, not give excuses. Discipline must be maintained."

"I shall observe his future career with considerable interest," I told him, and returned to press headquarters.

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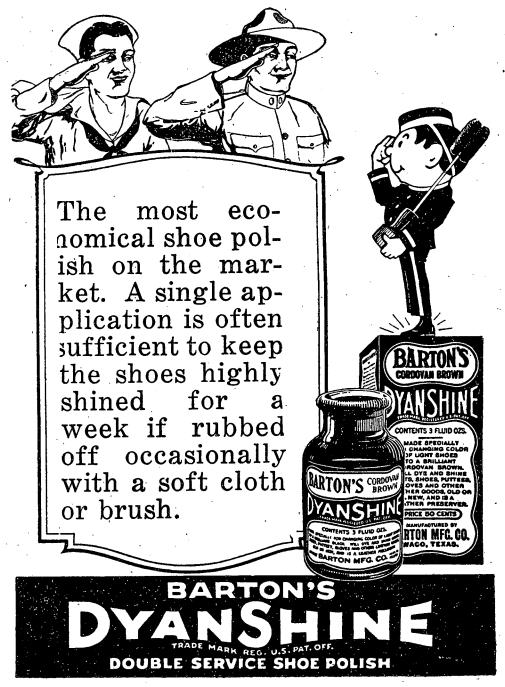

# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## INFANTRY VICTOR OVER OGLETHORPE

**Coach Hannah's Charges Annex Last Game of the 1923 Season by Trouncing the Petrels 12 to 6.**

By BROOKE LEMAN

INFANTRY 12, OGLETHORPE 6.

The Blue legged tribe of the Infantry flashed into a one-sided win over the Oglethorpe Petrels out on the classic sod of Golden's Park yesterday afternoon. It was the final setto of the Blue season and they seemed to celebrate accordingly. The Infantrymen won over Frank Anderson's clan by the tune of 12 to 6 and thereby evened the series, as the Petrels had taken the opener.

It was one of those slugfests which come every once in a while. The Doughboys rapped the onion on the nose for more hits and at more timely moments than did the Atlanta lads and to this as well as anything else may the Infantry victory be attributed.

Both teams had ragged days in the field and chalked up an even break of six errors, but there were bright and scintilatting spots in the defense sector for five fast double plays were pulled. The Blue took three of these into their dugouts, while Anderson's charges garnered two fast ones.

**Four Hurlers in Action.**

Each team used two hurlers in an effort to bring home the bacon. It is to Messrs. Davis, McNutt and Company that the lads of Coach Jim Hannah may attribute their win and especially to the Underground Mister McNutt, who went into the coming tower for the Blue when Davis was being rapped hard and effectively.

McNutt stopped the Petrel batters with one scant hit in the last half of the game. His curves were loosed from the shoe tops and had the Pets popping them up all over the hemisphere. This one safe rap was a scratch which might have been snagged had not the boxing platform gracing the left field gardens gotten in the way of fielder Olmstead. In passing out the bouquets and valedictory speeches concerning the final contest McNutt must certainly come into his share.

Hi Davis had a bad day after he had hit Wall with the onion. The ball collided squarely, but unavoidably, with the Petrels' second sacker's dome and bounced off with a crack like a rifle shot. Wall was not severely hurt in spite of the hard lick and gave a great exhibition of gameness when he continued in the game. He was forced to retire a half inning later, being still dazed by the lick.

In the next frame Davis annexed a bad case of nerves and was rapped for five safeties, which resulted in Coach Hannah making the aforesaid wise selection of McNutt.

**Peace Sent to Showers.**

Lefty Peace, prize port side hurler of Oglethorpe, made the initial bow. He got along exceedingly well until the fourth frame, when the Infantry connected for four screamers, which, coupled with a base on balls and a Petrel miscue, gave the Blue five tallies. Coach Anderson sent his port-flinger to the showers in favor of Jake Morris.

The Infantry took exceeding liking to the speedy offering of Jake and rapped his most effectivel when men perched on the satchels. In the remaining four innings he was found for a total of nine safe clouts, which added to Petrels errors, allowed eight of the Blue crew to romp gleefully over the counting station.

The Petrels followed suit of yesterday and opened with a rush when they tallied in the first. Maurer tripled and came home on Parrish's rap. This was followed by another Oglethorpe score in the second when three Infantry errors and a balk by Davis gave them a score on a silver platter.

**Five Runs in Fifth**

The Blue settled down and matters remained in status quo until the fourth frame when the Infantry sent over five counters. Fountain singled and advanced when Shrimp Milburn one timed. Yon hit a bounder to Peace and Fountain and Shrimp tallied on his wild toss home. McCarty drew a pass and McMullin sent Yon home with his ace rap to center. Hi Davis rose to the occasion and tallied up both McCarty and McMullin with his single to deep right.

Oglethorpe tied matters into a knot in their sector of the fifth. Hafele singled and was followed by Parris with a double. Kemp one timed and both tallied. Davis and Collier then annexed safe raps and Kent trotted home.

It didn't last long for the Blue drove over three more in their section of the same frame. Kgelstrom doubled and was followed by Milburn with another two-time swat. Kgelstrom tallied. McCarty hit a grounder to Maurer which he mussed up and Milburn plugged the pan. McCarty took second and came home on McMullin's Texas Leaguer.

Oglethorpe got the last counter in the sixth when Maurer singled, advanced to third on Hafele's blow and came home on Parish's infield out.

**Four in the Eighth.**

Four of the Infantry registered in the eighth and put the game in the cold storage chambers. Honnen, Fountain, and Kgellstrom got singles in succession and packed the satchels. Milburn hit a hot one to Maurer which he missed and Honnen and Fountain scored. McCarty and McMullin singled sending home Kglestrom and Milburn.

McMullin led in hitting honors getting four safe raps in five appearances He found his hitting stride yesterday. Milburn and Kgelstrom each got two for the Blue, one being for an extra station, while Honnen and Fountain got two aces each.

Maurer led for Oglethorpe with a single and triple, while Parrish and Hafele each got a pair of hits.

| INFANTRY AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| The Box Score— | | | | | |
| Olmstead, lf. ....4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Honnen, rf. ....4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Fountain, 2b. ....4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| Kgelstrom, 1b. ....5 | 2 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Milburn, c. ....4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Yon, cf. ....4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarty, ss. ....3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| McMullin, 3b. ....5 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Davis, p. ....3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| McNutt, p. ....2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals ....39 | 12 | 14 | 27 | 12 | 6 |

| The score by innings: | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oglethorpe ....110 031 000 | 6 | 11 | 6 |
| Infantry ....000 530 04* | 12 | 14 | 6 |

The summary:

Three-base hit, Maurer; Two-base hit, Pearce, Kgelstrom, Milburn, Porter, Parrish; Double plays, Fountain to Kgelstrom; Wall to Maurer to David Kgelstrom to McCarty; McCarty to Fountain; Pearce to Wall to David. Innings pitched, by Davis 5; McNutt, 4; Pearce 4; Morris 4. Hits, off Pearce 5; Morris 9; Davis 10; McNutt 1. Hit by pitcher, Parrish by Davis; Wall by Davis, Olmstead by Peace; McCarty by Morris. Passed balls, Milburn; Porter. on balls: Milburnt-l.....:OW0 ra Base on balls: Off Peace 3; Morris 1; Davis; McNutt2. Struct Out: By Davis 1; McNutt 2; Morris 4. Time of Game: Two hours, 20 minutes. Umpires Wheeler (plate); Willis (bases).

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**Central City Club of Macon, Ga., defeated 15-3 and 13-5. Morehouse College won 2-0 and 5-4.**

The Central City Club.. of.. Macon, Ga. were guests of the 24th Infantry on May 11th and May 12th, and a series of two games was played on the local diamond. The regulars were victorious in both games. The Scores:

**1st Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 431 023 110 | 15 | 18 | 2 |
| C. C. Club | 000 200 010 | 3 | 7 | 5 |

4 home runs, 1 3-base hit, 1 2-base hit.

Batteries — 24th, Leonard-Wallace, Trammel p. in 7th. C. C. Club, Hawkins-Langley.

**2nd Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 120 210 700 | 13 | 13 | 1 |
| C. C. Club | 000 500 000 | 5 | 18 | 2 |

3 home runs, 1 3-base hit, 1 2-base hit.

Batteries—24th, Green-Thomas, Wallace c. in 4th, Lamar c. in 8th, Seats p. in 9th; C. C. Club, Cocky-Langley.

### Morehouse Wins Doubleheader May 5th

The 24th Infantry squad journeyed to Atlanta on May 5th and played a double header with Morehouse College. This was a return ticket. Honors were evenly divided in a recent contest with Morehouse on the local grounds, each team winning one game. The games played in Atlanta were strictly of professional caliber and both teams share alike the credit for boosting the respect of the spectators present for the great National game.

**1st Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 000 000 000 | 0 | 10 | 4 |
| Morehouse | 000 200 000 | 2 | 8 | 2 |

Batteries—Haywood-Thomas; Hartley-Williams.

1 double play, 2 3-base hits, 1 1-base hit

**2nd Game.**

| | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 24th Inf. | 002 000 2 | 4 | 8 | 1 |
| Morehouse | 012 200 0 | 5 | 7 | 3 |

Batteries—Green-Wallace; Marlin-Franklin.

1 3-base hit, 2 2-base hit.

## INFANTRY LOSES FIRST GAME.

**Oglethorpe Romps on Blue Team by 10 to 3 Score, Putting Over Six Markers in the Last Two Innings.**

**(By Brooke Leman.)**

OGLETHORPE 10; INFANTRY 3.

The Stormy Petrels and Infantry rollicked along for about seven frames in a diversion of the national pastime which resembled a ball game. But along came the eighth and ninth sectors during which the aforesaid Petrels turned the exhibition into a very one sided conclusion. In these two innings the charges of Frank Anderson fell upon the offering of Hutchinson and mauled the onion for six screaming raps three being for extra satchels. Meanwhile three of the Atlanta tribe had romped home in each inning putting the battle on ice as effectually as though it had been carted to the North Pole.

It was a slow listless game in which the hard clouting of the Petrels and the brilliant performance of Kgelstrom, substituting at the initial sack for Kent Nelson of the Blue, stood forth as redeemable features.

Hutchinson went on the mound for the Doughboys and the Petrels took a fancy to his slants. At times they leaned healthy and resounding willows against his underhand ball and these swats generally came when a Petrel runner stood on a station or so. Thirteen safeties did the Petrels pound out and four of these went into the long distance column.

**Listless Exhibition.**

But the performance of the Blue in the field did not help any. Hits went at times which shouldn't have been hits and most of the Infantry had the anchors flung into the mud The truth of the matter is both crews gave slow and listless exhibitions on the turf. The Petrels stacked up five boots while the Infantry miscued four times.

Humphries, one of Anderson's aces, took over firing honnrs for the Oglethorpe lads and had matters pretty much his own way. For eight frames he held the Blue to five tiny raps, two being scratches of the variest order. In the ninth the Infantry touched him up for three bingles but with the stations drunk Olmstead failed to deliver and the Petrel flinger came out of his hardest hole. Humphries tossed up a slow winding curve which had the Infantry popping them up all over the place. It takes hits to win ball games and the Doughboys had blinders on yesterday when it came to looking them over and meeting the pellet squarely. The Blue ran bases erratically and tossed away two possible runs by dumb work on the paths.

The Infantry set the tallying pace when they shoved over one in the first frame. Fountain walked and advanced on Olmstead's scratch hit to the infield. They pulled a neat double steal and Fountain came home when Kemp, Petrel left fielder, for some reason tossed the onion through Hafele after receiving Yon's fly. Olmstead went out at the plate on this play in an attempt to make it two.

**Petrels Get Busy.**

The Petrels got busy in the third With one down Humphries tapped one over Parris' head which the latter misjudged. Meanwhile, the Oglethorpe slabster reposed on third. Morris delivered himself of a screaming single and Humphries registered. Maurer and Hafele singled in succession and Morris tallied.

Two more Oglethorpe runners flashed over the pan in the fourth and on one scant hit. Collier rapped one to right and advanced on Wall's sacrifice. Bryant was safe on McCarty's wild toss to first, Collier taking third. David flew out to Yon and Collier scored in the play. Bryant scored from second when McCarty threw wild past third.

The Infantry retaliated with two in the fifth. McMullin and Honnen singled, advanced on an out and tallied on Humphries' wild pitch past Bryant.

With matters standing four and three the Petrels unslung heavy bats. The first onslaught came in the eighth. Maurer tripled and came home on Parrish's single. Collier singled and Bryant sent both home with his howling double to left center.

Three more Oglethorpe men tallied in the ninth. Morris and Maurer got one time raps and tallied on Parrish's beautiful double. It was the longest drive seen here in some moons. Parris scored a moment later on Collier's third safe rap.

The Infantry packed the stations with three hits in the ninth, the best Blue rally of the contest, but failed to deliver in this pinch and the curtain fell.

**Maurer Hitting Star.**

Maurer led the Petrel clouting with four hits in five appearances. One of these went for three sacks. Collier claimed second honors with three one-time raps in four times at the platter.

Honnen and Hutchinson led for the Infantry, each getting two safties. The remainder of the Infantrymen, particularly the swatting sector of the batting order, suffered from astigmatic eyes or else it was simply too much Curve-ball Humphries.

The Infantry performed with Honnen and Nelson out of the infield, but Kgelstrom, acting for Nelson at first, was the fielding sensation of the day. Kgelstrom got thirteen of the Blue putouts and covered the sack in a brilliant fashion.

The Petrels and Infantry play the concluding battle of the series today at the Driving Park. Play will be called at 3 p. m. "Hi" Davis will probably hurl for the Blue while Lefty Peace will do honors for Frank Anderson's husky charges.

**Box Score.**

| INFANTRY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| Olmstead, lf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Yon, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kgelstrom, 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Milburn, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| McCarty, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| McMullin, 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Parris, rf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Honnen, rf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hutchinson, p | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 3 | 8 | 27 | 9 | 4 |

| The score by innings: | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oglethorpe | 500 200 003 | 10 | 13 | 5 |
| Infantry | 100 020 000 | 3 | 8 | 4 |

The summary:

Three-base hits—Humphries, Maurer, Parish. Two-base hit—Bryant. Bases on balls—Off Hutchinson 2, off Humphries 3. Struck out—By Hutchinson 3, by Humphries 3. Wild Pitches—By Hutchinson 2, by Humphries 1. Sacrifice hits—Wall, David. Stolen bases—Fountain 2, Olmstead, Hutchinson. Time of game—2 hours, 20 minutes. Umpires—Wheeler (plate), Willis (bases).

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday, 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

## 7th ENGINEERS CROSS THE CHATTAHOOCHEE WITH A PONTOON BRIDGE

### Second Feat for This Unit

On May 22nd, 1923, the 7th Engineers successfully laid a pontoon bridge across the Chattahoochee River. This was done under theoretical machine gun and artillery fire. The surrounding heights were covered with interested spectators who saw the work done.

At 9:30 A. M. a fifteen boat pantoon bridge was started across the Chattahoochee. There were fifty engineers

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Wonders why some people can't play bridge for the fun of it instead of for the prize.

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## MASS MEETING AT POST THEATRE LAST WEDNESDAY

### Talks by Chief of Infantry and Secretary of Infantry Association

On last Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock the entire student body and as many of the instructors and members of the permanent personnel whose duties permitted assembled in the Post Theater for the purpose of hearing short talks by the Chief of Infantry, General Farnsworth, and the Secretary of the Infantry Association, Colonel Waldron.

The speakers were introduced by General Gordon who talked but a few minutes.

General Farnsworth stated in his opening remarks that the purpose of the meeting was to have an open discussion concerning the recent maneuvers and the functioning of the Infantry Association. In connection with the maneuvers the Chief of Infantry stated that their purpose was a test of the doctrines and methods taught at the Infantry School. He added, however, that the acid test of what

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## MANY HIGH OFFICIALS HERE DURING THE MANEUVERS

### Are Impressed With Benning.

The ten days maneuvers staged by the Infantry School during the past week drew many high officials from Washington to witness the work.

Maj. Gen. Hines, Dep. Chief of Staff Major General Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry, Maj. General Hart, Quartermaster General, Major Lassiter Assistant Chief of Staff, Colonel Frank W. Rowell Office of the Chief of Infantry and Lieut. Colonel Waldron Office Chief of Infantry were the officials present here during the week.

As a result of the visit of these distinguished officials futher interest in the Infantry School has been aroused.

## INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM.

The final tryout for the Infantry Rifle Squad go to Fort Niagara, New York was completed May 11th. There were ninety three candidates from the

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## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning May 27, 1923 and Ending June 2, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, May 27.**

"Jazzmania" 7 reels, Mae Murray. "'Twas ever thus." 2 reels.

**Monday, May 28.**

"Lorna Doone" 7 reels, John Bowers. Mutt and Jeff, 1 reel, Fox News, 1 reel

**Tuesday, May 29.**

"Glimpses of the Moon" 8 reels, Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi. "Aint Love Grand" 1 reel.

**Wednesday, May 30.**

"Forget-Me-Not" 5 reels, Hughes. "Yellow Handkerchief" 2 reels.

**Thursday, May 31.**

"Single Handed" 5 reels, Hoot Gibson, "Out of Place" 2 reels, St. John. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, June 1.**

"Man Who Waited" 5 reels, Western Pathe Review, 1 reel. Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, June 2.**

"Eternal Flame" 8 reels, Norma Talmadge. "nOe Terrible Day," 2 reels Our Gang.

**Join the Motor Club. Support the Good Road Movement.**

**The Grey Squirrel got a letter dated May the Seventh,**
**The Fort Benning post mark showed May the Eleventh,**
**It took four days from Columbus to this place,**
**"By golly" said old Grey Squirrel, "That's sure a fast pace."**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

**FOR MISS ALICE SIMS AND MISS JANE GAYLE.**

On Saturday afternoon Miss Mary Gnosstelius was hostess for twenty-four of her lady friends at a delightful bridge luncheon at the Cozy Tea Room in honor of Miss Alice Sims bride-elect of Captain Hammond and Miss Jane Gayle the guest of Miss Louise Garard.

Dorothy Perkins roses and pink sweet peas were used for the decorating.

Miss Louise Garrard won the top score prize, a set of fancy curtain holders, and the souvenirs for the honorees were fancy powderpuffs and mirrors.

**FORT BENNING BRIDGE CLUB.**

The last meeting of the Fort Benning Bridge Club was held on May 12th at the Officers Club. On this occasion, the husbands of the members were invited, and a beautiful entertainment was given.

Mrs. McCaskey is acting president of the club during the illness of Mrs. Gordon, wife of the Commandant. Mrs. Anding is vice-president and Mrs. Walker secretary and treasurer. Mrs. Hocker was chairman of the committee on entertaining. Mrs. Peyton was chairman of the decorating committee, and Mrs. Butler was chairman of the refreshment committee.

The hall was beautifully decorated for this occasion in American flags and Southern smilax. A delicious salad course was served after the game.

There were sixteen prizes, and among the winners were Mrs. Arnest, Mrs. Peach, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. Lester, Mrs. O'Leary, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Griner, Lt. Garvin, Capt. Griner, Capt. Englemann, Major Dinsmore, Capt. Chamberlain, Lt. Brandhorst, and Capt. Reeve Turner.

There were about 250 guests present, and among them were General Gordon, Miss Gordon, a niece of General Gordon, Colonel Fassett and his sister, Miss Fassett. There were a few outside guests who were present, who were especially invited by some members whose husbands were not playing. The club had extended that priviledge.

As a coincidence Captain Arnest won the Men's high score prize last year. Thus making it that the high score prize has been won by one family in the last two years.

**MRS. WALTER WHEELER'S BRIDGE.**

On Thursday afternoon, May 17th Mrs. Walter R. Wheeler entertained at a most delightful bridge party of five tables and several tea guests.

Her apartments were prettily decorated with an aristic combination of various spring flowers.

Mrs. Van Slyck of Providence, R. I. won the high score prize and a guest prize Mrs. Paul Paschal won the second prize, a card case. The consolation a guest room bouquet was won by Mrs. Legge.

A delicious salad course and ices were served after the playing.

**MRS. PRITCHETT'S BRIDGE.**

On last Friday afternoon Mrs. Clifton Pritchett was the charming hostess for a pretty bridge party of five tables and four tea guests.

The living room was prettily decorated with larkspurs and yellow daisies.

Mrs. Stickney won the high score prize, a bottle of Coty's perfume and the consolation, a box of stationery was drawn by Mrs. Lawrence.

A delicious salad course and iced tea were served after the playing.

**MRS. WILLIS' BRIDGE LUNCHEON.**

On last Friday afternoon Mrs. H. A. Willis entertained at a delightful four course bridge luncheon in honor of Mrs. Thad Knight.

Her apartment was prettily decorated with California poppies and ferns.

After the delicious luncheon bridge was indulged in. Mrs. Herbert O'Leary won the highscore prize, a bath mat.

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The second prize a bottle of Houbrigant's Queqles, Mrs. Knight was presented with a table cloth, napkins and towel holders.

**DELIGHTFUL DINNER.**

On last Tuesday evening Lieut. and Mrs. Walter H. Sutherland entertained at a delightful dinner at the Officers' Club Mess.

The table was beautifully decorated with larkspur and sweet peas.

The dinner was given in honor of Captain Otto W. Gralund, Post Finance Officer.

Others who were present were Lt. and Mrs. Dunphy, Lt. and Mrs. Elkins, and Lt. Foelsing.

**MRS. GOODALE'S LAWN PARTY.**

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Goodale gave a lawn party as a compliment to her sister Miss Critzs.

The tables was centered with Dorothy Perkins Roses and baskets containing the same kind of flowers were suspended from the trees.

The 29th Infantry Band furnished delightful music.

Ice cream and angel food cake were served for refreshments.

Candy and nuts were served during the afternoon.

About one hundred were present.

**29th INFANTRY BRIDGE.**

The regular meeting of the 29th Infantry Bridge Club met with Mrs. Scales, on last Monday afternoon.

She had her apartment beautifully decorated with sweet peas and other spring flowers.

First prize a white kid belt was won by Mrs. Tomey. Mrs. McCoy won the second prize and received a beautiful fan.

A delicious frozen salad with saltines and iced tea were served.

**ENTERTAIN AT DINNER.**

On last Tuesday evening Capt. and Mrs. Kraul entertained Colonel and Mrs. Nicklin informally at dinner.

Their dining room was beautifully decorated with Dorothy Perkins roses.

**GIRL SCOUTS.**

This Post boasts of a fine troop of Girl Scouts. The troop was organized last December by Mrs. Orville G. Brown, wife of Lt. Col. Brown, M. C. with thirteen tenderfoot scouts. They have been highly complimented by the Columbus Council in their troop work. Mrs. Brown is Captain of the troop and Miss Mary Elizabeth Turner is Lieutenant.

**MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.**

The Medical Department Bridge Club will be entertained on next Tuesday evening, May 29th by Captain and Mrs. Dan Campbell.

**SHOWER FOR MISS TURNER.**

Miss Mary Elizabeth Turner, bride-elect, was delightfully surprised last Saturday afternoon by her troop of Girl Scouts who had assembled at the home of Mrs. Brown. They decorated the house and made all the arrangements for a kitchen shower. Each girl brought a nice gift that will be useful in the kitchen.

**CHAPEL GUILD MEETINGS.**

There will be no more meetings of the Chapel Guild until further notice.

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## Bakers and Cooks School

P. G. L. asks: What will be the means of transportation (100) years from now?

Answer: Gazing into the crystal, the following paragraph from a future periodical appears—

Metropolitan World, May 26, 2023. In the recent race around the world, sponsored by the International Aerial *Engines, Co. Inc.*, to test the endurance of their new radium engines, Mr. J. F. Quiggenback was announced the winner, driving an R. F. Special.

With fifty contestants leaving the Central Elevated landing station at Yonkers at 7:00 A. M. Tuesday, Quiggenback completed the circle of the globe, touching only at Ts Yen, China to replentish his food supply, and driving into the landing station at Yonkers at exactly 5:45 P. M. the following Thursday, in the best of condition. This establishes a new worlds record for around the World flights. The plane suffered only of the high friction developed by the high speed that hurled it through the air.

tI appears that we have yet to develop an alloy that will resist such friction. Mr. Quiggenback states that if the plane had been protected by such a friction resisting metal, he could have developed an unbelievable speed on his flight.

R. C. L. asks: What will be the chief means of communication (500) years from now?

Answer: Gazing into the crystal, we deduct the following—

It appears that since radio wonders have been developed to the 9th degree, and every person carries with him a small vest pocket radio sending and receiving device which enables him to communicate with any person he wishes at any distance, providing that he first tunes in on the right wave length. The Radio directory now somewhat resembles the old telephone directory. Instead of numbers, and a Central, each person is assigned a wave length in the decimal system. Directories are distributed without charge to all persons in all communities. Now a new maens of communi*cation is* gradually being brought into existence. With the passing years people are beginning to discover and make use of a latet power of their minds, called thought transference. This means of communication has long been known down through the ages, but has not been generally taught until the present time. Thought transference, it appears, is brought about by somewhat the same principle as tuning in with the radio.

The essential principle in thought transference is for the operator to concentrate intently on the thought he wishes to convey, and the person to whom he wishes to convey it, and to bring his mind into harmony with such person. This latter means of communication is a great advantage over radio, when mastered, as there is no ardous looking up of wave lengths, etc.

The healing of disease, it might be mentioned is brought about in somewhat the same fashion, however disease in this age is greatly dimished, as preventitatives are administered at birth, and all disease following birth are diseases of the mind sometimes reacting on the body.

### IN APPRECIATION.

The Fire Department men showed that they appreciated a man who has served in the Army for thirty years.

Recently when Master Sergeant W. M. Leathers retired the firemen of Fort Benning presented him with a Knight Templar Charm and Chain.

Leave it to the firemen to be awake and on the job.

### FIFTH ANNUAL REUNION—INDIAN HEAD—2nd DIVISION

**New York City, June 7th, 8th and 9th, 1923.**

The men who broke the Hindenburg Line and practically brought the World War to a close, namely, The Famous Second Division, now stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will hold their greatest reunion at New York City, June 7th, 8th and 9th, 1923.

Unlike most of the past anniversaries celebrating the great victory of the Second Division at Blanc Mont this reunion, which is the fifth to be held, will be attended by all the former commanders.

Letters of acceptance already have been received from Major General James G. Harbord, Major General John A. Lejeune, Commandant of the U. S. Marine Corps and who was formerly in command of the Second Division, Major General E. M. Lewis, who formerly commanded the Third Brigade, composed of the 9th and 23rd Regiments of Infantry during the fighting in the Chateau-Thierry Sector during June, 1918—Major General Wendell C. Neville, President of the Second Division Association, Colonel Wm. W. Bessell, Adjutant General of the Second Division during the war, and still holding that position, and many others.

The history of the Second Division which received numerous citations, is too well known to take up space here; suffice to say that among the more important actions of the Division were those of the Meuse-Argonne—Belleau-Wood-Chateau-Thierry—Sossions and Blanc Mont.

A most diversified programme has been arranged for by the reunion committee of which Colonel John A. Hughes is chairman and whose headquarters is in room 802 at 40 Rectro Street, New York City, until it is transferred to the Hotel Pennsylvania with the opening of the reunion on June 7th next, Second Division Reunion.

Aside from trips to theatres, baseball games, tours of the city—the most important event will be that of a trip to Wes Point to review the cadets who in the fuutre may command a division that in the event of war might, but will find difficult to surpass, the record of the famous Second Division, the men who broke the Hindenburg Line. Railroads are making special rates. There are a large number of old Second Division (Indian Head) men at Fort Benning. Get together and meet your "Buddies" from all over the United States at the reunion of the famous "Indian Head" Division in New York June 7th, 8th and 9th.

### SOME CLASSY PLACE.

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The new station will feature road service in all departments.

## Medical Dept. Notes

2nd Lieutenant Viola H. Swindell, Army Nurse Corps, has been relieved from further duty at this station and ordered to her home in Baltimore, Maryland, for discharge from the service at the expiration of all accrued leave due her.

Captain Chesser reports that his old He-sex car is giving faithful service and that some parts of it is now growing "Cat's-Whiskers."

The S. & W. office is having a telephone installed, which Private Hull says is for his personal use.

The maneuvers have gone quite tough with some of our men, for two, Sergeant Bedenbaugh and Private Davis had to send in for some more breeches as the enemy had made shoes strings out of thirs.

### NEVER SAY YOU'RE WHIPPED

"My Boy, don't ever say you're whipped," was the advice given Frank by his father. Frank is "The Man Who Waited" in the Playgoers Western drama of gold and hearts showing Friday at the Post Theatres.

And good training it was for the youth who promised himself to track down and capture the men who had blown up his father's mine and caused his death. Before young Frank succeeds, however, these same bad men catch him in their net of evil, and he is saved only by the quick wit and actino of a girl.

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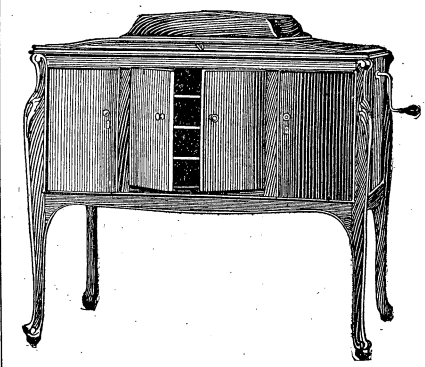

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

Sgt. Hicks, captain Co. "C" baseball team, steps up to the plate like Ty Cobb himself. He sure has wonderful form and he don't let the umpire get away with anything neither. Johnny Evers must be his ideal.

Ex. Sgt. Dean writes from California where he is now located and states that he is getting along fine and would be reasonably content if he could secure the Fort Benning News occasionally.

Well the men have been back four days now and all we hear is maneuver. we wonder how long that battle is going to be fought? From all accounts they had a wonderful time, every day was like Sunday on the farm.

The officers and men of the battalion extend our sympathy to Pvt. Winter of Co. "C" whose father pased away suddenly last week, and was buried at Hephzibah, Ga.

Lieut. Hanson, manager of the battalion baseball team, reports that his men are fast rounding into form. He can take care of many more ball flingers who are anxious for a tryout.

Pedestrians will have to be careful when crossing the battalion area, due to the fact that Lieut. Reed sent his old B&O back to the roundhouse and bought himself a Cadalic.

You may talk scientific discoveries, mathematical calculus, wonderful achievements. However, those would be considered tiny in comparsion to the rumbling thunder-like hammer blows and tinkling sounds emitted from behind closed doors of No. 9 stall in the battalion garage. Wishing to satisfy our curiosity, admission has been gained through strategy ,and behold before us stands in a resurrection from Pvt. Murphy's life ambition, his master piece a newly rison from olivion, the Special Ford nearing completion. Only a few more hundred bolts, springs and parts and a barrel full of patience are yet necessary to fit out the new ark for the trial spin. Like the days of old, a built-to-order buss. Delivery guaranteed unless.....?

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And now Miss Murray's historis and terpschorean abilities are set in a different frame, even a different gallery; a country remote, charming, yet full of the oddest contrasts; where the river flows serenely by the palace, but where the inhabitants are not serene. Gayety is the face but intrigue is the heart of the situation.

"Jazzmania" is h title of the photoplay, written by Edmund Goulding which will be shown at the Post Theatres Sunday, May 27.

Robert Z. Leonard declares "Jazzmania" to be the finest Mae Murray picture ever made. It is the product of Tiffany Productions, Inc., of which M. H. Hoffman is vice-president and general manager.

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## THE INFANTRY SCHOOL GRADUATE.

By the time the next issue of the News comes out, many of you student officers will have left Benning, the most of you in the field officers' class will never return, the most of you in the company commanders class will probably return someday.

The great majority of you student officers have spent eight months of good hard work here and sincerely feel that the Infantry School has done you a world of good and also that you are exceedingly glad that you came.

While at the Infantry School you have made many acquaintances among officers that you probably would not have met for a long time and maybe never. Also the situation here is such that you have probably made the acquaintance of a large number of civilians and have formed strong bound of friendship with the people of Columbus.

No doubt, all of you have at one time or another "cussed" Benning, the Infantry School, the Benning Road, the commutor, the buses, and the town of Columbus itself. There is no doubt that you have undergone hardships while here but it is ever human nature to forget the unpleasant and remember only the pleasant. So after you have gone you will think of some of the pleasant things that have happened during the School year and when you meet another Benning Graduate you will immediately meet on common ground, whether it is in the States or in some foreign country, and you will get a "great kick" out of talking about Benning and the School and feel thankful that you have been able to be here.

All of you who are graduating now are still too close to your year's work to get a true prospective of it, but in a short time, that is after your mind get the different subjects in order, for you have covered a lot of subjects, you will then and not until then really realize and fully appreciate just what the Infantry School will mean to you in the future.

In closing let us call your attention to the slogan of the Infantry School "Follow Me." Exemplify that motto and remember that the Infantry School will watch you and be proud of your success.

## THE NEWS.

The News, because of being published at The Infantry School, lays claims to represent the Infantry—although not yet having attained the sublime heights of being representative of the Infantry.

If the earning capacity of the News were such as to permit of it, the paper would be mailed to every Infantry Officer (as it is now going to every regimental and separate battalion commander in the Army) but funds are not available for such an extensive circulation.

However, the News believes it is going to be in such financial condition as will make it possible to send the paper to officers leaving here who make a specific request for it and with this end in view officers leaving this station who desire to keep in touch with things locally and, incidentally get a smile or two oscasionally out of reading it, are advised that the paper will follow them to such address as we are supplied with. There will be no charge made for this, but should the News ever happen to stop coming the reader can conclude it has "Gone Broke"—an event not anticipated at this time.

## NOTICE.

**The Mailing Lists of incoming Officers that has been sent out by the "News" are a gratis issue and are not to be sold.**

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FOR SALE—One Hughes' Electric two hole stove with oven. In good condition. Price $20.00. Call 267 Fort Benning.

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The "News" is now going to those officers who will compose next year's class. List your cars with the "News" and you may make a sale to an incoming officer. There is no charge for this service.

Should you decide to leave the car in storage until next year the "News" will at that time endeavor to sell it for you by carrying your ad, gratis.

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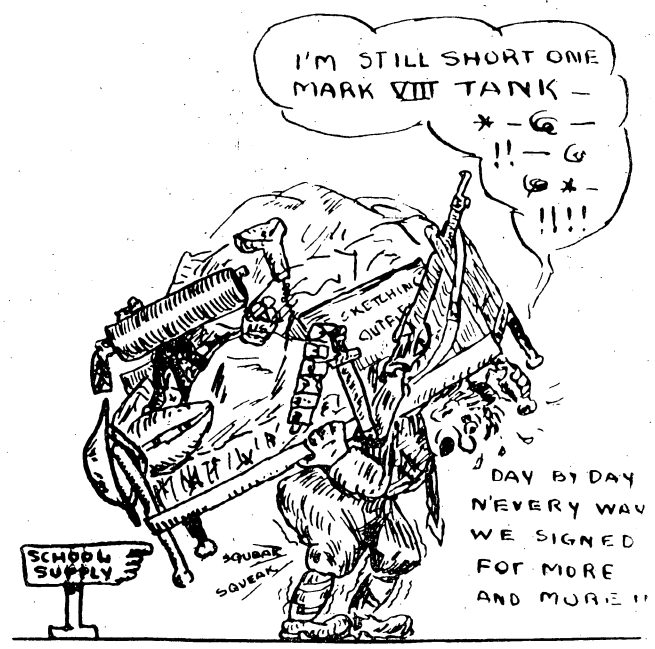
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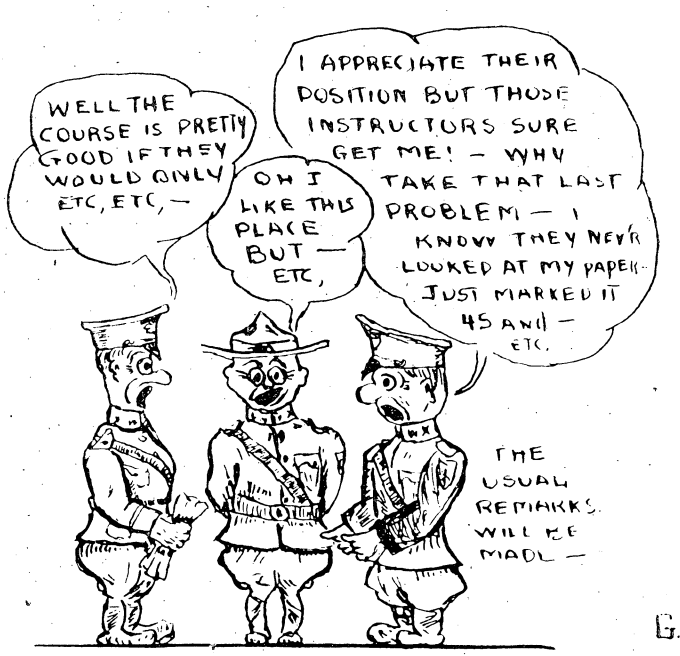
WELL THE COURSE IS PRETTY GOOD IF THEY WOULD ONLY ETC, ETC, —
OH I LIKE THIS PLACE BUT — ETC,
I APPRECIATE THEIR POSITION BUT THOSE INSTRUCTORS SURE GET ME! — WHY TAKE THAT LAST PROBLEM — I KNOW THEY NEVR LOOKED AT MY PAPER JUST MARKED IT 45 AND — ETC.
THE USUAL REMARKS WILL BE MADE —

SAY - MY TRAIN LEAVES TO-DAY!! SHAKE IT UP!!!
S'NOTHING - MINE LEFT YESTERDAY!!!
WHAT'S THAT BIRD DOING - WRITING A LETTER TO HIS GIRL!!!
TRANSACT ALL ROUTINE BUSINESS WITH THE ADJT.
LET ME SEE - LET ME SEE! - I PUT MY RIFLE NO. HERE - THEN MY AGE —?? MY THIS IS TERRIBLE
SAY FOR THE LOVA-MIKE MAKE IT SNAPPY WILL YA?
WHO IS THAT GUY??
WHY DON'T THEY GIVE HIM A SECOND BOOK TO PRACTICE ON!!!!
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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

CASES, DISPATCH AND RECORD: The Department of Experiment has concluded a test of available types of Dispatch and Record Cases during which a questionnaire was filled out by all student officers of the Advanced and Company Officers' Classes.

ACCURACY OF AUTOMATIC RIFLE AND MACHINE GUN BARRELS: Steps are being taken to provide a method for testing the accuracy of automatic rifle and machine gun barrels. Par. 259, Compilation of Orders gives a method for calibrating rifles, which would not be applicable for automatic guns. For the latter weapons, one suggestion has made that barrels be considered unserviceable when their print on paper at 1,000 inches is oval shaped with a diameter twice the caliber of the bullet or when they keyhole.

FLASH HIDERS: German flash hiders and a new Springfield Armory flash hider have been tested in an effort to improve upon our present types of flash hider.

WATERING TROUGH: A Cuban portable watering trough has been tested at the Infantry School and the results reported to the Chief of Infantry.

CHAPLAIN'S EQUIPMENT: In conection with the reduction of equipment, studies have been made of the war set equipment carried by Chaplains, which consists of a field desk, organ and 300 bulky song books.

### TRAINING REGULATIONS

During the past week the following regulations have been prepared and sent forward to the Chief of Infantry—T. R. No. 150-30, Marksmanship, Automatic Rifle, T. R. No. 420-30, Technique 37 MM Gun Fire, T. R. No. 420-35, Techinque, 3" Trench Mortar Fire, T. R. No. 420-130 Combat Principles, Machine Gun Platoon, T. R. No. 150-40-45 Marksmanship, 37 MM Gun and 3" Trench Mortar.

There remains only about four regulations to be forwarded from the Infantry School and these will be completed by the first of June.

### GENERAL LORD PREDICTS $60,000,000 SURPLUS

Brigadier Geenral H. M. Lord, Director of the Budget, predicts that the Treasury will finish the current calendar year with a surplus of $60,000,000, based upon the latest estimates of internal revenue and customs receipts.

The Director placed customs revenue at $540,000,000 for the year ended June 30 and internal revenue receipts at $2,515,000. There is no indication that there will be a falling off in the remaining months of 1923.

At the same time General Lord said he did not intend to allow the lid of Federal expenditures to be pried loose as a result of the better outlook. A comparison of the total estimated expenditures of the operating department of the Government for 1923 with the actual expenditure for 1922 shows a reduction of more than $200,000,000. But the Budget Director hopes to make the saving even greater.

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**Say I to myself,say I, boost the advertisers of the News.**

## The Jist o' Life
**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### Misplaced Sympathy.

"Mother, Mother!" shouted Tommie, "Gimme a nickel quick! There's a poor man crying in the street in front of our house."

"Crying?" said his mother, "What is he crying about?"

"He is crying 'Popcorn, 5c a bag."

### Generous.

"Sister, 'taint fair for Mother to give you the biggest piece of cake. She's always giving you the biggest of everything."

"Never, mind, Sammie, she's going to put mustard plasters on us both tonight and I will let her give you the biggest this time."

### A Different Kind.

Little Johnnie was reading in school and he said, "They rowed down the stream in their barque" but when he got to the last word he could not pronounce it. The teacher pronounced it it for him. Johnnie looked surprised, then mistaking the barque for bark, Johnnie said, "Bow wow!"

### A La Topsy.

"When were you born, Mary?" asked the teacher.

"I wasn't born. I've got a stepmother.

### Imagination?

A gentleman of the Christian Science faith passed the house of a neighbor and stopped to ask a small boy how his father was. The little fellow says, "He is sick." The gentleman said, "Oh, no, he is not sick, he just thinks he is." The little follew swallowed the information whole. The next day the father died and the Christian Scientist came again to make inquiry, saying, "Does your father still think he is sick?" "No," replied the child, "He thinks he is dead now."

### Wise Mother.

A conjurer was up on the stage before an audience of children and he took sundry and various things out of a hat, such as yards of ribbon, rabbits, and lastly some eggs. He said to a small boy near him, "Your mother cannot get eggs without a hen, can she?" "Sure, she can," said the youngster. "She keeps ducks."

### Logical.

Teacher—"What was the title of the ruler of Russia?"

Sally—"Czar."

Teacher—"What was the title of his wife?"

Sally—"Czarina."

Teacher—"Correct that is very good. Now what were the children called?"

Sally—"Czardines."

### Conclusive Proof.

"Jimmie, did you wash your hands?" asked his mother.

"Yess'um" answered Jimmie.

"Sure you did? You were in the bathroom only a little while."

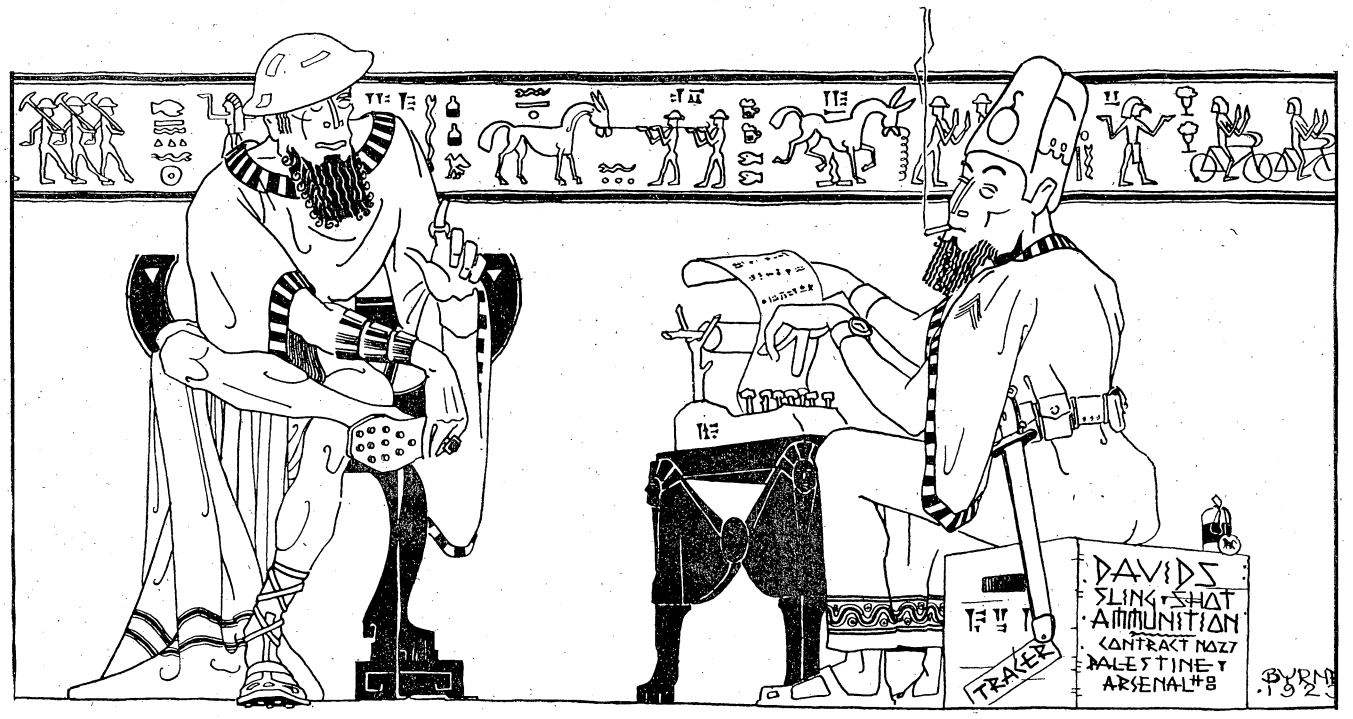
"Mamma, if you don't believe I did, you just look at the towel."

### Which is Correct?

A tailor who needed to buy some irons for pressing clothes had to send the order by mail. He did not know whether to say geese or gooses and he needed a dozen of them. To conceal his ignoranc he wrote a letter to the manufacturer saying: "Plaese send me a tailor's goose." Then he signed his name and as a postcript added: "I wish you would make me eleven more like it."

## PROVERBS OF PRIVATE SOLOMON

When the manuscript dealing with the Proverbs of Private Solomon, who was a soldier in the Army of Samuel, and who was serving in the 83rd year of his first enlistment at the time of the dictations was discovered by a delegaton from the 24th Infantry who were assisting in the construction of the new bridge over the Upatoie, they unrolled this precious document and thinking it of no worth started to tear it to pieces. A member of the Archaeological Department of the News happened to be present and realizing the importance of this parchment collected the fragments. These were carefully translated and published to the readers of the News. As you can see for yourself this chapter is incomplete because we are unable to find the rest of it. So what other advice and amusement Private Solomon had to offer we are unable to say unless at some future date another copy of this precious locument should be discovered.




**PRIVATE SOLOMON DICTATING HIS PROVERBS**

Chapter IX.

### That Which Dealeth With Mimic Warfare.

After the Army hath hiked maybe only a few days, maybe several days at any rate after a certain period hath interviewed the "enemy" is encountered.

When this happens then giveth it much excitement and much talk. Many orders are issued and reconnaissance taketh place hurriedly and every one asketh the other what the situation is and many other foolish questions. But alas they learn nothing and what they are told they believe not.

But after a while all receive officials notice of the situation also just what is expected of each.

After a while each company and unit moveth out to take their position. When this happeneth the company commander soon learneth that he doth possess a company of exceptional men, for all are exceedingly brave and would willingly go to death so that his army may win, for they hesitate not for theirs is "to do or die." But alas death lurks not right around the corner. But woe to the one who is so foolish as to allow himself to be captured. If he allow this to take place then so must he work for his captors until the night cometh. Then when his enemy getteth ready to eat, they tell him that if he wouldst eat then so must be go to his own outfit and receive it.

The prisoner believeth this to be exceedingly unjust but there remaineth nothing for him to do but go and find his outfit. After a long time he findeth his own outfit again and seeketh the mess sergeant and demandeth food. But the mess sergeant hath no heart and sayeth that "chow" is over with and that he must wait until breakfast. So then he seeketh sympathy from his comrades but alas they only say, that one who is so foolish as to be captured should not receive food if he returneth late to his outfit.

If the mimic battle goeth against one side that side swearеth that the battle was "fixed" before hand while the side that winneth sayeth that they are the better fighters.

Then after the maneuver is over the battles are again fought and talked about but an agreement is never reached. But tis always so in the Army of Samuel.

If thou doth not believe then so mu——.

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The Jazz hounds will leave for the Capitol City next Sunday to make a record for the famous two dozen. Look out Atlanta the band is full of vamps.

The famous shot among the enlisted men (Bradford, Scott) out of Service Co. of course, is now in the hospital, we are wishing him a speedy recovery so he can go away to Camp Perry to bring back the bacon.

**Company "A"**

Sergt Mann the veteran supply Sergt of Company "A" 24th Infantry is on the range he has been making scores that will make some of the young men of the regiment wonder, all you have to do is to hold and squeeze.

Private Murphy failed in the tryout on the target range, but don't be discouraged. It has been said by good authority that if you try and don't succeed you should try, try again—so follow the rule and you will be always on top.

Our Top Kicker has been trying out his eyes, on the target range. We know he can hold and squeeze, but we are afraid his eyes are not as good as they were last target season.

**Company I.**

Sgt. Handy (Twilight), has been spending 2 hours each day trying to tell Sgt. Butler that there is no such thing as possibles and Bull-eyes.

Corporal Williams (Jew Babby), was seen last Sunday taking lesson from Sgt. Gunn in Autology, when asked why he listened to such bunk, he replied that he was 100 per cent. for the Velie, and will wear no Garage man's collar.

SERGEANT HANDY'S DOOM.

He reports to his instructor (Rueben Wood), he is not far, Rueben puts him on the "sighting bar." Of course that is a very small trifle, but with it you learn to sight and aim the rifle. You look at it in every angle, then you try to make the short triangle. Rueben worried Sgt. Handy almost to death, telling him to hold his breath. Then it is up and down, for prone, sitting knees, but don't forget the trigger squeeze. He rapid fires until his bolt gets hot, Rueben yells why don't you call that shot. Then they call the whole class together, asking about the effect of light and weather. They will draw a picture and tell you to look, on every page in the old score book. Then you think you got everything to be had you have to get a shoulder pad. After you tried everything in creation, they give you your examination. Sgt. Handy thinks he has made a hit, but the poor blind man has to go to the pit.

A certain Sergeant (637) was seen down in Columbus asking about wedding rings. Look out Sgt., you can not turn the ladies in for salvage. They are issued for life.

**Co. "K".**

On last Tuesday morning as the boys of Co. "K" were about to take their departure for somewhere in Georgia, one of the boys told STACK-O-DOLLARS, "you keep away from my Shack."

A certain Cpl. Cleared Port real early last Sunday night. What was the idea, Johnny, a Blockade?

A certain brother upon being issued SIDE ARMS, replied, "you have not given me the right weapon, just slip me one of those articles that are used in barber shops."

Sgt. Woods, our distinguished inkspiller, has been attending the rehearsals with the Taylors Singers, looking forward to their trip to Atlanta. Now Woodie don't vamp all the fair sex of your old home-town.

**Company "L".**

Pvt. Charlie Vaughn (alias the Shiek) is having an awful time trying to solve the problem of re-enlisting as you can agree. See Jerry Tanner for the correct data. Enough said.

Pvt. Perry Chairs, better known as "Old Timer," has the record of being the best transmission mechanic ever produced for work on a White truck, and as a brake specialist he is there. Pvt. Chairs says that the first day he was over to the M. T. C. his transmission dropped out at the top of Wynnton Hill and the brake failed so he got out and put them back together before it was to the bottom of he hill. Fast work, old boy, Uncle wants your kind, but we can't understand what you were doing from 11:00 A. M. to midnight same date.

We are sure that Pvt. Bennie Perry is through with the Red and Blue Armies. Stuck in the mud up to the hood—walked twenty miles and drove twenty more in the dark while the stars were out of commission—returned to Co. "L" at 12:36 A. M., his heart black and the only two people who could please him were the O. D. and the head cook. Since that night the Mess Sgt. has lost his head trying to catch up.

There is but one good mechanic and that's 'KISIUM'. A man who really knows what to do when he mounts a White Gas Buggy. Nobody kicks on him. Be careful 'KISIUM' don't let'em get away from you.

The company is standing on their heads trying to figure whether the Mess Sergt. has gone insane, or if the cooks have bought a new set of brains, or the C. C. has lost the key to the Company Fund. Why, Sergt Scott! Co. "L's" best are always with you until you return to the 'hash, hash' state.

One victim gone (line shooting Troup). When the boys told Kid Troup he was transferred he didn't know whether he was transferred to Zale Whaler Jail or the Lamb Brook. Despite the fact that he is transferred he certainly knows the path that leads o the new mess hall.

Little things to try in Company "L,"
Have one wrinkle in your pillow.
Fail to turn your pass in at proper time.
Fail to catch requisition for clothing.
Have bad equipment for inspection.
Speak to the C. C. without permission from 1st Sergeant.
Try to show Sergt Jennings the point why you couldn't get there.
Fail to put your name on pass list when you want a pass.
Miss retreat.
Miss either of the four you choose 6, 8, 10 or 12.
And the last thing is—Miss that old War Call in the A. M. and try to put up an alibi.
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## INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM.

(Continued from Page 1.)

various organizations at the Infantry School and it is contemplated to take the high forty men of the number trying out. The final result of the firing and scores made by the high 40 are as follows:

Kotlarczyk, A., Sgt., 23 Inf. 900.
Hinds, S. R., Lt. 3 Inf., 894.
Rothrock, A. D., Lt., Inf., 894.
Broderick, M. L., Lt., II Inff., 892.
Lyons, C. M., Capt., 24th Inf. 886
Harant, L. J., Lt., 23 Inf., 885.
Jones, L. V., Lt., 24 Inf., 883.
Brown, C. M., Capt., Inf., 881.
Price, G. W., Maj., Inf., 881.
Schwab, J. S., Capt., Inf., 879.
Bonham, F. G., Capt., Inf., 876.
Watson, W. R., Lt., 5 Inf., 875.
Stricklans, A. B., Sergt., ISD. 873
Brink, F. G., Lt., Inf., 873.
Ransom, P. L., Capt., Inf., 873.
Mapes, P. W., Capt., 9 Inf., 872.
White, R. A., Corp., ISD. 869.
Dumas, W. A., Capt., 13 Inf., 868
Bissett, D. A., Lt., Inf., 867.
Rivadenera, J., Corp., 29 Inf. 867
Privett, F. H., Lt., 29 Inf. 865.
Ellis, J. B., Sgt., ISD., 863.
Bradford, S., Pvt., 24 Inf., 863.
Andrews, A. E., Capt., Inf. 862.
Barrick, H. W., Lt., 15 Tank Bn. 862.
Gray, C. A., Capt., Inf., 862.
Tomey, W. R., Lt., 29 Inf. 859.
Olsen, K. S., Lt., 29 Inf. 859.
Hairston, F. J., Corp., 24 Inf., 858.
Spann, W. M., Capt., Inf., 857.
Larkins, G. B., 1st Sgt., 24 Inf., 857.
Thompson, J. W., Capt., Inf., 856.
Smith, C. M., Sgt., 1 Inf. 856.
Bartow, D. M., Capt., Inf. 854.
Karlstad, C. H., Capt., Inf., 854.
Metcalfe, S. L., Lt., 8 Inf., 854.
Giron, P. M., Sgt., ISD. 854.
MacLaughlin, S. S., Capt. Inf. 852.
Besse, L. R., Capt., Inf. 851.
Doyle, T. W., Capt., 28 Inf., 848.

The possible score that could have been made was 950 for the nineteen ranges. During the firing the weather conditions were very bad, particularly with reference to the wind. This will account to a great extent for the low score.

Major Ramee, Team Captain, when interviewed by the News Representative stated "that in all his experience, he had never seen a more enthusiastic hard working and concientious group than those who turned out for the tryouts. The spirit of the candidates was great and their excellent showing indicated the result of hard work and application.

The tryout was a complete success, the competition was keen and the type of candidates was of the highest class. The cooperation of all the organizations in the Post especially the details of the officers and men of the 24th Infantry was greatly appreciated by the team officials.

Orders will be out in the near future for those who made the squad and as the further training does not start until June 10th there will be quite a layoff for the "rifle bugs." Reports of the work at Niagara will be carried weekly in these columns.

## MASS MEETING AT POST THEATRE LAST WEDNESDAY

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the student officers learned would be made after they had joined their organizations. That at this time officers would have to exercise care in their interpretations of matters taught at the Infantry School.

General Farnsworth then proceeded to a short critique covering the maneuvers and mentioned especially the noticeable lack of straggling, the good physical condition of officers and men and animals, and the good information service. In connection with the critique General Farnsworth drew applause from his audience when he stated that next year, instead of spending 80 per cent. of their time in marking papers and 20 per cent. in giving instructions which he had heard some student officer state was the case—the instructors would spend 95 per cent. of their time in preparing for and giving instruction and the other in marking papers. He spoke briefly upon the necessity for the strictest economy and warned those present to exercise great care in this respect.

The Chief of Infantry closed his address with a few optimistic remarks in effect that the Infantry today, in spite of demotions, eliminations and enforced economies is better than ever before both from the standpoint of morale and discipline. At the close of his talk General Farnsworth introduced Col. Waldron, the editor of the Infantry Journal and Secretary of the Infantry Association.

Colonel Waldron, in his opening remarks, gave a short synopsis of the history of the Infantry Association showing the difficulties, financial and otherwise, experienced in the early years of its organization. He stated that these difficulties coninued until the World War after which conditions changed and the association shortly thereafter became solvent and a going concern.

Colonel Waldron then gave a resume of interesting facts in connection with the present activities of the Infantry Association. In this connecion he stated that at times when other branches of the service did not have funds to advance the Infantry Association had spent money in connection with pending legislation effecting the entire Army.

The audience was urged to lend its individual co-operation in getting not less than 10,000 members for the Infantry Association in order that the work of the association may be carried on. Col. Waldron cited specific cases where infantry officers on duty with R. O. T. C. units, the National Guard, and the Reserve Corps had every member of the organizations coming under their supervision a member of the Infantry Association.

The different phases of the activities of the Infantry Association were then explained. The workings of the book department were taken up both with regard to the payment of royalties to authors and the willingness of the Infantry Journal to publish works of merit from officers in the service. The magazine subscription agency operated by the Infantry Journal was explained Organization commanders or individuals desiring club rates on the popular publications have only to state their needs to the Journal and the best possible rates will be secured for them In the event of subscription renewals the only action necessary is to notify the magazine agency of the Infantry Journal to make the renewal. The heraldry department of the Journal is in position to do the highest class of work for members of the military establishment. Calling cards and letterheads are given special attention.

One of the functions of the Infantry Association, personal service to members of the association, was set forth by Col. Waldron in an interesting and enlightening manner. The association was described as being on the job twenty-four hours each day for the purpose of getting information of a personal nature for its members. Several instances were cited where members of the association had been given advance information with regard to assignments as an example of the personal service rendered.

In closing his remarks Col. Waldron stated that the Infantry Association would soon have a home owned by itself and free of encumbrance, a fact which will tend to give to the association greater permanency.


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## UNIT SCHOOL 24th INFANTRY COMPLETES SUCCESSFUL TERM

The officers of the 24th Infantry have just completed the regimental Unit School course in technique and tactics of Infantry weapons.

The course was opened with the lectures by Colonel Nicklin on Customs of the Service. The rifle instruction was in charge of Capt. John H. Kneubel who gave lectures and conducted the preliminary course for the officers. For the other Infantry Weapons, the regimental commander secured the cooperation of the Infantry school from whom instructors were borrowed to cover the work in automatic rifle, grenades, bayonet, one-pounder, Stokes Mortar, pistol and machine guns. A course in sketching and map reading was begun but has not been completed due to the range season demanding the time of all available officers.

The hearty thanks of all officers of the twenty-fourth is extended to the Assistant Commandant, and especially to the Chief of the 2nd Section, Department of Military Art who furnished experts for the instruction of all the weapons taught.

**New Pistol Range Built.**

The preliminary season for the enlisted men who are armed with the pistol according to tables of organization for the Infantry regiment has begun. Satisfactory progress is being made with the instruction and in-between-times a new pistol range has been built within the regimental area. The able assistance of members of The Infantry Pistol team who have been at Fort Benning for the Infantry Rifle team try-out, has been graciously lent in giving the officers and men of the 24h the benefit of expert pistol marksmanship instruction.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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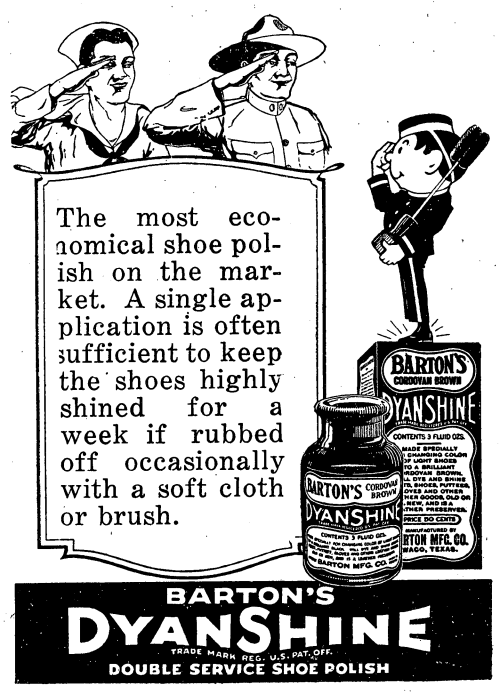

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

### TWO STRAIGHTS IN MACON FOR WILSON'S WILDCATS

It appears that the climate for first class baseball is about the same in Macon, the famous Central City of Georgia, as it is in the environs of Columbus, Ga. which has become famous through the proximity of Fort Benning, which is the centre of all Infantry activities. The 24th Infantry baseball team went to the aforesaid city of Macon on the 16th and 17th of May when they played a return ticket with the Central City Club nine, defeating them two straight games.

The scores:

24th Inf. .....621 000 033—15 21 1
C. C. Club .....000 020 000— 2 6 6
2 3-base hits, 4 2-base hits.

Batteries, 24th—Seats, Wallace, Lamar C. C. Club—Longrey, Cookey, Main, Hawkins. Struckout Seats 6, Hawkins 9.

Seats performed in his old style in this game, and gave his team-mates reassurance that he is far from the retired list. Hawkins came into action in the third inning for the Maconites in time to head off a marathon, but too late to save the old ball game.

**Second Game Scores Four Victory for 24th Over the C. C. Club.**

When the fourth game straight is won from a first rate Ball team it is time to look into the pedigree of the winning team. As a matter of fact the 24th Infantry has considerable pedigree when it comes to winning baseball teams. The archives of the regiment contain trophies won by the Band in world expositions in years gone by, and many athletic trophies have been won in the past as well as military competition drills, etc. There has never been opportunity afforded to cash in on the championship quality of the baseball teams turned out by the 24th Infantry in recnet years, more than the scores of continuous winnings.

The team of this season combines the talent of the regiment which accompanied the organization from New Mexico, and the talent which the 3rd Battalion developed at this station last season. Roger M. Wilson was the pilot of the baseball fortunes of the 3rd battalion last year, and he thought he had about the best that he needed to clean up the best colored teams that could be induced to cross bats with his warriors. His records show that he was not far wrong. However, the additional talent coming with the first and second battalions and his wise generalship has given him an aggregation of performers that would make any fan scramble for a rain check. The score:

24th Inf. .....240 000 3—9 12 2
C. C. Club .....000 000 1—1 6 4
2 3-base hits.

Batteries: 24th Inf.—Haywood and Thomas; C. C. Club—James and Mays. Struckout by Haywood 12, by Mays 5.

### 7th ENGINEERS CROSS THE CHATTAHOOCHEE WITH A PONTOON BRIDGE

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and thirty doughboys to do the work at 11:15 A. M. the same date troops and animals were crossing the bridge. The Chattahoochee was little higher than normal and the current is fairly fast at all times.

Major General Hines, Chief of Staff, Major General Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry and Brigadier General Gordon, Commandant of the Infantry School, inspected the bridge after the troops had passed over it.

This was the first time that a pontoon bridge has been thrown across the Chattahoochee since Benning has been established.

On November 5, 1918, the same outfit that put the bridge across the Chattahoochee laid another pontoon bridge but on this ocassion the machine gun and artillery fire was not theoretical. Of its being actual no doubt has ever arisen. This was the time when the 7th Engineers made it possible, by laying a bridge across the Meuse River, France, for the rest of the 5th Division to cross and put the enemy forces to rout.

Of this crossing General Pershing said: "The feat of arms, however, which marks especially the Division's ability as a fighting unit, was the crossing of the Meuse River and the establishment of a bridgehead on the Eastern bank. This operation was one of the most brillian military feats in the history of the American Army in France."

The surroundings were similar on both occasions to the extent that there were a great many spectators present. The difference rests in the fact that whereas on last Tuesday the spectators were but interested observers on the date of November 5, 1918, the spectators, or a big majority of them, were doing all in their power to hinder and prevent the bridge laying. The 7th Engineers has merely repeated history.

### NEWS.

**Dance.**

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**Commissary.**

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday. 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

### UNIT SCHOOL 29th INFANTRY CLOSES.

Graduation exercises were held May 25, 1923, for members of the Unit School 29th Infantry who attended the Course in Communicaitons.

The following program was followed: Opening address by Capt. R. C. Van Vliet, Jr., Senior Instructor. Address by Colonel G. S. Goodale, 29th Inf. Commandant of the Unit School. Address by Colonel W. M. Fassett, Assistant Commandant, Infantry School. Address by Brig. Gen. W. H. Gordon, Commandant, The Infantry School.

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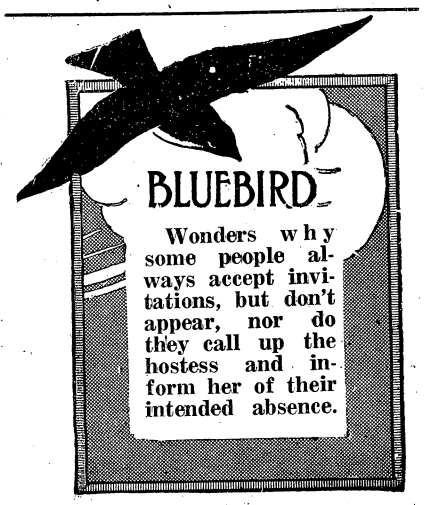


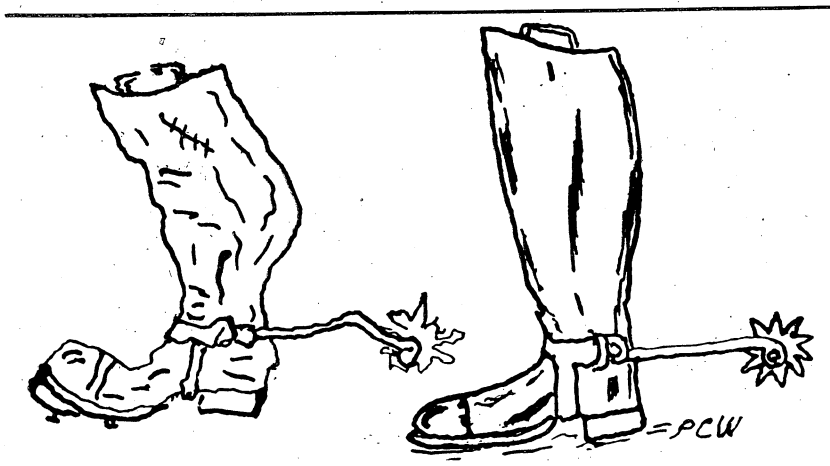


BEFORE AND AFT ER THE MANEUVERS.

## 364 Officers Got Diplomas Tuesday

**General Pershing Sends Message. General Gordan Makes Speech and Presents Diplomas. Colonel Fassett Speaks. Lieut. Col. Herman Swift, O. R. C. Main Speaker.**

At the fourth graduation exercises held at the Infantry School on last Tuesday morning, three hundred and sixty-four officers received their diplomas, of these eighty-six were members of the Field Officers' Class and two hundred and seventy-eight were of the Company Commander's Class.

The exercises were held in the grove East of General Gordon's Quarters. The General's porch was used as a rostrum.

Seated on the rostrum with Brigadier General Walter H. Gordon, commandant of the school, were Col. Wm. M. Fassett, assistant commandant and Lt. Col. H. H. Swift, judge advocate O. R. C. and main speaker of the exercises, J. Homer Dimon, Mayor of Columbus; W. E. Page, and A. Kunze of the camp activities committee; Colonels Graham, Hannah and Peyton, Major Mitchell and Lieut. George Honnen.

Many citizens of Columbus attended the exercises as well as all of the families of the student officers.

**General Pershing's Message.**

"Washington, May 25.

"Commandant the Infantry School, Fort Benning:

"In expressing genuine regret that I cannot accept the invitation for the exercise on May 29th, I take this opportunity to send personal congratulations to the officers graduating from the Infantry school this year. As specialties in their arm of the service they can and undoubtedly will contribute much to their national defense. The record of last year's graduates in the training camps affirmatively proves great value of Infantry school and I look forward to an even finer de-

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## Memorial Day Fittingly Observed

**Address Made By Lieut. H. H. Fay**

Memorial Day was fittingly observed at the Infantry School on May 30th, when all of the troops were assembled on the parade south of the Service Club at 8 A. M.

Lieut. Henry H. Fay was the principal speaker of the morning. His speech while short was to the point. He emphasized the fact that This Day was the soldier's day on which they paid tribute to those who had gone before them. Further that we by observing This Day appreciated the supreme sacrifice that they had made and that we would carry on the burden from where they had to lay it down.

Lieut. Smith also traced the soldier from the days when he was only a part of an unorganized mob, thence down through the days of Greece, and Rome and then on down to the present day showing what wonderful progress the soldiers of a later date made over an earlier period. He concluded his speech by quoting from the Bible Each Man is his brother's keep.

The following program was carried out:

**Order of Exercises—8:00 A. M.**

Funeral March, "Pathetic".....29th Infantry Band
Invocation .....Chaplain Lennan
Reading Ninetieth Psalm .....Chaplain Wood
Address .....Lieut. Henry H. Fay
Roll of Our Dead .....
Read by Post Adjutant, Lt.-Col. Kent
"America" .....Sung by All
Benediction.
"Taps"
March, "Religioso" .....29th. Inf. Band

After the morning exercises the Chaplains will have charge of the decoration of soldier graves in our Cemeteries.

At 9:00 A. M. Chaplain Lennan will hold Requiem Mass at the Catholic Chapel.

At 12 M. the prescribed ceremonies will be held at the flagstaff.

## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning June 3, 1923 and Ending June 9, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, June 3.**

"Oliver Twist" 8 reels, Jackie Coogan. Electric House, 2 reels, Buster Keaton

You all know Jackie and Buster, Nuf sed. Lets' go.

**Monday, June 4.**

"One Clear Call" 7 reels, Milton Sills For News, 1 reel, Mutt and Jeff 1 reel.

**Tuesday, June 5.**

"Three Must Get There's 5 reels, Max Linder. Rapid Fire, 2 reels.

**Wednesday, June 6.**

"Bolted Door" 5 reels, Frank Mayo. American Blan, 2 reels.

**Thursday, June 7.**

"Strangers Banquet" 7 reels, Special Star Cast. Fox News, 1 reel, Dandy Dan, 2 reels.

This is another good bill. Don't miss it.

**Friday, June 8.**

"Till We Meet Again" 5 reels, Mae Marsh. Pathe Review 1 reel. Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, June 9.**

"Prodigal Daughters, 7 reels, Gloria Swanson. Six Shooter Justice, 2 reels, Carey.

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**The Grey Squirrel got his copy of the Benning paper.**
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# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

**83rd BRIDGE CLUB.**

The regular meeting of the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club was held on last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. T. Adams.

Her quarters were prettily decorated with sweet peas.

There were four tables of players and two tea guests present. Mrs. Wm. Lewis won the top score prize, Mrs. Pickett won the second prize and Mrs. Dasher won the booby. Mrs. Lenow received the guest prize.

Delicious home-made candy was served during th eafternoon. After the playing ice cream and cake followed with nuts and iced tea were served.

**BEAUTIFUL DANCE AT COUNTRY CLUB COMPLIMENTING ARMY OFFICERS.**

One of the loveliest dances of the season was given at the Country Club last Monday to compliment the Army members who are going away.

The decorations of the club were most elaborate, being artistically done in quantities of gladiole, roses and other spring flowers.

The mantels were banked with magnolias. Small tables were placed on the porches, which were lighted effectively with Japanese lanterns.

The coffee table was very lovely in tall silver vases of gladioli and silver bowls of vari-colored sweet peas. Mrs. Marshall Morton and Mrs. Wm. H. Dismukes presided.

At the punch bowl, festooned with garlands of roses, Mrs. Walter Richards, Mrs. Frank Foley and Mrs. Julian Robinson, of Atlanta, did the honors.

General Gordon, commanding general of Fort Benning, was represented by Col. John W. Heavly. Colonel Fassett, assistant commandant, was another guest of honor.

Mr. Frederick B. Gordon, president of the club, and Mrs. GoGrdon, and a large assembly including many prominent army officials and civilians were present.

Byrd's orchestra furnished delightful dance music.

A number of charming young girls including the Misses Louise and Margaret Garrard, Jane Gayle, of Covington, Ky., Della Bize, Jeanneatte Williams, Clara Martin and others assisted in serving the delicious sandwiches, ices, cakes, etc.

Altogether the affair was most delightful, and further emphasized the friendly relations between the civilian and army contingents.

**LIEUT. ROXBURY IS SURPRISED.**

We of the Infantry are taught that to be surprised is an inexcusable crime and we naturally thought that the same would apply to the Artillery. At any rate we are not going to investigate the situation but the facts are that Lieut. Rozbury did on the night of the 24th of May allow himself to be caught unaware and thoroughly surprised when sixteen friends that Mrs. Roxbury had invited entered the home of the above officer and reminded him that it was his birthday.

Their quarters were beautifully decorated with spring flowers.

Bridge was indulged in during the evening with Mrs. Dunwoody winning the ladies' high score prize and Lieut. Williams winning the gentlemen's high prize. Lieut. Webster drew the consolation.

Delicious punch was served during the evening and after the playing a great birthday cake with candles and everything was produced which Lieut. Roxbury had to "carve" and serve with ice cream.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY CLUB ENTERTAINED**

Mrs. T. E. Bresnahan, wife of Capt. Bresnahan, entertained the members of the 24th Infantry Bridge Club, at her quarters at Fort Benning on Tuesday afternoon, May 22nd.

The top score was made by Mrs. Geo. S. Clarke, who was awarded first prize; the second prize was won by Mrs. W. A. Stetler. Mrs. E. C. Callahan drew the prize for tea guests.

After the game delicious refreshments were served the guests, which numbered about sixteen.

**MR. AND MRS. EARL DOOLY RETURNED LAST SUNDAY.**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dooly are expected home this evening from their wedding journey, which was spent at the "Black Walnuts," the country home of his father, near Turnerville, Ga., and have taken an apartment at Dimon Court, which they will occupy.

The wedding of Miss Constance Davenport an dMr. Dooly was an interesting event of May, taking place at the Methodist church at Greer, S. C.

Mrs. K. Olson wife of Lieut. Olson is a sister of Mr. Dooly.

**BRIDGE PARTY**

Capt. and Mrs. W. K. Lyda, assisted by Miss Lyda, entertained at a bridge party Friday night, May 25, at their apartment on upper Third avenue. There were four tables of bridge. The guests were members of the 20th infantry contingent at Fort Benning. They included:

Capt. and Mrs. Cloud, Capt. and Mrs. Shepherd, Capt. and Mrs. MacLaughlin, Capt. and Mrs. Soderholm, Capt. and Mrs. Richmond, Capt. and Mrs. Griffin of the First Division.

The winning of the prizes was quite coincidental, in that Mrs. Cloud had top score of the ladies, while Capt. Cloud had low score of the men, and Capt. Richmond had top score of the men, while Mrs. Richmond had low score of the ladies.

A delightful salad course was served, finished with ice cream and cake. The decorations were sweet peas and ferns.

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This is the last gathering of the 20th, as some of them are leaving the last of this week for their new stations.

**COMMENCEMENT HOP AT FORT BENNING.**

The Commencement Hop given as a farewell for the Graduating Classes of the Infantry School took place Friday evening at the Officers Hop Room, and was a largely attended and brilliant affair.

Flags and greens were used in the decoration and dance music was furnished by the 29th Infantry orchestra.

General Gordon, Col. Fassett, Col. Graham and other officials were present.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

**MRS. WILEY V. CARTER TO ENTERTAIN.**

in honor of her sister, Miss Dougherty who is visiting her, Miss Wiley V. Carter is entertaining at a bridge luncheon today, at one o'clock

**COL. AND MRS. HANSELL HOSTS AT DINNER.**

Col. and Mrs. Hayward Hansell entertained at a pretty dinner on last Friday evening at the Officers Club Mess, preceding the Commencement Hop.

The table decorations were effectively done in roses and sweet peas.

The invited guests were: General and Mrs. Gordon, Col. and Mrs. Graham, Col. and Mrs. McCaskey, Col. and Mrs. Peyton, Col. and Mrs. Hocker, Col. and Mrs. Hobbs, Major and Mrs. Dinsmore, Maj. and Mrs. Sullivan, Maj. and Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Banks Yonge, Maj. Goldthwaite, Mrs. Daisy Dismukes, Col. and Mrs. Hannah, Maj. and Mrs. Hardenberg, Col. and Mrs. Goodale, Mr. R. H. Wilson, Col. and Mrs. Hansell.

**DEPARTURES—**

Mrs. Fassett and the Misses Fassetts, left this week for North Burough, N. H. where they will spend the summer.

Major Starr Moulton left for Anniston on Friday morning and Mrs. Moulton will leave tomorrow morning for Boston, Mass.

Both Major and Mrs. Moulton expect to be back at Benning by the first of September.

**MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.**

The regular meeting of the Medical Department Bridge Club was held on last Tuesday evening with Captain and Mrs. Green.

Their quarters were prettily decorated with a choice selection of spring flowers.

Those winning prizes were Capt. John White, Mrs. Moulton, and Lieut. Dunphy.

After four frames of playing delicious refreshments were served.

**BEAUTIFUL SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELECT.**

Mrs. Robert Tobias and Mrs. Frank Chamberlain were the charming joint hostesses on last Wednesday afternoon at the home of the former, when they honored Miss Mary Turner, bride-elect with a linen shower and tea.

The decorations were pink Dorothy Perkins Roses and a huge pink bell suspended from the ceiling concealed the numerous and beautiful gifts.

A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the ice cream and pink and white heart shaped cakes. also pink and white mints, salted almonds and punch were served.

Mrs. Thomas Smith and Mrs. Starr Moulton assisted the hostesses.

**24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.**

The regular meeting of the 24th Infantry Bridge Club was held on last Tuesday afternon at the home of Mrs. E. C. Callahan.

Her quarters were artistically decorated with a delightful selection of spring flowers and carried out a color scheme of pink and white, which colors were carried through in the beautiful hand painted tallies and the refreshments which consisted of pink and white ice cream with cake, iced tea and pink and white mints.

Mrs. Stetler won the high score prize and Mrs. Carter won the second. Mrs. Bresnahan won the cut prize.

**MRS. McCLURE'S BRIDGE LUNCHEON.**

Mrs. Robert McClure was the charming hostess at a delightful bridge luncheon on last Tuesday afternoon at her quarters complimenting Mrs. Fred Bugbee, Mrs. Geo. Goodale and Mrs. Lewis B. Rock who are leaving the Post shortly for their new stations.

Covers were laid for thirteen guests.

After the delicious luncheon four frames of bridge were indulged in. Mrs. Starr Moulton was the prize winner for the afternoon.

**DELIGHTFUL PICNIC.**

Thursday evening, May 24th a picnic and party was given at Cascades by members of Leavell Union, B. Y. P. U. in honor of Capt. and Mrs. R. M. O'Day, Misses Ellie and Lois Matthews and Ethel Coan.

Capt. and Mrs. O'Day will leave early in June for Honolulu. The Misses Matthews and Ethel Coan are teachers in one of our local schools and will leave soon for their homes in Georgia.

Delicious sandwiches were served and all had an enjoyable evening in spite of the rain. Those present were: Capt. and Mrs. O'Day, Misses Lois Matthews, Ethel Coan, Ellie Matthews, Mildred Willis, Estelle McElroy, Ezelle McElroy, Lucy Tolbert, Mary McMurria, Bessie Morton, Thelma Henry, Ruby Owenby and Louise Henry, and Messrs. J. H. Deaton, B. Dawson, Walter McMurria, J. R. Potts, H. C. Davis, J. O. Willis, Evans Barber, W. L. Hall and A. C. Hagler, Mesdames D. H. Coggins, J. O. Willis, A. B. Dawson, J. H. Deaton, W. C. Daniel, W. L. Hall and B. D. Henry.

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## UNIT SCHOOL 29th INFANTRY CLOSES

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Presentation of Diplomas by Brig. Gen. W. H. Gordon. Closing address by Capt. R. C. Van Vliet, Jr., Senior Instructor.

The success of the School was due entirely to the untiring efforts of the instructors and the enthusiasm and interest displayed by the men.

It is hoped that a similar school will be held during the next school year.

## 364 OFFICERS GOT DIPLOMAS LAST TUESDAY

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monstration during the coming summer, which should make an important contribution to the prestige of the regular army in the mind of the citizens, soldiers and country at large. Many members of congress are expecting to visit this summer's camps and I am confident their observation of the instructional work of the Benning graduates will result in warm support of appropriations for our school system and for the development of the citizens army. The last, our great mission and while yet somewhat in the nature of a vision, its future is being rapidly assured by the highly efficient and tactful labor of the graduates of our service schools.

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**General Gordon's Speech.**

General Gordon's address in full follows:

Gentlemen of the Graduating Classes: Ladies and Gentlemen:

In my three years of commandant of the Infantry School I have observed very carefully the graduating classes and as a result appreciate the anxiety which must be yours on this, your last day at the Infantry School. Knowing that there are train reservation to be made, trunks to pack, furniture to crate and a dozen odds and ends for you all of look after, I have decided to make my address intentionally short.

I wish that instead of speaking to you it would be possible for me to bid each of you individually a fond good-bye by means of a shake of the hand and a look into your faces. However, I have a few remarks which are close to my heart and which I cannot refrain from sharing with you this morning.

Today you graduate from the Infantry School. You have successfully completed an eight months course at this institution which has for its purpose the testing, unifying and furthering of Infantry doctrine. You are to be congratulated and envied too, upon receiving a diploma from Benning. We hear on all sides most gratifying reports of the splendid work of the graduates of the Infantry School. There is a general call from every corner for our graduates. Your predecessors have established enviable records. The organizations to which you are going will scrutinize you with a critical eye to see what this Benning man is like about whom they have heard so much. I have confidence that you will fulfill their every expectation, and carry on the valuable work former graduates have initiated in our service.

In addition to your fine work I feel that you are to be especially congratulated upon the splendid record of your classes in discipline. It has been uniformly excellent. In spite of your large number and the lack of extended military experience on the part of many of you, the special priviliges of the American Officer, extended to you on all sides, have not been abused. You have certainly played the game squarely with me and I appreciate immensely your cooperation. If you continue to be as loyal to your work and to your future commanding officers as you have been to the Infantry School and to me, the future of our Army is assured. Any enterprise, regardless of its nature, could not help but forge to the front with such high standards of duty and such exemplary conduct on the part of the individuals composing it.

I also feel a personal obligation to each and every one of you for your cheerful acceptance of the difficult and poor living conditions that have been yours the past year due to the necessity of many families having to live in town and to the complete state of the building program of this School. But above all, I want to thank the ladies. I would be ungrateful indeed if I did not avail myself of this opprtunity to express my deep sense of obligation to them. It was they that set the example and pointed the way. It was their determination to make the best of things that bucked up our morale and started the men to smiling.

Gentlemen, there is a great work in front of you. Unlike the Army of yore, you are rightly required to mingle and associate with the civilian population of our country, few of whom understand our policy of National Defense. Your duty is to assist in their understanding it. In fact, under this new policy of National Defense, which is predicted upon the principle that great wars are no longer carried on by organized and trained armies but by the entire citizenry of the nations involved therein; this is our most important field of duty. You are no longer confined to the narrow and circumscribed limits of a military garrison, but must enter the broad realms that lie beyond, into which you must penetrate prepared to carry the gospel of military preparedness in accordance with the tenents upon which our new military policy is founded. In time of peace we soldiers constitute our army—the nation's defense.

However, in the event of an emergency or great crisis our Army is largely a citizen Army, we professional soldiers constituting but a handful in its organization. The present national Defense policy endeavors in these quiet times to so organize the country's manhood that when clouds of war approach we will at least have a satisfactory framework of organization established, without suffering those huge expenditures of time and human energy which has always been our experience in the past. So I repeat that it is not only your job, but your patriotic duty to make known to our people the value and necessity of such a policy. It may be that a difficult task has fallen to your lot. Nevertheless someone must perform this duty and enlighten the people as to the dire necessity for preparedness and it is my belief that you as trained officers should point the way.

I feel no hesitancy in saying that this year has been a very profitable one to you professionally. I venture to say that many of you younger men, before coming here have worked and studied hard, but was your work and study directed along the right lines? Had you given enough time and attention to the fundamental of things military, without which it is impossible to carry on the advanced study of your profession? If you are fair to yourselves your answer to this question will be "no." It goes without saying that the Infantry School furnishes much needed foundation. If you are leaving today with it not firmly established in your minds, we, the commandant and faculty, have failed in our mission. Whether or not the Infantry School has succeeded depends upon the future work and accomplishments of its graduates. As for men, I do not feel the least hesitancy in entrusting its future success to your care. However, do not lose sight of the fact that this is but the foundation, and the building of a strong permanent structure thereon rests with you. There is a tendency in our profession as well as in others to give up study on graduation day: to feel that our professional training is complete and that further apolication is not necessary. If your course here has not corrected this tendency as well as created a thirst for additional military knawledge, then Benning has again failed in its mission. No profession on earth is so exacting, so comprehensive, so intensely interesting as our profession—the profession of Arms. It includes a general knowledge of all the learned professions and it behooves each one of us to become familiar with its many phases to the best of our ability. We owe this to our country, to ouselves, and most of all to the men who entrust themselves to our keeping and leadership in time of war.

When you leave here you bear the shield of the Infantry School with you. I feel no hesitancy in entrusting to you its safe keeping: Always prove worthy of it and the principles for which it stands. Accept our best wishes and carry them with you to our brother soldiers at your new station.

Now Gentlemen, I am about to have the pleasure to present the diplomas. I [illegible] that these diplomas will reach very far and their effects will be found reaching far beyoud the limits of the paths of your personalities.

By virtue of what you have learned here the influence of the Infantry School will be spread throughout the Army, the military establishment and throughout the entire nation.

**Lieut. Col. Swift's Speech.**

A wonderful impression was made upon every one of the students, officials of the institution and the civilians assembled by Hon. H. H. Swift, the principal speaker on the program. He received hearty applause from the large audience at the conclusion of one of the most impressive addresses ever delivered at an Infantry school commencement. He is the first civilian ever to make the principal adress to a Benning class upon graduation. The following is his speech:

General Gordon, Officers and Men of the Infantry School, Ladies and Gentlemen:—

It is an honored privilege to talk to this graduating class of the Infantry School of the United States army. In the line of duty members of the school have completed a course of study which will better fit them for their profession of patriotic service to our country. In peace, the school prepares for war. The army and navy are the life insurance of the nation. Your few thousands are a mighty force of protection against danger from within or without which may beset this nation of one hundred million people.

Your work at Benning has been exacting and arduous. How much so, the average civilian can never realize because one who has no acquaintance with the exhaustive methods of army schools can little appreciate the thoroughness and difficulty of the courses which you set for yourselves. My own experience is slight, but I can positively testify and with admiration, to some of the accomplishments which officers of the regular army possess.

In 1918 when all men were wearing or wanted to wear the uniform, I had the honor of serving under a modest and kindly gentleman and officer of the regular army, who to a great understanding, brought great ability, much wisdom and an unselfish patriotism. His was not a gallant nor a flashing part, but it was an immense contribution to the total of American success in the World War. I refer to General Enoch C. Crowder, who drafted and administered the law and regulations which quickly brought into the military service millions of young Americans fairly and equitably without discrimination as to class, creed or color. While I was in his office, I was sent to the Army War College with many other civilian officers for training in practical military affairs. At the War College, in a six weeks course, officers of the regular army tried to crowd into our poor civilian brains, some practical knowledge about military matters. For sixteen hours a day, we labored and were instructed. When it was all over, I was mentally resolved then and for all time to render ungrudgingly tribute to officers who could master a course of study prepared by the army.

I can and do sincerely and admiringly congratulate every man who has completed the course of study at Camp Benning. War is an inspiration to tremendous effort, but peace is dull. The man who can with enthusiasm and zeal carry on in an unremitting effort to become more scientific and proficient in his profession of arms during times of peace, should attain a satisfaction in his own inner commendation of his countrymen for his fidelity to duty.

Your distinguished commandant in extending me the invitation to address you at this time, also suggested as my subject, "The Relation Between the Army and Civilian from the Standpoint of the Civilian."

I am pleased to consider General Gordon's gracious suggestion as an order. If in the Execution of that duty, I may contribute in a degree to a recognition and elimination of the difficulties and causes which are ever present to prevent cordiality of understanding, then indeed shall I be delighted.

It is commonplace and axiomatic to emphasize the desirability and the necessity of the existence of an entente cordial between the vast bodies of our citizens engaged in civil pursuits and the army. The unwritten law which makes only a civilian eligible to be sec-

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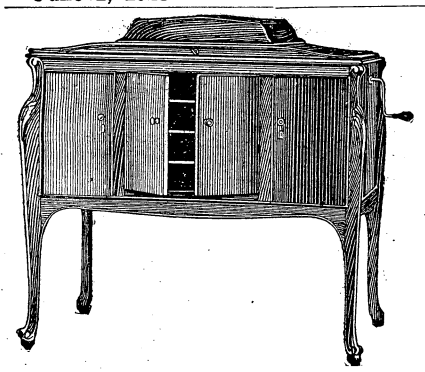

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## 15th Tank Battalion News

On Sunday, June 3rd, the Tanks will meet the Infantry School Detachment, our old rivals, on the camp diamond at 3 P. M. That a spirited ball game will result with the meeting of our old rivals may be assured as both teams will be more than anxious to win and will battle until the last man is out. We want every member of the battalion who can possibly be present to assist out nine to make the "enemy" bite the dust.

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We are sorry to learn that Pvt. Cook Co. "C" is in the hospital with injuries sustained in an accident while on duty moving the departing officers baggage.

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Cpl. Huber is still in the hospital convalescing after an operation. Any body who can call are asked to do so and help relieve the tedium of a sick bed.

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Some are born lucky while others must be satisfied to look on. Lieut. Peach is a full-fledged owner of a "brand new Velie." From the congestion of today it were well for Lieut. Peach to insert an ad for an experienced chaffeur to teach how a Velie is not a flying fliver but belongs to the "terre firma" and the fear rest, lest you should try to climb higher, possibly a telephone pole.

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Ex. Sgt. Densmore, late of Co. "C", met with an accident while driving home to St. Paul, Minn., from Fort Benning in a side car and broke his arm. He is now confined in the City Hospital Indianapolis, Ind.

## 29th Infantry News Notes

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TO ALL CONCERNED: It is requested that any person wishing flowers from our "Flower Garden" see the 1st Sergt. of the Co., and give reasons why same is requested, and don't take the liberty of plucking same, without seeing the aforementioned party. The Company does not want to place a Sentry over ou rmuch coveted garden, and parties that are TEMPTED, don't forget "Thou shalt not Steal" for we consider same, THEFT. Nuff Sed.

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Private Greer, (Co. Stable Orderly) and "Rose Bud" weighed about 218 lbs., before the Company went to war. This little orderly was left behind to help "Peggy" take care of the Mustangs left in the Company Corall, and now he is drinking muddy water to keep from being transparent, whats wrong with "Our Little Stable Orderly Rose Bud."

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Horseshoer Parvin (Windy) was captured by the "Reds" while at War. The report shows that "Windy" was captured as he was coming back with his "Grinders," that he had left on a stump while he was eating the War hardtack.

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Private James H. McClurd.
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**24th Infantry.**
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## EDUCATION AND THE NATIONAL DEFENSE.

We may not realize it right off hand but there is a close relationship between Education and The National Defense especially as regards funds for operations.

We as a nation are prone to economize in both of these important *branches so that a mil may* be saved today that causes us to spend dollars or hundreds of dollars tomorrow.

Just recently in Cleveland, S. C. a public school was burned down and 78 people burned to death, when a kerosene lamp exploded, setting fire to the building. Immediately there was a rush for the one and only exit with the result that the stairs gave way. Those that were still inside of the building were caught in a death trap and were burned to death.

How much would it have cost the tax payers to put in a fire escape so that escape from the second floor would be possible by some other means than one stair? Would not the cost of such a fire escape have paid for itself many times over even if only a few of the seventy eight had been able to escape?

But for some reason, we as a people don't seem to realize that a terrible disaster like the one above can really happen in "our" locality. School have burned down before with a needless loss of lives but still other communities equally situated read their papers and remarked "that's too bad, what a shame, etc." but still they seldom corrected any serious defect in any of their public buildings with the result that more people are burned to death in dangerous and uncalled fire traps.

It is easy to imagine that these people are saying "if we had only known it wouldn't have happened." But these people did know because other public building have burned down before, but they did not realize that any of their public building would ever burn down until it happened and then it was too late.

Now the question arises "what has this to do with the Army? Simply this after every war we as a nation have said that we are going to be prepared for the next war but still in a very short time a penny in the hand looks larger today than a dollar in the hand to-morrow and our national defenses are neglected under the plea of economy and also we always say there will be no more war for who are we going to fight with? But soon war does sweep over our nation again and the same efforts, the same waste and the same rush that we have experienced in every war is repeated.

We have to have supplies with a rush, we have to have equipment with a rush, we have to have material with a rush, and we have to collect our armies with a rush, and then we have to rush our untrained men into battle with a trained foe, and our losses are large.

After the war is over a "big howl" goes up over the nation that "our boys" were slaughtered anl led by untrained officers, you have all heard it so its no use to repeat it.

But after all who is to blame? The Army—No! because they have tried to make the nation realize the danger of unpreparedness just as all communities have been told repeatedly that two story public building with only one exit from the second floor are dangerous—but to no avail. Then is the Government to blame? No the officials that are elected try to represent their constitutents. Then who is to blame? It must be the people. Then do not insist that our National Defense be neither kept up to the minute or up to what is adequae.

Every war that we have had has been a repetion of the preceding war and past experiences have been naught. After every war we have followed the same insane quackery that there won't be any more wars.

Will there be any more public building burn down with a useless loss of lives? Then why say that there won't be any more wars?

## 34th INFANTRY AND ATHLETICS

The 34th Infantry has established a desirable precedent for the Army, and the Infantry in particular, by establishing a definite athletic policy for that organization.

Infantrymen are required ordinarily in campaign to go through hardships not required of the other branches of the Service. In order to perform his duties satisfactorily it is necessary that the Infantrymen be physically fit —not only fit, in the generally accepted sense of the word, but with muscles developed, and readily co-ordinated with the brain.

**Athletic trainnig accomplishes this purpose.**

The argument that the awarding of prizes to team and individuals effects the few while the masses are onlookers is not sound. The trophies are given, it is true, as a result of the personal efforts of the individual or team, but the winning of the prize is an incentive for every member of an organization to put forth his best efforts in order that he may qualify for a team or for participation in individual events. Mass athletics, as a fundamental, in conection with the awarding of prizes for teams and individuals, produce the desired result. The organization with winning teams is an organization with high morale.

If athletics produce better soldiers both from the standpoint of physical condition and morale every regiment should have a definite athletic holiday.

The 34th Infantry is to be congratulated.

## Kajolery Kolyum

Will the party who, about 6 weeks ago, gave a package to Miss Bowman, head nurse, for a lady in the hospital please call 192 Ft. Benning.

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The "News" realizes that a large number of officers who have been ordered away desire to sell their cars. The "News" is interested in seeing officers get as good a price as possible for their cars.

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## HONOR ROLL

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**Attendance.**
**2nd Grade.**
McKendree Scott.
**3rd Grade.**
Nona Elkins, Bennie Hall.
**4th and 5th Grades.**
Helen Louise Butler, Helen Harris, Margaret Goodale, Israel Wald, James Tripp, George Goodale.
**Punctuality.**
Helen Louise Butler, Helen Harris, Margaret Goodale, Israel Wold, James Tripp, George Goodale, Mary Smith.
**7th Grade.**
Neither absent nor tardy.
Helen Henderickson, Julia Mason, Philip Musgrove, George Quinney.
**6th Grade.**
Manie Graham, Rudolph Hall.
**Not Tardy.**
Helen Hendricksen, Julia Mason, Philip Musgrove, George Quinney, Manie Graham, Rudolph Hall, Samuel Wold.

## MEMORIAL DAY—MAY 30th, 1923.

**By Allen J. Butler.**

Shall we weep for them, who are dead—Or shall we conserve our strength to work and pay the debt for their sacrifice?

And raise to the world that great building, 'Faith' whose corner stones they have died to save.

Their grief it was so great; tho, shall we give yet more, for their plans are not complete?

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## TACTICAL STUDIES.

**By Major Lettherbe Reekel, S. C. D.**
(Lecture as yet undelivered before the Army War College, Washington Barracks, Washington, D. C.)

The Fort Benning maneuvers, recently completed, afford a fertile field for the display of afterthought as distinguished from forethought. The opinions expressed in this critique are not the result of such a display. They are the inevitable conclusions arrived expressions of opinion of those engaged at after a collation of all the data and in either side, undue emphasis being laid on no one incident or viewpoint, because of the fallacy of drawing upon the limited observation facilities of an individual engaged in a great action for a conclusive opinion.

For that reason a number of indicative episodes will be quoted, a short critique of each will be made.

The most important point developed during the maneuvers was the advantage accruing to that side which first attacked a flank. Whether it be the right flank or the left is not particularly important. The considerations influencing a choice are not to be compared with the expediency of prompt action. When in doubt—attack the nearest flank. The Blue forces reported this to be a favorite practice of the Red Technigurs, (translation unknown, but probably a corps similar to the German Jaegers.)

Major Ducrot, commanding the Tenth (and last) Red Infantry, at a meeting of his staff at about 5 P. M. on the eve of the meeting engagement, remarked that to redouble an opponent's no-trump invariably invited disaster—and then proceeded to disregard his own very sound conclusion, which is only comparable to the action of the commander of the Blue Artillery, who, occupying a stragetic position on the right of the dealer, failed to raise on two pair before the draw, and was beaten in four places.

Now for a commander to be cognizant of the laws of probability which human experience has developed as the Magna Charta of all other rulings, and then to run deliberately counter to them, is a striking proof of the wise provisions of Section 24 of the National Defense Act as (frequently) amended.

Another very interesting point developed during campaign was the utter futility of our antiquated topographic courses. The crude and innacurate methods of resection taught in our military schools could have no more blighting criticism than the experience of the V. and E. T. officer of the Fourth Red Cavalry, who, leading a raiding party on a moonless night thru the trackless wilds of Sheet Three of the Post Map, was unaware of his surroundings until he found himself seated at the first table near the door of the Inn conducted by nine host of the LaGrange Hotel, with his mount parked upstairs.

Had this officer been given a course in navigation, and equipped with a sextant, he could readily have located himself, either on the map, a railroad time table, or the promotion list.

It is true that the use of insruments of navigation necessitates the presence of a horizon, but it is admitted that a very fine horizon is available in this climate practically the year round. There is as much horizon here as anywhere, if not more, and the attention of the Chamber of Commerce should be invited to the fact.

A study of the role played by artillery in the conflict finds us, as at the conclusion of other wars, faced with new tactical principles to master as a result of the improvements in technique. To the two great divisions of artillery fire, Fire for Demolition, and Fire for Neutralization, must be added a third, Fire for Noise.

The most notable engagement of the campaign, from an artillery standpoint, occurred on the last day, when the A. and R. ofifcer of the Blue artillery broke throuhg the lines to borrow one hundred rounds of the Red ammunition, which has not yet been paid back. However, the artillery fighting during the maneuver was on a larger scale than any previously recorded.

During the Eelbeck Mill Action the artillery was struck wheel to wheel for a distance of a mile, and the consumption of ammunition was equal to that required by the retreats and reveilles of two years; a tour of inspection by a Japanese admiral, and a visit from the Prince of Wales.

Neither side used their calvary to the utmost. Although well supplied with spare parts, faulty construction of the mounts was responsible for frequent breakdowns, necessitating halts for repairs. It is understood the War Plans Division, General Staff, has in mind the possible substitution of poge sticks in the next engagement. The use of cavalry as a screen was valueless after the third day, when the meager diet of compressed forage had rendered the cavalry positively transparent. The only cavalry exploit worthy of note was the cutting of the umpire's telephone lines during a night foray. The advantage so gained was not followed up by the capture of their notebooks and pencils and was thus nullified.

The supply service did excellent work throughout. (See footnote.) Despite the fact that the red ice cream was delivered to the Blue forces, and the blue cream to the Red army, the confusion of coloring naturally rendering the food inedible to patriotic forces, this made very little difference to the unpires. The attention to duty of the truck drivers, who invariably stayed with their trucks during the heaviest rainfalls, instead of wandering away, is deserving of great praise.

I would like to close this talk with the concise summing up of the tactical principles involved made to me in the course of a conversation by the military observer from Greece, who was present throughout the action, but as I don't understand Greek, we must get along without it.

I cannot end, however, without paying a tribute to the air services of both the Red and Blue forces, whose faithful compliance with all the provisions of the law of gravity set a gratifying example to the entire command.

(Footnote—The Base Section, S. O. S. is preparing a list of statistics relative to the maneuver which will be published as an appendix to this article not later than noon of June 10.)

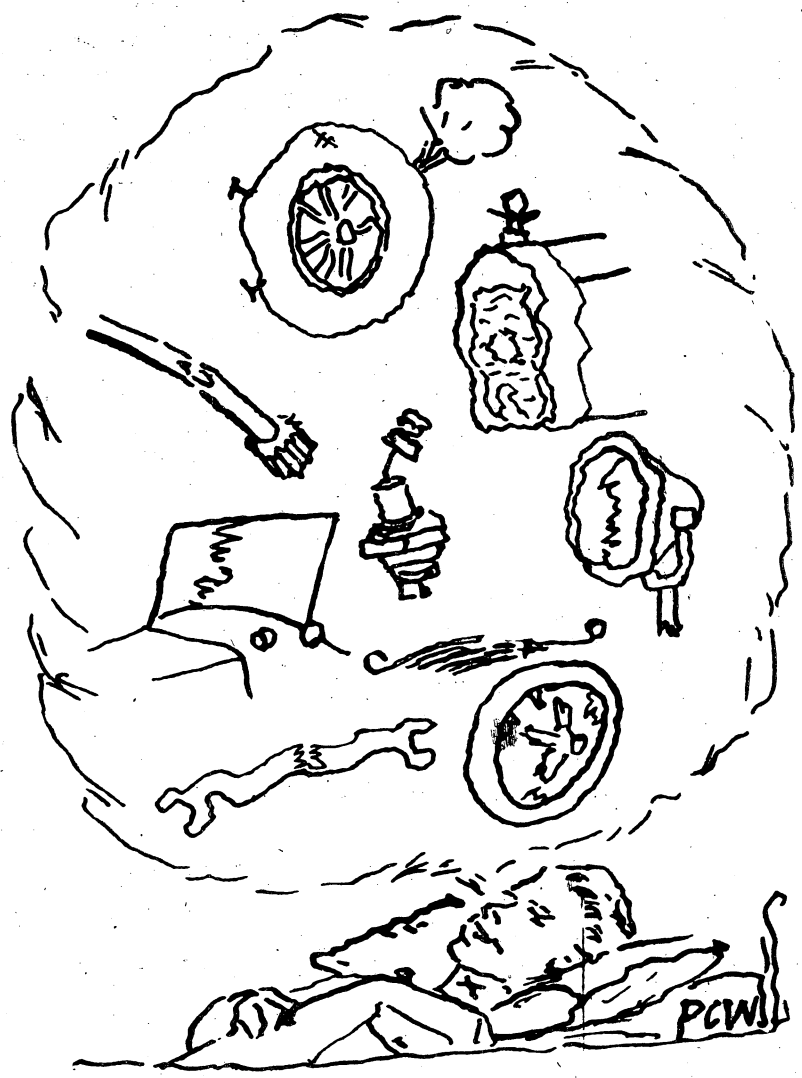
## NOTICE.

After much time and much money we have secured the future well known characters of "Calculator" who gets his name from the fact that he puts down three and carries one and "the Great Dane" the largest dog on the Post.

Calculator and the Great Dane are going to discuss various things and we feel that they will soon be as popular as the Grey Squirrel and the Bluebird. Watch for them for we believe that they will give you many a good laugh.

A brief history of the above dogs would not be amiss. The Great Dane is the biggest pet and the greatest friend of all men. He has been at the Infantry School for some time and is a great favorite with all the children. Calculator on the other hand is just plain cur but as he has been at Benning since the foundation of the School he is probably better acquainted with the reservation and the town of Columbus than any other being at the Post. Cal rides the trains to Columbus or if he misses the train he hops into somebody's car and just goes along. Cal has no home for every place is his home, he is everybody's friend and everybody is his friend. You officers coming to school next year will soon know Calculator.

But here's to the Great Dane and Calculator!




**A SOLDIER'S DREAM AFTER A RIDE OVER THE FORT BENNING-COLUMBUS ROAD.**

## The Jist o' Life
**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

**Birdology.**
Teacher—"What kind of birds are kept best in captivity?"
Pupil—"Jailbirds."

**Young America.**
Fritzie refused to "do his sums" in school and his father said, "When you grow up, you cannot transact business without knowing something of arithmetic. Why if you had fifty cows and wanted to sell them at $50.00 a piece, you would not know how much to charge for them." "Yes, I would," said Fritzie, "I would sell them to my customer one at a time."

**Socialism in Practice.**
A man of socialistic tendencies was expounding the great brotherhood principles to a neighbor. "Why," said he, "If I had a million dollars, I would divide with you and we would both have an abundance. I would not leave you poor. If I had a palatial home, I would share it with you and with the poor. I would not live to myself."

The neighbor took it all in patiently then he said quietly, "And if you had two goats, would you share them with me?"

"Aw, gwan, now," said the spieler. "You know I got two goats."

**"Honeymooning"**
Sam and Lucy were going away after the wedding and it so happened that they were the only occupants of the car in which they were traveling. Taking advantage of the opportunity, Sam kissed his blushnig bride, but just then the "Butcher Boy" came thru the back entrance of the coach, bawling out: "Quincy Adams Sawyer" Sam looked up at him and said, "I don't care if he did. She is my wife."

**Looking On the Bright Side.**
Valerie will have a birthday anniversary in May and she has been waiting for the great event, with the accompanying pink ice cream, candles, birthday cake and good time generally, ever since the day after the last anniversary. When told recently that her big day would not be here for several weeks, she said, "O well some people are born in July, and they have to wait lots longer than I will have to."

**Ain't It?**
The young man had just finished a luncheon with his best girl at a leading hotel. Feeling that the world was treating him to her best bouquet, he said with a sigh of happiness.—"Ain't love just grand?"

**His First Formal Call.**
She was sixteen and he was seventeen and they had been playmates since childhood, and she had always been known to say what she thought without any great amount of study beforehand. He was not short either when it came to talking, but on this momentous occasion, he was calling on her for the first time in the parlor of her home as her sweetheart. He sat on the divan and she in a rocker. For a while nothing was heard to break the silence while each racked his or her brain to find something to talk about. After a long embarrassed silence, she happened to remember a circus which she had attended a short time previous. Grasping at the idea like a drowning man grasping at a straw, she dug her heels into the rug, then blurted out, "Elephants make big toe tracks."

## 364 OFFICERS GOT DIPLOMAS LAST TUESDAY

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retary of war is a manifestation that there should be an official point of contact between the army and the thought of civilians directed to military affairs. Criticism has often been directed to the custom which requires that a civilian should be the administrative head of the war department, but the wisdom of such a practice has been too long exemplified to be seriously questioned.

The army will never achieve its highest mission and attain its greatest effectiveness, and the people will never have the supreme confidence in their army which the army is entitled to enjoy, if either hold aloof from the other, and unless the army understands the people and the people appreciate the army.

The military administration is subordinate to that of the civil. In war, you have a mandate of almost supreme authority from the people, but it is a mandate for a purpose and as a means to the end that the orderly pursuits of peace my be again restored and a civil administration resumed.

Two outstanding emergencies have confronted the war department in the life of this nation. In 1861, brother was arrayed against brother, in the maintenance of govenmental principles, for which each believing to be right, was willing to give much or to give all. The issues were decided. Union prevailed. Happily a reunited country exists today. A civilian, Stanton, by the record of history, a martinet of the first rank, directed the affairs of the war department from 1861 to triumphant conclusion in 1865. Again in the World War, another civilian, a peace loving man, I say it not offensively, was secretary of war. He happened to be a son of one of those fighting men in gray, over whom Stanton's triumphant armies rolled in 1865. Contemporary observation is not impartial, but I believe that in the recorded verdict of time Newton D. Baker will stand as one of the greatest secretaries of war, if not the greatest war secretary. Surely the army never had a truer friend than he. No American army and its commander in chief ever enjoyed the unqualified and continuously loyal support which the A. E. F. received from the war department with the civilian, Baker, pacificist if you choose, administering its affairs. The World War was the first war in which the army in the field was not confused and disorganized by repeated changes of commanders.

The two instances mentioned indicate how civilians have functioned successfully for the benefit of the army.

The credit account of the Army and its contribution to civil administration and to the life and thought of the nation in its civil affairs is and has been varied and abiding.

Having achieved the objective for which he was called to lead the Revolutionary Army, General Washington unostentatiously returned to private life and to the duties and vocation of a private citizen. Recalled from civil pursuits to guide the faltering steps of an infant nation, the impress of his wisdom and patriotism in the adminsitration of this government and its policies at home and abroad belongs to the ages. His chief adviser in assisting to put in practical operation the new government so that it would function effectively was Hamilton, who had been an officer in the Revolutionary Army, and who, with Jefferson, Madison and Marshall, constituted that wonderfully inspired quartet of wisdom and knowledge of governmental principles. The clash and contest and amalgamation of their ideas of the principles on which the new government should be founded, combined to produce the whole as revealed in the Constitution, an instrument termed by Gladstone, the most wonderful ever penned by the hand of man.

That Constitution, however, could be made or marred by the manner in which it was applied. It needed the vitality to be breathed into it of the national conception, which was the result of John Marshall's thought, genius and experience in the Revolutionary Army. Marshall endured the long winter of suffering at Valley Forge. The neglect of the Continental Army made a profound impression on Marshall's character. He had observed and experienced all the ills and weakness of an army composed of militia from the separate colonies, severally organized and put into the field with no common federal authority and source of power over all. He had even seen the militia of one colony when on the soil of another, although engaged in a cause against the common enemy not only denied sustenance, but treated as marauders and trespassers.

These were in part the experiences of Marshall which gave him that insight into the needs of the nation, and that resolution in conjunction with his genius which caused him to produce and write the opinions in the cases of Marbury v. Madison, Cohen v. Virginia, the Dartmouth College case and others, by which the Constitution was made the supreme organic law, a potential fact destined to endure if the American people will only remain true to the faith and not stray off after new isms and fads. It is an interesting coincidence that, of all the great men who have followed Marshall as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, no other has so approximated Marshall in his national conception of the functions of the Federal government as the lamented Edward Douglas White, himself a soldier, but a soldier in a cause that was lost and which if triumphant would have dissolved the Union.

Chief Justice White was always proud of his service in the Confederate army. Your humble speaker well remembers that during the World War, when he was admitted to practice in the supreme court of the United States along with others in uniform, the chief justice graciously remarked, "The Court is glad to welcome gentlemen to the bar of this court in uniform; the Court, himself wore a uniform from 1861 to 1865."

General Grant, the man of iron during the war, when he became president did much to heal the wounds of the conflict in which he was victorious. All of South remembered his words at Appomatox. "Let us have peace", and especially was he generous while president in his attitude toward his former comrades of the old army prior to 1861, who had cast their fortunes with the Confederacy. Andrew Jackson, Garfield, Hayes, the gentle McKinley, and Roosevelt, while never regulars in the military establishment, were soldiers who had fought side by side with regulars. Contact with the regular army surely left an impression on their characters, and influenced their acts and conduct in the highest executive office of the government.

Historical facts might be multiplied indefinitely of how the civil administration of the government has been touched by the influence of the army, and how civilians in official position have cooperated beneficially with the army. But I have illustrated sufficiently the point that I wanted to bring out — that each has casually and intermittently, without design, helped the other.

Now I approach with some diffidence another phase of my subject because it is not so pleasant to discuss. Issues, however, can not be evaded, and only by frank discussion of causes will remedies be found.

The truth is undeniable that there does not now exist and never has existed complete amity, co-operation and understanding between congress, the public at large and the regular army. The public, congress and the army are all parts of the complex organism composing the nation. Best results can not be obtained from a machine which functions with friction. Candidly, I think that the public and congress are far more responsible for the unfortunate situation than the army, but the army, itself, particularly in the past, has not been entirely free from contribution to the separation.

Some of the causes relate back to revolutionary days, and others go even farther back to ancient prejudices, inherited by generations of our people, against standing armies as tools of tyrants and engines of oppression, likely to be used against the freedom of citizens. To congress was conveyed the power to declare war, and to raise and support armies. Yet the limitation is emphatically written that no appropriation of money for the support of the army shall be for a longer term than two years. The framers of the constitution, and the largest part of our citizens, have always desired that the chief arm of defense should be the militia, or a citizen army. Hence, to congress is also committed the power to call out the militia for the purpose of executing the laws of the Union, suppressing insurrections and repelling invasions; and to provide for organizing the army and disciplingin the milita, and for governng such parts of them as may be employed in the service of the United States. Again, however, there is a limitation reserving to the states respectively the appointment of officers, and the authority of training the militia according to the discipline prescribed by congress. This power of permitting states to appoint the officers of the militia has frequently been the source of trouble because in calling forth militia, the war department could exercise no supervision to secure the appointment of capable officers.

The central thought in these organic powers conferred upon congress with reference to military affairs is the idea that a national army was essential, but and the states were jealous of the power granted to federal authority, and surrounded it with qualification. The further thought is pervasive that a military and a citizen army should constitute a reserve of defense for the nation, on which it would have to rely in time of war. You and I may not agree with these ideas, but the facts must be faced, because they are facts and not theories. The old opinion still persists to this day in a large majority of our people. When ways and means of allaying possible irritation and promoting a better understanding between the people, congress and the army are attempt these long standing opinions must be reckoned with.

A man cannot get very far in this world no matter how brilliant he be unless he understands human nature. The average American of today, despite many lessons has not yet eliminated a supreme egotism that the adaptability and versatality of Americans are such that without very much training or preparation an army which can defeat the world can be called into existence over-night by an act of congress, with a lavish appropriation of funds whenever the emergency arises. Of course, you know this is sheer nonsense, and this Infantry School represents the best thought and helplessness of the army in its earnest desire to mitigate the helplessness into which congress always lets the nation drift after the close of one war and before another comes.

Congress and the people work and think in a vicious cycle about like this. War is declared. Everybody gets excited. The crisis is on. Money is lavishly appropriated for hastily raising armies, and providing equipment. The president is granted unlimited wartime powers; and superhuman tasks are imposed upon him. Out of the confusion and enormous waste finally come order, much satisfaction and glorification results. Lamentation for the waste of expenditure, and criticism of all who labored while the house was afire gradually but surely ensues. The next step is steady destruction every two years by congress, of the great machine which has been built up. Finally the army becomes a mere ghost of its recent power and numbers until the next war opens. Then the cycle is repeated.

Every two years when an appropriation is made for the army, a struggle results with congress for funds. Real economy of governmental expenditures is always gratefully received by the over-burdened tax paver. False economy is extravagance. Yet economy prac-

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Colonel B. P. Nicklin, commanding officer of the 24th Infantry, and Captain George S. Clarke, commanding officer of the Service Company, 24th Infantry made the journey with the band and the official party of the Kiwanis.

**Retirement of Staff Sergeant Thomas Brown.**

The Regimental Commander desires to bring to the attention of the officers and enlisted men of the regiment the record of the long, honorable and faithful service of Staff Sergeant THOMAS BROWN, Service Company, 24th Infantry, who has been placed on the retirement list per paragraph 26. Special Orders No. 116, War Department, May 17, 1923, with over thirty-one years and five months service.

Staff Sergeant Brown entered the service as a member of Company C. 6th Virginia Volunteer Infantry and served with that organization until January 26, 1899. He reenlisted for the 24th Infantry March 1st, 1899 and his service has been continuous in this regiment to date. More than nineteen years having been served in Company L.

Staff Sergeant Brown participated in various engagements and skirmishes during the Phillippine Insurrection. Philippine Islands. He took part in the Punitive Expedition in Mexico from March 28, 1916 to February 5, 1917. In action against Villistas, Juarez, Mexico, June 15-16, 1919.

The very best wishes of all officers and enlisted men of the regiment follow Staff Sergeant Brown into his well earned retirement from active service. A Regimental Review will be tendered him on Wdnesday, May 23, 1923.

A farewell dinner for Staff Sergt. Brown was held in the Mess Hall of "M" Company on the evening of May 17th at which the officers and noncommissioned officers of the regiment joined in wishing Sergeant Brown a God-speed and a happy farewell. Addresses were made by Colonel Nicklin, Captain Farnsworth and Sergt. Brown. A farewell remembrance was given Sergeant Brown in the form of a gold watch, in the name of the Non-commissioned officers of the regiment.

**Rifle Season About to Open.**

We're off! When June 1st rools around the 24th rifle season will be ticketed for a vacation special. All details will actually be cut in half, and the personnel of the regiment will be given an opportunity to show their efficiency in matters military. The range is cleared, the instructor staff is all primed up, and the dusky Doughboys of San Juan "Block House" fame are raring to go. More news of what happens will be hot on the wires next week.

**Baseball card for June 1st and 2nd.**

The next home games to be played by the 24th baseball team will be on June 1st and 2nd when the team from Auburn, Alabama will be entertained by the locals. All who desire to witness these games are invited.

**Company "A"**

Private Orange came in from the range the afternoon before he shot for record with the team and told us that if anybody on the Team went to Niagara Falls. He was going to be one in the bunch, but since he shot for record and completed we can't hear about Niagara, what the trouble Orange the other boys must have made think Niagara Falls was a little too far to walk to.

Sergt. Mann is doing what a lot of the boys would like to do. He shooting the Automatic Pistol. Of course he is not having much success as yet but with a few days more practice he says he will make the best of them set back and watch him.

**Company "K"**

Well Sergt. Tolbert, what about all this passing in review, last Sunday night?

What's that? Asked Picket, he ought to know.

Sergt. Woods (Tom Duff) left for Atlanta, Ga. on the 28th, to appear in concert, as the silver voiced tenor, Baritone, and all around "Shiek" for the entertainment of the international "Kiwanis" go on boy you're in the old home town.

Private Latimore, (Stack-o-Dollars) was heard singing last night, "Overstreet" can rest much better, since he took to himself, Three more.

**Company "L"**

Speaking of some expert pistol shots "L" Co. ranks the list. The best shot in the company, (Pop) Jennings, made 4 misses at 15 yds. Only 3 hits out of 100 rounds ammunition. Moved to silleuette target 15 and 10 yds. shot 50 rounds ammunition and if the target had been a natural man the man could've taken a cord string and whipped Pop unmerciful. Make up your mind and say this, "if that was the enemy, I wouldn't been burned up shooting like that, (not burned up Pop but in a h——of a fix.

Bob Session would've made expert, but just as soon as the target was pulled to the center, he moves one pace ot the front, in order to get an equal balance and looked down, and saw his dogs (feet) resting on two rolls of first garde cotton, and shot over the butts, in the butts, thru the woods and in the Chattahoochee. Bob a question for you to answer, "if cotton hurts your hounds, would it be impossible for you to slepe in a feather bed?"

Mrs. Reinta Session (we know her better when you say mother) a dear, dear friend to all the boys, and especially to the members of Co. "L" we regret with sorrow dear mother you have but a few more days before you leave us behind, Yet we realize that Sergt. and Mrs. Session has been with Old Glory, for 29 years some months and a few days and the entire Company wishes you the best of luck and happiness in your new surroundings. Meantime at the date of Sergt. Sessions retirement, you both will be well remembered.

Attention, this applies to the NCO's of Company "L" There's no use to say on to much thread on your chevdons or waste to much time in sewing them on, take my advice and just tack them on, W. H. Y. Because we may call for them at any moment.

Private John Bell, was seen giving instruction, as to how to use Kodaks Wednesday afternoon. Wonder what's the big idea? Can any one tell us? Oh, yes, we know just the trouble, Some one said the old boy didn't have charge enough, to stop a chero-cola truck, so he decided to pass the time off by kodaking, look out Bell, if you expect to keep your ship you will have to keep a little change, now and then.

The best lecture made to Co. "L" was the one the C. C. gave the Co. before going to drill Wednesday evening. He said there are few men who have excellent hats and kahki breeches and there will be a requisition, going in for clothing about the 1st so you wont have to worry about drawing any clothing at all. Just wear the same old (untidy) uniform, thruout the season (and at the end) boys a distinguished medal will await your arrival, wake up boys and put in for your clothing and keep that lamb look behind the bars of 6.8.10.12 put in for your clothing, enough said.

**Company "M"**

We have just heard of new pistols qualifications by a certain Corporal of Company "M" who came in from the target range and said that he had made strong sharpshooter, We guess the next time he shoots, he will make weak expert or marksman medium.

The First Sergeant has returned recently from a trip and vacation of about 6 days to Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Ala. where at that time the commencement was in session, he states that he had a glorious time.

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A Casino Tournament was held on last Saturday night. The winners of the prizes were Private Geo. Russo and Private Walter Duquette both of the 29th Infantry.

The regular dance held last Wednesday evening was well attended and enjoyed by all.

If enough men will give their names to Miss Roe, the Post Hostess at Service Club No. 1, a dancing class will be formed. Eight lessons for $3.20. Ladies may join the club also.

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Money once thought to be everything is now practically nothing, as with the whole world producing for common good, there is no cause for laying up treasure, The Economic situation apparent three or four centuries ago is gradually being brought into disuse, and it appears that the world might be compared to a large family, where all members participate in the gains or joys of the one. The Selfish spirit once easily evident in all humans seems to be gradually dying out for want of nourishment and everything points to the ultimate life of brotherly love on a higher plane than heretofore.

As the world advances from one plane to another, advancement gains momentum, as evidenced from a look at the world of 1770 to 1922, from 1922 to 2000, etc.

### A NECESSARY CHANGE.

Recently it has been found necessary to make a slight change in the schedule of the Howard buses.

A committee consisting of certain officers at Post Headquarters and also the Committee on Camp Activities have made an investigation of the earning of the Howard Bus Line and as a result, the schedules have been modified so that buses will leave the Post at a greater interval than formerly.

Just take a look at the ad on the last page and then keep the time in mind.

Also these committees have consented to an increase of cash fares to Thirty-five (35) cents. However to avoid a hardship for soldiers the Post Exchange will handle bus ticket books in domination of $2.00 and $5.00 which will still make it possible for the soldiers to ride the buses for Twenty-five (25) cents as formerly.

This should work out to the advantage of the men as they can now take a trip to the city on tickets when formerly they had to have the cash and it won't cost them any more.

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## 364 OFFICERS GOT DIPLOMAS LAST TUESDAY

(Continued from Page 8.)

ticed at the expense of the army is popular in many communities of America today. So do not deceive yourselves that it is not popular.

Kipling's "Tommy Atkins" expressed more truth than poetry in the lines when he says:

"While it's Tommy this, and Tommy that, and Tommy, fall behind,
But its Please to Walk in front, sir,' when there's trouble in the wind."

At the present time, there are other powerful forces insidiously and persistently at work to restrain adequate appropriation for the maintenance of an army of reasonable size and effectiveness. These forces suspect that in case of riot and internal commotion brought on by the agitation of their baneful teachings, the army may be used to uphold the law of the land and to suppress insurrection.

Primarily with the army itself must rest the prodigious task of bringing on a better understanding with respect to itself by the public and Congress. More influence can be exerted on Congress indirectly through the people than by direct contact with the members of Congress. Except with those few men of independent thought and action who are leaders and not followers of public opinion, Congress will continue its attitude until they hear from the people back home.

If you do not know a man and his character, your ignorance may lead to unfounded opinion and prejudices. Nine times out of ten when you can get to know a person, you will find qualities which you will appreciate. If every American community could associate with the army as have the people of Columbus, Muscogee and Chattahoochee counties in the past five years with the splendid body of officers attending this school, there would be no army problem, so far as its popularity was concerned.

There are two principal channels through which public opinion of the methods, practices and personnel of the army is formed. One is through association of the officers and men of the army with civilians in business and social life. The second is the direct contact of civilians, who enlist in the service, and then drift back into civil life, and in this class must also be embraced the civilians who are suddenly drawn into service in case of war. Arbitrary and autocratics methods in dealing with men new in the ervice, especially if they are men inducted into the army in event of war, may react on the army for years to come. Americans grow up in an atmosphere most free from restraint. Suddenly subjecting them to rigorous discipline is a radical change from their previous environment. Discipline, of course, must be maintained at all hazards, but the wise officer need not resort to harsh methods. The officer who does employ such methods stores up trouble to plague the army for a generation when these civilians get back to their peaceful pursuits. May I say here to the credit of the army that while I have talked to many drafted men of the late national army, and have heard many complaints as to their treatment, these complaints are few indeed as to acts or conduct of the regular army. They arise in most instances from the foolish acts of reserve officers with little experience.

There is a widespread belief among people who do not know the army that the commissioned personnel holds itself aloof from the people, and as a class apart, and caste superior to their fellow citizens in the social status. Thoughtful officers can do much to efface any such idea of caste superiority by frowning upon the few of little brain, who may cherish any such notion. This does not mean that pride of service and respect for the uniform is undesirable but it does mean that the uniform cannot elevate where superior qualities of heart, mind and character are absent.

No doubt there is now only a faint trace of the old Prussianizing influence of Von Steuben. It worked incalculable harm while it lasted on account of the impressions of arrogance created in the minds of the public. If there is a trace or a taint of it left, its suppression should be prompt.

Officers of the regular army are under a solemn duty to refrain from indiscreet acts which might create a wrongful impression of the army as a whole. You have a straight and narrow path to walk. Only about 150,000 men are in the regular army. There are over 100,000,000 people. Consequently the army is the cynosure of all eyes. I admit that it is a harsh and unfair rule, but it is nevertheless true that the public judges the mass by the acts of the individual. The public is prone to consider as characteristic of the mass any evidence of arrogance or assumed superiority of caste. I am not attempting to preach to you, but I am merely stating facts. I am pleading with you to mingle with the people that they may know you. You are created by them for their good. You are neither above, nor below them. If you would have their apathy and indifference removed, you must go to them because the mountain is not coming to you. As the dignity and power of the United States Army is great, then just so great is the measure of your representation and your responsibiliity. As the public expects in you superqualities of nobility and character, your obligation for the good of the service is all the more serious to maintain that reputation which is expected of you. There are so few officers that when each of you comes in contact with the civilian populace, you must remember that the mass is being judged by your individual conduct. I knew of a great general officer of this present army who in making an address to officers of the World War, urged that they should keep their uniform as pure and as holy as a bishop does his robes. Then you will indeed be true to yourselves, to your country and to your God.

The regular army of the United States has always proved true to the faith. Tri daend never found wanting is a lofty encomium. Time and again you have shown that individually and collectively, you have that finest quality of the human soul—loyalty. The records of history are emblazoned with your glorious and gallant deeds. On many a blood-drenched field, the regular army has exhibited its devotion to duty and its willingness to make the supreme sacrifice. The little misunderstandings which I have mentioned are trivial in the light of the sum total of your accomplishments. But may I speak a word of warning. There is coming a time, I fear, when a crucial test indeed is to be met. There are thousands of people in this country whom we have generously received from oppressed and stricken lands. Some of these people have mistaken our liberty as a license to propagate doctrines incompatible with our institutions. Masquarading as apostles of the uplift and progress are fanatics and many men with wild and dangerous doctrines which they are circulating to destroy our institutions and to set up their socialistic or bolshevistic arrangements. I hope the day is far distant when any such crisis will have to be met, but if it does come, those who know the army and its history know that it will be ready to unswervingly meet the issue, that life, liberty and property shall be secure. The answer is not in doubt as to where the army will stand then, because it has never been necessary to commend to the army Cicero's immortal words—"Would you have praise and honor, would you have the esteem of the wise and good, value the Constitution under which youlive."

And when that issue is decided, we can still turn with confidence our faces to the rising sun to salute the stars and stripes radiant in its beauty with its white stripes breathing peace, its red stripes pulsing kindred, and the stars of the sisterhood of states set in an azure background speaking the providence which makes us and protects us in a nation that shall not perish from the earth.

**Colonel Fassett The Last Speaker.**

The Assistant Commandant spoke for only a very few minutes, saying that he wished to allow Col. Swift's speech to "soak in" and that he did not want to detract anything thereof. Col. Fassett then spoke of the work that the Infantry school had done and told the graduating class that what they did after leaving the institution would be reflected upon the instructors at the school. He urged the students, who had just completed their eight months of intensive work to make the best of their training at Benning and to do things after leaving to reflect credit upon the institution. The colonel expressed his confidence that they would not fail.


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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

### How About it?

The May number of the Third Corps Area Gazette carries an interesting article by James J .Corbett of the Third Corps Area welterweight and feitherweight champions, Private Eddie Burnbrook and Private Bob Garcia, respectively.

Jim Corbett's description of these two men leads to the belief that at some time in the futrre the Army may be represented in a clash for world championship pugilistic honors.

However, and without meaning to throw bouquets at ourselves, we hereby express the opinion that we would like to see Garcia, Third Corps Area featherweight champion, trade punches with DeRose, Fourth Corps Area champion in the same class.

We have never seen Garcia in action but Jim Corbett's remarks convinces us that he is a "comer." We have seen DeRose in action frequently and we have a healthy respect for his ability.

Of course it is quite true that our perspective is hazy on account of DeRose being from Fort Benning. This doesn't change the statement though that we would like to see the scrap between these two men.

### DARCEY-STRIBLING.

It seems to be difficult to get the correct weight of a boxer as the real age of an old maid in the presence of a prospective husband. In most cases, the boxers are fighting at weight they have been known to make some time ago. Benny Leonard, for instance, doesn't make 135 lbs. at 3 o'clock more than once in a year and then against some top-notcher, like Leu Tendler, who is quite a drawing card, and can demand that the champion make weight. However, the wity Leonard, always stipulates that the opponent make weight, and most of them are so glad to get a whack at the championship, that they'd sign articles if Benny weighed a ton.

The Stribling-Darcy fight for instance, is generally billed as a middleweight contest. As a matter of fact neither will enter the ring at the middle weight limit, of 158 lbs. Neither are bona-fide middles, but are in truth might good light heavies never-the-less and the patrons of the fight game will have an opportunity to see one of the best cards ever arranged in a city the size of Columbus. This will be quite an expensive show and the American Legion, with Major J. Paul Jones, acting as matchmaker and promoter, certainly deserves a great deal of credit for this enterprise.

The pride of Macon, and all Dixie, for that matter, hooks up with one of the toughest boys in the fight game, in Jimmy Darcey, late of New York. Darcy has only been defeated twice by Jeff Smith, and once by Ham Greb, and in both of these bouts he acquitted himself nobly. Everyone knows that they don't come any better than Harry and Jeff, and any young fighter who can make a creditable showing with either of those two, can still hope for the championship. Darcy is tough and he is clever, and experienced, and neither has he given away any advantage in a matter of years, being comparatively young in the fight game.

Strib is a comer. There's no doubt of that. He is as fast as they make them and in all of his fights has shown a great deal of judgment and self control, especially notable in a high school boy. There's no doubt of it, as far as head work counts, Strib is championship calibre. His foot work compares with that of Greb and Jeff Smith, tho' a little different in style No one knows anything about his ability to take punishment, for he has never had to take any yet, and up to date is scarcely marked.

What will be the out come. Stribling has never really been defeated decisively. Darcy is one of the best at his weight, and a championship contender. Is this another case of the inexistable force and the immovable body? Summing it up, give Darcy the advantage of weight and strength, give Darcy the credit for the more powerful punch, give him a shade on ring experience, but give to Stribling the advantage of speed and probably condition, because of the heavy training in this climate for some time. It looks like an edge for Darcy, but as they are meeting in Columbus may turn out any way at all, as it's impossible to dope out such factors as luck and science until after you've seen them go.

At any rate this is the acid test for Stribling and if he can win decisively from Darcy, a few more years of careful managing will see him on the big time looping the loop with the champion. Its a good fight to see, but not to bet on.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

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10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday. 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

### COMMENDATION FOR DEMONSTRATION TROOPS

Again The Infantry School has left a good taste in the mouth of the officers that were student officers here last year. However the letter that we are taking great pleasure in quoting is of an unusual nature as it is the enlisted men that come in for the commendation this time. The advanced Officers' class appreciated the splendid demonstrations given by the officers and the men of the demonstration troops.

The letter follows:

The advanced Officers' Class desires

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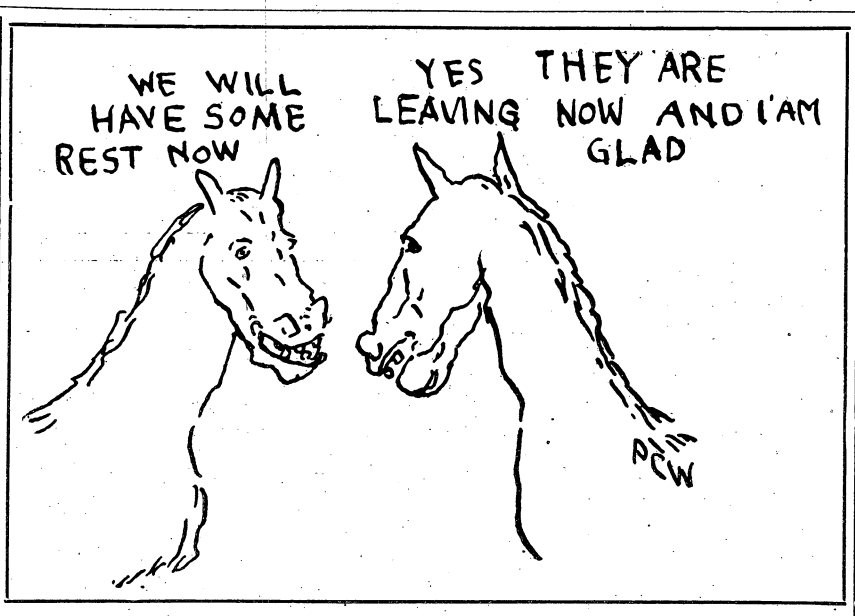


### 24th INFANTRY BAND MAKES FAVORABLE IMPRESSION

**Atlanta Enjoyed Their Music During the Kiawanis Meet.**

The 24th Infantry Band returned from Atlanta on May 31st. The entire regiment is justly proud of their record in that city where they played for the Columbus Club during the International Kiawanis convention. It was decidedly the best band at the convention and many favorable reports have been received concerning the music rendered by it. It played concerts in the lobbies of all the leading hotels, including the famous Georgian Terrace Hotel, in all the newspapers broadcasting stations, at the Auditorium Armory, at the State Capitol for the Governor, serenaded the Mayor of Atlanta, and last but not least it went out to the hospital for the wounded veterans of the World War where the music was immensely appreciated. The most spectacular incident of the trip was the playing of a concert by the band at Five Points, Atlanta's business center where the band was allowed to play for over a half hour blocking traffic on the five main streets of Atlanta for a distance of over a mile in every direction, a thing which only a very select few have been allowed to do in the past years.

The Band was accompanied by Colonel Nicklin, Commanding Officer of the Twenty-fourth Infantry and Capt. Geo. S. Clarke, Commanding Officer of the Service Company of which the Band is a part.

The following is what the Atlanta Journal has to say about this tour of the famous 24th Infantry Band:

COLORED MUSICIANS FROM CAMP BENNING FILL TWILIGHT HOUR

The famous Twenty-fourth infantry band and the Twenty-fourth infantry bugle corps from Camp Benning and the Columbus community chorus, numbering all told more than 100 colored musicians, were brought to Atlanta

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### THE INFANTRY SCHOOL

**Has Graduated over 1,200 Officers**

(Name of Writer Withheld By Request)

As a result of the experiences of the Great War, The Infantry School was established at Fort Benning, Georgia. It is essentially the outgrowth of the system of military schools which were found necessary for the instruction in the mechanical, technical and tactical training of the Infantry, the arm which constituted the greater part of the forces raised during the war. Here it is that Infantry officers from all the components of the Army (Regular Army, National Guard, Reserve Corps) assemble to receive the best instruction on the latest development in Infantry tactics, equipment, arms, etc., from picked, capable instructors.

In its short past this institution has graduated over 1,200 Infantry officers of all grades. That they have proven their value is attested by the fact that all activities are constantly demanding that they be sent Benning graduates.

The courses at The Infantry School for the present school year are as follows:

Refresher Course—extending over a period of six weeks.

Consists of General Officers.

Number of students, 6.

National Guard and Reserve Officers' Course—extending over a period of three months. It is composed of officers from the National Guard of the various states and officers of the Reserve Corps. This year's class contained 101 members.

Advanced Course—extending over a period of eight (8) months (October 1 June 1.)

Composed of officers of field grade of the Regular Army.

Company Officers' Course—extending over a period of eight (8) months (October 1—June 1). Composed of

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning June 10, 1923 and Ending June 16, 1923**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, June 10, 1923.**
"Quincy Adams Sawyer," 8 reels, Special Cast. "In for Life," 2 reels.

**Monday, June 11.**
"Minnie," 7 reels, Leatrice Joy. Fox News, 1 reel. Mutt and Jeff, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, June 12.**
"The Leopardess," 7 reels, Alice Brady. "God and The Fables," 1 reel.

**Wednesday, June 13.**
"Midnight Guest," 5 reels, Special Cast. "Sting 'Em Sweet," 2 reels.

**Thursday, June 14.**
"Sheriff of Sun God," 5 reels, Wm. Fairbanks. Fox News, 1 reel. "Kids and Skids," 2 reels, Lee Kids.

**Friday, June 15.**
"Scandulous Tongues," 5 reels, Niblo. Pathe Review, 1 reel. "Roach Comedy," 1 reel.

**Saturday, June 16.**
"Man Who Played God," 6 reels, George Arliss. "Fighting Blood," 2 reels.

### FLAG DAY JUNE 14th

Display "Old Glory" which represents you and your neighbor and the rest of the people of the United States.

### GREY SQUIRREL

**The Grey Squirrel listened in on a telephone call.**

**The wires were crossed and one lady had her gall,**

**She acted plumb rough in fact she almost cussed.**

**"My gracious," said Grey Squirrel," aren't some women easily fussed."**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### MRS. GOODALE COMPLIMENTED

On Thursday afternoon May 31st Mrs. L. H. Sims and Mrs. F. H. A. McKoen were the charming hostesses at a bridge party at the Polo Club complimenting Mrs. Geo. Goodale who is leaving about July 1st for Boston, Mass., where Col. and Mrs. Goodale will be stationed.

The guests consisted only of members and former members of the 29th Infantry.

The Polo Club house was most beautifully decorated with various spring flowers but which carried out a color scheme of yellow and white.

Mrs. Scales won the high prize score and received a sterling silver bud vase. The cut prize was won by Mrs. Duvall and consisted of a silver lemon fork

Mrs. Goodale was presented with a silver ice cream knife.

Candies were served during the game which carried out the color scheme of yellow and white and orange sherbert with angel food cake also in the above color were served after the playing.

After the playing Mrs. Goodale was presented with a large box and upon opening it she found that each member present had contributed some token of remembrance.

### MRS. CARTER'S BRIDGE LUNCHEON

On last Friday Mrs. Wiley V. Carter gave a most delightful bridge luncheon as a compliment to her sister Miss Dorothy Dougherty who is visiting here.

Miss Dougherty and Mrs. Carter are daughters of Col. and Mrs. H. A. Dougherty, who are now stationed in Arizona.

Nasturtiums, sweet peas and roses formed a lovely decoration and the guests were seated for luncheon before the bridge game began.

Mrs. Crump Garvin won the top-score prize, a boudoir pillow.

Mrs. W. O. Smith won second prize, a hand-painted basket.

The consolation was cut by Mrs. T. F. Bresnahan. It was a lovely clown tape measure.

There were thirty-two guests: Mesdames T. F. Bresnahan, W. A. Stetler, H. A. Willis, John D. Schoeffel, Mrs. Marion, Miss Ruth Schoeffel, Miss Marion Amso, Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. Richard Dougherty, Mrs. McNair, Mrs. M. E. Jones, Mrs. Robt. McClure, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Roger Wilson, Mrs. Lukert, Mrs. W. B. McCaskey, Miss Margaret Kent, Mrs. E. G. McCormick, Mrs. Sam Buracker, Mrs. Wm. J. Davis, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. Dinsmore, Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Garvin, Mrs. E. C. Callahan, Mrs. Kraul, Miss Mechling.

### MISS RUTH SCHOEFFEL ENTERRTAINS MISS DOUGHERRTY

On Saturday evening, Miss Ruth Schoeffel entertained at dinner at the home of her parents, Colonel and Mrs. John D. Schoeffel, the guest of honor being Miss Dorothy Dougherty.

Covers were laid for Miss Dougherty Lieut. Honnen, Miss Kent, Lieut. Lowry, Lieut. and Mrs. Wiley V. Carter, Miss Ainsa, Lieut. Scott, Miss Graham, Lieut. Joffee, Lieut. Ziegler, Lieut. Sanderson.

After dinner the guests went to the Country Club dance.

### 24TH INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB

On last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Chandler was the delightful hostess for the 24th Infantry Bridge club.

Dephiniums, nasturtiums and other garden flowers were artistically used in the decorations.

Mrs. Stetler won the high score prize a potted fern and Mrs. R. Jenkins won the second prize a bud vase. The cut prize a Japanese flower bowl was won by Mrs. Carter.

Hard candy and bon-bons were served during the playing. After the game an ice course was served.

### MRS. SPROULE GIVING BRIDGE

As a compliment to Mrs. C. H. Sproule of New Orleans, mother of Capt. Sproule, Mrs. James Sproule is giving a bridge this afternoon at the Polo club.

### DEPARTURES

Mrs. Jeffords, cousin of Mrs. Kent, who has been visiting at Fort Benning left for her home on last Wednesday.

Mrs. Muecke mother of Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Butler's daughter left for New York. Mrs. Butler will join them later.

Col. and Mrs. Bugbee left for Boulder, Colo., on last Monday where they will spend the summer at the home of his brother. They are stopping at several places en route. Their son has taken a position in Kansas City for the summer and in the fall he will enter the university.

Maj. and Mrs. Wiley have gone to Florida and after a short stay there will visit in Washington, Plattsburg and other places arriving at Fort Leavenworth for the school in the fall.

Capt. and Mrs. Milburn have gone on a motor trip to Indiana stopping en route at different place.

Mrs. Olson and Miss June Olson who have been visiting Lieut. and Mrs. Olson have returned to their home in Salt Lake City.

Mrs. R. C. Stickney and children left for her home at Boston last Tuesday where she will visit her parents. Maj. Stickney expects to join them there later in the summer.

### ARRIVAL

Miss Helen Peyton daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Peyton is expected home from the University of Mississippi at Columbus, Miss., tomorrow evening. Miss Helen will be junior at the opening of the University next fall.

Mr. Hayward Hansell son of Colonel and Mrs. Hansell returned home for the summer from Georgia Tech. where he has been attending school.

### 83RD FIELD ARTILLERY

On last Tuesday Mrs. W. H. Barlow was the charming hostess for the 83rd Artillery Bridge club. Three tables of players and three tea guests were present.

Her apartments were prettily decorated with assorted flowers.

Mrs. R. T. Adams won the high score prize and Mrs. C. W. Reed won the second.

After the playing delicious refreshments were served.

### DELIGHTFUL DANCE GIVEN

The weekly dance given the Officers' Club at the Polo club on last Friday evening was one of the most enjoyable dance held this year. This was the first dance given by the Officers' club at the Polo Club House and as this was so successful others will be held there during the summer.

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**MAJOR BAYLEY'S MOTHER**

Major Bayley received a telegram early in the week announcing the death of his mother. He and Mrs. Bayley left immediately for Florida to attend the funeral. The "News" extends sincerest sympathy.

**GONE TO R. I.**

Major and Mrs. Hardenberg and family have taken a cottage at Jamestown, R. I. for the summer. Mrs. Hardenberg and daughter Susan left last Monday for Jamestown where Major Hardenberg will join them in about ten days.

**THE RED BUGS ARE OUT**

Captain and Mrs. J. W. Elkins and family spent last Sunday in the woods and after a campers lunch they collected plums, blackberries and great quantities of nice little red bugs.

**SPENDING SUNDAY IN WOODS**

Col. and Mrs. McCaskey intend spending next Sunday in the woods.

**LIEUT. GANNON GONE**

Lieut. "Mike" Gannon who has from time to time given articles to the "News" for the entertainment of our readers left this week for Honolulu. Some of "Mike's" best remembered articles are the "Casualties are Interviewed" written during the maneuver and also his "Digest of Opinions" Tactical Studies and other equally as good. However Mike has promised to send us something from Honolulu and we know it is going to be good, especially if Mike gets seasick on the way over. Tell us about it Mike.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.**

Stonewall Lodge No. 25, meets 1st and 3rd Fridays.

R. E. Lee Lodge No. 51, meets 2nd and 4th Fridays, Moose Hall.

**NOTICE**

Knights of Columbus Bishop Gross Council No. 1019 meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcomed. Cor. 13th nnd Broad

**AMERICAN LEGION**

Chas. S. Harrison Post of American Legion will hold its regular monthly meeting at its club room over the Georgia Grocery on Tuesday June 12th at 8 p. m.

Prizes will be awarded for those securing the most memberships in the drive just completed.

A social program will follow the regular business meeting.

All members and new members in particular are urged to be present.

**FORT BENNING CHILDRREN'S SCHOOL**

**Financial Statement May 1 to June 1 Both Included**

**Tuition Fund**

| | |
|---|---|
| On hand May 1st | $000.00 |
| Received | 338.25 |
| Total | $338.25 |
| Expended | $338.25 |
| Balance on hand June 1st | $000.00 |

**Reduction Fund**

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|---|---|
| On hand May 1st | $160.48 |
| Received (Donated by Field Officer's Class | 44.00 |
| Total | $204.48 |
| Expended | $132.00 |
| Balance on hand June 1st | 72.48 |

**Equipment Fund**

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|---|---|
| On hand May 1st | $41.44 |
| Received | .90 |
| Pay for lost books, donated by Chaplain Lennan | 18.33 |
| Total | $60.67 |
| Expended | $00.00 |
| Balance on hand June 1st | $60.67 |

**All Funds**

| | |
|---|---|
| On hand May 1st | $$200.92 |
| Received | 401.48 |
| Total | $602.40 |
| Expended | $470.25 |
| Balance on hand June 1st | $132.15 |

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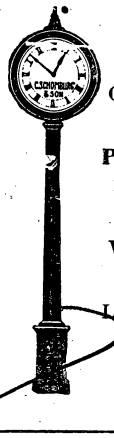

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## INFANTRY SCHOOL TRY-OUT FOR INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM.

The above group represents the enthusiasm and interest that marked the try-out for the candidates for the Infantry Rifle team who will be ordered to Fort Niagara for the official try-out there. The group includes representatives of the 29th Infantry, the 24th Infantry, and a great many regiments who were represented by certain officers who are student officers at the Infantry School. The results in this try-out proved to be very gratifying to the team officials, many of whom were present for the try-out.

Major Per Rameo, who is the captain for the 1923 team has been on duty as member of the Advanced class of the Infantry school. He was personally in charge of the Infantry School finals, as well as Captain Kneubel, who will be on duty with the team as coach. Many of the former team members who will be available for the team this year were present.

Information bulletin No. 3 shows the names of these former members at the head of the list at the close of the try-out, but the sand was flying to the finish, and many new names are found close to the top of the list. Members of regiments who have been on duty as student officers will stand on their scores made in the Infantry School try-out when the representatives from their own organizations are selected. On the other hand, there will be some selections made by the team captain at large from the list of high scores made in this try-out, irrespective of regimental connections.

## 24th INFANTRY BAND MAKES FAVORABLE IMPRESSION

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Tuesday by United States army officers at Camp Benning and gave WSB's twilight audience a brand of harmony like none they ever heard before.

The celebrated colored institutions of Muscogee county, were brought to Atlanta as one of the biggest features of Kiwanis week, and they paraded the city's streets, giving impromptu concerts.

The Twenty-fourth infantry band is the largest band in the United States army, and is one of the oldest. The organization is under the command of Colonel Benjamin P. Nicklin and is directed by sergeant majors. Their program Tuesday afternoon was arranged by Chaplain Rosenthal.

The famous colored bugle corps, from the Twenty-fourth infantry, the oldest colored regiment of infantry in the army, is the only bugle corps using the French Crooke system of bungling, used by Moroccan and French troops. Their numbers represented a rare type of musical harmony. The bugle corps is under the command of Colonel Nicklin, aided by Captain George S. Clark.

The third section of the twilight musical aggregation presented the thirty-voice chorus of colored singers, from Columbus, Ga., known far and wide as Dr. Taylor's Community Singers. The entire convoy was brought to Atlanta, by the only colored motor transport unit in the army, under the command of Captain Thaddeus C. Knight, of Camp Benning.

The radio concert was made possible through the interest of Captain Mahoney, of Ft. McPherson.

Numbers by the Twenty-fourth infantry band, were: "March Guiding Star," "Dancing Fool," "Say It While Dancing," "Three A. M.," "Carolina in the Morning," "Carolina Home" and "All Over Nothing At All."

Numbers by the Twenty-fourth infantry bugle corps were: "Over There," "Camp McGraff," and "Mr. Elesier Rag," and the Community chorus blended in perfect harmony in "Steal Away." "Study War No More" and "Rocks and Mountains."

## COMMENDATION FOR DEMONSTRATION TROOPS

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to express their appreciation to the officers and enlisted men at Fort Benning, who have, throughout the year given splendid practical demonstrations for the instruction of the class.

The spirit shown has been unusually excellent. Their morale during the maneuvers was exceptionally high and merits our commendation.

It is requested that the above, if it meets with the approval of the Commanding General, be announced to all concerned."

"Sgt. (John W. Heavey)
John W. Heavy, Col. Infantry Pres.
Sgt. (James V. Heidt)
James V. Heidt, Col. Infantry, Vice-Pres.
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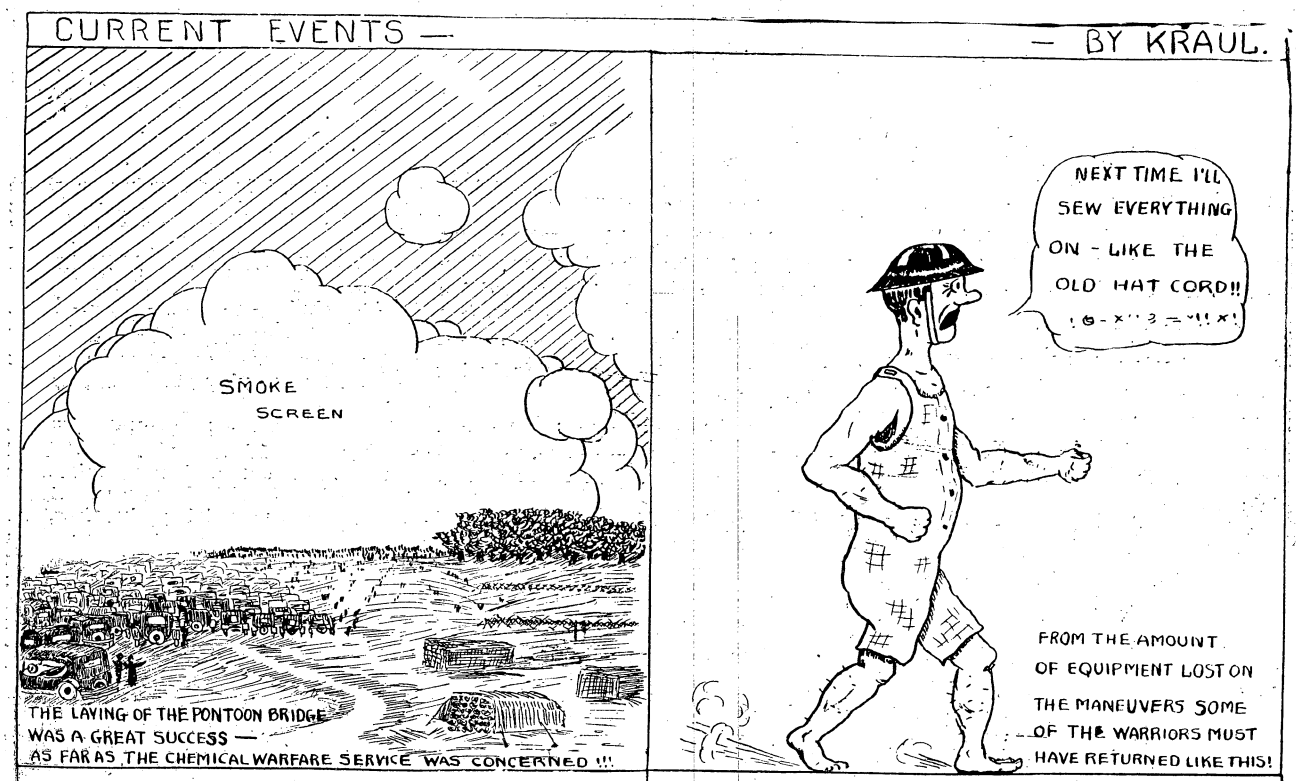


## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### Tut Again.

Old King Tut was a merry old nut
And a merry old nut was he;
You can shake his bones,
You can rattle his pate,
But you can't put life in.
The poor old skate.

### Tit For Tat.

An old "uncle" was burning off the top of the nut grass when a talkative stranger in these parts stopped to tell him: "Hey, you better stop burning that grass; if you don't it will be as black as you are."

"Never you mind, Mistah, jes you wait till next spring and dis grass will be jes as green as you is."

### Mr. Givney's Brother.

A committee of public spirited citizens approached Mr. Skinflint on the subject of getting money to put up a fence around the town graveyard. Mr. Skinflint told them in his most austere manner, "There is no need of a fence around a graveyard. Those who are in cannot get out and those who are out do not want to get in." And so the committee hopelessly departed.

### "T" Equals Tummy.

Evelyn was playing giving initials with the family one evening, the game being played a person gives an initial of something in sight and the rest of the group guess what word it stands for, such as "b" for box, etc. One evening Evelyn gave "t" and we guessed until we could not think of anything in the neighborhood, and finally had to give up. We asked her what word she was thinking of. She said, "T" stands for 'tummy!'"

### Rapid Fire.

In Philadelphia a Frenchman once visited an American whose home was in the city of brotherly love. They had an enjoyable time and the American treated his guest to everything available. On leaving, the Frenchman invited the Philadelphia to visit him in Paris, which invitation was gladly accepted so a little later the Frenchman was entertaining the American at his home in gay Paree. One course in a dinner was snails. The Philadelphian ate them and was so pleased he had three helpings. The Frenchman was delighted to have found something which so pleased his guest. He said: "But tell me, do you have snails in Philadelphia?" "Oh, yes, we have them, but we can't catch them."

### Which Do You Say?

Reggie: Is "pants" singular or plural?

Chollie: "Why, if a man wore them, I would say they were plural, but if he did not, I'd say it was-ah! deucedly singular, doncheknow.

Short skirts are now passe. Let's take up a collection to buy ruffle for Edna Wallace Hopper's skirt.

### Lacked Preparedness.

During a storm at sea, a bunch of gamblers began to fear that their last hour had come and they felt themsilves badly prepared to meet the Judge. One said: "Let's sing a hymn." But none of them knew any. "Well let's pray." But none knew how to pray. In desperation, the leader exclaimed "Well, men we've got to do something religious."

"Let's take up a collection." And so they did.

### Mabel Wants to Know.

If it is proper to say you manicure your fingernails, should you say you ladycure your toe nails?

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The honest opinions given by Student Officers are ordinarily unbiased. These opinions are ordinarily based on a comparison of existing conditions at this Station with conditions at their home Station or at Stations where they have been on duty in the past.

Since the close of the School year The Post Exchange at Fort Benning has been the recipient of a large number of letters, all of which have been highly commendatory, from former student officers. These officers and their wives, have shown their appreciation of the efforts of the personnel of The Post Exchange along the lines of service and efficiency by taking the time and trouble to write such letters during an interval when their time was taken up with the matter of packing and moving.

The fact that departing officers took this trouble is a certain indication that The Post Exchange at Fort Benning compares favorably with any Post Exchange in the Army.

At present the Post Exchange is slowly but surely getting to the place where the military personnel can purchase anything required by a family. If the Post Exchange does not happen to have the required article in stock it will get the article for its patrons. Considering the distance from Columbus and the difficulties existing in getting to the City the Post Exchange is one of the most valuable activities at Fort Benning.

Captain Moore, Lieut. Crawford, and their assistants have accomplished splendid results within the past six months and that their efforts are appreciated is shown by the numerous letters, mentioned in a foregoing paragraph, received recently.

## BENNING ROAD FAILING

The Columbus Ledger of May 31st contained the following editorial which we are reproducing for the benefit of those who have not had the opportunity of reading the article before.

It sure hits the nail square on the head and with the constant construction of quarters that is going on at this station and also the constantly improving purchasing facilities on the Post we will soon be at the point that we will go to Columbus only when we absolutely have to or when the roads are passable. The following is the editorial:

**"Continued rains are playing havoc with the roads of Muscogee county, particularly the highway to Fort Benning, where traffic is heavy. Conditions are intolerable.**

**Repair forces are doing the best they can, perhaps, under the circumstances. And this patch work is costing a lot of money, too, to be only temporary or "dry weather" road repairs.**

**What Muscogee county needs—and needs badly—is a system of paved highways similar to those that are advertising Macon, Atlanta, Augusta, Savannah and other progressive Georgia cities. And it ought to come. There is no good reason why Muscogee county should continue to lag behind, while the city of Columbus is making rapid strides forward.**

**First—and most important of all—the Benning road should be paved. As we have pointed out before, the fact that we have no modern highway to the Infantry School is a burning shame upon the community.**

**Suppose Fort Benning had been located nine—nineteen or twenty-nine—miles from Macon, or Atlanta. Wouldn't the military road have been paved years ago? Suppose our splendid Fort had been placed nine miles from Macon and nine from Columbus, with both cities rivals for the enormous trade. How long would we have hesitated, or argued the question of paving?**

**Columbus business interests have a gold mine in Benning, but they are not harvesting the crop because of a lack of picks. It is squarely up to Muscogee county to provide ways and means of reaching this gold through the establishment of a modern highway connecting the city with the camp, as we see it, and we trust that members of the county commission can see their way clear to act. We believe the people of both the city and county stand ready to back them up in approving of a bond issue to finance the needed project.**

**Columbus is suffering—has been suffering for three years—and local merchants and business folk, who went down in their own pockets for over $100,000 to secure and retain the Infantry School here, are entitled to some consideration. The present intolerable conditions will eventually divorce Columbus and Benning, unless definite action looking to improvement comes."**

## RRECREATING AT FORT BENNING

Recreational facilities at Fort Benning are not yet entirely adequate for a command of this size. The fact should be borne in mind, however, that this Post is a new one and that "Rome was not built in a day."

The interests of this station are kept in mind by The Adjutant General of the Army—who has supervision over Army recreation—as is indicated by a recapitualtion of the amount received for recreational purposes during the past three years.

The following amounts for the purposes shown have been received:

$80,951 for Service Clubs Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and the Post and 24th Infantry Swimming Pools.

$8,900 for the transportation of material for the new theatre and for the construction of the new theatre and gymnasium.

$3,207.50 for the new theatre.

These various amounts make a grand total of $93,058.50.

There is possibly not a better Service Club in the Army than Service Club No. 1 at Fort Benning. The new gymnasium will, when equipped, be one of the largest and best in the South while the Post Swimming Pool would be a credit to any city.

In time there will be funds sufficient to complete the new Post Theatre. When completed this station will have a theatre building exceeded, as far as can be determined, by but one theatre in the South. A theatre located in St. Petersburg, Florida.

The interest and the helpful attitude of The Adjutant General of the Army as shown by the funds furnished from those under his control is appreciated.

Judging from past experience other funds will be sent to this station for recreational purposes by The Adjutant General of the Army when available in the future.

Fort Benning will eventually be equipped with as complete recreational facilities as any station in the Army.

## NOTICE

Due to certain matters coming in at the last minute, certain pages had to be changed about for this issue.

## Kajolery Kolyum

The "News" realizes that a large number of officers who have been ordered away desire to sell their cars. The "News" is interested in seeing officers get as good a price as possible for their cars.

Will the party who, about 6 weeks ago, gave a package to Miss Bowman, head nurse, for a lady in the hospital please call 192 Ft. Benning.

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The "News" is now going to those officers who will compose next year's class. List your cars with the "News" and you may make a sale to an incoming officer. There is no charge for this service.

Should you decide to leave the car in storage until next year the "News" will at that time endeavor to sell it for you by carrying your ad, gratis.

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Captain A. A. Roby,
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FOR SALE—A Nash roadster, late 1922 model, driven 14,000 miles, in excellent mechanical condition. Attractive terms offered. Interested parties see Lieut. E. H. Snodgrass, Post Headquarters.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, excellent condition, Decker wheel, spare tire, foot excellerator, weed chains, etc. A real bargain to interested purchaser. See Captain J. R. Dinsmore or phone 34.

FOR SALE—Oakland roadster 1921 model, property of Lt. R. H. Bacon who left the post recently. Run only 12,000 miles. Recently had new oil proof piston rings, Gabriel snubbers and bumpers front and rear. Nickeled radiator, motometer and wings, spotlight, complete set of tools and three extra spark plugs, 1923 liscence. Five brand new tires (four Goodyear cords and 1 Hood) goes 18 miles to gal. of gas and 500 miles to gal. of oil. Motor quiet and powerful. Chassis and frame tight. No rattles or loose spring shackles in this car. Rides like a breeze. I will sell it as Lt. Bacon's agent for $300. Call me up for demonstration. Capt. C. Pickett, 83rd F. A. telephone home 372 and office 110.


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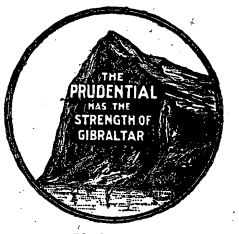


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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

**Tent Peg Puller**—The Infantry Board has considered a suggested tent peg puller designed with a view to preventing the breakage of tent pegs.

**Stacking Swivel**—A suggestion from a Sergeant in the Chief Infantry's office that the present stacking swivel are replaced by the French form has been considered by the Board.

**Tables of Equipment**—Tables of equipment for the Infantry Brigade have been compiled and forwarded to the Chief of Infantry.

**Ammunition For Training**—Suggestions have been forwarded concerning the minimum allowances of ammunition for small arms training to be adopted when our present war reserve has been used up or deteriorated. This reserve it is estimated will last about five years more.

**Fordson Tractors**—The Infantry Board considered a report on test of these tractors as to their suitability for adoption by the Service to replace animal transportation in posts, camps, garrisons and in the field.

**Sub-Caliber Tubes For 37 MM Gun:** The Board forwarded its recommendations as to a sub-caliber (caliber .22) tube for use in the 37-mm gun for instruction purposes.

**Goumarre Tripod**—The Board considered a model of this tripod which was submitted by an officer of the French Army.

**Marmite Can**—A model of a portable food container to be carried on the back of the soldier for transporting hot food in the field was considered and recommendations forwarded to the Chief of Infantry.

**Experimental Quartermaster Flashlight**—This flashlight was considered and recommendations were forwarded.

**Improvements In Infantry Pack**—The Board considered suggested improvements in the Infantry pack with reference to the carrying of the raincoat and intrenching tool.

**Straightened And Unstraightened Rifle Barrels**—From a report on test of these rifle barrels and information furnished by the Chief of Ordnance were considered by the Board and recommendation made.

**Communications Equipment**—Recommendations were forwarded by the Board for the dropping of certain articles of communications equipment from the Tables of Equipment.

**Methods of Testing**—Certain methods of testing students as adopted by the Signal School, with comments of various agencies of the Infantry School, were considered by the Board with a view to incorporating some of the methods in the Infantry School examinations and tests.

**Badge of Honor, Rifle Team**—The Board considered a scheme to stimulate interest in musketry work in the Infantry upon a suggestion of the Chief of Infantry that the regimental or battalion team making the highest score in musketry be designated as "The Chief of Infantry's Musketry Team."

**Battery Charging Plants**—The Board considered correspondence re-issuing of battery charging plants to various organizations.

**Histories of Organizations**—The Board considered recommendations of the Commanding Officer, 29th Infantry as to the method of compiling histories or organizations. The correspondence was forwarded to the Chief of Infantry again inviting attention to the views of the Infantry Board thereon as contained in letter Infantry Board to Chief of Infantry, July 5, 1921.

**Title For Officer Charged With Signal Communications**—The Board forwarded its recommendations regarding a suitable title or term for the designation of officers of all branches charged with signal communications.

## 11th INFANTRY IS HARD LUCK OUTFIT

**Suffering From Esprit de Corps.**

That the Eleventh Infantry is a hard luck outfit is evident from despatches received by the News within the past few days. This regiment seems to be able to do nothing competitive without winning. The case is difficult to diagnose but it is believed that this outfit is suffering from that rare disease commonly known as "Esprit de Corps."

As a concrete example of some of the things this regiment accomplishes in time of peace, during the past year the Eleventh Infantry has a record of 100 per cent qualification for machine gun firing; they bemoan their hard luck because the regimental general average for rifle marksmanship is but 96.02 per cent; they won the Fifth Corps Area polo championship; they won the greatest number of points in the corps area horse show; they won the corps area baseball championship and horsemanship trophy; they won the markmanship cup; they won the greatest number of points in the corps area field meet. If this regiment has won anything else it was not reported.

The Eleventh Infantry has as enviable a war record for all wars in which this country has been engaged since 1861 as it has a peace time record. The regiment was cited in orders overseas for capturing a difficult position known as the Bois de Rappes—after two other regiments had falied, and it took an active part in forcing the crossing of the Meuse River which feat was made the subject of a citation by General Pershing. This regiment was reported to have been the furthest advanced in enemy territory, geographically, of any unit in the A. E. F. on the day of the Armistice.

The Army needs more "hard luck" outfits.

## 29th Infantry News Notes

### COMPANY "E" TWENTY-NINTH INFANTRY

Co. "E" just about holds the record for Company Commanders. We made three changes in the last week. Lieut. Duvall was relieved and assigned to duty with the Infantry in the Hawaiian Islands. Capt. Jno. S. Moore was assigned to the Co. but went on a 45 day leave and Lieut Gailey is taking command until the Capt. returns. The Co. was very sorry to see Lieut. Duvall leave because he certainly was a good Company Commander.

The Regimental Baseball season is over and Co. "E" stands up close to the top. In the last seven games we have not been defeated. For the season we won 8 games and lost three. Everything the Regiment starts Co. "E" is either first or a darn good second.

It looks like the bolo squad is going to turn in 100 per cent qualification on the range. Everybody is getting in the old bull's eye except the Supply Sgt. and he claims that he made a good score once in the old country (England

Cpl. New decided to take on for three more so he could help Dad wear out his new cribbage board. Of course that suits Dad because if he can't beat New he will give the board to the cooks for fire wood.


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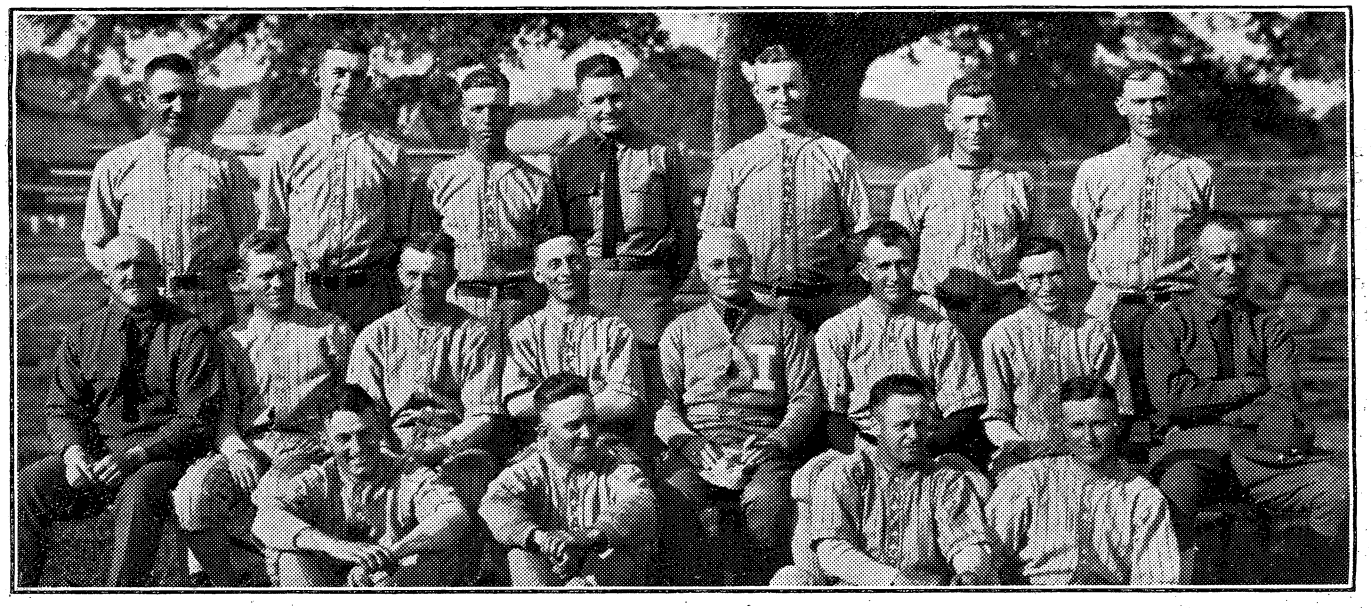
# INFANTRY BASEBALL TEAM 1923



Top Row, left to right—McNutt, Parris, Hess, Leman (Manager), Kgelstrom, Davis, Yon.
Middle Row, left to right—Nelson (sick list), McCarty, Hutchinson, Hannah (Coach), Fountain (Captain), MacMullin, Milburn, Mellon (sick list).
Bottom Row, left to right—Olmstead, Nichols, Whitesides, Honnen.

## RESULTS BY GAMES—INFANTRY SCHOOL BASEBALL SEASON

| | |
|---|---|
| Games won | 14 |
| Games lost | 8 |
| Games tied | 2 |
| Percentage | .636 |

### Runs Scored

| | |
|---|---|
| Infantry | 143 |
| Opponents | 97 |

Infantry 8, Piedmont college 0.
Infantry 18, Piedmont college 3.
Infantry 6, Auburn (Ala. Poly) 7.
Infantry 7, Auburn (Ala. Poly) 2.
Infantry 3, Georgia University 4.
Infantry 3, Georgia University 2.
Infantry 0, Auburn (Ala. Poly) 1.
Infantry 6, Auburn (Ala. Poly) 0.
Infantry 6, Gordon Institute 3.
Infantry 9, Gordon Institute 9.
Infantry 7, Ga. Military Col. 6.
Infantry 6, Ga. Military College 4.
Infantry 7, North Georgia Aggies 0.
Infantry 5, North Georgia Aggies 4.
Infantry 3, Cumberland University 5.
Infantry 4, Cumberland University 4.
Infantry 1, Vanderbilt University 5.
Infantry 1, Vanderbilt University 6.
Infantry 6, Howard College 6.
Infantry 3, Howard College 6.
Infantry 10, Florida University 2.
Infantry 9, Florida University 5.
Infantry 3, Oglethorpe University 10.
Infantry 12, Oglethorpe University 6.

### Batting Averages

| Names— | AB. | H. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fountain, 2d base | 76 | 31 | .408 |
| Milburn, catcher | 70 | 28 | .400 |
| McNutt, pitcher | 15 | 6 | .400 |
| Davis, Tracy, pitcher | 31 | 10 | .323 |
| MacMullin, 3rd base | 54 | 17 | .315 |
| Nelson, 1st base | 67 | 20 | .299 |
| Parris, outfield | 41 | 12 | .293 |
| Kgelstrom, outfield | 80 | 23 | .288 |
| Honnen, shortstop | 57 | 16 | .283 |
| Yon, outfield | 71 | 19 | .268 |
| Olmstead, outfield | 45 | 12 | .267 |
| McCarty, ctcher | 28 | 7 | .250 |
| Hutchinson, pitcher | 20 | 5 | .250 |
| Whitesides, pitcher | 12 | 2 | .167 |
| Davis, E. C., outfield | 21 | 3 | .143 |
| Team average | | | .290 |

### Fielding Averages

| Name— | PO. | A. | E. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Heckert, outfield | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Finnessey, pitcher | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Kgelstrom, o.f.-1st base | 61 | 6 | 1 | .986 |
| Nelson, 1st base | 218 | 2 | 4 | .983 |
| Milburn, catcher | 84 | 19 | 5 | .954 |
| Fountain, 2nd base | 49 | 80 | 7 | .949 |
| Davis, T. E., pitcher | 6 | 20 | 2 | .929 |
| Whitesides, pitcher | 1 | 16 | 2 | .895 |
| McCarty, c-ss. | 34 | 13 | 7 | .871 |
| Yon, outfielder | 38 | 1 | 6 | .861 |
| Olmstead, outfielder | 10 | 2 | 2 | .857 |
| MacMullin, 3rd base | 21 | 22 | 8 | .844 |
| McNutt, pitcher | 2 | 8 | 2 | .834 |
| Honnen, ss-o. f. | 45 | 54 | 16 | .832 |
| Hutchinson, pitcher | 2 | 14 | 4 | .800 |
| Davis, E. C., outfield | 8 | 0 | 2 | .800 |
| Parris, outfield | 6 | 5 | 4 | .734 |
| Team average | | | | .890 |

### Pitching Averages

| Name— | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Finnessey | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Davis | 6 | 2 | .750 |
| McNutt | 2 | 1 | .666 |
| Whitesides | 2 | 1 | .666 |
| Hutchinson | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Jones | 0 | 1 | .000 |

# STRIBLING WINS OVER DARCY

### American Legion Stages Successful Bouts

Last Monday evening at the Driving Park in Columbus the American Legion staged one of the best boxing bouts ever held in this section of the country.

The main affair of the evening was between Young Stribling of Macon and Jimmy Darcy of Portland, Oregon, hailed as the champion middleweight of the Pacific coast.

Darcy, having met such men as Tom Gibbons, Jack Dempsey, and others of the best, in exhibition bouts and never having been knocked out by either of the men named, was touted as having an easy win over Stribling. The dope was upset. For the first time we had the opportunity locally of seeing Stribling meet a top notcher and the crowd was agreeably surprised to see the nineteen year old youngster not only hold up his end but carry the fighting to the other fellow. Stribling won on points, although he refused a decision on a foul in the eighth round.

Stribling is still a youngster but he showed last Monday night that he is a finished boxer. He has developed rapidly during the past two years and by the time he is twenty-one he will probably be a heavy weight. He will also have acquired the muscle necessary to put across a knock out. While the prediction is not going to be made at this time that he will eventually be in Jack Dempsey's class and take his crown away from him at the same time we hold to the opinion that at the proper time Stribling will give Dempsey an interesting session for a few rounds. If this scrap should be staged Stribling would stay the limit, unless he loses his speed, for the very good reason that Dempsey could not hit him.

With the exception of the Peck-Wallace go all the bouts were first rate. This affair ended too quickly. Peck put his man away by the k. o. route in one minute and five seconds. Peck's work during the short time he was in the ring showed a remarkable improvement after his temporary slump of last summer.

Sebukaty, Fourth Corps Area middleweight champion, who hails from Fort Benning, met Burman, a heavyweight from Cordele, Ga., in what was expected to prove a slugfest. It was, for one round, and at times during this round it looked like the twenty pound advantage held by the big blond fellow from Cordele was going to count against Sebukaty. In the second frame however, Sebukaty staggered his man with a body blow and followed this up with a right jab to the jaw. The button was touched and Burman went out for several minutes.

The opening bout for the evening probably proved almost as interesting to the crowd as the main go. In this go Boots Antley of Columbus met Jordan Shepherd of Macon. Antley flashed to fame a short time ago when he knocked out the hard hitting little M. P., Athens, from Fort Benning. Last Monday night he put up the fight of his career and gained the decision over Shepherd in ten rounds. At least on two occasions during this affair it looked like Antley had Shepherd in trouble but Antley failed to follow up his advantage and the affair went the limit. With proper handling Antley can correct his few faults and develope into a scrapper who will give most of the youngsters in his class a hectic time.

The local chapter of the American Legion is to be congratulated on its last card. Such affairs will put boxing on a firm status in this section.

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## THE INFANTRY SCHOOL

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captains and lieutenants of the Regular Army.

Before the school work begins the students officers are organized into companies with their own company commander, platoon, section, squad leaders and guides. The discipline is necessarily very exacting and any infringements thereof are severely dealt with.

The school proper is organized into two departments—The Department of Military Art and The Department of General Subjects.

The Department of Military Art is divided into four distinct sections:

First Section—deals with Tactics.

Second Section—Musketry, Rifle Marksmanship. Pistol Marksmanship, Automatic Rifle Work, Bayonet, Grenades, and Sand Table Work.

Third Section—Machine Guns, One-pounder and Light Mortar.

Fourth Section—Map Reading, Sketching, Field Fortifications and Panoramic Sketching.

The Department of General Subjects is organized into three sections:

First Section—Military History.

Second Section—Equitation, Hippology and Care and Use of Means of Transportation.

Third Section—Athletics and Physical Training.

In addition to the school and of invaluable assistance thereto we have at Benning, the Infantry Board. The purpose of the Board is to consider such subjects pertaining to Infantry as may be referred to it, and to originate recommendations looking toward the improvement of the Infantry. The Infantry Board has as its practical section the Department of Experiment which furnished the Board with comprehensive data to aid it in making recommendations for the adoption, rejection, adaptation or development of equipment, weapons, etc., for Infantry use.

The Infantry School has many functions. It experiments with Infantry weapons and tactics, and tests innovations by actual demonstrations and by checking them against weapons and tactics of the past. No profession is more variable, requires more constant study, experimentation and research than the profession of arms has come to require, and of no branch of the service is this more true than of the Infantry. At The Infantry School the most recent developments in teaching, technique and tactics are perfected and are disseminated to the Service through the graduates of the Infantry School, who make the pilgrimage to Fort Benning.

These very activities and other natural advantages serve to make the Fort itself unusually attractive. At no other post are varying phases of military life so well portrayed and so completely represented as here. In former days a soldier could have spent his entire Army life from first enlistment to retirement without having realized so well as does the newest Benning recruit how interesting and diversified are the component parts of a modern army. It is impossible for monotony to enter the life of a soldier here, and no matter how long his assignment at this post he can never say, "It is the same stuff all over again," nor can he imagine that being a soldier consists of a daily and dreary repretition of "squads right and left." Whatever be the nature of the unit he joins, before long he learns the utmost of the combat variations prescribed for that branch of the Service. Even this is rarely possible at other posts on account of lack of sufficient personnel, space or equipment.

Not one but at least a dozen distinct branches of the Service have some of their most efficient and best equipped units stationed at the Infantry School, and a soldier by a peace-time enlistment in any one of these branches learns, by observation of the activities of others, more than was formerly possible even in time of war. The incentive for soldiers to learn and the tendency to reward those who do is in the very atmosphere of this post, founded as it was for the purpose of military instruction and the professional improvement of officers. At no smaller camp can an ambitious soldier find so wide a variety of congenial specialties in which to perfect himself, or such great facilities for instruction, or opportunities for advancement. Length of service is by no means a controlling factor in the promotion of capable men and some of the highest paid and most responsible positions which enlisted men could be called upon to fill are occupied at the Infantry School by soldiers of comparatively brief experience, who have been disposed to take advantage of this post's unparalled opportunities for selfimprovement.

Physically the Infantry School is approaching an appearance of completion and permanency. This factor means much in the social life of the soldier. The officers of various organizations vie with each other in the comforts and accommodations which the equipment of these organizations can afford to the men in their care. A well furnished recreation hall has a place in nearly every company area, and musical instruments, reading matter, billiard tables, etc., are the invariable appointments. All organizations maintain athletic teams, and prizes of enduring value are always awarded league winners in any sport. The Varsity team of the Infantry School, composed of officers and men most efficient in athletics, have established a reputation as good as any standard college.

Hunting, fishing, and swimming are available for those who prefer such diversions and the southern climate renders outdoor exercises practical all times of the year. "Snow-bound" was never written of Fort Benning. Polo now has a very important place in the athletic program. Most units at the Fort have their own teams, and one does not have to stretch his imagination to picture the existing friendly rivalry between them. Equitation is one of the most desired means of recreation due to the 97,000 acres of varied terrin which permits of innumerable rides. As a result of the excellent facilities for these pleasures, Benning is developing not only a few of the best polo players in the Army but some of the best riders (both male and female) in the country.

On February 12, we began the season of the National pastime, baseball. We are in the finest baseball community in this country. The Infantry School team is one of the best teams in the South and yearly arranges games with the big league clubs who train in this locality, as well as all the leading southern universities. The organization teams are almost on a par with the School team and their league leadership is always hotly contested. Everybody turns out to these games with much enthusiasm. Our Infantry School Detachment team is composed of the best soldier ball players in the land and every day some "would-be" ball player is trying to transfer or enlist in this outfit. Last year they went through the season's schedule without defeat although they were pressed on a few occasions with 16 and 18-inning engagements before proving their supremacy.

For the ball player Fort Benning is the most desirable post in the Army. We doubt whether we can squeeze in more players but we always guarantee to make room for more fans. Every afternoon of the week, Sundays included, there is a game and the admission to them all is your presence in uniform. Of course when you tire of watching the games, or "Ole Sol" is getting the best of you, there is the swimming pool, which, by the way, is one of the largest artificial pools in the country, to which one can go to cool off.

Fort Benning's pioneer days, when more or less discomfort was to be expected due to lack of those conveniences which only permanency can bring, are nearly over. A brick Service Club for enlisted men, permanent quarters for officers, an unexcelled commissary and post exchange, an efficient laundry and a modern ice plant are only a few of the many new appurtenances this favored post has recently received. Incidentally Fort Benning is one of the few Army stations on which Congress is still spending money for improvements. No young man desirous of Army life could indulge this desire amid more pleasant, inspiring surroundings than he will find at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga. That this reputation is fast spreading is attested by the records of the Adjutant General's office where hundreds of requests are received from officers and men all over the Army for station in this attractive southern post.

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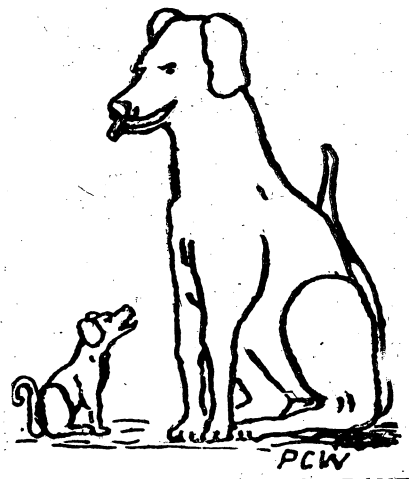


## CALCULATOR AND GREAT DANE.

"Calculator" said the Great Dane, "we are in trouble," "How come?" replied the wise one, (you know, like most wise ones Calculator was raised a Cracker, and he thinks "how come" is real language, and the Dane explained that they are being paid on enormous salary of bones for their weekly report of conferences, in which the affairs of men are discussed. He said: "we can choose our own subjects and there is the trouble, we can't talk about the Big Gs, because we don't know enough about them, and I don't think they appreciate dogs anyway. We can't talk about Columbus because we know too much about it and the road leading there to and besides, that is rough stuff to talk about. We can't talk about the Post because we have too many friends here and really we can't bite the hands that feed us, for that would be a dog's trick, we can't talk about our wives because we haven't any, and as for sweethearts," and the Dame wiped way a tear "the M. P.'s take them all to the Veterinarian for a humane end, and we can't talk after the end, can we?" and Calculator sadly admitted that the end is the end, that's all there is there isn't any more. And then he had a real thought, a dog's thought, "we will talk about automobiles, for they all need talking about occasionally," and as the Great Dane had taken a ride yesterday in his fliver with his friend Calculator he said to his Buddy, "we have some good rules for driving our fliver," and the Calculator said: "What are they?" "Listen oh wise one; on meeting another flivver, give half the road. The driver will appreciate it. Same applies to Overlands. On meeting Dodges, give two-thirds of the road, on meeting cars larger than Dodges, give three quarters of the road, on meeting Cadillacs, Lincolns, etc. Give all the road. Exceptions: On meeting any car driven by a woman or a Lieutenant, take to the ditch or climb a tree, safty first," and Calculator admitted they are good rules, "but you know they won't work out," and the Dane sadly said, "yes, oh Oracle that is so, most of the cars out here must be drive nby women and Lieutenants because we were in a ditch or up a tree most of the time." Further the wise one sayeth not.

## LANIER HIGH SCHOOL COMES UP

Lanier High School located at Macon, Ga., has been doing some excellent work during the past year as regards the R. O. T. C. unit for we note that they have been announced as an "Honor High School" under provision of paragraph 87, Special Regulations No. 44, part I.

This indicates that not only the regular army officers details as professors of military science and tactics were doing hard work but that the student body gave their whole hearted support and co-operated with the officers so detailed. When this spirit of get-to-gether gets in the air something is bound to be accomplished and Lanier High sure did the trick th s year.

## BAND CONCERT SCHEDULE

Band concerts will be given on the dates and at the places indicated below, between the hours of 6 and 7 p. m., by the bands of the 29th Infantry and 24th Infantry.

**29th Infantry**

| Date | Place |
|---|---|
| June 4, | Commanding General. |
| June 6, | Hospital. |
| June 11, | Hospital. |
| June 13, | Block 19 (x) |
| June 18, | Block 18 (x) |
| June 20, | Hospital. |
| June 25, | Hospital. |
| June 27, | Block 15. |
| July 2, | Hospital. |
| July 4, | Commanding General. |
| July 9, | Hospital. |
| July 11 | Block 23 (x) |
| July 16, | Hospital. |
| July 18, | Block 18 (x) |
| July 23, | Hospital. |
| July 25, | Block 19 (x) |
| July 30, | Hospital. |
| August 1, | Commanding General. |
| August 6, | Hospital. |
| August 8, | Block 15. |
| August 13, | Hospital. |
| August 15, | Block 23 (x) |
| August 20, | Hospital. |
| August 22, | Block 19 (x) |
| August 27, | Hospital. |
| August 29, | Block 18 (x) |
| September 3, | Hospital. |
| September 5, | Commanding General. |
| September 10, | Hospital. |
| September 12, | Block 15. |
| September 17, | Hospital. |
| September 19, | Block 18 (x) |
| September 24, | Hospital. |
| September 24, | Block 23 (x) |

**24th Infantry**

| Date | Place |
|---|---|
| June 12, | Hospital. |
| June 14, | Block 23 (x) |
| June 19, | Hospital. |
| June 21, | Com. General (x) |
| June 26, | 24th Married Area. |
| June 28, | Hospital. |
| July 3, | Block 19 (x) |
| July 5, | Hospital. |
| July 10, | Tank Area. |
| July 12, | Hospital. |
| July 17, | 24th Married Area. |
| July 19, | Hospital. |
| July 24, | Commanding General (x) |
| July 26, | Hospital. |
| July 31, | Block 15 (x) |
| August 2, | Hospital. |
| August 7, | Block 23 (x) |
| August 9, | Hospital. |
| August 14, | Block 19 (x) |
| August 16, | Hospital. |
| August 21, | Tank Area. |
| August 23, | Hospital. |
| August 28, | Commanding General (x) |
| August 30, | Hospital. |
| September 4, | Block 15 (x) |
| September 6, | Hospital. |
| September 11, | Tank Area. |
| September 13, | Hospital. |
| September 18, | Block 23 (x) |
| September 20, | Hospital. |
| September 25, | Block 19 (x) |
| September 27, | Hospital. |

(x) Indicates transportation will be furnished the band.

## OTHERS HAVE SAID.

There are many rare abilities in the world that fortune never seem to bring to light.

Absence of occupation is not rest.

He who abuses others must not be particular about the answer that he gets.

He who holds the ladder is as bad as the thief.

A man finds himself seven years older the day after his marriage.

A deaf husband and a blind wife are always a happy couple.

When a man marries he ties a knot with his tongue that he can't untie with his teeth.

Go to it Lanier and may you be able to hold the place that you have just won.

## THE MARINE MIRACLE

The Marne Miracle, by Col. William K. Naylor, U. S. Army, Washington. The U. S. Infantry Association. Cloth, 12 Mo., 190 Pages. Price $1.50.

Col. William K. Naylor, the author of The Marne Miracle, is now Assistant Chief of Staff G-2 (Military Information), U. S. Army, and recognized as the foremost military strategist and student of Military History and its application to the principles of war.

During the war Col. Naylor served as Chief of Staff of a Division (33 National Guard Division from Illinois) and Chief of Staff of the 9th Army Corps. His present detail in the War Department is as one of the assistants to General Pershing.

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1. Why do the French call the Battle of the Marne a miracle? Why do the Germans refer to it as a tragedy?
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3. What was the German plan of Campaign? Was it that proposed by Von Schlieffen? Was it Von Moltke's? Was it a combination of the two?
4. What were France's plans for the war with Germany? Were they offensive or defensive at the outset?
5. Did the stand made by the Belgians at Liege save France?
6. Did Germany rush over defenseless Belgium in overwhelming numbers? Who were the stronger, the Germans or the Allies at this time?
7. What prevented the Battles of Mons and Charleroi from being complete German triumphs?
8. Were the British wiped out at Le Cateau? Did they stop Von Kluck?
9. Was Von Kluck responsible for the loss of the Battle of the Marne?
10. Why did the Germans fall back? Who is responsible for the order to retreat? Was it Foch's attack at Fere Champenoise?
11. Who was Von Hentsch? What part did he play in the orders for the German retreat?
12. Why did Germany lose?

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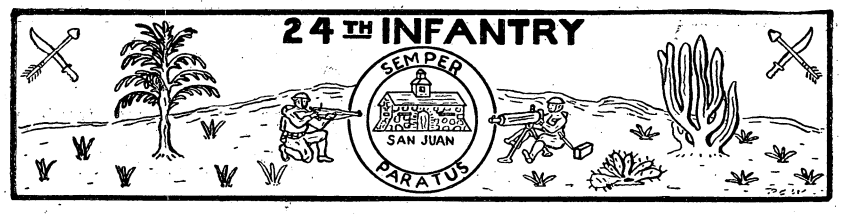


### Personnel Notes

In the past week the regiment has had opportunity to welcome a number of new officers assigned for duty. Incident to the close of the Infantry School term, several officers have joined the organization.

Among those assigned as of June 1st are Captain George I. Cross, Captain Edward E. Walker, Captain Orlen N. Thompson, Captain William C. Hanna, First Lt. Loyd Inman, First Lieut. Reuben E. Jenkins, First Lieut. Henry H. Fay, First Lieut. Robert Sanders and First Lieut. Ed P. Lukert.

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Captain Irwin H. Engleman has reported to the regiment and has gone on leave. Captain Thomas F. Bresnahan and 1st Lieut Eddie Maling departed via motor for New England to spend a two months leave. They will rejoin their families at the end of their trip.

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Captain John H. Knuebel, Captain C. McC Lyons, Captain John S. Schwab, and 1st Lieut. L. V. Jones have been placed on the unassigned list within the regiment and have departed for Fort Niagara, N. Y. to participate in the Infantry try-out for the Rifle team and the international matches to be held at Camp Perry, Ohio in September. Captain Knuebel goes as a team official, and the others as representatives of the 24th Infantry at the tryout.

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The following new assignments to companies have been made: "A" Co., 1st Lieut. E. P. Lukert. "B" Co., 1st Lieut. W. A. Stetler. "C" Co., Captain G. I. Cross. "D" Co., Captain E. E. Walker. "H" Co., 1st Lieut. L. V. Carter. "K" Co., Captain O. N. Thompson. "L" Co., Captain William C. Hanna and 1st Lieut. Robert Sanders. "I" Company, 1st Lieut H. H. Fay. "M" Co., 1st Lieut. Loyd Inman. "Service" Co., 1st Lieut. R. E. Jenkins.

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### Service Co.

The band returned from Atlanta last Thursday where they made a great hit.

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Our company clerk, "Flashlight" Boyd, who in addition to being a clerk is also quite a handy man with the gloves, had his picture appear in The Social Register of Montgomery, Ala., last week. We wonder where he got his pull to get his picture in the papers.

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Lieut. Jenkins, recently of The Infantry School, joined the company June 1st, while Lieut. Carter who has been with the company for some time was transfered out to take command of Co. "H."

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The entire company, less the many details we have to furnish is now undergoing instructions preliminary to going on the range. Some few men have completed their firing and from all indications the company will finish with a good record.

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### Company "A"

Company "A" 24th Infantry so far has qualified every man that has fired the record course, and balance of the men in Co. "A" are confident they can qualify.

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Our first Sgt, fell down below his average. We know he can shoot but he just forgot to do the things that he preaches every day, take windage right or left when needed, raise or lower elevation, dull day raise elev. bright day lower elevation and several other points that make the score. We are sorry but its too late now. Practice what you preach is all I can tell you.

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Cpl. Henderson "Abe Chappy" we hail you as our first expert. Now you know what is meant by holding and squeezing. Not long ago you said as long as you could qualify as M. M. you were satisfied, but I understand why you said that. It was because you had never applied the holding and steady squeeze system.

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### Company "I"

Company "I" has lost to Company "B" 1st Lieut., W. A. Stetler, who has been with us since August, 1922. We all regret to lose this efficient and genial officer. However we wish him much success and we congratulate "B" Company on its good fortune in having Lieut. Stetler assigned there. We also note that Lieut. Stetler has taken over the recruit center and we know that soon the recruits will execute marching's, facings and manual, etc., with precision and perfect cadence. For Lo' who can instill cadence like the "Cadence King"?

1st Lieut. Henry H. Fay, The Eloquent Orator of Fort Benning, comes to relieve 1st Lieut. Stetler. He is from the Infantry School and has been at Benning since 1920.

Sergeant Charles Butler, has gone on a 60 days furlough to get married, he says that every one must enjoy life in their early days.

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### Heard At Inspection

1st Sgt. "Doc Williams" where are your shoes? I see that you are charged with three pairs D. W. "Yes Sir, I got on a pair and two pair in the laundry."

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1st Sgt. "Sam Parker." What in the world are you trying to do for Port Arms?

S. P. "Well Top, I put three in the Navy, I thought I would start Starboard Arms."

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Company "I" baseball team challange any team in the regiment for a series of three games. Bar none. Any picked team or any company team. See Private Pete Strode, the Colonel's chauffeur.

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Pvt. lcl. Mathew Dawson, raised his right meat grabber and taken on three more. He says when he left the recruiting office, Sol Winn was asking the Recruiting Officer could he enlist the same day he was put out.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## 24th INFANTRY CONTINUES THEIR CONSISTENT WINNING

Three straight games in the past week added two more victories to the long string of uninterrupted wins. On June 1st and 2nd, the Auburn, Ala., team played two games on the 24th Infantry diamond, resulting in a 17 to 4 score in the first game and a 15 to 2 defeat in the second. In both games the local nine played their usual superior type of baseball and won easily.

On June third the Birmingham team played a game that stood above the usual ball games in interest and entertainment for the spectators. The score board divided the steady gaze of all with the playing of both teams, for in the third inning the score was 4 to 3 in favor of the visitors. The next four innings were fruitless until the last half of the seventh when the 24th gathered together their combined strength and rushed five runs over the home plate. This gave a 100 per cent lead in the score of 8 to 4, and after the eight inning passed without scores by either team, the end of the game seemed to be a mere matter of the usual first half of the 9th. When the dust cleared after the third out the score board revealed the fact that four runs had tied the score.

A costly error at 2nd base and center *field let* two runs in and left one on third base. A pop fly, a passed ball and another hit produced two more perfectly good digits that formed a hangman's scafford for the unlucky soldiers. With this advantage, the visiting team clanked out enough hits and jammed in three runs in the tenth inning which were not matched when the 24th boys came to bat. Score 11 to 8.

**Auburn, First Game.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Auburn | 201 000 010— | 4 | 9 | 4 |
| 24th Inf. | 401 212 07x—17 | 27 | 3 | |

Batteries: Auburn, Harvey-Brown, 24th Inf. Leonard-Thomas. Struck out by Harvey 3, by Leonard 9.

Three home runs, 3 3base hits, two 2-base hits, 2 double plays.

**Auburn, Second Game.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Auburn | 010 001 000— | 2 | 11 | 4 |
| 24th Inf. | 110 236 02x—15 | 21 | 5 | |

Batteries: Auburn, Drake-Linnens, 24th Inf., Seats-Thomas. Struck out by Drake 4, by Seats 6.

Three home runs, four 3-base hits, one 2-base hits, two double plays.

**Birmingham Game.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Birmingham | 022 000 004 3—11 | 12 | 4 | |
| 24th Inf. | 300 000 500 0— | 8 | 17 | 8 |

Batteries: Birmingham, Guran-Williams, 24th Inf. Haywood-Thomas. Struck out by Guran, 5; Haywood, 5.

Three home runs, one 3-base hit, two 2-base hits, one double play.

**Next Games to be June 14th and 15th.**

The Memphis Red Sox will play the 24th Infantry on June 14th and 15th on the local diamond. All who enjoy seeing high grade baseball are cordially invited.

## I. S. D. IS VICTOR OVER TANKS

### Wins Initial Game In New League At Fort Benning—Wants Games With Teams In Ga. and Ala.

The Infantry School Detachment defeated the fast Tank Corps team Sunday afternoon in the first game of the season in the American League by the score of 8 to 1. Lindsey, of the Tanks, struck out the first three men to face him after the Tanks had been retired in order, while McNutt whiffed two in the first stanza. It looked as though it was going to be a pitchers battle and it was for the first four frames, then Lindsey's defense weakened and with bunched hits the I. S. D. soon put the game on cold storage. Lindsey struck out eleven while McNutt caused fourteen of the Tankers to get a drink of water.

McCarty, was the hitting star, garnering three safeties out of four trips, Bennett tripled while Wheeler, who, replaced Dausch in left field in the seventh hit a home run. Whenever the Tauks are able to play real ball in the field and with Lindsey in the box they will be a hard proposition for any team, for it is a cinch that "Old Red" cannot win a ball game by himself.

This is the 6th consecutive victory for Lt. Buracker's charges including five practice games with various teams at the Post. With a little more polishing the club will be ready for any first class team in the states of Georgia and Alabama. Clubs desiring games wire or write Sgt. J. M. Wheeler, I. S. D. Fort Benning, Ga. The box score follows:.

| I. S. D. | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Waller, rf. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dausch, lf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Wheeler, lf. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwin, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Heckert, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Hodges, cf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarty, c. | 4 | 2 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Bennett, 2b. | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Hyland, ss. | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| McNutt, p. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 35 | 8 | 10 | 27 | 7 | 1 |

| TANKS | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bitzell, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Dennis, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Swantic, 1b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Hitchcock, cf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Bryant, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Bowe, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Randell, rf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lindsey, p. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Maynard x. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 29 | 1 | 2 | 24 | 9 | 4 |

Score by innings:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 010 021 13x—8 | 10 | 1 | |
| Tanks | 000 000 100—1 | 2 | 4 | |

Summary:

xMaynard hit for Dennis i nthe 9th.

Earned runs: I. S. D. 4.

Home runs: Wheeler.

Three base hit: Bennett.

Stolen base: McNutt.

Bases on balls: off McNutt 1; Lindsey 1.

Struck out: By McNutt 14; by Lindsey 11.

Time of game: One hour and 55 minutes.

## TOMMY MILTON WINS 500 MILE RACE

### Durant Motor Cars Shows Up

Tommy Milton proved to the world that it is possible for one driver to win the International 500 mile classic more than once when he again and for the second time was the winner at Indianapolis.

The really remarkable thing about this race was that of the winners, five cars were Durant Specials. Of the twenty-three cars that were entered eight were Durant Specials. The winner was an H. C. Stutz Special, but there were two entered so on a percentage bases the Durant showed up better than the Stutz, as the 2nd Stutz was not among the 8 winners. There was only 1 Barber-Warneck entered and it won the fifth place. Other makes that were entered were Packard Specials-two; Bugatti-five; Mercedes-three; Miller Special-one; Dosenberg-one.

The following is a list of the winners with the name of the drivers and the make of cars:

1. Tommy Milton H. C. Stutz Special 5:28:06.27; average 91.44.
2. Harry Hartz—Durant Special 5:33:05.90; average 90.06.
3. Jimmy Murphy—Durant Special 5:40:36.64; average 88.08.
4. Earl Cooper—Durant Special 5:46:14.23; average 86.65.
5. L. L. Corum—Barber-Warnock 6.03:16.8; average 82.58.
6. Frank Elliott—Durant Special 6:04:52.87; average, 82.22.
7. Eddie Herne—Durant Special 6:05:06.30; average, 82.17.
8. Max Sailer—Mercedes Special 6:11:49.60; average, 80.68.

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**Patronize the Advertisers in The News.**


# NEW BUS SCHEDULE

## Effective Monday, June 4th

| Leave City | Leave The Post |
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| 5 A. M. | 6 A. M. |
| 6 A. M. | 8 A. M. |
| 7 A. M. | 10 A. M. |
| 9 A. M. | 12 Noon |
| 11 A. M. | 2 P. M. |
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| 3 P. M. | 5 P. M. |
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| 5 P. M. | 8 P. M. |
| 7 P. M. | 10 P. M. |
| 9 P. M. | 12 P. M. |
| 11 P. M. | 12:40 A. M. |
| 12 P. M. | |
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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday. 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

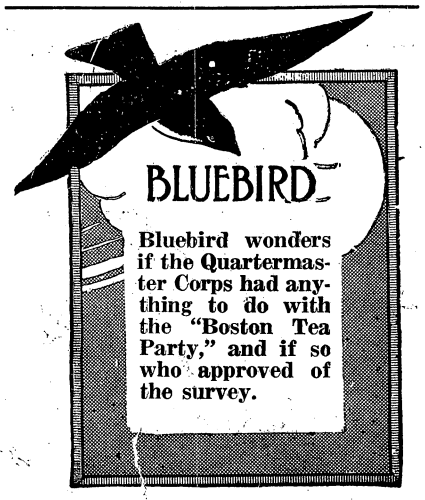
Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

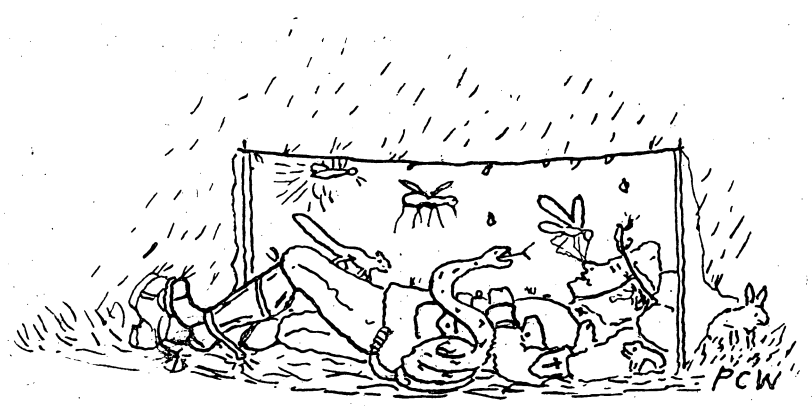
### COMMUNICABLE DISEASE

"In view of the number of cases of whooping cough and measles in this vicinity, it is requested that all children who have colds, or cough or whose eyes or nose are running be kept away from the Post Theater and other places of assembly. Such children should be seen by a doctor at once. Until it can be definitely decided whether or not they are suffering from measles or whooping cough, it is only fair for the mothers to warn other children of the possible danger, and advise them to stay away from the suspects."

SUR. H. S. HANSELL,






**WHAT MOST OF THE SOLDIERS HAVE ALREADY FORGOTTEN ABOUT THE MANEUVER**

### THE COST OF THE ARMY OF U. S. COMPARED TO OTHER NATIONS.

**America Least Military Nation in The World.**

The United States Army Recruiting News, has published an article on the cost of the Army as compared with other Nations that gives some facts that we believe that our readers would be glad to know. We are therefore reproducing the following article:

"The United States today is the least military nation of the world, as compared with the Army expenditures of other nations. In attempting to further reduce the cost of national defense the War Department has been waging a vigorous campaign, taking advantage of every discout and of any other saving possible.

While the cost of the American Army in dollars and cents looks somewhat formidable when put alongside expenditures of the Republic of France for the same purpose, such a comparison is misleading. If American enlisted men were paid, for example, at the same rate the French soldier is paid, the United States could have for the amount it now spends for the pay of the Army not 118,500 men but a standing Army of 2,547,700. If American soldiers were paid at the Italian rate, 1,910,800 and at the Japanese, 1,119,-100. Another misconception arises from the erroneous idea as to the value of the dollar in the United States and abroad. While the American "doughboy" on the Rhine, receiving one dollar a day, was the financial equal of the Mayor of Coblenz, in the United States he finds it impossible to support a wife on his pay.

The number of soldiers for the Regular Army, the money for its maintenance and the general policies for its operation are laid down in the laws enacted by Congress and at the present time the strength of the Regular Army of 115,500 men is larger only than that of Germany. Russia leads with an Army of 834,000 while France is second with 800,000, Great Britain third with 256,700, Italy fourth

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### SWIMMING INSTRUCTOR FOR POST POOL

**Youngsfers Have Opportunity To Learn**

For the first time since the Post Swimming Pool was opened over two years ago the children of the Post have an opportunity to get free swimming lessons.

Private H. A. Silvers, who at one time took the children into Columbus every morning on the bus, will be in charge of the instruction and he expects a large class.

Parents who desire to have their children take swimming lessons should notify the Post A. & R. Officer promptly so that the children may be assigned to classes. In order to provide for each youngster getting individual instruction it is not practical to have more than ten in each class. Classes will be arranged as registrations are made, the first classes being composed of the early registrants.

### NEW POST GYMNASIUM

**Installations of Equipment Being Made**

During the past week a supply of gym equipment has been received and is about to be installed. Such equipment consists of paralled bars, gym horses, rowing machine, travelling rings, horizontal bar, and other gymnasium equipment.

Medicine balls, boxing gloves, and wrestling mats are kept on hand for the benefit of individuals using the gym. This offers a solution, incidentally to officers taking the required amount of exercise who do not ride or play tennis.

One of the newest installations at the Post Gymnasium is a floor polishing machine for the purpose of keeping the maple floor of the building in first class condition at all times for dancing and gymnasium work. The Post A. & R. Officer states that this machine will not be in use at all times

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning June 17, 1923 and Ending June 23, 1923**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday June 17, 1923**

"When Knighthood was in Flower," 12 reels, Marion Davis. Sandwitches, 1 reel.

**Monday June 18, 1923**

Dangerous Age, 7 reels, Louis Stone. Fox News, 1 reel; Mutt and Jeff 1 reel.

**Tuesday June 19, 1923.**

Racing Hearts, 6 reels, Agnes Ayres. Treasure Bound, 2 reels.

**Wednesday June 20, 1923**

Nobody's Bride, 5 reels, Rawlinson; Hee Haw, 2 reels.

**Thursday, June 21, 1923**

Two Fisted Jefferson 5 reels, Jack Hoxie; Fox News, 1 reel; Step Lively Please, 2 reels.

**Friday June 22, 1923**

Face to Face, 5 reels, All Star; Pathe Review, 1 reel; Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday June 23, 1923**

Trail of the Lonesome Pine, 7 reels, Mary Miles Minter; Boys to Board, 2 reels, Our Gang.

### 146th ANNIVERSARY

Saturday June 16th 1923, being the 148th Anniversary of the "birth" of the Quartermaster Corps, all Quartermaster activities will be closed on that day.

### THE GREY SQUIRREL

**The Gray Squirrel overheard the Quartermaster Corps,**
**Claiming birth anniversaries, eight years and seven score.**
**He scratched his ear with his right front paw,**
**"By Golly," he said, "now I know who won the War."**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

### GENERAL GORDON'S DAUGHTER ARRIVES

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Frank J. Allen arrived at the Fort to visit her parents, General and Mrs. Walter H. Gordon, and is receiving a most cordial welcome from many old friends.

Mrs. Allen will be pleasantly remembered as Miss Ellen Gorodn, whose marriage to Capt. Frank Allen took place a year ago. Since that time, she has been stationed with her husband at the University of Norwich, Northfield, Vermont.

Capt. Allen will in all probability spend his vacation at Fort Benning after leaving Camp Bevens, near Boston, Mass. In the autumn, Capt. and Mrs. Allen will go to Fort Reilly.

### MRS. SAWKINS' BRIDGE

On Thursday evening June 7th Mrs. A. E. Sawkins entertained at three tables of bridge complimenting Mrs. C. H. Sproule.

The gentlemen's high score prize was won by Lieut. Hoy and Mrs. D. C. Campbell won the ladies' high score prize. The ladies' consolation was won by Miss Sproule and Capt. Roby won the gentlemen's Consolation.

Mrs. C. H. Sproule was presented with a fountain pen on a ribbon.

A delicious frozen salad with meringue and punch were serve dafter the playing.

### MRS. C. H. SPROULE ENTERTAINED THIS EVENING

Lieutenant and Mrs. Dunphy are entertaining this evening at their place, Bradley Farm in honor of Mrs. C. H. Sproule.

### FORMAL FISH FRY AT BIG EDDY CLUB

On Friday evening, there was a fish fry at the Big Eddy Club, which was a most enjoyable, though informal, affair.

After supper the guests were entertained with music.

Those present were: Major and Mrs. Campanole, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dismukes, Mr. Jack Ellis, Mrs. Wm. de L. Warsley, Major Frank Schneider, Mr. Alfred Blackmar, Major Wm. A. Ganoe, Mr. Leighton Macpherson, Mr. Herman Swift.

### PICNIC AT WARM SPRINGS

On Wednesday June 7th Miss Mechling, Miss Arnsa, Capt. Allen and Lieut. Adams took a picnic lunch to Warm Springs where they spent the day.

### TAKING AN AUTO TOUR

Captain Mechling and family are leaving today by auto for Virginia, Washington, D. C., and Chicago on a two months leave.

### 83RD F. A. BRIDGE CLUB

The regular meeting of the 83rd Field Artillery Bridge Club was held at the home of Mrs. Reed on last Tuesday afternoon.

There were two tables of players present and Mrs. Dunwoody won the high score prize, a Maderia Tea Tray Cover.

A delicious ice and cake were served after the playing.

### GIRL SCOUTS ARE HAVING A FINE TIME

The seven Girl Scouts of Fort Benning, who are Susan Hansell, Charlotte Peyton, Marie Clay, Camila Clay, Emily Brown, Margarette Williams and Helen Hendrickson with Mrs. Patterson of Columbus in charge are having the time of their lives at the Girl Scout Camp at Eelbeck's Mill where about two hundred girls are taking advantage of the training to be received.

The girls are comfortably housed in tent houses and a large mess hall furnishes the shelter during meal times against the elements.

### MRS. BUTLER LEAVING

Mrs. Butler who has charge of the Officers' Club Mess expects to leave the early part of next week for New York where she will join her mother, daughter and sister.

Mrs. Butler has been extremely helpful to those persons of the garrison in arranging dinner and card parties who were unable to entertain in their homes.

The people of Fort Benning will be very glad to welcome Mrs. Butler's return this fall.

### 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB

The regular meeting of the 24th Infantry Bridge Club was held at the home of Mrs. G. S. Clarke on last Tuesday afternoon.

Two tables of players and several tea guests were present.

Miss Arnsa won the high score prize and Mrs. W. A. Stetler won the second prize. Mrs. Morgan E. Jones drew the cut prize.

Delicious refreshments were served after the playing.

The next meeting will be held at the quarters of Mrs. J. E. Custer.

### MRS. SPROULE'S BRIDGE

On last Friday afternoon Mrs. James Sproule gave a delightful bridge of six tables at the Polo Club complimenting Mrs. C. H. Sproule of New Orleans, mother of Capt. James Sproule.

Artistically assorted flowers with candles in silver holders formed the beautiful decorations.

Mrs. Lukert won the high score prize and received a china plate with six individual plates. The second prize a Maderia piece was won by Mrs. Lester, Mrs. Ellis drew the consolation and received a lovely bud vase.

Mrs. C. H. Sproule was presented with a beautiful piece of Maderia.

Punch was served during the afternoon and after the playing ice cream with cake was served.

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**COL. AND MRS. GOODALE'S BRIDGE**

On Thursday evening June 7th Colonel and Mrs. Geo. S. Goodale gave a charming bridge party of three tables in honor of Miss Critz, sister of Mrs. Goodale, who is visiting her.

Daisy and other garden flowers were beautifully arranged to form the decorations.

The ladies' high score prize was won by Mrs. Scales, who received a set of bridge cards. The gentlemen's high score consisting of two decks of cards was won by Major Williams. The ladies' consolations was drawn by Mrs. McKeon and consisted of a deck of cards and the gentlemen's consolation a collar button box was won by Major Sawkins.

Assorted candies were served during the playing. A delicious salad with sandwiches and iced tea were served after the playing.

**MRS. ROBY'S BRIDGE**

On last Saturday evening Mrs. A. A. Roby entertained three tables of bridge, complimenting Mrs. C. H. Sproule, mother of Capt. James Sproule

Her quarters was artistically decorated with assorted flowers.

Mrs. Sawkins won the ladies' high score prize, a pair of silk hose and Colonel Hansell won the gentlemen's high score prize, two decks of cards. The consolation was won by Lieutenant Dunphy, who received a Japanese Lantern.

Mrs. Sproule was presented with a Maderia center piece.

Ice cream, cake, salted almonds and punch were served after the playing.

**MRS. E. G. M'COMMICK'S PARTY**

On Monday June 4th, Mrs. E. G. McCormick was hostess at a most enjoyable bridge party, as a compliment to Miss Frances Daniel, charming bride-elect.

Spring flowers adorned the rooms open to the guests and after the game, a salad course was served.

The honoree was presented a lovely luncheon cloth with napkins.

Those present were Miss Frances Daniel, Mrs. Nathan Dykes, Mrs. Sassnett Gardiner. Misses Della Bize and Clara Martin, Mrs. Randolph Palmer, Misses Dinah Roberts, Mildred Daniel, Evelyn Daniel, Mrs. Samuel Buracker.

**McCLELLAN BOUND.**

Captain and Mrs. O. M. Moore and family left for Camp McClellan, Ala. by auto yesterday morning.

**MEDICAL DEPT. BRIDGE CLUB.**

The last meeting of the year of the Medical Department Bridge Club was held at the home of Capt. and Mrs. D. C. Campbell on last Tuesday evening.

Assorted spring flowers formed the beautiful decorations.

Captain Green won the high score prize and Mrs. Dunphy won the second.

Lieutenant Dunphy drew the consolation.

Ice cream and cake were served after the playing.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

**COMPANY "E" TWENTY-NINTH INFANTRY**

Our last game of baseball must have been a success, because the tailor made boy shipped upon another hit.

Sgt. Jones told Nelson to take his singing hound dog to the Service Club as he got the buglers out of tune when they were trying to blow retreat.

Old Folks Darley and Bolo Wyman had a great scheme whereby they could make expert rifleman. They bought a dozen eggs and got the Mess Sgt. to have them cooked for breakfast on the day of record firing. Along comes Pring and when he finished with the straight ups there were only enough left to make Old Folks a good sharpshooter.

Sgt. Pring said he would like to have the job of keeping the President's callendar up to date. I'll bet he would give a growl on the first of each month because another leaf had to be torn off.

**COMPANY "F" 29th INFANTRY**

Who said Offerman ate two dozen sandwiches at the picnic last Sunday?

Coyle sure was making a hit with the opposite sex what I mean. Showing his skill on the floor. Regular Joe Brown's Cow-Puncher.

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I don't see how you had the moral courage to sit at the table for two hours and "destroy the rations" like you did Henry (Penfound).

Even Pankowski, Frank was at the picnic, the reason was; something to eat was about to take place, that is the way Frank put it.

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### Memorandum Receipts Not Even Required

The above headline will no doubt be greeted with raucous guffaws and appropriate remarks. However, just read what the "Quartermaster Review" says about it.

"The Quartermaster Review wants ideas and suggestions for all sorts of minor improvements in Army homes, or in civilian homes, for that matter; improvements that the Post Quartermaster can, within regulations and orders, make under his ordinary repairs-and-improvements allowance, or that the occupant can make for himself, at comparatively small expense. For instance, we want suggestions for labor-saving devices and arrangements that will lessen the labor of the housewife—how to put in a breakfast-nook to the best advantage; how to make a step-saving layout of sink and dressers; how to build a particularly convenient linen closet; and so on. But we also want helpful ideas for the man of the house—how to rig up a little study-den, etc., etc.

Note.—Attention is invited to the fact that the interior or exterior of government buildings cannot be altered without proper authority.

Here are the conditions:

1. The contest is open to active, retired, or honorably discharged officers and warrant officers and female army nurses, of the Regular Army, National Guard and Organized Reserves; also, to all members of the families of such officers and warrant officers. Civilian members of The Quartermaster Association, and their families, may enter; also civilian draftsmen, supervisors, etc., attached to the Army.

2. Each contestant may send not more than two ideas; but a complete kitchen-arrangement, for example, will be considered as one idea, regardless of the number of items of equipment, etc.

3. Each idea should be illustrated by a simple, rough sketch or plan, accompanied by a brief written or typewritten description, not over one page in length. Use only one side of the paper; put name and address on every sheet. It will add interest, if contestants will tell why they think (or have found) their particular idea to be desirable. Sketches and letters will not be returned.

4. The ideas need not necessarily be original; but they must be practical.

5. Sketches and letters must be enclosed in the same cover (flat, not rolled) and mailed not later than July 1, 1923. They must be addressed to: CONTEST EDITOR, The Quartermaster Review, 1624 H St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

6. All sketches and letters will be examined and judged by Major William Draper Brinckloe, Q. M. R. C. He is an architect, and has judged similar contests for The Ladies' Home Journal, and other magazines. To the idea which he considers the best, The Quartermaster Review will award a prize of fifty dollars ($25 in cash and $25 in books as explained below under, "explanatory"); to each of the five ideas which he considers next-best, a prize of five dollars. Not more than one prize will be awarded any one person. If two or more persons submit identically the same prize-idea, the award will be based on (a) clearness and interest of the letter; (b) priority of mailing date, as shown by postmark. The prize sketches will be re-drawn, and published in The Quartermaster Review at the earliest possible date. And we believe they will be very interesting and helpful to Quartermasters and other officers, civilians, and housewives, both in and out of the Army.

7. The Quartermaster Review reserves the right to publish any of the other ideas and letters, without compensation; but will, of course, give the names and addresses of the authors of such ideas.

Come, now—let's enter this contest! Don't say, "Oh, I can't draw—what's the use?" Major Brinckloe reports that in other contests many of the prizes were awarded to persons who hadn't the least skill in drawing. Let's try to forget about the prizes—let's consider that we are all assembled as a huge Service-board, ordered to recommend constructive, helpful changes in the homes of Servicefolk. Maybe we'll win a prize—maybe not; but at any rate, we will have done our bit.

Let's let all the Army—and his wife, know about this contest.

Now then: Let's go!

**Explanatory**

The winner of the first prize of $50, in addition to receiving $25 in cash, may select, through the Book Department of The Quartermaster Association, any combination of books, magazines (subscriptions), or other periodicals to the amount of $25. Whether the books or periodicals are published in this Country or abroad, in English or in some foreign language, it does not matter, as the Book Department of The Quartermaster Association can secure without delay any book, in any language, in any land.

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All ladies who wish to form an afternoon dancing class please leave your names with Miss Roe.

## WEEKLY PRESS REVIEW

### Military Intelligence Division, G-2 June 7, 1923

### PREPAREDNESS AS A LIFE-SAVER

Major General George H. Harries stated with regard to the war that "no less than 50 per cent of those of ours who were killed in action or died of wounds were wastefully sacrificed because of inadequate training or no training at all."

A newspaper demanded his authority and he gave it as "countless conferences with combat officers of our own army and of the French and British forces, who commanded troops in action, and with other officers whose duty it was to observe." He cited one impressive example given by a regimental commander. The night before an advance in the Argonne this officer received 400 replacements to fill his ranks to 3,700 men. They were "unbaked newcomers." Two days of hard fighting ensued. Eighty-one per cent of the regiment's killed and wounded were among those untrained 400; only 19 per cent "occurred among the other 3,300 officers and men who had learned how to be successfully aggressive."

Unpreparedness does not save lives of Americans; it wastes them in that prodigal fashion. Any lives that it may save are those of the nation against which we fight. Preparedness does not waste money, but saves it. The cost of war begins to accummulate during the years of unpreparedness that precedes all our wars, during which no war seems in prospect and it swells enormously after war is declared, for then we have to do in haste what should have been done with deliberation, and we have to buy at war prices what should have been bought at peace prices. But the greatest waste of all is that of our own sons, which caused General Nathaniel Greene of the Revolutionary War to declare that a nation which sent its sons to battle without first training them in the use of arms was guilty of murder.

To save from this indictment from murder the government that will be in power when we begin our next war, our young men are going into training. All praise is due them.

—Portland Oregonian.

### ARMY NOTIONAL DEFENSE PLANS

While there seems to be not the remotest chance that the United States will be called upon soon to defend itself against attack by any other nation, it cannot be otherwise than gratifying to the country to know that the army general staff has prepared plans for putting the country's fighting forces in the field at once in the event of such an emergency. The present army, of course, is small, but the general staff's plan goes far beyond the disposition of that diminutive force. It concerns as well the mobilization of the national guard, which is to include 375,000 men, and provides for the quick mobilization and training of the great civilian reserve army, the country's chief dependence in any prolonged struggle.

The general staff has done well to prepare a plan calculated to prevent those blunders. So large a country as the United States, having so small a standing army, should be prepared down to the last detail for assembling and training its reserve forces with the least possible delay. The wonder is that the country was ever without such a plan.—Chiacgo News.

### A STRONG ARGUMENT

There is much satisfaction in being able to say "we won the war." However, although "we won the war," according to the latest tabulations available, casualties suffered by the Allies and their associates exceeded those inflicted upon the Central Powers by more than 33 per cent. To be specific, it is estimated that the Allies' casualty list totalled 22,090,000 while that of the Central Powers reached but 15,850,000. The toll on our side amounted to almost as much numerically as the enemy's full mobilization, which was 22,850,000. The Allied mobilization was 42,189,000. A war chart at Washington shows that for each 1,000 soldiers under arms the Central Powers inflicted 966 casualties, while the corresponding figure for their opponents was but 365 not quite three to one, but nearly.

To which army statisticians point as an argument for a comprehensive system of military training—not such a system as they had in Austria and Germany, but one that would assure an ample reserve of competent officers. France alone, on the side of the Allies, had given adequate attention to this angle of preparedness. The great majority of the Allies' forty-two million men were enlisted totally "green" while the great majority of those who fought with the Central Powers had been trained under compulsory system. We cannot close our eyes upon the comparative results. They have been written clearly in blood. Our army officers in citing these figures made a strong point in favor of the argument.

—New Orleans Times-Picayune.

### WAR CRERDITS

Let us go back to the Mexican war. We are still paying pensions for it. We gained by that war Texas, California, Arizona and New Mexico. Are they not paying on the investment? If it had not been for that war they would today be struggling to adjust themselves to the late First Chief's last constitution. Is not their possession to be written on the credit side?

From before that war to thirty years ago there was a long, an interminable series of operations against the Indians during which the Army of the United States rendered the West safe for settlers and for the development of our time. Those operations cost money, they are still costing money. But if it had not been for them the great cities of the West would still be stockaded frontier posts. Is that not to be written on the credit side?

The Civil War and the Civil War alone prevented the division of these United States into two nations with watchful armies along Mason and Dixon's line. It is idle to deny this. If there were two nations where now one great one stands, long since in both of them hatred and the desire for vengeance would have become vested interests through which men gained office, vested interests holding power through propaganda of hate and vengeance as virulent as it has been in France and Germany alike for the past hundred years. Have we gained nothing there. We are still paying its cost.

Take the War with Spain in 1898. The possession of the Philippines may be a disputable blessing, it is quite possible that a majority of the people of Cuba consider our legalized interference in their domestic affairs as much of an unmitigated nuisance as we consider their recurring difficulties; but did we gain nothing by that war? We gained control over yellow fever. Even if it was a by-product of that war it was something which only that war and the military control which accompanied it made possible. One does not have to be very old to remember the interruptions of all traffic, the shotgun quarantines in the South at the rumor of an outbreak of yellow fever. Is the cessation of that interruption of traffic and communication worth nothing. Then the power of controlling yellow fever and it alone rendered the construction of the Panama Canal possible. Is there then not something on account of the Spanish-American War to be written on the credit side?—Boston Transcript.

## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### Irony of Fate.

While the "gold fever" was in progress, men slaved, suffered, fought and killed for possession of it and made great plans on what they would do with it when they had enough. One delegation of these men, who had really made many thousands, set sail on a ship for home, bring with them the gold for which they had sacrificed all else. But on the way home the ship passed thru a great typhoon and the men scattered their gold on the floor of the vessel which went down with all on board.

### Not Worth It.

I see by the bill posters that the movie people by dint of much Industry have succeeded in photographing Kaiser Wilhelm. I would not go to see old "Wild Bill" himself if they paid me, much less go to see his "mug" in the movie shows, and pay out my hard earned thirty cents to boot.

### Some Shriek!

A negro man once frightened a negro woman and the woman said to him when she found out who it was: "Don't you nebbah do dat no mo' kaze ef you does, I'll let loose such a shriek, it 'll rip a hole in de atmosphere and take all de kink out ob yo' niggah wool."

### Wonderful Potatoes.

When a peddler went to get his stock one morning at the market, he found he could not get his usual supply of vegetables, but a man had brought in a whole wagon load of cocoanuts, which he offered to sell the peddler at a reasonable figure. The peddler made the purchase, but aftr he had gone down the street and the other man had gone on his way, the peddler forgot what the man had called the things he had sold him, so he began to call out: "Potatoes as big as your head with hair on them."

### The Young Idea.

Mamma was teaching her little three-year-old Bible stories and one evening the story was that of Lot entertaining the angels unawares. When she finished the story, she asked, "Now do you know what "unawares means?"

"Yeth, it's the last fing you takes off 'fore you puts on your nightie."

### Some Dishes.

A lady belonging to the Jewish Church went down town one day and purchased a lot of dishes. When she returned home, she showed them to her husband, and he said approvingly, "Your buying is judicious." "Yes," replied the lady, "they are Jew dishes, now."

### Electrical Conversation.

Fred, (2:30 A. M.)—Wire you insulate?

Ned—Couldn't get ohm sooner.

Fred—Watt?

Ned—I was out sparking in the park.

Fred—I can guess switch girl, Madza?

Ned—See here,fuse get personal, I'll socket to you!

### A Paying Job.

A signal corps officer tells of overhearing the following:

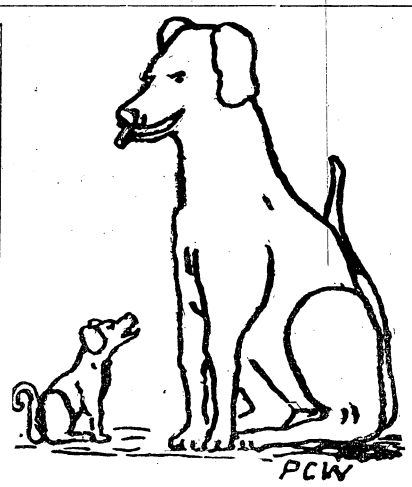
Inquisitive visitor—How much do you boys receive?

Bright Buck—Thirty dollars a day, once a month, ma'am.

### Buying a Comb.

Clerk—Do you want a narrow man's comb?

Girl—No, I want a comb for a stout man with rubber teeth.




### CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE.

**By Al.**

"I have been told, Oh Calculator that you are wise," said the Great Dane.

"Wise as a Sphinx, but not always so silent," replied the Calculator.

"Then use your wisdom on this one, thou, Oh Sphinx of Bennnig" said the Great Dane.

"You know the Greek Sphinx of Thebes had a most distressing habit of proposing a riddle to passers and upon their failure to guess it to destroy them."

"Dog of a Dog" replied Calculator, "Like some other dogs, I'll bite once, what was the riddle?"

The Dane, educated at the Infantry School, replied: "What creature walks in the morning upon four feet, at noon upon two and in the evening upon three?"

"Dead easy, any second lieutenant could guess that one," said the descendant of all the sphinxes, "Man, for as a baby he walks upon his hands and knees, later, on his feet and in old age with a staff.

"Old stuff," quoth the Dane," the answer is a Fort Benning Automobile.

"How come?" inquired Calculator, who is a Georgia Cracker at heart and frequently shows it in his speech.

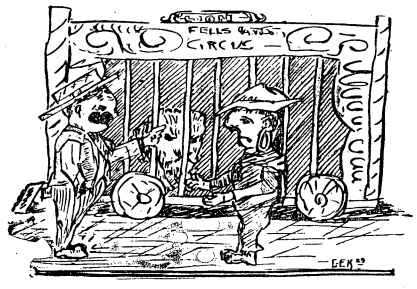
Whereupon the worthy son of a long line of illustrations Danes answered and said: "It starts proudly to Columbus on four wheels, enroute it takes the bumps on two, and creeps home in the cool of the evening a decrepit wreck on three."

The child of the sphinxes gasped once and subsided for a week.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

**In the near future we will have about one-half of a column entitled: "What Not to do in Etiquete" in each issue.**

**Patronize the Advertisers in The News.**




If this Chipley "Beast" should be caught, why not put it in a cage and charge admission to see it?

All proceeds to be put in a fund for the construction of a paved road from Columbus to Benning.

## SKETCH OF EIGHTY-THIRD FIELD ARTILLERY HISTORY

### Stationed At The Infantry School

On June 4th, 1917 the War Department created the 25th Cavalry under command of Colonel Francis J. Koester, at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, out of a third of the peace strength of the old 1st Cavalry and volunteer recruits to the Regular Army. On August 1st, 1917, the regiment was turned into the 83rd Provisional Field Artillery and on November 4th was made a permanent artillery unit and assigned to the 8th Field Artillery Brigade of the 8th Regular Army Division.

In February, 1918, the regiment left Fort Russell for Camp Freemont, California, where it joined the remainder of its brigade, the 2nd and 81st Field Artillery.

On July 1st, 1918, the regiment left Camp Fremont for Fort Sill, Oklahoma, arriving there on the 6th of July where it took up a vigorous course of instruction and maneuvers in final preparation for its long desired debut upon the battle front in Europe.

It received its embarkation orders at last, arriving in Camp Mills and Hoboken, N. Y. on October 24th.

The regiment sailed for France, aboard the U. S. S. "Mongolia," on October 28th, arriving in France just two days before the armistice. It left Brest for Ploermel, Department of Morbihan, Brittany, on November 16th and remained there until December 9th when it returned to Brest in time to be Body Guard for President Wilson during his stay in Brest.

On January 4th it sailed for the States aboard the U. S. S. "President Grant;" reviewing the Statue of Liberty once more on January 18th, 1919. Three days at Camp Mills, and then Baltimore, Cincinnati, and Louisville had a glimpse of its blue chevrons enroute to Camp Knox, Kentucky, where it arrived on January 23rd.

In November, 1919 the War Department ordered the regiment converted into a Light Motorized Field Artillery Regiment, equipped with 5-ton Tractors.

On September 15th, 1920, the First Battalion was detached from the regiment and proceeded by marching, to Camp Benning, Georgia for permanent station.

The Second Battalion marched to Fort Bragg, N. C., and was placed on the inactive list in January, 1922.

## Bakers and Cooks School

Looking through a Girard court reporter's note book found on the Georgia side of the bridge the other day we found the following dialogue dating back some months past and referring to one of our personnel. It is reproduced herewith on account of its humurous side, because it all came out all right in the end.

**Maloney, Vs. City of Girard.**

Judge—Old man, you are charged with being sober and orderly on the streets of this city. How do you plead?

Maloney—Not guilty your honor.

Judge—Any evidence to substantiate your plea?

Maloney—Yes, your honor. I licked three policemen. Broke a plate-glass window, and held up a falling telephone post until twelve cops came along to relieve me.

Judge—Ah! that was Georgia lightening. I pronounce you guilty. You are fined thirty dollars.

Maloney—Your honor, I'm dead broke. Completely down and out.

Judge—(Peering over his glasses) Huh, You may be broke, and you may be down, but you are not out for thirty days. "Next Case."

It is with extreme regret that we are forced an announce the departure of Technical Sergeant Richard Montague who will proceed overland to his recently acquired summer home in the sunny hills of Camp McClellan Ala.

As this is to be his initial sojurn in that territory, we have given his letters of introduction and credit of the most of the leading bootleggers and lesser citizens in and around that part of the country where community standing and office holding is governed more or less by the size of your still.

The School office thanks him for the inevitable help he has contributed in the form of personnel work.

Sergeant Duncan with whom he has visited the past few months thanks him for the tal lgrass which immediately sprouted on Sergeant Montague's arrival.

All of our personnel are sorry that Sergeant Montague's services cannot be retained with the school, but as the Quartermaster at Camp McClellan insists that he cannot see his way clear to ull off this Summer Training Camp proposition without Montague's able assistance, We will just bear our loss and grin, hoping that again in the future we may have him with us.

News has just leaked out that the important plans of which we spoke sometime ago, the Discovery by Dr. Glant on Electrical food, has been stolen, and all paraphenelia wrecked by thieves, who blew the door off the huge steel vault in which Dr. Glant keeps his scientific equipment.

U. S. Secret Service Agents are in a great furore over the theft, which assumes international importance of the greatest magnitude when consideration is given to the purposes to which it may be put.

It is believed in official circles that Certain Foreign Diplomatic Agents representing the Red faction of Russia have committed the theft. Dr. Glant, is stricken by the blow which means the loss of the fruits of forty years labor and research, and leaves him without initiative to begin anew.

Our agents are hot on the trail, and important news is expected at any moment.

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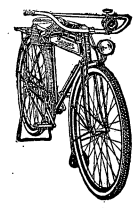

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## ELECTRICITY AS A WEAPON

A recent press dispatch informs us of the handling of 2,000,000 volts of electricity, with perfect control and without danger to himself, by one man.

The force contained in this volume of electricity is enormous—too great, in fact, to be comprehended by the human mind. It is estimated to be about one tenth the force contained in a bolt of lighting but even the knowledge of this fact to the layman does not enable us to appreciate the enormous energy represented by the 2,000,000 volts.

The report states that the current was handled with ease by the use of a small electric switch and that it was directed at various points by the operator. Certain buildings which had been constructed for the purpose of the test were instantly demolished upon the electric bolt coming in contact with them. A large piece of walnut wood was destroyed to the extent that even no ashes or other residue were left.

Battles and wars are won by force.

Each succeeding year shows the nations of the earth striving to gain an advantage over each other by the development of some powerful energy, mechanical, electrical, or otherwise, which will be a material aid to their military forces in time of war.

The question which arises in the mind of a military man after reading the account of the test made with the 2,000,000 volts of electricity is whether or not it is possible to adapt this electrical energy as a war time weapon.

By giving his imagination loose rein the military man sees wonderful possibilities in this connection. He finds himself occupying a defensive position. A large force of enemy troops is advancing in attack against his position. In order to give the idea a "kick," he sees himself confronted with a numerically superior force. At the proper time he releases the electrical energy under his control and by directing this force at the hostile troops he destroys entire battalions at one stroke.

Again the military man imaginse himself in an airplane over enemy territory. An enemy anti-aircraft gun flashes. By the use of wireless control he directs his bolt at the enemy gun with disastrous results. Proceeding further over enemy territory the flier locates enemy arsenals, magazines, dumps, and depots. He directs the force under his control on these objects and they are demolished. A squadron of enemy planes take the air to prevent his reconnaisance. These are quickly dispatched earthward in flames.

The flier proceeds further over enemy territory without resistence leaving destruction of buildings and material and demoralization of troops in his wake. He returns to his own headquarters, furnishes his commander with valuable information, and the Infantry then proceeds to occupy enemy territory with but slight opposition.

The practicability of the use of electrical energy as a destructive force during a period of hostilities appears to depend on the facility with which such energy may be generated in such volume as to make it destructive. The matter of its control has been tested with satisfactory results. Doubtless the problem of generation will be solved by the engineering experts of America in time. In the mean time, the results of the recent test provide considerable food for thought.

## WEEKLY PRESS REVIEW.

**Peace with Justice and Safety—** May 29: But Mr. Coolidge, as a sagacious student of history, knows that the maintenance of popular government and civic liberty is not always an affair of the cooing of doves. Among other things, he said, at the observance of Bridgeport to which we have referred:

We want no more war. You men and women who have seen it or have been engaged in it want war least of all. We want peace with justice and honor. But this does not justify the government in disregarding history, in leaving the people undefended against national peril at home or abroad. Security lies in the realization that a nation has a known force and spirit. To leave a nation unprotected is to be guilty of a crime against the world.

And he went on to remark, quite pointedly, in his characteristically compact manner:

The record of past history is the record, not of the success of republics but of their failures. Those now in existence have escaped from overthrow time and time again by an exceedingly narrow margin. A government of the people is not easy to maintain; it is the most difficult of all governments to maintain. Some forget that "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

It is even so. An unprotected, undefended Amreica would be the greatest possible menace to the peace of the world. The fact that America, in 1914, was ridiculously unprepared for war contributed in vast and terrible measure to confirm the Germans in their determination to attack the world's peace. And incidentally it conducted our republic, and our liberties with it, to the verge of ruin. If we trust men like Calvin Coolidge, we shall never drift into that dangerous pass again.

—Boston Transcript.

## THE INFANTRY.

We note that the Quartermaster Corps are going to celebrate their 148th Anniversary on June the 16th.

Why shouldn't we have an Infantry Birthday which should date from April 19th, 1775.

## THE FLOYD RIFLES.

The Floyd Rifleman just arrived as we were going to press and we noted that on May 1st they celebrated their birthday which incidentally was the 82nd as they were organized May 1st, 1841. This is a remarkable record as it is very few National Guard Organization that stay in the service that long under the same name or that don't have one or more periods of inactivity.

Go to it "Floyd Rifles" and may your record continue to be always so bright and promising as it has been and still is today.

For those who are not acquainted with the above name we can add that they are designated as Co. "C" 122nd Infantry, Georgia National Guard with station at Macon, Ga. But you can take it from us that they are a live outfit.

## BATTERY "A" 83rd F. A.

We were certainly disappointed this week when the A & R Officer received a letter from the above organization. We sure expectd to find some news of interest concerning this organization and what they are accomplishing at Camp McClellan but alas the letter said enclosed find five dollars to pay for USAMP Book. We were glad enough to get the money but we would also like to get a few news items.

## ANOTHER FOREIGN PORT HEARD FROM.

The "News" goes to every post where there are U. S. Troops and as a result the Post Exchange is in receipt of a letter from the Panama Canal Zone requesting information regarding certain items that the Post Exchange has advertised.

Who says it don't pay to advertise in the "News?"

## THAT CHIPLEY BEAST.

We note in the Columbus Ledger and the Columbus Enquirer-Sun that Chipley and vicinity is greatly agitated about some "Wild Beastly Brute" who is getting on the nerves of people there and on the outside of the dogs.

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## AUTOMOBILES.

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Should you decide to leave the car in storage until next year the "News" will at that time endeavor to sell it for you by carrying your ad, gratis.

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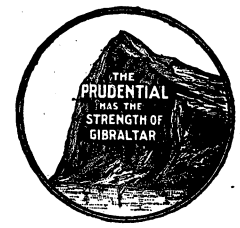


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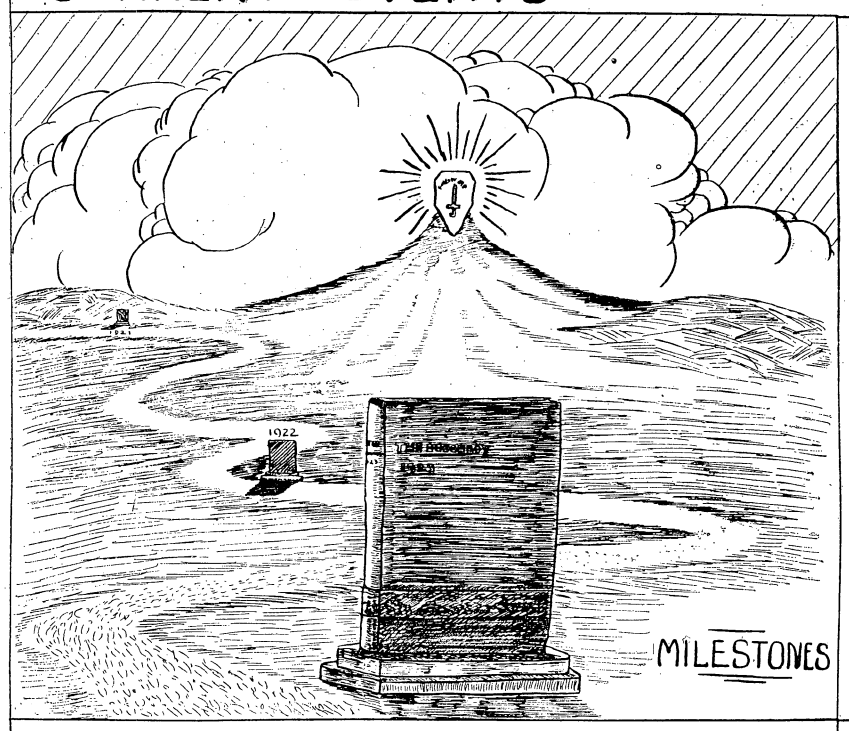


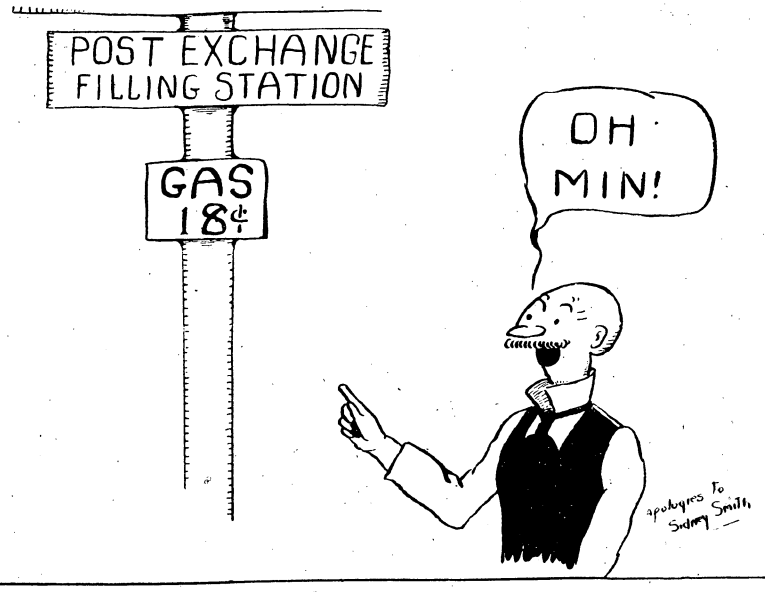


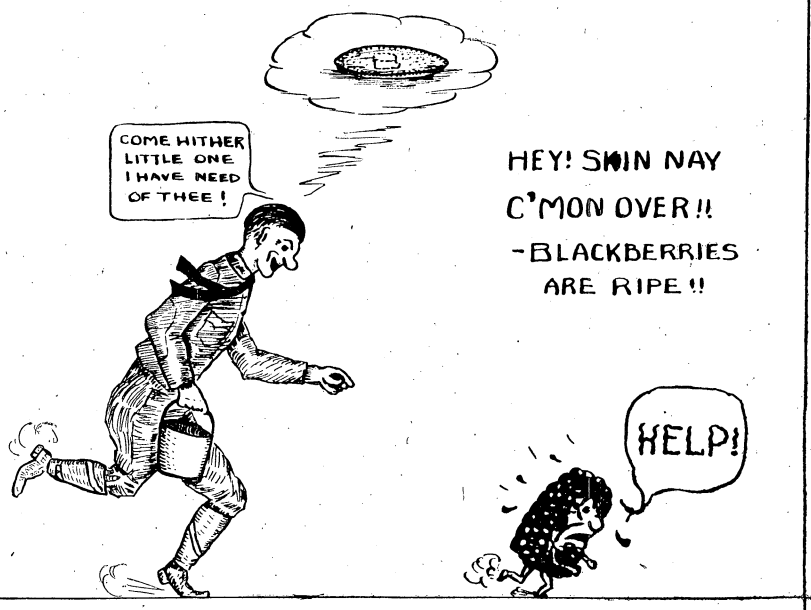


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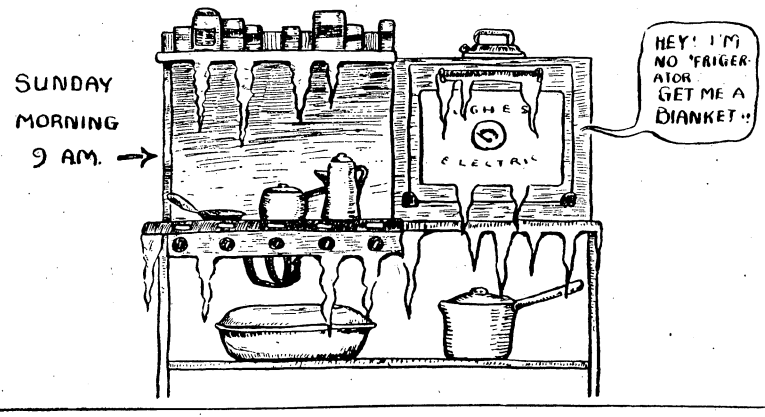


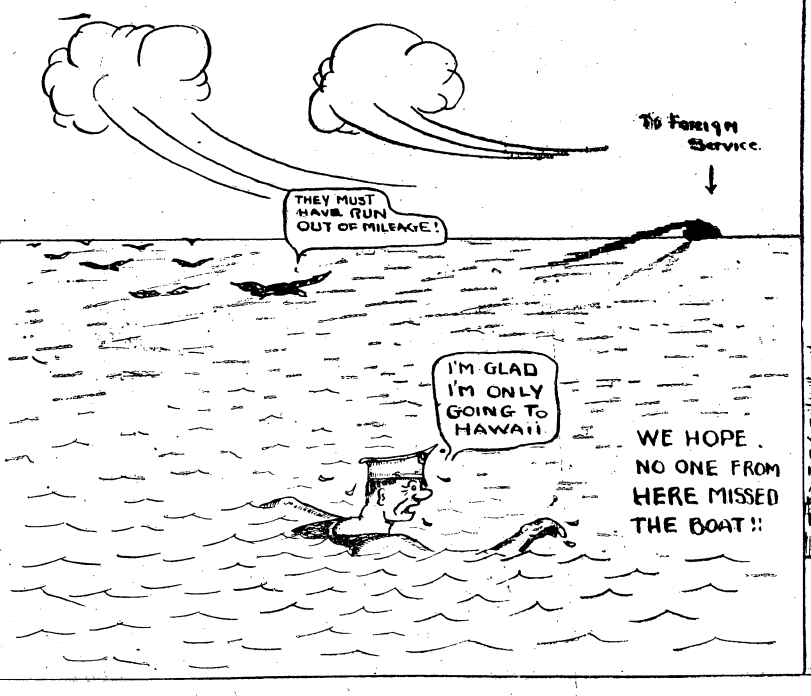


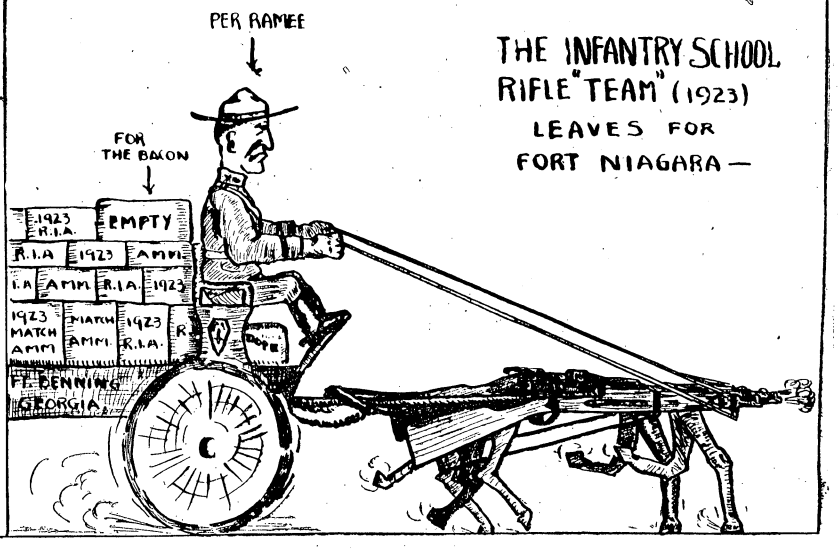

# THE INFANTRY BOARD

## INFANTRY BOARD NOTES

**Tractor Power Carts.** Two models of a tractor power cart made up by the Ordnance Department have undergone thorough test in the Department of Experiment and the report has been forwarded to the Chief of Infantry.

**Gun Stocks.** A test of gun stocks with different types of pistol grips has been completed and recommendation forwarded to the Chief of Infantry.

**Targets.** The Maloney Target and the Ordnance Single Front Target have been installed for some time on the range here, and a report on them were forwarded this week.

**Sights.** A test of receiver sight for machine rifles has been completed and forwarded.

**Experimental Range.** A report on the experimental Range was submitted to the Post Commander.

## TRAINING REGULATIONS

**Musketry.** The training regulations on musketry was forwarded this week.

Of the sixty-one training regulations assigned to the Infantry Board for preparation, drafts of the manuscripts for fifty-nine have now been submitted to the Chief of Infantry.

There are at present none on hand undergoing revision.

## THE MARNE MIRACLE.

The Marne Miracle, by Col. William K. Naylor, U. S. Army, Washington: The U. S. Infantry Association. Cloth, 12 Mo., 190 Pages. Price $1.50.

Col. William K. Naylor, the author of The Marne Miracle, is now Assistant Chief of Staff G-2 (Military Information), U. S. Army, and recognized as the foremost military strategist and student of Military History and its application to the principles of war.

During the war Col. Naylor served as Chief of Staff of a Division (33 National Guard Division from Illinois) and Chief of Staff of the 9th Army Corps. His present detail in the War Department is as one of the assistants to General Pershing.

Col. Naylor has made a most exhaustive study of the Marne Campaign of 1914, having at his disposal a mass of source records and from them has traced out the movements and operations of every unit of the contending forces engaged in the great campaign.

In every great military campaign there are points of controversy. The Marne Campaign was no exception to the rule. Col. Naylor discredits some popular legends; brings many mooted points to the light of day and clears up a number of disputes. Here are some of the points that are discussed in the book and the answers supplied:

1. Why do the French call the Battle of the Marne a miracle? Why do the Germans refer to it as a tragedy?
2. Was Germany, in all her boasted military efficiency, prepared for the World War? Wherein was she unprepared?
3. What was the German plan of Campaign? Was it that proposed by Von Schlieffen? Was it Von Moltke's? Was it a combination of the two?
4. What were France's plans for the war with Germany? Were they offensive or defensive at the outset?
5. Did the stand made by the Belgians at Liege save France?
6. Did Germany rush over defenseless Belgium in overwhelming numbers? Who were the stronger, the Germans or the Allies at this time?
7. What prevented the Battles of Mons and Charleroi from being complete German triumphs?
8. Were the British wiped out at Le Cateau? Did they stop Von Kluck?
9. Was Von Kluck responsible for the loss of the Battle of the Marne?
10. Why did the Germans fall back? Who is responsible for the order to retreat? Was it Foch's attack at Fere Champenoise?
11. Who was Von Hentsch? What part did he play in the orders for the German retreat?
12. Why did Germany lose?

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## WILL MOVIE STARS CHARGE FOR GENERATING HEAT?

Some day there will be written an interesting yarn concerning news stories about Technology which take hold upon the public imagination. This observation is brought forth by the recent wide publicity afforded to the Institute and Prof. Edward F. Miller, '86, by Professor Miller's declaration that when a thriller is shown in a movie house, the spectators are so well able to keep themselves warm by the operation of their own emotions that canny exhibitors bank their furnace fires and let Theda Bara do the rest. By now, this news has swept the country from coast to coast, has elbowed many less picturesque events from off a good many front pages. We quote, for example, this item from the New York World of February 24:

"Coal-burning theatre managers on Broadway were interested yesterday in the news from Boston about Professor Miller. It seems Prof. Edward F. Miller of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has discovered that the average person, when calm, gives off 425 heat units, but when emotionally excited the heat units jumps to—oh, thousands and thousands and thousands.

"Professor Miller found it out by observing audiences in theatres. He found that the added heat generated by the audience at the plays' crucial moments raised the temperature of the theatre several degrees.

"Naturally, th coal-burning managers were interested. Al H. Wood was gleeful.

"'I wondered,' he exclaimed, 'what was keeping my coal bills down.'

"It was estimated on figures gathered from the Professor's idea, that the Misses Florence Reed, Violet Heming, Ina Claire, Pola Negri, Theda Bara and Lenore Ulric save the Messrs. David Belasco, Arthur Hopkins, Mack Sennett and Charles B. Dillingham upward of $547,687 yearly in anthracite coal bills alone, not including the bituminous

"In fact, it was said at the Lamb's Club last night that these young ladies had received a petition from the starving miners in Pennsylvania, requesting them to act cold during the remainder of the winter.

"The report also went that Mrs. Leslie Carter plans to file suit for a rebate on 465,876 tons of coal she is alleged to have saved David Belasco in 'Du Barry' and 'The Heart of Maryland.'

"'A kiss by John Barrymore saves a theatre a ton of chestnut or a ton and a half of egg coal,' was the opinion of one prominent actor, standing at Broadway and 42nd Street yesterday.

"The Professor's discovery has created quite a stir on Broadway. Hereafter, actors and actresses who have reputations as warm babies, may demand a coal-saving clause in their contracts."

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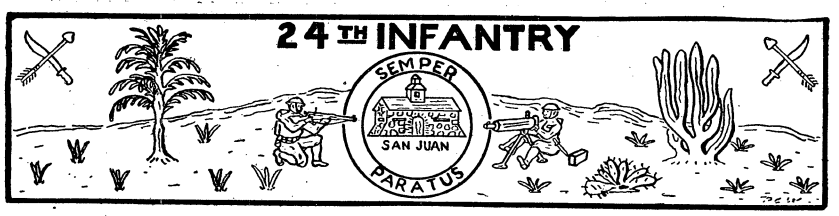


**Field Officers Report to the 24th For Duty**

Majors Charles K. Nulsen, and Sheppard B. Philpot, Infantry have reported for duty with the 24th Infantry in the past week. Major Nulsen was assigned on February 2nd, 1923, and has just returned from leave which he took upon his return from the A. F. in G. Major Philpot has been on special duty as provost marshall at El Paso, Texas, and returns to the regiment.

1st Lieut. John F. Pahlke, 24th Infantry has returned for duty since graduating from the Infantry School in May. He resumes his former post as personnel adjutant, and president of the Bachelors union.

**Bachelor Barracks Completed**

The 24th Infantry is still in their construction era, begun when the regiment arrived from New Mexico, and to continue until we are in brick barracks. The newest addition is a Bachelor Officers barracks building. The regimental construction and supply officer, Captain James Sproule has announced that the new "shelter" palace will be ready for occupacy on Sunday, June 17th. And lo! this is the month of brides.

The new building will accommodate eight bachelor officers with single room suites, or a smaller number with combination suites. Toilet furnishings have been provided and a heating plant will be installed.

**100 PER CENT QUALIFICATION**

The first group to be fired through the record course on the rifle range qualified every man. The first large group which has been under the preliminary course of instruction will fire on the range this week the regular instruction practice course. Keen interest marks the work done by the entire regiment and very satisfactory results have been attained to date.

The Machine gun companies have begun firing on the range, and they will soon have some report of their record firing. Along with this work is being carried on the pistol qualification work also on the regimental range.

Captain Albert L. Tuttle has been assigned to the duties of Plans and Training officer and has relieved Captain John H. Knuebel who has departed for Fort Niagara with the Infantry Rifle team candidates. Captain E. E. Walker is in charge of the pistol instruction, and Captain E. C. Callahan has been in charge of Machine Gun instruction.

**Company "H"**

Pot Lucas can be heard singing, "Baby wont You Please Come Home." It is funny old boy, that you will not miss one of these old 6, 8, 10, 12. So please dont put that rough stuff over on the B. B. A. Club.

The old Battery has a new N. C. O. corpl. Mase—known as hogshead. He is now in the Execution of his office. Last Monday he was instructing a squad in machine gunnery, and said to the squad, "If I don't qualify you all with this Gun I will qualify you *all with* the 96th article of regulations.

Bugler Smith is the most intelligent bugler in the army since he has returned to the said Fort again. A conversation was overheard of him and Bugler Robertson, saying "cheese, if you will only promise the fair sex that you take on (3) more years you will do just as well. Fine dope, old boy.

**Company "I"**

Not long ago Corporal Willis came around and bid us all good bye forever. He said he was through with the army life and from then on his slogan was to be "Back to the Cotton Patch." We mingled our best wishes with our tender farewells and watched the ex-corporal's huge form fade in the distance. Fifteen days later as we were beginning to recover from our sorrow, we saw a cloud of dust down the road and when it came near we saw to our astonishment the gaunt and hungry form of our ex-corporal emerge from the cloud, and he said to us: "Man show me the dotted line, I want to sign. And tell the cooks to put my name in the pot." After signing him up he told us that he had changed his slogan to "Back from the Farm" cause he couldn't raise anything outside the Army, not even cotton. He further states that he is going to stay in the Army this time until he is twice as old as Corporal Newman and as ugly as Sgt. Joe Anderson.

Some recruiting officer ought to get hold of the Corporal for if he talked to people outside like he talked to us they would come in droves.

Sgt. Goode, told Private Childs the preacher, to never come on the pistol range again unless he deprive himself of his beautiful mustache, because they were so heavy that they kept him from looking a "Bull's-eye" in the face."

Prt. Ford (Skinner), seems to be very popular since he has been promoted to chauffeur of the Horseless carraige. Ford you look mighty fine but your mules breeches need pressing.

Corpl. Reeves (Nisy), got himself in a mighty hard hole by carrying around letters in his pockets. A certain lady received a letter and it wasn't by Corporal Reeves. Look out rag man they are on your trail.

**Company "K"**

Sgt. Garrett favored the troops with a real old honest-to-goodness "Review" a few nights ago. Atta boy, Bill, the boys get awful lonesome with out it once in a while.

But Earl, Jesse, broke all speed records in getting off the scratch, and the Cops are looking puzzled yet, as to what passed them, whether it was a car or just a streak. Some speed eh: "You Tell 'Em."

Not that we are curious, but why use a fellows head to break stove-wood on? Ask Howard Stanley, he knows.

This from a certain Sgt. of Co, "I" The West Indian "Hair Dye Is Cpl. Reaves Special." Steady old man, the dye will wash off and leave your locks still grey, if the age is there. You can't beat father time, for he is a foxy old cuss.

**"Company "M"**

Our 1st Sgt. is doing great shooting with the machine gun:

Say Sarge, what is the zero of your gun?

Cpl. Jennings has been working very hard for the last few days, with so many men to make discharges for.

Accept our sympathies Cpl.

**QUALIFICATION**

The whole of Co. "M" will and must qualify at least 100 per cent. That's what "M" Co. says.

Sgt. Wheeler (Vamping Kid) is not using the telephone very much nowadays. What's matter with you Sarge? Have they had the telephone taken out.

**ALASKAN DWELLINGS.**

Going north from Prince William Sound, the natives, more peacefully inclined than their neighbors, the chlingets, varied the "bara bara." Their houses range in type from the ones almost all underground to those only slightly sunken. Some of these are floored and lined, and some enclose mud-holes in which the debris and food fall, mingling in an odoriferous mess that would shortly kill a white man.

However low the "barabara," tho', the "kuggats," or storehouses, are always raised well above the ground to prevent the dogs from eating the skin boats or other gear. These kuggats are little houses two or three feet high, on raised platforms, upon which the food and hunting gear is kept. The Eskimos of this region do not know how to build igloos.

Where the houses are found above the ground, there is always an underground sleeping apartment for the cold winter nights, to which access is obtained by means of a tunnel from the living room.

The Athabascars of the interior live mostly in one-family log huts, through the large cracks of which the winter winds blow at 60 degrees below, but the mortality is no more than among the tightly housed Eskimos.

In the extreme north the Eskimos live mostly underground. While traveling in the winter they construct square igloos of ice, but these are considered only temporary structures, unlike those of the Eskimos of the Atlantic coast.

The inhabitants of King Island utilize the cavities in the rocks, which they enclose with log structures, covered with skins.

Man's dwellings have always been from the immorial, structures found adapted by him to the particular locality that he inhabited. That is no less true of the habitations that the natives of Alaska have builded. Although we may not agree with them as to the mode of life that they lead we must admit that the place they called home were adapted to the life that they lead.

Among the Thlingit and Haida Indians the permanent structure was a large log house some times as such as ninety feet in length and over half the length in breath. The size of these houses was such that no one family could hope to raise one unassisted. In consequence the whole clan took part and the supervision of the undertaking was intrusted to some one of the chief men. The materials were gathered the years before the erection of the framwork began. When the material had been gathered the clan felt compelled to gather wealth for the attendant ceremony of the potlatch.

When at last the material was ready, the hoarded wealth sufficient to make a great show, and the participants were assembled the shamal or medicine man began his inhabitations. When the corner post of the new fort-home were ready slaves were sacrificed and buried under them much the same as we leave bibles and current newspapers in our corner-stones. However, the thrifty householder did not sacrifice his choice slave, but usually took those that were old or diseased and who were really of very little loss to him.

Among the Haida the house was ornamented with craving representing the totem, or coat-or-arms, of the occupants or incidents in their family history. The sides and roof were covered with bark, except over the center of the room, which was left open for the excape of smoke.

Around three sides of this large room ran a platform about three feet from the floor. Under this were the sleeping cubby-holes and the possessions of the others were piled on top. Many families lived in these large houses and cooked over the communal fires in the center of the room.

These tribes erected temporary shelters of salvage boards for the fishing season near the streams where they fished. There were part tent and part house, according to how much timber there was predent.

To the Westward the common type of dwelling is the "Barbara." The native wishing to build a home first excavates a pit in the shape of the proposed house from three to four feet deep. Into this pit is put a framework of heavy logs and across the top are laid low pitched rafters. This rude structure is then entirely enclosed inside with the exception of the smoke hole which can be closed on necessity by a piece of seal gut through which the only light of the house i sobtained. On the advent of the whites the natives often purchased log huts from the traders and took them to their own settlements where they were re-erected. This was the source of much pride to the occupant, but when cold weather came they were usually found out in the old barbara.

On the shores of Cook Inlet, on which some of the Athapascan tribes live, the two compartment log houses is used. In the outer compartment all the rough work and cooking is done and is the inner is the sleeping and living compartment. This is floored and ceiled, and can be almost hermetically sealed by means of panels of seal gut so as to form a very warm sleeping place even in the coldest weather. This inner compartment is only four or five feet high.

Some of the houses in this region are builded close together and open into each other so as to form a common work-room.

In the vicinity of Prince William Sound the natives, being more peaceful than their neighbors the Thlingit, selected isolated positions that were easily defended to which they took their women and possessions in event the enemy warred upon them. These spots of refuge were called "Kekurs."

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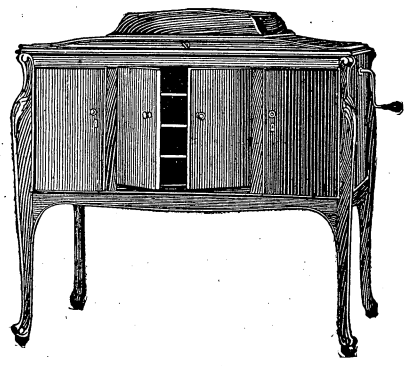

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## 83rd F. A. HAD A GREAT DAY

At 8 a. m. June 4th, 1923 a convoy of Reconnaissance cars, F. W. D. trucks and G. M. C.'s loaded with officers and enlisted men of the battalion with their families left the 83rd F. A. area bound for a days outing at Jefferson's Hole, a locally famous picnic ground. The festive occasion was due to the Regiment celebrating its Organization Day. Immediately after arriving the rolling kitchen of "B" Battery unlimbered, prepared for action, and opened fire with characteristic alacrity.

The morning was quickly spent in the swimming pool. Captain Pickett our efficient chaperon, also self appointed beach inspector, was greatly relieved when he saw that all the bathers were in proper costumes. Several men went fishing and reported a few nibbles, with the usual fishermans alibi's.

Shortly after noon Acting Mess Sergeant Winnerling reported the kitchen had just finished firing for effect and that all was ready for the men to gather the spoils. "B" Battery is always on the job and can be expected to fill in a pinch. The Battery was the host to the Battalion. The food was excellent and spoke for itself. The Battery not only carries good food but the proper utensils to facilitate its consumption. There were salad, steak, rolls, butter, peas, tea (to the ladies delight) and gobs of ice cream with cake. The call came for "seconds" and none answered—they were too full for words. There was the usual after dinner cigarette passed and the men lolled in the shade for an hour waiting for the athletic classics which were to close the program for the picnic.

Time grew short which made it necessary to cancel some of the events. Lieut. Adams in the guise of Announcer kept things moving. Much interest was created and the competition was keen.

About 3:15 p. m. the column was formed and headed for Fort Benning. Later the column moved into the Artillery area in good march order.

A dance was given in the "C" Battery Mess Hall for the enlisted men in the evening. A number of the Columbus young ladies were invited and transported to the Fort via White buses arriving with spirits undampened by a thunder storm through which they passed. The Hall was tastefully decorated with spring flowers and green foliage. The 24th Infantry orchestra furnished the peppy jazz music. After the opening dance the victors of the field events were announced and the prizes given out. Private Glascott, "B" Battery was high man 22.3 points 1st prize $5, Corp. McKay, "B" Battery, 13 points, second prize $3, Sgt. Donnelly, "C" Battery 10.3 points third prize $2, Pvt. Matthews, "C" Battery, fourth prize, a carton of Camels. He said he had rather have the cigarettes any way.

About 10 o'clock the refreshments were served. At 11:30 the dance broke up and ended and the guests departed. Thus ended the Sixth Anniversary of Organization Day for the 83rd Field Artillery.

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## American Legion Notes
From American Legion News Service

### LEGION RESTORES NEGLECTED GRAVES IN THE ARLINGTON CEMETERY

"Washington.—Because of the neglected condition of the graves of World War veterans buried in the Arlinton National Cemetery, last resting place of the unknown soldier, members of the American Legion from the District of Columbia put on their olive drab uniforms and wrapped leggings, and with borrowed lawnmowers, scythes, shears and rakes, marched to the cemetery in making it presentable for Memorial Day exercises.

The rank growth of grass which covered headstones of the nation's heroes was not due to neglect on the part of the War Department, but resulted from insufficient appropriation having been made by congress to conduct the work. Arlington is probably the most widely known national cemetery, and contains the graves of thousands of the country's most celebrated heroes."

### POLITICAL PRISONERS

Indianapolis—The recent appeal to President Harding for the release of the so-called political prisoners made by a number of prominent educators and others has been declared "distinctly unpathriotic" by Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the American Legion in a statement to the public.

"These so-called political prisoners sought in many ways to block the government in the crisis of its international reputation," said Mr. Bolles. "They attempted to turn aside our youths from the cause of the nation when it called for aid. They evaded wartime laws and aimed to create a disregard of these laws by the country's soldiery.

"These men have received considerate treatment according to old and new standards. Had they been treated as they would have by old world despots, or by the so-called newest advanced theory of government—sovietism— they would have been lined up and executed."

The American Legion at all national conventions has declared itself opposed to the release of those who attempted to create wartime sedition."

### John Grey Remembered.

"Caldwell, Ohio, June—Gathered at a forlorn, and for a long time abandoned cemetery near Caldwell, members of the American Legion paid tribute to the last resting place of John Gray, of revolutionary forces of the colonies to die in this country.

Gray was born in Mt. Vernon, Va., in 1764 and engaged with the revolutionary army at the age of sixteen. He participated in the surrender at Yorktown, and following the war was a field laborer on the Washington estate. He died at the age of 104 years, 2 months, and 23 days. The Legion men paid homage to the grave of Gray, in accord with their annual custom of decorating the graves of soldiers of all wars."

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## THE COST OF THE ARMY OF U. S.

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with 250,000 and Japan fifth with 246,000.

Approaching the matter from the viewpoint of the number of soldiers per 1,000 of population, the United States is last, with 1.33, while France is first with 17.60, Italy second with 6.80, Russia 6.72, United Kingdom 5.43, Japan 4.40.

The $318,439,556 which the United States spends for her Army is only 7.75 per cent. of her total revenue, while France, with an army bill of 5,000,000,000 francs, spends 18.66 per cent. of her tax collections. Russia spends 33.74 per cent. of her income on the Red army, Japan 16.19 per cent. Italy 14.90 per cent. United Kingdom 9.52 per cent. and Germany 3.02 per cent.

If the United States maintained soldiers in the same ratio to national wealth as do other great powers, we would have in he case of France, not 115,500 soldiers, but 2,265,000; in the case of Italy, 2,916,000; in that of Japan, 3,444,000; and in that of the United Kingdom, 749,000 men. If we maintained soldiers in the same ratio to population, we would have not 115,500 men, but, in the case of France 2,104,000; in that of Italy, 748,000; in that of Japan, 484,000, and in that of the United Kingdom, 597,000.

The American Army costs each man, woman and child in the United States $2.99 annually, the report shows, which compares with $30.70 spent for every Russian, $20.60 for every Frenchman, $13.69 for every Italian, $11.90 for every Briton, $11.11 for every German, and $2.24 for every Japanese.

If the National wealth of the United States is $2,468,000,000 there is in this country $2,468,143 for every soldier in the Army, which compares with $467,471 in the United Kingdom, $144,927 in France, $120,000 in Italy, and $101,626 in Japan.

In the expenditure of the money allotted for the Army the War Department is doing everything in its power to economize and the success of its policy is attested by the following letter received by the Secretary of War from the Director of the Budget:

"My Dear Mr. Secretary:

'I have just received a copy of Bulletin of Information No. 24, issued by the Chief of Finance, United States Army, April 1, 1923, which shows that during the month of February, 1923, the War Department took advantage of the 2 per cent. discount offered on bills paid within ten days in 99.51 per cent. of all of the bills. From the bulletin it appears that the total of the 2 per cent. discounts obtained during the month of February, 1923, amounted to $13,158.07, and that the total discounts lost amounted to only $64.45, This shows that the total of all bills offering the discount of 2 per cent. if paid within ten days amounted in round figures to $661,000.00 and that 99.51 per cent. of these bills were actually paid within ten days.

'This is certainly a remarkable record and I doubt if it has ever been equalled by any private business concern. I congratulate you on the showing. Aside from the actual saving in dollars and cents, which is considerable, I realize that there is probably a much greater saving resulting from the increased number of bids or competition in bidding which would naturally obtain in the business of a department which made such prompt settlement of its bills.

'Sincerely yours,
'(Signed) H. M. Lord,
Director.'

The Chief of Finance, Brigadier General Kenzie W. Walker, has reported to the Secretary that $141,019.22 have already been saved in discounts during the present fiscal year. This has been effected by paying within ten days after due of 98.06 per cent. of all bills offering discounts. During the last four fiscal years a total saving of $1,141,602.20 has been effected in this manner.

In a memorandum to the Secretary of War, dated April 17th, General Walker made the following statement:

'The percentage of loss per month is being continually reduced the months of November and December, 1922, and January and February, 1923, showing a percentage of loss of discount as 2.15 per cent, .95 per cent, .72 per cent and .49 per cent respectively. In explanation of even this small percentage of loss the records show that in a large number of cases the discount was offered from date of invoice but due to delay in delivery by the railroad the supplies did not come into possession of the Government within the discount period and payment, therefore, could not be made.

'The prompt payment of accounts is not alone reflected in items where discounts are involved, but the War Department since the establishment of a centralized finance has a record of expenditious payments of other classes of accounts. The Chief of Finance maintains a record of payment of bills and such record shows that in January, 1923, there were on hand throughout the whole Army only two hundred and fifty (250) unpaid bills over thirty days old. The causes for non-payment of these bills are that the supplies have not yet come into possession of the Government or similar reasons over which the department has no control.

'The amount of money represented above as having been taken in discounts although quite a factor in itself has an associated advantage to the Government, the encouragement of contractors to seek War Department business, giving it a greater field of competition and better prices, an intangible asset that can not be expressed in dollars and cents.'"

## NEW POST GYMNASIUM

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and for this reason it will be offered to other activities on the Post, at a nominal fee to cover cost of sandpaper and upkeep of the machine, for the purpose of finishing and polishing floors.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## I. S. D. IS VICTOR IN WEIRD GAME

**Artillery Loses 15 to 7 in Battle Featured By Errors. Muddy Field Makes Good Play Impossible.**

By SGT. J. M. WHEELER

In a weird exhibition of the national pastime the I. S. D. yesterday defeated the artillery by the one-sided score of 15 to 7. The game was halted temporarily in the second inning, with the I. S. D. leading, 3 to 0, by a thunder storm. Play was resumed on a muddy field, making real baseball difficult, thus the many errors. It was the worst game ever played at Fort Benning, bar none, and the champions looked like a bunch of "dumb bells" for awhile, although this makes their seventh straight win for the season.

Fred Merkle and Zimmerman never had anything on the I. S. D. for pure, unadulterated bone-headedness, it may have been the poor opposition that caused them to pull so many peculiar plays or just an off day for the boys. There were no features, Shepard had to leave the game on account of a sore finger and McNutt took up the burden and had the opposition eating out of his hand the remainder of the game.

The least said about the farce, the better.

| I. S. D.— | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hodges, cf. | 6 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Suby, 1b. | 5 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Wheeler, lf. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Waller, rf. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarthy, c. | 3 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwin, ss. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bennett, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Heckert, 3b. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Shepard, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McNutt, p. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 40 | 15 | 15 | 27 | 4 | 1 |

| Artillery— | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bruno, 3b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Walker, 1b. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Everrett, ss. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Felding, c. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 1 |
| Joseph, lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Prazza, 2b. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Pitts, cf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Childurick, rf. | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Owens, p. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 7 | 6 | 24 | 12 | 8 |

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 221 | 015 | 03x— | 15 | 14 | 1 |
| Artillery | 013 | 111 | 000— | 7 | 6 | 8 |

Summary:

Two base hits: Suby and Walker.

Three base hits: Heckert.

Home runs: Waller.

Stolen bases: Heckert, Wheeler.

Base on balls: Shepard, 0; McNutt, 1; Owens, 4.

Struck out: by Shepard, 6; McNutt, 3; Owens, 3.

Umpires: Valentine and Dennis.

Time of game: two hours.

## I. S. D. IS VICTOR IN GREAT GAME

**Tanks Holds Champs Scoreless for Seven Innings But the Break Comes In the Eights. Final Count 5 to 0.**

BY SGT. J. M. WHEELER.

In one of the greatest pitcher's battle, if not the greatest ever staged at Fort Benning, the I. S. D. Wednesday triumphed over the fast traveling Tank Corps by the score of 5 and 0. For seven innings it was three up and three down and McNutt and "Red" Lindsey were hurling the games of their lives. Each twirler had allowed only two hits a piece up to the beginning of the fatal eighth for the tanks; neither team had been able to get a man across the plate for seven heartbreaking frames and it looked to the 400 raving fans as if the two clubs would fight on forever, but the break came in the first half of the eighth.

With the I. S. D. up, Lindsey's defense weakened again and after one was gone, Goodwin got a life on Bitzell's wild heave to first, Hyland followed with his first hit of the year with a screaming single through short, Goodwin taking second, Wheeler singled over third and Goodwin crossed the rubber when the left fielder juggled the ball, Wheeler took second and Hyland third on the peg home, Dausch came through with a single to left, scoring Hyland and Wheeler. That ended the scoring for that inning.

The Tanks got a man on first with two men down in the eighth and "Red" Lindsey poled a screamer to deep left labeled a home run if there was anything ever labeled such, but Waller made a great running catch, retiring the side. This seemed to take the heart out of the Tanks although they never gave up. In the ninth the I. S. D. scored two more after two were down on Suby's double to right, Goodwin's triple to deep left and Hyland's single. The Tanks went out in order in their half, McNutt fanning the first two men and Suby ended the battle by taking Hitchcock's grounded and tagging first.

There were quite a few features, chiefly McNutt's and Lindsey's hurling, McNutt getting the best of it, pitching his second two hit game against the Tanks. Goodwin and Hyland were the hitting stars, each claiming two bingles. With Goodwin the advantage lies for both his blows were for extra bases. Dausch's hit was timely. In fact both clubs played bang up ball. The losers looked good even in defeat and it is a pleasure to play with real sports. The tanks bear watching, for "Red" Lindsey is going to win a game some day by himself. He tried hard but Waller's great catch stopped him Wednesday. The box score follows:

| I. S. D. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheeler, rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dausch, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarthy, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Waller, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Heckert, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Suby, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwin, 3b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Hyland, ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| McNutt, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 36 | 5 | 7 | 27 | 10 | 1 |

| TANKS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltzell, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Dennis, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hitchcock, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 0 |
| Swantic. 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Wade, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Bryant, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Bowe, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lindsey, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| TOTALS | 30 | 0 | 2 | 27 | 8 | 3 |

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | R | H | E |
| I. S. D. | 000 | 000 | 032— | 5 | 7 | 1 |
| TANKS | 000 | 000 | 000— | 0 | 2 | 3 |

Summary: Two base hits: Suby, Goodwin; three base hits, Goodwin; Stolen bases, Wheeler. Struck out by Lindsey, 7; by McNutt, 6. Bases on balls, none. Umpires Harrison and Parks. Time of game 1 hour and 40 minutes. Attendance, 400.


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| 6 A. M. | 8 A. M. |
| 7 A. M. | 10 A. M. |
| 9 A. M. | 12 Noon |
| 11 A. M. | 2 P. M. |
| 1 P. M. | 4 P. M. |
| 3 P. M. | 5 P. M. |
| 4 P. M. | 6 P. M. |
| 5 P. M. | 8 P. M. |
| 7 P. M. | 10 P. M. |
| 9 P. M. | 12 P. M. |
| 11 P. M. | 12:40 A. M. |
| 12 P. M. | |
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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday. 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

## PANAMA CANAL TRAFFIC FOR MAY SETS NEW HIGH RECORD

The following item appeared in a radiogram dated June 1st, 1923, received today from the Governor of The Panama Canal:

"May 419 commercial transits $1,-972,220.84 also 10 launches $42.15 May 25 record day 25 commercial transits tolls $136,604.77."

The traffic for May again forms a new high record.

The following table gives the number of commercial vessels transiting the Canal during the past six months

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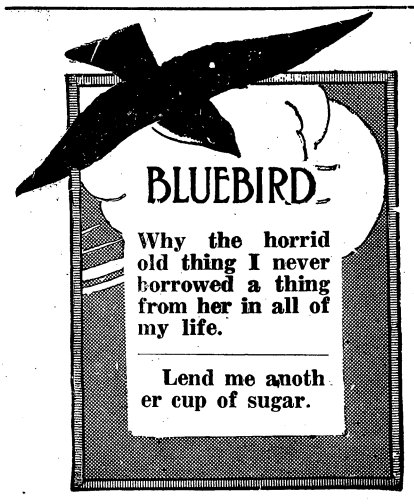


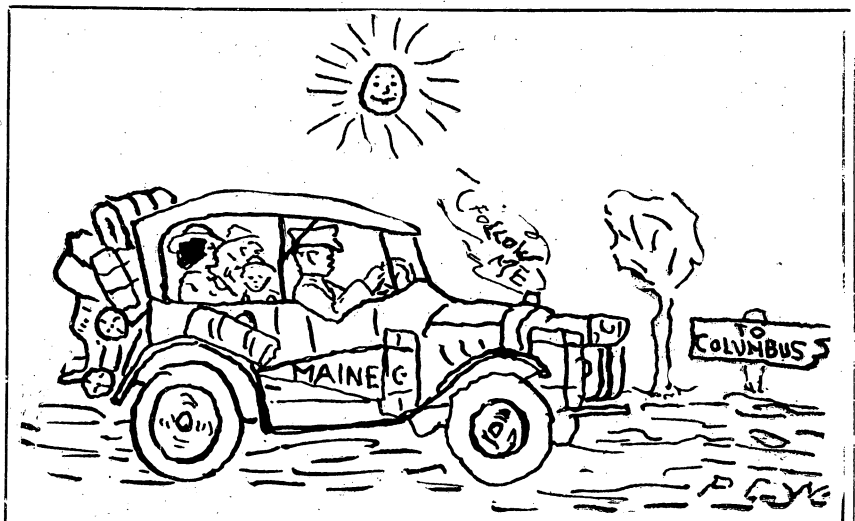


**FOR THE TOURIST—DON'T TRY TO MAKE AN 8-PASSENGER CAR OUT OF A FOUR PASSENGER.**

## THE INFANTRY TEAM.

With few exceptions the ninety-five candidates for the Infantry Rifle team are now in training at Fort Niagara, New York. Actual training started Tuesday, June 12th. Monday being spent in the organization and getting settled. The team this year is being quartered in tents surrounding the old Hostess House and by the addition of running water along the team street, electric lights in each tent, board floors, everyone is quite comfortable and the consensus of opinion is that being so located is better than being in the old building previously used. The mess is located in the old Hostess House and being operated by a civilian concern.

Considerable consternation has been introduced into the team by the new ruling of offhand being fired without the use of the sling and rapid fire at 200 and 300 yards being fired at the "A" target instead of the old rapid fire D target. While this new ruling is tentative, it is practically assured that it will be final and all training is proceeding with that end in view.

Thirty regiments besides the Infantry School and others at large are represented and from every indication, the competition this year will be the strongest of many years past. Approximately one third of the men are new, by that is meant, men who have never been at the tryouts or attended the training at Fort Benning. A great number of the older shots are back and as usual there was the renewal of many old friendships that were started back in years gone by. Among the older shots that fired on previous teams are Lindroth, Hinds. Velenage. Kothlarzak, Rothrock, Silvester, Wessels, Price, Loerger, Stadic, Whitaker, Miller, Kneuble, Tupper and Fenton.

By the end of the week the team personnel will be completed and by the first of next week the hard, steady grind will start. The balance of this

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## C. M. T. C. DEFINED

In speaking of the Citizens Military Training Camp and its purpose, the Commanding General the of Fifth Corps Area, Major General J. H. McRae, has said:

"The main purpose of the Citizens' Military Training Camps are to teach young men Americanism, to improve them physically, mentally and morally and bring them to a realization of their obligations to their country.

"There are numerous other benefits obtained from these camps by both the individual attending them and the community from which he comes. Each man goes home greatly benefited physically from thirty days of strenuous outdoor life, and carries with him the satisfaction of knowing himself a better man as a result of his training and of his association with other men imbued with a keen sense of their responsibility as citizens of this great country.

"The community has its men return from these camps better disciplined, and with a broader and more detailed knowledge of what are their duties to the state and their fellow citizens.

"I am firmly convinced that the Citizens' Military Training Camps are one of the most potent agencies of this Government for teaching the people the highest American ideals and how these ideals may be maintained.—(Fifth Corps News.)

## TELEPHONE AT POST HEADQUARTERS

Orders have recently been issued that all telephones at Post Headquarters except the pay station, will not be used for calls to Columbus after business hours unless by an officer who is regularly on duty in the buildng or by the M. P. on duty and then for official use only.

So take heed all of you who have been using these phones for the operators have instructions not to make connections.

## 29th INFANTRY COMPLETES RIFLE FIRING

### Regiment Averages 95.67 Per Cent.

Under such difficult circumstances that it is believed that there is not another regiment in the Army that had to overcome such obstucles, the 29th Infantry have at last completed rifle firing.

The work is such at the Infantry School as to make it next to impossible for any of the organizations to have all of their men present for continuous training, it is really remarkable that the Regiment made the percentage that they did. Usually when an organization goes on the range, most if not all of their men on special duty are relieved, but this was not the case with the 29th as they still had to supply all of their detaills and at the same time carry on with the rifle work.

The 2nd Battalion was especially hard hit in that they had to discontinue their shooting when they were about half through on the range to attend the ten day maneuver staged here about the middle of May. But they finished firing this week with a very good record.

Competition was especially keen between the two Battalions and each was determined to best the other but as it was impossible for both to be winners one simply had to beat the other.

While the Second Battalion finally proved that they were the superior marksmen, when they made a Battalion average of 95.71 per cent., nevertheless the First Battalion were not a bunch that laid down as their average was 95.59 per cent.

There is not the slightest doubt but what if the 29th had been able to have all of their men present for continuous training they would have made still a higher record.

**The Grey Squirrel said, "It sure is tough,**
**To have nothing to say when you ought to be rough.**
**Everybody's being good; they don't even growl.**
**For goodness sake, start something," he ended with a howl.**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.**

On last Monday Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kneeland of Battle Creek, Michigan announced the engagement of their daughter Dorothy to Lieutenant Arthur N. Ziegler U. S. Army.

The wedding will take place next August.

**A JOYOUS HOUSE PARTY.**

One of the most joyous house party of the past week was the one given by Master Woodson Hocker Jr. Six guests enjoyed his hospitality from Wednesday, June 13 to Friday, June 15th. One of the features was the swimming party given at the Post Swimming Pool on the evening of the thirteenth.

**MISS KENT GONE.**

Miss Kent the daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Kent is spending this week in Macon, Ga., as the guest of Miss Kinnett.

**COLONEL HANNAH SURPRISED!**

It is with sincere regret that we must announce that Colonel Hannah violated a very important principal of Infantry Tactics when on last Friday evening he allowed himself to be surprised and captured by a party of twenty-two guests that Mrs. Hannah had invited to assist him to celebrate his birthday. However we must admit that the Colonel did not lose his head, but made an immediate and hasty "estimate of the situation" and attacked with such skill and determination that the "Enemy" was soon calling for quarters after which he invited his new friends into the dining room where Mrs. Hannah had a very tempting dinner already. The table was beautifully decorated with nasturminums, roses and other flowers.

After the delightful dinner the entire party attended the hop given by the Officers' Club at the Polo Club House.

**THE DESERTED VILLAGE.**

Biglerville Hall and vicinity has "Passed out" according to recent word. We understand that the jazz quartetts no longer harmonize at ten P. M. nor do the phonographs send out their mournful tones at four o'clock in the morning. In fact its so quite that the dogs won't stay there any more and this probably accounts for the fact that Calculator has been seen roaming around in Block 23. However there is one thing that does liven up Block 21 and that there is a perfume artist that is now making nightly visits to this place and leaves an aroma around that is not at all pleasing to those who must still reside there. Since Dr. Guy S. Murrah, Deputy Sheriff Murl Lamb and A. G. Reese have been able to capture one wild beast they may probably be able to catch this one. Here is hoping that they try it, not for our particular benefit but for the benefit of Block 21 and vicinity.

**DEPARTURES.**

Mrs. Butler left last Monday for New York. Before her departure many of her friends had her in to dinner.

Major and Mrs. M. S. Lough left for Camp Custer. The Major secured a ten days leave of absence and they are driving through in their car.

Major and Mrs. Lewis have gone North on a leave of absence. However he may have to go to Camp Custer in connection with the Summer Training there.

Mrs. W. O. Smith was called home suddenly by the illness of her father at Nashville, Tenn.

Major and Mrs. Middleton are packing up preparatory to leaving on a leave. Major Middleton will go to Fort Leavenworth this Fall to attend the school.

**REACH LOS ANGELES O. K.**

Lieutenant and Mrs. Kersh and family who are enroute to Hawaii via Los Angeles arrived at the latter place last week and spent their spare time taking in the sights and renewing acquaintances.

**LIKES CAMP McCLELLAN.**

Captain and Mrs. O. M. Moore and family who motored to Camp McClellan last week arrived there O. K. and are delighted with the place, and are looking forward to a pleasant summer among the mountains of Alabama.

**COMPLIMENTING MRS. BUTLER.**

On last Sunday evening Major and Mrs. Geo. Koehler were the delightful guests at an informal dinner party in honor of Mrs. Butler.

Among those present were Colonel and Mrs. Hansell, Mr. Wilson, father of Mrs. Hansell, Major and Mrs. Dinsmore and Mrs. Butler.

**FOR MAJOR AND MRS. CAMPONOLE.**

On last Saturday evening Major and Mrs. Camponole were delightfully entertained at an informal dinner by Colonel and Mrs. McCaskey.

**MRS. ROBY'S BRIDGE.**

On Thursday, June 14th, Mrs. A. A. Roby entertained at two tables of bridge.

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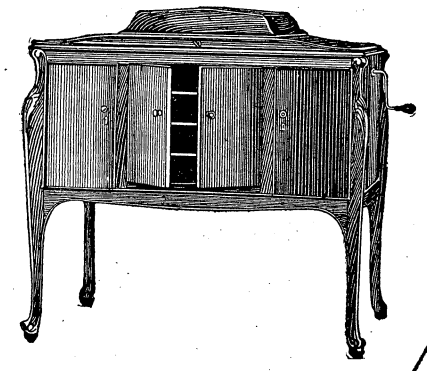

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# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post or Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst, 360 Post.**

(Continued from page two.)

Mrs. Geo. Goodale won the high score prize and Mrs. Lukert won the second. Mrs. Sproule drew the consolation.

Ice Cream and cake were served after the playing.

### FAREWELL PARTY FOR MRS. PHILIP GALLAGHER

As a farewell to her cousin, Mrs. Philip Gallagher, who is leaving soon for China, a pretty bridge party was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. Elliott Waddell at her home on 2nd Avenue.

Garden flowers placed in bowls and vases lent a bright note of color to the living-room and dining-room.

Mrs. Sam Buracker won the top-score prize, a dainty embroidered handkerchief.

Mrs. Gallagher was presented two decks of gilt-edged cards.

After the game, a frozen salad course was served.

Those present were: Mrs. Chas. Campbell, Mrs. Carter Scott Jones, Mrs. Abbott Turner, Mrs. Dudley Spain Mrs. Philip Gallagher, Miss Agnes Harrison, Mrs. Theo Golden, Mrs. Burnside Huffman, Mrs. Will McKee, Mrs. Sam Buracker, Mrs. Herbert Groover, Mrs. Robt. McNulty.

The tea guests were Mrs. Brown, of Tuscaloosa, Mrs. W. B. Slade, Mrs. Laura McNulty, Mrs. John Speed, Mrs. R. P. Spencer.

### WEDDING OF MISS SIMS AND CAPT. HAMMOND.

The wedding plans of Miss Alice Sims, only daughter of Mrs. Edwin Huson Sims, to Capt. Claud Green Hammond are of more than usual interest to Columbus society.

Miss Sims is a debutante of this season and is a very charming and beautiful girl.

Capt. Hammond is a South Carolinian by birth, his home having been in Sumter, S. C. He graduated from the Citadel, Charleston, S. C.

The marriage will take place Monday evening, June 25, at Trinity Episcopal Church at seven-thirty o'clock. Rev. S. Alston Wragg will perform the ceremony.

The bridesmaids are to be Misses Mildred Daniel, Nathalie Guthrie of New Orleans, and Elizabeth Mizell.

Miss Margaret Flemister of Gainesville, Ga., will be maid of honor.

Mr. Edwin Sims, the elder brother of the bride will give her away.

Mr. Jack Hammond, of New Orleans, brother of the groom, will be his best man.

The groomsmen are to be Capt. Little, Capt. Chesser and Lieut. Honnen.

### SWIMMING PARTY.

Capt. and Mrs. Chas. S. Hendrickson entertained at a swimming party and picnic supper on June 18, the occasion being Captain Hendrickson's birthday. Places were laid for 50 guests who enjoyed the novel idea of supper on the slope of the "Old Swimming Hole," at Fort Benning. Invited guests were: Col. Wm. M. Fassett, Col. M. C. Kerth, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. H. S. Hansell, Miss Susan Hensell, Mr. Wilson, Major and Mrs. Manton Mitchell, Master Carol Mitchell, Master Robert Newnan, Major and Mrs. R. B. Tobias, Major and Mrs. Fred Walker, Master Buster Walker, Master Charles Walker, Major and Mrs. Frank Green, Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Hahn, Capt. and Mrs. J. Lattin, Miss Gennette Lattin, Capt. and Mrs. John R. Sands, Miss Katherine Sands, Master John Sands, Capt. John Farnsworth, Lt. and Mrs. E. W. Peach, Mrs. Isaac Gill, Jr., Lt. and Mrs. Ranald T. Adams, Lt. and Mrs. Richard Lussier, Lt. and Mrs. Wm. A. Smith, Capt. O. W. Humphries, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kunze, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kunze, Master John Kunze, Miss Helen Hendrickson, Master Stephen Hendrickson, Capt and Mrs. C. S. Hendrickson.

### MRS. FRANK GREEN'S BRIDGE SUPPER.

On Thursday evening, June 14th Mrs. Frank Green wife of Maj. Green, American Red Cross gave a delightful bridge-supper complimenting Mrs. Fred Walker and Mrs. Joheph D. Hahn who will soon be leaving.

Shasta daisies and zinnias were artistically arranged on the tables.

A most appetizing supper was served at seven o'clock after which bridge was indulged in.

Each honoree was presented a bottle of Coty's sachet.

The ladies' high-score prize, an attractive beaded hot-dish pad, was won by Mrs. Henderickson.

The gentlemen's prize, a bill-folder, was won by Capt. Hahn.

Major Walker drew the consolation and received as a result a reminder "of the good old days."

Those present were: Col. and Mrs. McCaskey, Col. and Mrs. Peyton, Major and Mrs. Walker, Major and Mrs. Koehler, Capt. and Mrs. Hahn, Capt. and Mrs. Lattin, Capt. and Mrs. Switzer, Major and Mrs. Green, Capt. and Mrs. Elkins, Capt. and Mrs. Lester, Capt. and Mrs. Dibrell, Capt. and Mrs. Campbell, Lieut. and Mrs. Brotherson, Lieut. and Mrs. Rycroft, Capt. and Mrs. Henderickson, Lieut. and Mrs. Peach, Capt. and Mrs. Brownell, Mrs. Gill, Lieut. and Mrs. Brandhorst.

### 24th INFANTRY BRIDGE CLUB.

The last meeting of the 24th Infantry Bridge Club was held last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. D. Daugherty.

Nasturtiums were artistically used for the decorations.

Mrs. Hannah won the high score prize and won a mahogany tray while Mrs. Wilson won the second a thermos bottle. Mrs. M. E. Jones drew the cut prize and received a set of iridescent candle sticks.

There were three tables of players present.

A delicious frozen salad and punch were served after the playing.

### MISS GRAHAM TOURING.

Miss Kathleen Graham daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Graham left last Friday for Chicago where she joined Major and Mrs. E. C. Waddill and will accompany them on their auto trip to California. Major Waddill is going to his new station which is the University of California.

Miss Graham will visit Mrs. Graham's mother, Mrs. D. M. Kent, for the summer and will return to Fort Benning this Fall.

### A MISTAKE.

We had this space reserved for a dinner party that we heard that Lieut. and Mrs. Buracker had. But when we called we found that we had made a mistake as Mrs. Buracker says that I had been misinformed. But as we had this space reserved we thought that we had better fill it up some way. So this is the way that we did it.

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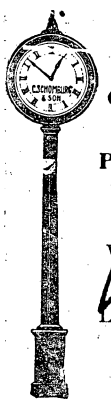

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## ADDRESS OF GEN. PERSHING TO THE CONFERENCE ON RELIGIOUS AND MORAL TRAINING FOR SOLDIERS

General John J. Pershing addressed the Conference on Reliigous and Moral Training for Soldiers at the National Museum, June 6th, as follows:

More than eight years ago it was my pleasure to call together the chaplains of the Eighth Brigade, then serving in the vicinity of El Paso, Texas, the purpose being "To consider ways and means through which the chaplains may co-operate in the entertainment, improvement and moral uplife of the command." That was the first Chaplains' Conference of which the War Department has record.

During the World War, the need of the services of chaplains overseas was early recognized and the numbers of chaplains for duty with troops was materially increased. Their usefulness in the maintenance of morale through religious counsel and example has now become a matter of history and can be accepted as having demonstrated, if need be, the wisdom of the religious appeal to the soldier.

As a consequence the efficiency program of the Army has taken the religious element more deeply into account, and the force of spiritual uplift has been given larger consideration. In this endeavor, the Army recalls the admonition of its first Commander-in-Chief, than whom none was ever in better position to give counsel, to "indulge with caution the supposition that morality can be maintained without religion."

While recognizing that all forms of military training have in them certain elements of moral instruction, religion contains the secret of and impetus toward clean living. Therefore a steady effort is made to put the hearts of men into right relation to God.

Soldiers readily see the difference between that effort which is religion pure and undefiled and that which merely seeks sectarian advantage. They are quick to recognize a positive and practical appeal to those in need of spiritual guidance, and they have little time or sympathy for those who indulge in unbrotherly denunciation of others who seek the same God through different forms of faith, expression and relationship.

The definite responsibility for matters of a religious and moral nature within a command develops upon the commanding officers as completely as do strictly military matters. The chaplain is a religious specialist on the staff of the commanding officer and is charged with the details of this work. He must minister, so far as practicable, to the needs of the entire personnel of the command to which he is assigned, either through his own personal services or through the co-operative effort of others. He is enjoined to enlist the active aid and co-operation of such military and civilian assistants, both lay and clerical, as the needs of the command may require.

The position of chaplain is unique. He is rightfully a commissioned officer, yet without command. On this score no question of authority brings him into rivalry with any other officer. He may be welcomed alike by general, second lieutenant or private without any seeming inconsistency of association, if only he has the power of making himself personally or socially agreeable or useful. He can be among the enlisted men in a confidential relationship, as one entirely in sympathy with them, without any thought on the part of either that he is stepping out of his sphere. In this a chaplain has a position unlike that of any other person in the Army. A position of marvelous possibilities and opportunities. It is his own fault if he does not avail himself of it and improve its advantage.

On the theory that unsupervised operatives are never effective, chaplains are now under professional supervision through the office of the chief of chaplains. They have a head to whom they may look for suggestion and stimulation in their work.

In keeping with all other branches of the military service a Chaplains' School has been established where training is given in those subjects which are not presented in any curriculum in previous schooling. It is essential to military service and adaptability that chaplains have a thorough knowledge of army customs and courtesies, army regulations, approved methods for practical work in field and garrison, equitation and topography applied to graves registration work.

Following a well considered plan of the War Department the Chief of Chaplains has made visitations to camps, posts and stations for the purpose of strengthening local programs and has held conferences with line officers, chaplains and civilians with a view to increasing interest in the spiritual life of the commands. Good results have followed:

"Add a step to your sword," was the advice of the Spartan mother whose soldier son came to her complaining that his work would not reach the enemy. In the Army we are exceedingly anxious to keep pace with that great wave of sentiment which calls for a more practical application of the fundamentals of religion to all of the affairs of men. We may not see eye to eye the details of such work but we are united on a common task.

We need expert counsellors and you are looked upon as such in your particular fields. This conference has been called with the hope and expectation that you leaders in the churches and welfare organizations will aid us in devising and carrying forward, an intensified program for the Army along moral and religious lines. A program the whole purpose of which shall be to keep soldiers true and strong and steady.

I am profoundly grateful to you gentlemen for responding to the call of the Secretary of War. From the wisdom and experience of this group there will come such suggestions as shall strengthen the cause of righteousness within the Army. With this done there must be a healthy reaction among those with whom our military personnel has contact.

May you be divinely guided as you counsel together and formulate plans for this the most important phase of the life and training of soldiers.

## MENUS ARRANGED FOR R. O. T. C. ARE FIT FOR AKING

**(By The Mess Officer Camp McClellan)**

The messing of trainees for the Summer Camp of 1923 has been placed in the hands of Lieutenant-Colonel L. O. Mathews, Q. M. C., Camp Mess Officer, assisted by First Lieutenant P. S. Huber, Q. M. C. Lieutenant Huber is the Senior Instructor in the Cooks' and Bakers' School at Fort Benning, Georgia.

General Shanks, Corps Area Commander, in speaking of the feeding of students emphasized the importance of this department and summed up his advice to the C. M. O. by saying: "The only way to satisfy the appetites of these growing youngsters, is to fill their stomachs 'til their eyes bulge out, and then put a sweet taste in their mouths and turn them loose."

These instructions will be carried out strictly, and, while it is hoped that we will not develop an army of pot-bellied Napoleons running around camp licking their chops, it is hoped that we can keep a smile on their faces and a sweet taste in their mouths.

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A sample of the menu follows:

**Breakfast.**

Canteloupe or berries.
Cereal—Hot milk, toast and heart of the wheat.
Beef saute'.
Lyonnaised potatoes.
Bread.
Coffee.
Sugar and milk for fruit, cereal and coffee.

**Dinner**

Boiled picnic ham and fresh cabbage.
Macaroni with cheese.
Hot corn bread.
Pickles.
Green apple pie.
Fresh buttermilk.

**Supper**

Hamburger steak.
Fried cabbage (left over from dinner.)
Hot rolls.
Butter and fresh apple sauce.
Iced tea.

—Camp McClellan Messenger.


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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

**Nomenclature.** Efforts continue along the line of co-ordinating the nomenclature used at the Infantry School, the Signal School, and the General Service Schools, etc.

**Compressed Ration.** Tests have been conducted on this post, including those conducted during the maneuver period, on the use and care of the Shiverick Compressed Forage Ration.

**Howitzer Pack Equipment.** New model packs for Howitzer Company equipment for use in the Panama Department have been devised and submitted for consideration.

**Cleaning Rods.** The Report on Test of Cleaning Rods conducted by the Department of Experiment has been forwarded to the Chief of Infantry with recommendations as to the proper type of cleaning rod to have adopted.

**Machine Rifles and Bipods.** The Report on Test of Browning Machine Rifles, Browning Automatic Rifles and several types of Bipods has been submitted with recommendations to the Chief of Infantry.

**Chaplains' Equiment.** Word has been received from the Adjutant General's office that the Chaplain's Equipment which has in the past been carried in the War Set is to be transferred to Peace Time Equipment for use in Posts, Forts and Garrisons which have Chaplains present for duty.

**Escort Wagon and Rolling Kitchen.** Minor questions concerning the Escort Wagon and Rolling Kitchen were disposed of at the last meeting of the fantry Board.

## PROGRAM OF MILITARY TOURNAMENT

### Third Corps Area, U. S. Army at Baltimore Stadium

The News is in receipt of a copy of the Third Corps Area military tournament which was held in the Baltimore Stadium recently.

The program is an elaborate 52 page affair, very attractive and a creditable publication. The advertising in the program indicates that the business men of Baltimore were heartily in sympathy with the tournament. The program contains very clear photographic cuts of President Harding, Mr. Weeks, Mr. Davis, Mr. Richie, the Governor of Maryland, General Pershing, General Hines, General Muir, and other military and civilian personages.

The program of events follows:

**Morning Animal Transport Competitions—10 A. M. June 2nd, 1923**

Event No. 1.—Escort Wagons, equipped for the field.

Event No. 2.—Rolling Kitchens, complete.

Event No. 3.—Four Line Championship for ribbon winners of Events Nos. 1 and 2.

Event No. 4.—Two Line Vehicles of all types.

Event No. 5—One Line Vehicle of all types.

Event No. 6.—One and Two Line Championship for ribbon winners of events 4 and 5.

Event No. 7.—Artillery teams, either gun, limber or caisson.

Judges—Colonel Ola W. Bell, Cavalry. Captain Emery Williamson, Signal Corps.

Clerk of Course—Captain Terrill E. Price, Cavalry.

**Motor Transport Competitions—10 A. M. June 2nd, 1923**

**Display of Special Type Motor Vehicles of the U. S. Army.**

Event No. 1.—Tire Changing Contest—Dodge Cars.

Event No. 2.—Tire Changing Contest—G. M. C. Trucks.

Event No. 3.—Precision Driving Contest—Dodge Touring Cars.

Event No. 4.—Precision Driving Contest—Class B. Trucks.

Event No. 5.—Precision Driving Contest—G. M. C. Trucks.

Event No. 6.—Precision Driving Contest—Motorcycles.

Judges—Major Arthur E. Ahrends, G. S., Major Brainard Taylor, Q. M. C. Captain Harley Dressback, Q. M. C.

Clerk of Course—Captain George A. Horkan, Q. M. C.

**Afternoon—2 P. M. June 2nd, 1923**

Event No. 1.—Flag Raising and Artillery Salute by Battery C, 16th Field Artillery. Patriotic airs by the Army Band.

Event No. 2.—Parade of the winners of the Animal and Motor Transport Competitions held this a. m.

Event No. 3.—Coast Artillery Demonstration by Battery A, 61st Artillery Battalion, Anti-Aircraft, searchlights in and out of action.

Event No. 4.—Quartermaster Corps Demonstration by detachment from Camp Holabird—repairing wrecked automobile.

Event No. 5.—Tank Demonstration by detachment from Tank School, Camp Meade, Md. Small maneuvers.

Event No. 6.—Air Service Demonstration by airplanes from Bolling Field and 18th Airship Company. Airplanes in Military formations and flight of non-rigid Airship C-14.

Event No. 7.—Daylight Fireworks.

Event No. 8.—Indoor Polo Game (soft ball and reduced size field). Two periods. Fort Myer Team vs. Headquarters Third Corps Area Team.

Event No. 9.—Infantry Demonstration by Platoon 12th Infantry, illustrating the attack of machine gun nest, using smoke screen.

Event No. 10.—Officers Chargers Competition ridden by officers, personally or Government owned, over gates four feet high, twice around course, performances alone to count.

Judges—Lt. Col. John S. Fair, Cavalry. Major Dale F. McDonald, Infantry.

Event No. 11.—Cavalry Demonstration by Troop F, 3rd Cavalry. Exhibition riding.

Event No. 12.—Exhibition ride by officers of 3rd Cavalry.

Event No. 13.—Field Artillery Demonstration by Battery C, 16th Field Artillery from Fort Myers, Va. Exhibition Drill and Driving.

## HINTS TO RIFLEMEN

1. Don't stay up after taps.
2. Don't smoke to excess during the target season, and refrain from drinking anything intoxicating.
3. Don't crab when you think that you have been sent to the pits too often.
4. Don't fail to keep a neat scorebook; it helps on your record.
5. Don't produce an alibi for every shot that fails to reach the bull's eye. If you pull off, or flinch, admit it, and correct it the next time.
6. Don't fail to "squeeze" the trigger.
7. Do your best—every shot.
8. Do your crabbing to yourself—show the world a smile.
9. Center your very existence about the old rifle. Talk, eat, sleep and think it.
10. Do all the hard practice you can behind the firing line. Especially practice the trigger squeeze standing and kneeling.
11. Do everything you have been instructed to do. Make every shot count. It takes position, correct aim, correct holding of the breath, and a real trigger squeeze, every shot—to make the white disk come up.
12. Do your part for the regiment by qualifying yourself.—(The Chilkoot Post.)

## NEXT YEAR'S FOOTBALL TEAM.

Pesismistic followers of the great American game of football at the Infantry School put on a long face when the word "football" is mentioned and say, "Well, it's not much use to try to do anything next year because we have no material." These brethren who see nothing but the hole in the doughnut are honest in their convictions but they are not thoroughly familiar with the local football situation.

As a matter of fact the Infantry School has football material far above the average. Certain individual football stars who have been members of unit football teams during the last season furnish the nucleus for a strong aggressive team. All that is required is proper coaching and team-work, both of which are available.

Take a look at the following names of seasoned players and then try to be pessimistic, Swantic, Romploski, Donelly, Ellis, Lindsey, Parrish, Davis, Baltzell, Sharpe, Parker, Brown Lee, Smith, Daniels, Swall, and a number of others whose names do not come to mind right at present. A good football story could be written about most of these players whose qualifications are that they are not only strong individual players but they had two or more seasons of football.

They come from the Tanks, the Infantry, the Artillery, and the I. S. D. therebygiving everybody representation. No doubt there are other strong players, or prospective players, of whom we know nothing as yet but the following line-up looks good to the Sports Editor:

R. E.—Baltzell, 15th Tanks.
R. T.—Lee, 15th Tanks.
R. G.—Davis, 29th Infantry.
C.—Lindsey, 15th Tanks.
L. G.—Donnelly, 83rd Artillery.
L. T.—Ellis, I. S. D.
L. E.—Brown, 29th Infantry.
Q.—Romploski, 29th Infantry.
R. H.—Sharpe, 15th Tanks.
L. H.—Parrish, 29th Infantry.
F. B.—Swantic, 15th Tanks.
Sub.—Daniels, 29th Infantry (Back)
Sub.—Swall, 29th Infantry, (Line)
Sub.—Smith, 15th Tanks, (Tanks)
Sub.—Parker, 29th Infantry (Line)

## 3rd DIVISION ANNUAL CONVENTION

The Society of the 3rd Division, 1626 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa., will hold its anual convention and reunion in Philadelphia on July 13th, 14th and 15th.

The acting Adjutant General, Brigadier General Benjamin Alvord has authorized commanders concerned to grant leave of absence to officers or furlough to enlisted men who were in the 3rd Division overseas and who desire to attend the reunion, provided that no interference to the public service is occasioned thereby.

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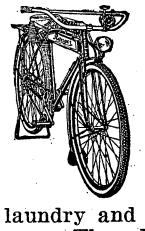

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## THE LAST ONE.

It is with a mixed feeling of regret and joy that I take the old typewriter in hand for the last time as Editor of the "NEWS."

It has been a great pleasure to work with the "NEWS" and see it grow and judging from what others have said, to see it improving. The knowledge also that there will be no more night work of three and four nights a week is a great relief.

In most duties when you have completed with a certain piece of work you know it is finished and you can have satisfaction of knowing wheather you have completed a satisfactory task or not. But with the "News" you can not get that satisfaction due to the fact that you are never finished with the task. You may think that when an issue is completed that you are through but this is not the case for you will try to keep up to a certain standard and if in one issue you are able to raise the standard than this is your new goal for the succeeding issues so the result is that when you have one issue on the press you are hustling around trying to find suitable material for the next issue so it simply amounts to the fact that you are traveling around in a circle and at the same time looking for a break or an end of this circle.

To those who think that the "News" has expanded to its limit, it would not be out of place here to inform you that if present plans can be carried through, the "News" is still in its infancy. It all goes well within a very short time every infantry officer of the army will receive a copy of the "News" each week and this as at now, without cost to the reader. This looks like a large program and it is but with a little more co-operation it will be possible.

Several persons have asked why the name of the "News" has recently been changed. The preceding paragraph will probably explain to you the reason for it is expected that in addition to the sporting and social news of the Infantry School that these items will also be carried from other posts so that student officers here will be able to keep in touch with their previous station and also that one post will know what is going on at those stations as well as at the "Infantry School."

However the duties of the editor can be greatly lighted if the readers would give just a little help. Contrary to general belief, the duties of the edito rare in addition to his other duties and so it is absolutely impossible for the editor to scout around the Post and pick up all of the news of interest so if the readers would call the editor and give a little of this "dope" the "News" would materially improve.

So in closing let me again ask that the readers give the editor your full support and help him wherever you can, and also that it is the advertisers of the "News" that make this paper possible and they only, from the financial point of view for if we did not have the advertisers the "News" would have to discontinue so you can help materially by buying only from our advertisers.

It would not be amiss here to extend my heartiest thanks to Captain Kraul and Private P. C. Wright, 24th Infantry for the continuous flow of cartoons and drawing that they have submitted, also to Lieutenant Hess, Lieutenant Bryne and Colonel Norton for the drawings that they submitted. They have all been appreciated and if there are any other persons who have the ability to draw lets see some of your work.

Sincerely hoping that the New Editor Lieut. John W. Elkins, can carry out his present program of the "News" and hoping that the "News" will be permanent institution of the "Infantry School" I leave it with the feeling that the "News" is accomplishing what it started out to do and sincerely hope for the future success and well being of the "News" and also that my successor who was also my predecessor and incidently the originator and founder of the "News" will carry on with a deep interest.

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We note that progress is being made on the hard-surfacing of the Columbus-Cussetta road. However the Fort Benning-Columbus road hasn't improved with use.

## "THE CROSSED CANNONS"

This week we received "The Crossed Cannon" a "nifty" get up of the Coast Artillery School at Fort Monroe, Va. They are very liberal in the use of cuts and the paper carries a goodly amount of advertising and in additions good selections in reading matter. Also we note that this is not a new paper as it is now in its third volume and has gone twenty-five issues toward the fourth.

## CAMP McCLELLAN MESSENGER MAKES APPEARANCE

The "News" is in receipt of "The Camp McClellan Messenger" the first issue of which was distributed on June 14.

The paper is newsy, the editorials are well prepared, the printing is good and last—but by far not the least factor to be considered, the "Messenger" carries a godly supply of advertising.

"The Messenger" is distributed free to all components of the Army of the United States on duty or undergoing training at Camp McClellan as well as all R. O. T. C. and C. M. T. C. trainees.

The Messenger's a creditable Service paper and, besides welcoming the paper to the fold, the "News" tenders congratulations to the "Messenger" on the things contained in the paper which go to make up a good newspaper.

## Kajolery Kolyum

The "News" realizes that a large number of officers who have been ordered away desire to sell their cars. The "News" is interested in seeing officers get as good a price as possible for their cars.

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Will the party who, about 6 weeks ago, gave a package to Miss Bowman, head nurse, for a lady in the hospital please call 192 Ft. Benning.

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FOR SALE—One Hughes' Electric two hole stove with oven. In good condition. Price $20.00. Call 267 Fort Benning.

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WANTED—To buy a private house on the Post. Call Lieut. J. W. Elkins, Office Phone 146 R. 1 or Quarters Phone 72.

## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE.

The little Calculator looked up with a crooked snarl, temporarily forgetting his weeks salary of commissary beef, and growled, "Dane, I am tired of this diet of mine. If it doesn't improve the News can get some one else to talk. Tough meat. The more I eat the tougher I get." The Great Dane smiled a benevolent smile. (All really great folks smile benevolent smiles.) "Poor little Calculator" he said "With all your wisdom tell me, do you know what a real tough individual is?" The wise one made another hopeless effort with his meat and replied, "Sure I do." The Billeting officer is a tough one, for if you haven't enough rank to hold the place you are living in he will sure help you out." The Dane gulped in sympathy and opined "That isn't a tough individual, that's only tough luck and a most venerable custom of the service. However, I know a really tough man, a doctor, who always sprinkles quinine on his grape fruit instead of sugar. Even then he sometimes complains that it is too sweet for him." "Gee, that guy sure is tough. He don't skip it none. But what can you expect of a doctor? I bit one once, my lower jaw skidded and I have had trouble with my commissary meat ever since" and the Wise One worked on.

## AUTOMOBILES.

The "News" is now going to those officers who will compose next year's class. List your cars with the "News" and you may make a sale to an incoming officer. There is no charge for this service.

Should you decide to leave the car in storage until next year the "News" will at that time endeavor to sell it for you by carrying your ad, gratis.

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Captain A. A. Roby,
Executive officer, Station Hospital,
Office phone 144, Quarters 373.

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FOR SALE—A Nash roadster, late 1922 model, driven 14,000 miles, in excellent mechanical condition. Attractive terms offered. Interested parties see Lieut. E. H. Snodgrass, Post Headquarters.

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## The Jist o' Life
**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

**Poor Pat.**

Pat after having been in the trenches was wounded and returned home. One day he met Mike who accosted him cheerfully, "Well, Pat, I see you're back from the front." Pat replied: "Begorra, I know 'twas thin I was, but I didn't know I was that thin."

**So What's The Use?**

You may urge me to buy a nice comb
And tell me to take it right home
But what good would it do?
For it's perfectly true,
That I haven't a hair on my domb!

**Grand Larceny.**

He—If I stole a kiss, would it be petty larceny?

She—No, I think it would be grand.

**And Terrafic.**

Teacher—How many kinds of poetry are there?

Pupil—Three.

Teacher—What are they?

Pupil—Lyric, dramatic and epidemic.

**Some Singer.**

Valerie's mamma was trilling a tra la la in imitation of Tetrazzini and Valerie remembered "The Echo" as sung by the famous song bird, but she inquired, "Mamma isn't that one of Hygiene's songs?

**Some Judging.**

A giant Scotchman was quarreling with an Englishman of small stature over the man standard in the two countries and the Scotchman looking down somewhat contemptuously from his superior height said, "England never produced such men as Scotland has." The Englishman replied, "You, Scotch, judge a man from his chin down. We English, judge a man from his chin up."

Teacher—What is the meaning of false doctrine?

Johnny—That's when the doctor gives the wrong stuff to people who are sick.

**Broke Both Ways.**

"Well," said a saloon keeper to an old friend, "I see you've been up to the Tabernacle and given the Evangelist your last nickel, now you'll have to walk home.

"Yes," replied the man, with a satisfied air, "and many a time I have given you my last nickel and couldn't walk home."

**A Good Excuse.**

Clergyman—Do you mean to say that your wife goes to church every Sunday without you?

Stray Sheep—It isn't my fault. I can't persuade her to stay at home.

**Passing The Buck.**

Lady of the House—Didn't I tell you never to come here again?

Tramp—I beg pardon, madam, it's the fault of my secretary. I told him to strike your name from my visiting list.

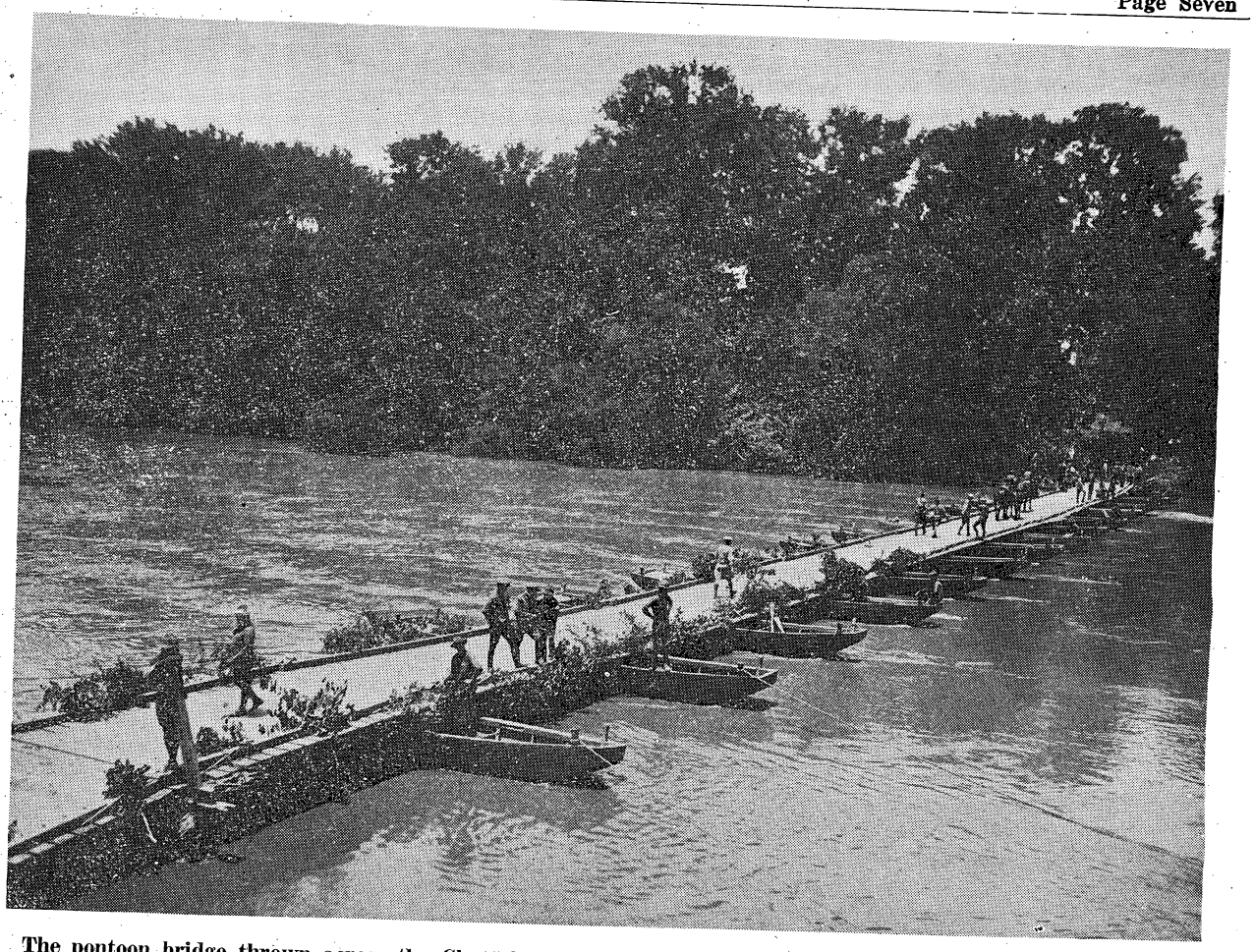
**Oh You Hypocrits.**

Billy Sunday says: Going to church doesn't make a man a Christian any more than going into a garage makes him an automobile.

**It Depends.**

Lady of the House—I don't mind giving you a meal, but I shall require a return.

Hobo—Well, mum, if I like your cookin' I'll return as often as you want.



**The pontoon bridge thrown across the Chattahoochee River on May 22nd, 1923, over which the "Blue Army" retreted successfully during the big maneuver held by the Infantry School last May.**

**A group of three officers near the Second pontoon are Major General Hines, Deputy Chief of Staff, Major General Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry and Brigadier General Gordon, Commandant of the Infantry School, who inspected the pontoon bridge after the troops had passed over it.**

## LOTS OF GAME ABOUT.

Through some manner of means the folowing letter arrived in the office of the "News" on last Tuesday afternoon.

We are reproducing it for the benefit of our readers:

dEar doc muRRah and mR. Sheruf lamb

out hear iN fort bening there has bin For about 2 weeks sum kine of a Varmunt that has bin teroizing the hole plase.

nobody seams to no What this varmUnt is but you can Tell it iz aroun every P. M. even if it is dark an you cant sea it.

U and mR. sheruf aAmb and mister reese had sutch good luk with that beest at chiPley that we want U all to kum out to fort bening an git this other beest. that is makin all the soljers and everybody else stay in there Tents and barax at night.

i wud go git this beest myself but the uther knight one my houn dwags tried to chase it and right after this the houn got sick for sum reeson and now he won't run the Varmunt enny more. the other houn don't seem to like to run this kind of beest bekuz the night the sik houn run him my other houn stayed out of it and i think he has a yeller streak. the sik houn is a yung dawg but the other dawg is a oldtimer.

if U can kum out sum tyme this week with yore houns U won't have enny trouble findin this beest just ast enybody in Blk. 40 and 21 an they will put you on the sent if U can find it without asting. U can sho fine it tho unles you are blind in yore noze.

please let me no how U kum out with the Varmunt.

respectfully yurs,
jim Jackson

## "THIS, TOO, SHALL PASS AWAY."

A mighty monarch in the days of old
Made offer of high honor, wealth and gold,
To one who would produce in form concise,
A motto for his guidance, terse yet wise—
A precept soothing in his hours forlorn,
Yet one that in his prosperous days would warn,
Many the maxims sent the King, men say;
The one he chose—"This, too, shall pass away."
Oh, jewel sentence from the mine of truth!
What riches it contains from age and youth!
No stately epic, measured and sublime.
So comforts or counsels for all time
As these few words. Go write them on your heart,
And make them of your daily life a part.
Has some misfortune fallen to your lot?
"This, too, shall pass away," absorb the thought
And wait, your waiting will not be in vain,
Time guilds with gold,
The iron links of pain.
The dark today, leads into light tomorrow;
There is no endless joy, no endless sorrow,
Are you upon earth's heights, no cloud in view,
Go read your motto once again, "This too,
Shall pass away." Fame, glory, peace and power,
They are but little baubles of the hour,
Flung by the ruthless years down in the dust.
Take warning, and be worthy of God's trust.
Use well your prowess while it lasts; leave bloom,
Not blight, to mark your footprints to the tomb,
The truest greatness lies in being kind
The truest wisdom in a happy mind.
He who desponds, his Maker's judgment mocks;
The gloomy Christian is a paradox,
Only the sunny soul respects its God;
Since life is short, we need to make it broad;
Since life is brief, we need to make it bright;
Then keep the old king's motto well in sight,
And let its meaning permeate each day,
Whatever comes, "This, too, shall pass away."

Author Unidentified

GMK—Camp Kearney, Calif. 9-30-20.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

**In the near future we will have about one-half of a column entitled: "What Not to do in Etiquete" in each issue.**

## JUST INFORMATION.

Recent dispatches advise that the residents of Fort Benning have an opportunity to buy at reduced prices such things as fresh eggs, for eating or hatching, two pound milk fed friers, baby chicks, flowers, fresh butter, fig preserves, and other things desirable and necessary for the table and yard.

These articles are for sale at Clover Heights, Waverly Hall, and as this community is within automobile driving distance of Fort Benning the people here might find it worth while to take the trip some Sunday.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### Company "F"

1. What was the matter at 500 yards rapid fire, Gerty? Did the nasty old sweat get in your eyes? Where was your "Talc?" Why didn't you throw rocks at the target you would have made more than 8 points. You should be transferred to the Russian Navy.

2. Sid expects to have his "Will-It-Run, ready in a few more days, I know the Buss will not get to town ahead of us now, will it "erb?.

3. What is the attraction in town Patsy? Why don't you marry the girl and save all the extra expense?

4. The chow hounds of F. Co., did not eat any dinner on Thursday, saving space for the big feed at the banquet, when it comes to putting the feed-bag on, we're there.

5. Are you trying to see how much oil you can spread over your self Wayne? Why not save some of it and use it on your "Flintlock"?

6. I wonder whether the management of the 29th Inf. Theatre knows their is such a thing as artificial AIR, which comes in the shape of FANS, wouldn't be a bad idea to try a few some night.

### Headquarters Co., 2nd Bn.

Here it is at least a month since we last appeared on this printed page, and as yet, nobody has squeaked about it. We'd been expecting a growl or two, and a notice to snap out of it so you can't blame us for wondering if somebody isn't just grateful for our absence or whether it is our busy career since we ventured forth into the late war that has excused our non-presence.

Well, we have been busy and now have recovered from the effects of that novel experience.

Though our rcord on the rifle range this year is well worth publishing, we didn't do as well as was expected—(one man did not qualify) and it would take too much space to give the list of qualifications. The name of the Company Reporter heads the list for record scores made—if you read said list backwards.

To narrate and describe all the elements that helped to produce our busy-ness of dizzi-ness would entail almost enough work to revert us back to the state through which we have just passed. At any rate, let us ask a few of the survivors their opinions.

Corporal Hopkinson says that neither his hands nor his nerves had any rest during the battle against "chiggers," and ants. His nightly prayer (he'd remembered that there was such a thing in time of need) began—"Now I lay me down to scratch."

Corporal Weiss adds that this is his last summer in the land of prickly heat.

By the number of applications for furlough put in recently it seems that everybody is in need of a rest after such harrowing annoyances as windage, elevation, and stray dogs and goats obstructing the sights.

Our deposits this pay day were as large as before—2nd place on the list—which proves that we are still on the job in that respect.

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## THE MARNE MIRACLE.

The Marne Miracle, by Col. William K. Naylor, U. S. Army, Washington. The U. S. Infantry Association. Cloth, 12 Mo., 190 Pages. Price $1.50.

Col. William K. Naylor, the author of The Marne Miracle, is now Assistant Chief of Staff G-2 (Military Information), U. S. Army, and recognized as the foremost military strategist and student of Military History and its application to the principles of war.

During the war Col. Naylor served as Chief of Staff of a Division (33 National Guard Division from Illinois) and Chief of Staff of the 9th Army Corps. His present detail in the War Department is as one of the assistants to General Pershing.

Col. Naylor has made a most exhaustive study of the Marne Campaign of 1914, having at his disposal a mass of source records and from them has traced out the movements and operations of every unit of the contending forces engaged in the great campaign.

In every great military campaign there are points of controversy, The Marne Campaign was no exception to the rule. Col. Naylor discredits some popular legends; brings many mooted points to the light of day and clears up a number of disputes. Here are some of the points that are discussed in the book and the answers supplied:

1. Why do the French call the Battle of the Marne a miracle? Why do the Germans refer to it as a tragedy?
2. Was Germany in all her boasted military efficiency, prepared for the World War? Wherein was she unprepared?
3. What was the German plan of Campaign? Was it that proposed by Von Schlieffen? Was it Von Moltke's? Was it a combination of the two?
4. What were France's plans for the war with Germany? Were they offensive or defensive at the outset?
5. Did the stand made by the Belgians at Liege save France?
6. Did Germany rush over defenseless Belgium in overwhelming numbers? Who were the stronger, the Germans or the Allies at this time?
7. What prevented the Battles of Mons and Charleroi from being complete German triumphs?
8. Were the British wiped out at Le Cateau? Did they stop Von Kluck?
9. Was Von Kluck responsible for the loss of the Battle of the Marne?
10. Why did the Germans fall back? Who is responsible for the order to retreat? Was it Foch's attack at Fere Champenoise?
11. Who was Von Hentsch? What part did he play in the orders for the German retreat?
12. Why did Germany lose?

All of these questions are discussed in a most interesting manner and the conclusions and answers supplied.

This wonderful book and many other you can get from the Infantry Association. Also they have a complete engraving plant that is a "humdinger" so you can send them your plate and get a first class job at a very reasonable price and also they will keep your plate on file there so that you don't have to worry about losing it or getting it scratched up.

**The Infantry Association helps you so you help the Infantry Association.**

"Why did'nt you slow up when I put my hand out?" asked the girl angrily as the young man attempted to apologize for running into the rear of her car.

"I didn't see your hand," replied the young man, meekly.

"If I had stuck my foot out you would have seen it," replied the girl.
—Judge.

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**Company "A" 24th Inf.**

Company "A" is still holding a beacon light for all companies of her size. So far we have qualified three experts, four sharpshooters and one marksman with the rifle, and by the end of the target season we don't expect to have a man unqualified. If there is one who is unqualified left among us the raking up the back he is going to get from the boys will serve to make him qualify next target season

Cpl. Jackson, when a friend dies you can go to his funeral if you want to, send flowers if you so desire, but when you shoot on another man's target, how are the emotions expressed. You would have been a sharpshooter today had you not shot on target two instead of target three. You gave as your alibi that the weeds in front of target three kept you from seeing the lower part of the figure. But alibies of that kind don't go for record. I really think though you wanted to be charitable, but this is one time that charity caused you to be minus of the coveted SS after your name. Jack, charity commences at home. Never give away that which you need for yourself. The four points you threw away would have made your pay a dollar more, so take care next time and look where you shoot.

**Service Co. 24th Infantry**

The company is still working hard on the range for that 100 per cent qualifications. All the men who have completed the record firing have, so far, "bought home the bacon." From all indications by those now firing their preliminary course they will also deliver the goods. Lets go service company and show the rest of the post that a Service Company can shoot, as well as skin mules, do paper work, and put out better music than anyone else in camp.

"Flashlight" Boyd our company clerk with pugilistic asperations annexed another title Friday evening the 15th by knocking out Young George Dixon, the feather champion of the south. Great credit is due Boyd for winning this fight; first, because Dixon is a fighter of the first water, a hard hitter and a fighter with a lot of backing and at the time of the fight was in the very best of condition; second, because Boyd is little knon as a fighter in these parts except by members of the 24th Infantry and does not have or did not have, on the day of the fight, the support of the followers of the sport seen in the squared circle with the exception of those few who have seen him in action in the southwest, and further Boyd went into this fight after a month of illness and consequently was in no sort of condition to put out the brand of fighting he usually renders to the spectators. Boyd went well for the first two rounds and was then taken ill with the cramps. He kept his misery well to himself for if Dixon had only suspicioned that he was sick he could have Koyoed Boyd in the third round but Dixon remembered the first two rounds too well to try and get real rough with the dancing bunch of arms and legs. Between each round until the fifth Boyd vomited a bit but Vontress, his manager, managed to keep this fact hidden from the opposite corner and Boyd hung on with nothing else but plain nerve commonly called guts. In the fifth round Boyd again regained some of his strength and went after his man like a wild cat. Dixon was a bit surprised by this sudden show of speed for Boyd had not been so rough with him for the second two rounds and he had evidently decided to take his time and let Boyd kiss the canvas a little later in the game, thereby giving the spectators their moneys worth in fighting and not in early knockouts. But not so with Boyd for just before the gong rang for the sixth round Boyd was seen to brace himself and those who knew him realized what was coming. The gong rang, as quick as a flash (his nick-name being Flashlight) Boyd was up and into the enemy's corner, two light punches to the jaw sent Dixon's head back, just a little, but enough for Boyd's purpose. The entire house saw these two punches but no one saw the blow that sent Dixon to slumberland. It was too fast for the eye to follow, even Dixon does not know how it was done, he admits it. Anyway, Dixon slept thru ten full counts and then some, Dixon received quite a shock as well as a surprise and the bunch of spectators with most of the money on Dixon were even more surprised than their favorite. The south had a new colored Feather Weight Champion, and Boyd gained a large circle of followers from the boxing fans.

The music rendered by the band and drum and bugle corps in Atlanta a couple of weeks ago is being well remembered by that city. They have been asked to go and play a return engagement—one concert being asked for by First Congregationalist Church. It has not been deifnitely decided yet whether or not the band will go, but when it is taken up officially it is hoped that the trip will be looked upon with favor by those in authority. Columbus also appreciates good music when it hears it, for the band was asked to play a concert on the commons for the benefit of the playgrounds for colored children on Sunday, June 17th. The Community Singers, headed by Dr. Taylor, are making every effort to raise funds for fencing off these playgrounds and we sincerely hope that they complete their task in the next few days.

The son of 1st Sergt. Miller, who has been attending school at Tuskegee, Ala. has returned to school for the summer course after finishing the Spring term at the head of his class with an average of 98 per cent. for the year.

The nephew of Sergt. Majors, our band leader, is spending the summer here after successfully completing the Sophomore class in the colored university of Topeka, Kans. He expects to return to Topeka in September.

Privates 1st Class Ruffin and Wade who were discharged the past week have decide dto stay in a good outfit and have signed up for another three year stretch.

Private 1st Class Ben Glover has filed an application with the adjutant General of the Army for the examination for appointment to grade of Warrant Officer, (Band Leader). He is considered the best musician in the company and the entire company hopes that he will be successful.

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## QUARTERMASTERS CELEBRATE 148TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF THE QUARTERMASTER CORPS.

In celebration of the event that took place in Carpenter's Hall, Philadelphia, June 16, 1775, the day that the Continental Congress enacted legislation creating "The Military Stores Department" which has become the Quartermaster Corps of today, the Quartermaster Association of Fort Benning celebrated this 148th Anniversary at the Big Eddy Club, Columbus.

The officers of the association Lt. Col. Wm. O. Smith, president, Major J. Paul Jones, vice-president and Lt. J. W. Huntress, secretary prepared an interesting program.

Col. Smith presided and after giving a talk on the achievements of the Quartermaster Corps and its accomplishments during the World War, called upon Mr. Lighton MacPherson, who introduced the toastmaster, Mr. William Hart.

Among the speakers of the evening were Mr. Rhodes Brown, Mr. L. M. Houser, Mr. R. H. Barnes, Mr. W. B. Beach, Mr. Frank U. Garrard, Capt. Gralund, and Capt. Porter.

Greetings were exchanged with chapters in all parts of the world and interesting telegrams were read from associations, also celebrating in Paris, San Francisco, New York and many other cities throughout the world.

The Quartermaster General William H. Hart sent an interesting message on the history of the Corps.

A fine chicken dinner and catfish fry with fresh fish from the Chattahoochee was prepared under the direction of Lt. Guth by four Army cooks. The dinner will be long remembered for it was the most successful one ever held by the local chapter.

There were sixty present.

About half of those present are either members of the Quartermaster Corps Reserves or citizens interested in scientific problems incident to war mobilization pertaining to the Quartermaster Corps; the remainder were Quartermaster Corps Officers or officers who were in during the war.

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

**Soldiers Versus Vivilians and the Reasons For Each.**

Q. Does a soldier like the Army?
A. Not to hear him tell it.
Q. Why does he stay in then?
A. Because he wouldn't be satisfied outside.
Q. What do soldiers look forward to?
A. To the day of discharge.
Q. What does he do then?
A. Reenlists.
Q. What for?
A. So as to get back in the Army.
Q. Where are all the soldiers who have been discharged?
A. Most of 'em are back in the Army.
Q. Are soldiers ever sick?
A. No.
Q. Why not?
A. It is not allowed.
Q. Do soldiers ever die?
A. No.
Q. What becomes of them, when they can no longer soldier?
A. They are sent to the Quartermaster Corps.
Q. How long do soldiers stay in the Army?
A. As long as they can.
Q. Do soldiers pay their bills?
A. No.
Q. Why not?
A. They don't have any.
Q. What is a soldier's delight
A. Answering questoins.
Q. What questions?
A. Where do we go from here?

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## Births

Born to Lieutenant and Mrs. Harry W. French on Thursday morning June 14, the first lady president of these United States of North America.

When Miss Priscella Jane French was interviewed she said that she hadn't been fed since she had arrived at this Post and that while she was hungry nevertheless she thought that she would like this part of the country fine provided that a few good roads could be encountered.

However she absolutely refused to answer any question regarding prohibition, showing that she will be cautious and will not make rash statements. In fact she was so retiring that it was with difficulty that we were not able to get much information and those questions that she did answer, she answered only after giving each subject due consideration but after she had decided she answered with a decisiveness that left no doubt in our mind just what she meant.

## NO CHANGE IN THE UNIFORM

The Army and Navy Register of last week states that The Chief of Staff of the Army decided last week that no change of the uniform will take place for " at least two years."

The Secretary of War left the final findings entirely with General Pershing.

The following communication from the Adjutant General of the Army is reproduced from the Army and Navy Register:

1. After careful consideration of suggested changes in the uniform, it has been decided that no change will be made for the present, nor for at least two years. The following are some of the principal reasons why this decision was made:

(a) The necessity for economy in Government expenditures renders it impracticable to alter the large stock of uniforms now on hand or to supply additional articles, such as shirts, collars, and ties, that would be necessary to wear with roll-collar coat or to provide a dress uniform.

(b) The authorization of a roll-collar coat for dress wear, while at the same time utilizing the present stock of olive-drab uniforms for wear on duty, would result in an additional uniform. This would not serve the purpose of a dress uniform and would therefore merely create an additional uniform.

(c) The additional cost to the commissioned officers would constitute a real hardship in many cases, especially during this period of high prices, not only to officers of the Regular Army, but also to officers of the National Guard and reserve officers.

(d) There is no overwhelming sentiment existing at present for any change in the uniform.

2. The wearing of civilian evening dress—that is, full dress or Tuxedo at posts, camps, and garrisons—is authorized.

## BULLET-PROOF PROPHET AND 52 MOROS ARE KILLED

Akbara, "bullet-proof" prophet of the Moros, and 52 of his followers were killed in a battle with the Filipino constabulary on the Island of Pata, hotbed of Mohammedan uprisings, according to a telegram received by General Leonard Wood. Thirty of the fanatical Moros were also killed in a battle May 19. The death of Akbara is expected to end religious uprisings which have menanced the islands for three years.

**Join the Motor Club. Support the Good Road Movement.**

## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**JUNE 24, 1923 and ENDING JUNE 30, 1923.**

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday June 24.**
"Fury," 8 reels, Barthelmess. Exit Quietly, 2 reels.

**Monday June 25.**
Omar the Tentmaker, 8 reels, Guy Bates Post. Fox News, 1 reel. Mutt and Jeff, 1 reel.

**Tuesday June 26.**
Bella Donna, 8 reels, Poli Negri. Bashful, 1 reel, Harold Lloyd.

**Wednesday June 27**
Trimmed in Scarlet, 5 reels, Roy Stewart. Farm Follies, 2 reels.

**Thursday June 28.**
Girl from Porcupine, 5 reels, Curwood. Fox News, 1 reel. The Artist, 2 reels, Cook.

**Friday June 29.**
Woman Who Fooled Herself, 5 reels, Allison. Pathe Review, 1 reel. Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday June 30.**
Tigers Claw, 7 reels, Jack Holt. Fighting Blood, 2 reels.

## QUARTERMASTER CORPS DETACHMENT

**Celebrated June 16, 1923.**

The Quartermaster Corps Detachment celebrated the 148th anniversary of the Quartermaster Corps at a special holiday dinner given at the detachment mess hall.

It was a real chicken dinner with all the fixings.

The married men and their wives were present and the occasion was a delightful one for all.

A few speeches were delivered and the Quartermaster General's message was read.

Their Commanding Officer, Capt. T. C. Knight was with them for the last time, as he has been transferred to Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburg, Pa. Mrs. Knight was presented with a silver fruit bowl. Chaplain Lennan delivered the presentation speech.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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# SPORTS

## I. S. D. TEAM WINS NINTH STRAIGHT

**Defeats Artillerymen 17 to 4. Only Three Hits Garnered From I. S. D. Twirlers—Seventeen Hits for the Winners.**

By SGT. J. M. WHEELER

In an old fashioned slugging match, which was mostly on the I. S. D.'s part, the Infantry School Detachment Wednesday won its ninth straight game of the season by the one-sided score of 17 to 4 from the Artillery. Bennett worked in the box for six innings and let the Artillery down with one measly roller that should have been fielded but for a bad hop.

The diminutive twirler had the boys from the 83rd eating out of his hands and would have scored a shutout for six innings, but for erratic fielding on the part of his team mates. Duff, the old veteran, took up the burden in the seventh and the opposition got to him for three runs, through his inability to locate the plate and an error or two. He retired in favor of McNutt in the ninth. This was the Old Man's first workout since the accident while on maneuvers and it won't be long until he is ready to go the route.

Hodges and Shephard were the hitting stars, with Hodges having the edge, he garnering five out of five while Shepard got three out of six. Next Saturday the I. S. D. will tackle the fast Jordan City bunch at Jordan City. The game was rained out last Saturday, but with clear skies this week, the fans of Columbus and Benning are assured of some real baseball with McNutt on the firing line for the soldiers and Monte Moore throwing them for the boys from the North End.

| Score by innings: | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 200 300 453 | 17 | 17 | 2 |
| Artillery | 100 000 300 | 4 | 3 | 2 |

Batteries: I. S. D., Bennett, Duff, McNutt and Shepard. Artillery, Owens and Fielding.

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## 24th INFANTRY STAGE GOOD BOUTS.

The Boxing bouts staged by the 24th Infantry Athletic Club on last Friday night were the best ever held at this Post.

We quote the following from the Columbus Ledger:

"One clean knockout, one technical kayo, a decision and a draw featured a fistic card of thirty-five rounds staged Friday night before a well filled house at the post gymnasium at Fort Benning. The card was a mixed affair with two white and two negro bouts.

The main attraction of the evening was a scheduled 15 round go between Young George Dixon, Savannah, and Flashlight Boyd of the 24th Infantry. Both are negro leather-pushers. Dixon was extremely fast and was going fine, having carried every previous round, until the eighth round, when Boyd landed a right on the chin and dropped the Savannah black like a load of salt.

The knockout was clean. Boyd appeared to have the best punch of his career Friday night. He was about up to standard of the black from the seaport city and many fans believe it was nothing but luck that enabled him to land so solidly. There was no argument about the blow. It was clean and landed on what is known in fistic parlance as "the button."

Boots Antley, of Columbus, and Al DeRose, featherweight champion of the fourth army corps area were the boys seen in action in the semi-finale. The contest was about even all through and the judges called the mill a draw. There were some, however, who thought Antley had the better of the soldier and should have been given the decision. Antley showed much improvement over his other recent contests and deserves better support, and higher class matches than he has received in the past.

Red Keenan and Kid Brown played around with each other in the second preliminary card, but Red proved the aggressor and was given the decision. The curtain raiser was a go between two black boys and young Brickeley forced Kid Crawley to quit at the end of the third. Brickeley was given a technical knockout."

## THE INFANTRY TEAM

(Continued from page One)

week will be used in form training, targeting in and completing the organization.

The famous characters of the team of 1922 are back, the champion off-hand shot, O'Omohundro, the alibi artist, Ted Wessels, the Jazz King, Hinds and the best fisherman of the team, Andrews are all in their glory keeping up the usual line that keeps the team in the best of spirits. Tom Watson is busy arranging for baseball, the horseshoe throwers are in evidence, champions being accalimed daily and as the fishing is excellent, some good results in that line is being exhibited daily.

Weekly letters from the team will be published by the News, thereby furnishing those at the Infantry School that are interested, the latest about what the team is doing. A roster showing name and organization of the candidates will be published in the coming weeks' issue.

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## PANAMA CANAL TRAFFIC FOR MAY SETS NEW HIGH RECORDS

(Continued from Page 1.)

in comparison with the same six months a year ago:

| | No. of Vessels | | Tolls Collected | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1922-23 | 1921-22 | 1922-23 | 1921-22 |
| December | 304 | 239 | $1,312,570.12 | $1,003,598.27 |
| January | 352 | 210 | 1,505,285.53 | 847,767.55 |
| February | 326 | 212 | 1,423,954.21 | 866,266.18 |
| March | 409 | 234 | 1,827,718.44 | 956,726.76 |
| April | 404 | 230 | 1,878,938.15 | 953,256.11 |
| May | 419 | 243 | 1,972,220.84 | 1,015,057.37 |
| Total | 2,214 | 1,368 | $9,920,687.29 | $5,642,672.24 |

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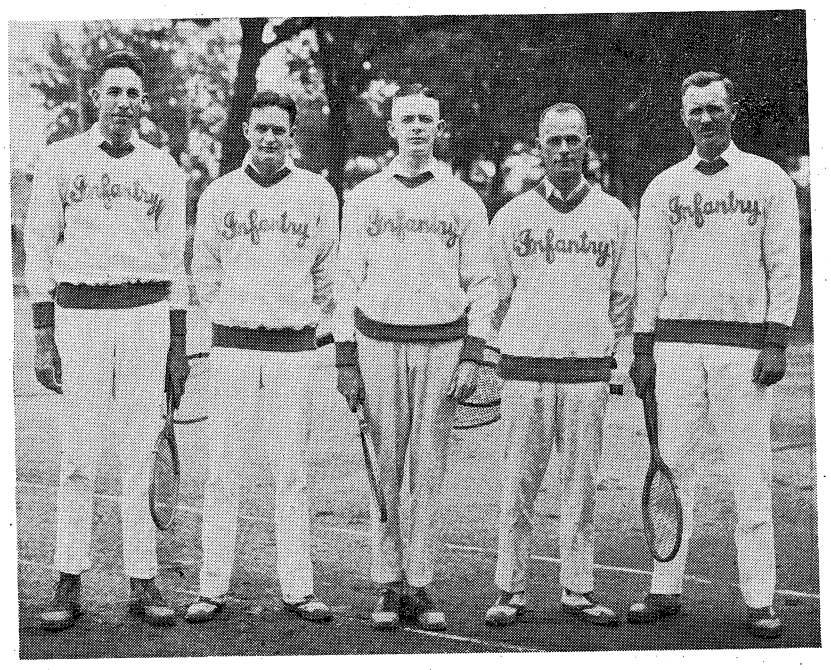
## FORT BENNING TENNIS TEAM.



Reading left to right—Capt. J. S. Brand, Capt. J. S. Switzer, Jr., Capt. R. C. Van Vliet, Jr., Capt. T. D. Finley, Capt. K. S. Whittemore.

# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

### TANKS DEFEAT ARTILLERY IN DOUBLEHEADER

**Score 9 to 1 Both Contests. Baltzell Twirls One Hit Game—Running Catch by Morey a Feature.**

**By SGT. J. M. WHEELER.**

The Tank Corps easily defeated the Artillery Sunday afternoon in two listless games by the same score of 9 to 1. The first game went the route while the second game was called at the end of the fifth to give the players a chance to get a bite to eat.

Swantic, who smashed out two home runs in the first game and Grantham, who connected with three out of four, were the hitting stars while Dennis' beautiful running catch of Morey's line drive in the 8th inning were the features of the first game.

Baltzell was the outstanding star in the second setto, letting down the Artillery with one bingle and whiffing six. An odd feature of the second game was that Smith, the receiver and Swantic, the first baseman of the Tanks accounted for all fifteen of the putouts.

The Artillery club is somewhat weakened by the absence of two of its stellar players, Samolvich and McGuff, the battery, and when these two men return, the club will be greatly strengthened.

**FIRST GAME.**

| TANKS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hedgecock, cf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Dennis, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 1 |
| Baltzell, 3b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 1 |
| Swantic, 1b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 1 |
| Bryan, ss | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Grantham, lf | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Maynard, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Phillips, p | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 9 | 12 | 27 | 12 | 3 |

| ARTILLERY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Joseph, lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Stone, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Bruno, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Everett, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Morey, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Pitts, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Piazza, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 1 |
| Owens, p | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 1 | 7 | 24 | 12 | 6 |

Score by innings: R H E
Tanks ..... 410 002 02x—9 12 3
Artillery ..... 001 000 000—1 7 6

Summary: Home runs: Swantic, 2. Sacrifice hits: Dennis, 2. Stolen bases: Baltzell, 4; Bryan, 2; Grantham, 3; Hedgecock, 2; Wagner, 1; Swantic, 2. Struck out: By Philips, 7; Owens, 5. Bases on balls: By Owens, 3; Phillips, 1. Passed ball: Artillery, 2; Tanks, 1. Umpires: Goldstein and Koffer.

**SECOND GAME.**

| TANKS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hedgecock, cf | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dennis, 2b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Swantic, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Huddles, rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bryan, ss | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grantham, lf | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Maynard, 3b | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Randall, cf | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Baltzell, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Lindsey, 2b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 23 | 9 | 7 | 15 | 8 | 0 |

| ARTILLERY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Joseph, lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker, 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Green, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Fielding, c | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Everett, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Bruno, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Chidwick, rf | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Morey, 2nd | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Glascott, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Totals | 15 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 5 | 8 |

Summary: Two base hits: Huddelton and Fielding. Sacrifice hits: Bryan and Morey. Stolen bases: Dennis, 2; Bryan, Grantham, 3; Maynard, Baltzell, Randall, 2; Lindsey. Hit: By Baltzell, Chidwick; by Glascott, Dennis. Struck out: By Baltzell, 6; Glascott, 3. Bases on balls: by Glascott, 3. Umpire: Golstein.

**ADDITIONAL SPORTS ON PAGE ELEVEN**

**NOTICE AMERICAN LEGION**

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## AVERAGES OF AMERICAN LEAGUE AT FORT BENNING

The following are the averages of all games played in the American League up to and including the doubleheader on June 17, 1923:

**Standing of the Clubs.**

| | Played | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1000 |
| Tanks | 4 | 2 | 2 | 500 |
| Artillery | 3 | 0 | 3 | 000 |

**Pitcher's Record.**

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| McNutt, I. S. D. | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| Phillips, Tanks | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Baltzell, Tanks | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Shepard, I. S. D. | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Owens, Artillery | 0 | 2 | 000 |
| Glascott, Artillery | 0 | 1 | 000 |
| Lindsey, Tanks | 0 | 2 | 000 |

Grantham of the Tanks is the leading swatter while McGarthy of the I. S. D. is leading the fielding. McNutt is the leading hurler having worked in two games and a part of another, hurling 22 innings and letting the opposing batsmen down with 4 hits. The I. S. D. leads in both hitting and fielding, besides being at the top in the standing of the clubs.

**Fielding Averages American League.**

| | G | PO | A | E | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McCarthy, I. S. D. | 3 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Walker, Artillery | 3 | 21 | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| Owens, Artillery | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| Lindsey, Tanks | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1000 |
| Maynard, Tanks | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Waller, I. S. D. | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Suby, I. S. D. | 2 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Houges, I. S. D. | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Hyland, I. S. D. | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1000 |
| McNutt, I. S. D. | 3 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1000 |
| Dausch, I. S. D. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Bennett, I. S. D. | 2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 1000 |
| Stone, Artillery | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Swantic, Tanks, | 4 | 41 | 0 | 1 | 976 |
| Smith, Tanks | 4 | 23 | 3 | 1 | 950 |
| Heckert, I. S. D. | 3 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 944 |
| Fielding, Artillery | 2 | 11 | 4 | 1 | 937 |
| Bryan, Tanks | 4 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 923 |
| Dennis, Tanks | 4 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 952 |
| Piazza, Artillery | 2 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 875 |
| Baltzell, Tanks | 4 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 769 |
| Joseph, Artillery | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 750 |
| Goodwin, I. S. D. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 714 |
| Bowe, Tanks | 2 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 714 |
| Pitts, Artillery | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 666 |
| Morey, Artillery | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 666 |
| Everett, Artillery | 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 583 |
| Bruno, Artillery | 3 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 578 |
| Glascott, Artillery | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 500 |
| Shepard, I. S. D. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Wade, Tanks | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Grantham, Tanks | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Randall, Tanks | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Huddleston, Tanks | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Chidwick, Artillery | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Green, Artillery | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 000 |
| Wheeler, I. S. D. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |

**BATTING AVERAGES AMERICAN LEAGUE**

| | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | SH | SB | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Grantham, Tanks | 2 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 666 |
| Fielding, Artillery | 2 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 500 |
| McCarthy, I. S. D. | 3 | 13 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 461 |
| Hedgecock, Tanks | 4 | 13 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 461 |
| Wheeler, I. S. D. | 3 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 400 |
| Waller, I. S. D. | 3 | 12 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 333 |
| Suby, I. S. D. | 2 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 333 |
| Huddleston, Tanks | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 333 |
| Hodges, I. S. D. | 2 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 300 |
| Walker, Artillery | 3 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 300 |
| Owens, Artillery | 2 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 285 |
| Heckert, I. S. D. | 3 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 250 |
| Hyland, I. S. D. | 2 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 |
| Randall, Tanks | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 250 |
| Chidwick, Artillery | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 |
| Stone, Artillery | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 |
| Smith, Tanks | 4 | 13 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 230 |
| Joseph, Artillery | 3 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 222 |
| McNutt, I. S. D. | 3 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 200 |
| Goodwin, I. S. D. | 3 | 11 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 180 |
| Dausch, I. S. D. | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 166 |
| Lindsey, Tanks | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 166 |
| Piazza, Artillery | 2 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 166 |
| Swantic, Tanks | 4 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 153 |
| Bennett, I. S. D. | 2 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 142 |
| Maynard, Artillery | 3 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 142 |
| Bruno, Artillery | 3 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 125 |
| Bryan, Tanks | 4 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 100 |
| Baltzell, Tanks | 4 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 060 |
| Shepard, I. S. D. | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Dennis, Tanks | 4 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 000 |
| Wade, Tanks | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Bowe, Tanks | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Everett, Artilery | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Morey, Artillery | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 000 |
| Green, Artillery | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Glascott, Artillery | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 000 |

**Team Fielding**

| | G | PO | A | E | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 3 | 81 | 21 | 3 | 971 |
| Tanks | 4 | 134 | 33 | 8 | 940 |
| Artillery | 2 | 63 | 29 | 22 | 807 |

**Team Batting.**

| | G | AB | H | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 3 | 111 | 31 | 279 |
| Tanks | 4 | 110 | 21 | 190 |
| Artillery | 3 | 80 | 15 | 187 |

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday. 6:00 p. m.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL.**

Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Mass and sermon.
Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

### 2nd CORPS AREA ACTIVE HOLD CORPS AREA CHAMPIONSHIP MEET

Reports covering the Second Corps Area's recent track and field championships held at Pershing Field, Jersey City, have been received and, judging from the list of entries in the numerous events, the meet was a very elaborate affair.

The first event of the occasion was a big military arade of which Brigadier General Frederick Gilkyson, Adjutant General of New Jersey, was the Grand Marshal. The Chief of Staff was Col. William J. Glasgow, General

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## THE FLAG

"Under it rode Washington and his armies; before it Burgoyne laid down his arms. It waved on the highlands at West Point; it floated over old Fort Montgomery. When Arnold would have surrendered these valuable fortresses and precious legacies, his night was turned into day, and his treachery was driven away by the beams of light from this starry banner. It cheered our army, driven from New York, in their solitary pilgrimage through New Jersey. It streamed in light over Valley Forge and Morristown. It crossed the waters rolling with ice at Trenton; and when its stars gleamed in the cold morning with victory, a new day of hope dawned on the despondency of the nation. And when, at length, the long years of war were drawing to a close, underneath the folds of this immortal banner sat Washington while Yorktown surrendered its hosts and our Revolutionary struggles ended with victory."

"Let us, then, twine each thread of the glorious tissue of our country's flag about our heartstrings; and looking upon our homes and catching the spirit that breathes upon us from the battle-fields of our fathers, let us resolve, come weal or woe, we will, in life and in death, now and forever, stand by the Stars and Stripes. They have been unfurled from the snows of Canada to the plains of New Orleans, in the halls of the Montezumas and amid the solitude of every sea; and everywhere, as the luminous symbol of resistless and beneficient power, they have led the brave to victory and to glory. They have floated over our cradles; let it be our prayer and our struggle that they shall float over our grave."—The Rifleman.

### ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICERS QUARTERS

#### Some May Have To Move

or the benefit of incoming student officers and the permanent personnel the following is what is going to happen with regard to quarters next year. Number of student officers to live on the Post, 30. Grade of student officers, Field. Promotion number of lowest student officer entitled to quarters 809.

These officers will be assigned quarters in Blocks 19 and 23. The News has not worked out the problem of the number of quarters in Block 19 which will be filled nor the number of sets of quarters required for the overflow in Block 23. Quarters will be assigned both student officers and permanent personnel by rank. In other words the thirty field officers who will live on the post will be assigned quarters in Block 19 and Block 23 according to rank. Quarters in the same block, however, are to be considered as equally desirable.

In case of "ranking out" by a senior only the junior officer in the block can be ranked. This means that he can go to another block and rank the junior out there. An unusual amount of reference to the Army directory is exected in this connection.

There are now on the Post 242 sets of quarters with 36 sets, of brick, now under construction. The new brick quarters will considerably relieve the congestion when completed and will add materially to the general appearance of the garrison. Student appearance of the garrison.

Student officers will not find the situation entirely desirable. It is an inconvenience to live in the city and have to drive about nine miles over a very

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### WONDERFUL SHOOTING RECORD

#### 34th Infantry Ends Brilliant Marksmanship Season.

**Regiment Averages 97.07 per cent. 5 Companies Make 100 per cent.**

The 34th Infantry now stationed at Camp Meade, Md., for the summer training camp has just completed their target season making the remarkable average of 97.07 per cent. for the entire regiment. Five out of the eight companies firing made a perfect record of 100 per cent. qualification.

This record is considered excellent by the Regimental Commander, Colonel H. S. Wagner, due to the various difficulties met with during the preliminary season. Fatigue calls made upon the Regiment during the early Spring months were so heavy that it was practically an impossibility to get more than two or three squads per company out to drill. At least once a week for each Battalion, due to guard and fatigue, there were as few as twenty or thirty men available for drill from the entire battalion! For these reasons the Battalion and Company Commanders are to be heartily congratulated for the percentage made.

The First Battalion commanded by Major C. S. Little and the Second Battalion commanded by Major J. W. F. Allen each qualified 98.6 per cent. Two companies in each battalion each qualified a 100 per cent. In the First Battalion Company A, commanded by Captain L. C. Wheat, and Company B, comamnded by Captain W. H. McCutcheon, Jr., each made 100 per cent. In the Second Battalion, Company E commanded by Captain Alfred Millard (now Regimental Adjutant) and Company G, commanded by Captain E. H. Malone, each made 100 per cent. Headquarters Company commanded

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Due to the fact that the agency furnishing advance information of pictures coming to Fort Benning failed to supply the necessary information at the time of going to press it is not possible for the News to print a picture program for the theaters for next week.**

### INFANTRY TEAM GOING STRONG

#### Special Reports Just Received

The personnel of the Infantry Rifle Team is now complete down to and including the mascot "Wooz." The daily routine training has been started and with the squad turning out each morning at 6:30 for physical drill and ending the afternoon conference at 4 the day is well taken up. The material for the 1923 squad is excellent, the new men are showing up splendidly, the spirits of the entire team is fine and taking everything together, every indication points to a fine period of training and a hard fought competition.

The daily firing at present includes standing offhand 10 shots a score at rapid fire, either 200 or 300 yards and twenty shots at 1000. The new regulations regarding firing offhand without the use of the sling and the firing rapid fire at 200 and 300 yards at the "A" target have been

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### EFFICIENCY REPORTS.

#### Are Sometimes Action Producers

**The Gray Squirrel was amazed as he noted much activity,**
**By certain folks who heretofore for work had no prolivity.**
**But he chuckled aloud when finally he remembered,**
**That efficiency reports on June thirtieth would be rendered.**

## ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICERS QUARTERS

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poor road twice a day, or else ride the "Seminole Limited" between Columbus and Fort Benning. However, the people who lived here three years ago had to put up with much worse and the course at the Infantry School is worth the trouble. Lack of money prevents the construction of a sufficient number of officer's quarters at present but in time these will be built. With the exception of a few rainy weeks the climate is good and, after all, a fellow can put up with a great deal if it is only for a short time. The course lasts but eight months and housing conditions with the officers' regiment will then be apreciated. Just as you now laugh at the machine gunner who made you "dust it" overseas—although it was no cause for amusement then—there will be many things to laugh over when the course is a thing of completion. Anyhow, the first hundred years are the hardest.

## WONDERFUL SHOOTING RECORD

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by Captain Hugh Barclay also made a 100 per cent. qualification.

A consolidated table appears below. It will be noted that out of 342 men who fired, all but ten men qualified. There were 118 Experts, 123 Sharpshooters and 92 Marksmen. All officers in the Regiment qualified.

Following is the tabulated report:

Enlisted Men.

| Org. | Men fired | Q. | N.Q. | % Q. | ER | SS | MM |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1st .....E | 51 | 51 | 0 | 100 | 27 | 13 | 11 |
| 2nd ....G | 47 | 47 | 0 | 100 | 23 | 17 | 7 |
| 3rd .....A | 50 | 50 | 0 | 100 | 16 | 22 | 12 |
| 4th .....B | 51 | 51 | 0 | 100 | 17 | 17 | 17 |
| 5th ..Hq. | 10 | 10 | 0 | 100 | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| 6th .....C | 50 | 48 | 2 | 96 | 14 | 25 | 9 |
| 7th .....E | 48 | 46 | 2 | 95.8 | 15 | 16 | 15 |
| 8th ....Ser. | 35 | 29 | 6 | 82.8 | 3 | 10 | 1 |
| Total ....342 | 332 | 10 | 97.07 | 118 | 122 | 92 | |

## INFANTRY TEAM IS GOING STRONG

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introduced and while at first some *had little difficulty* in getting started, the scores now being turned in differ slightly from those of the old positions and targets.

A baseball league has been started composed of three teams, the Giants, Manager Capt. Tom Watson; the Tigers, manager John Schwab and the Bisons, Manager F. J. Pearson, The schedule calls for each team to play the other five games and up to the present each team stands with one won and one lost. The fishermen are in their glory, reports of strings of 200 perch and herring are made but the puzzling thing is where *they go to* after being caught. Prominent among the fishermen are Rothrock, Spann, Privett, Ransom, Schwab, and Broderick. The team is going to make a sightseeing trip next Saturday in a body to visit the big Hydro-Electric Plant a Niagara Falls, and on the following Saturdays will take in other large industrial plants in the vicinity. Candidates from the Infantry School are showing up fine, in the total for the day's firing on Tuesday, eleven out of the first twenty are men from Benning and all in fact are shooting well above the average.

The weather is quite hot and many pounds are being lost as the result but those from Benning are standing the weather conditions in fine shape as they are use to the heat. The Infantry School News is being received and read with great interest by the team and the recent cartoon of the departure of the Infantry Rifle Team, the driver being Major Per Ramee, the Team Captain, caused many laughs. This looks like an Infantry Year and this paper will endeavor to give the latest dope right from team headquarters where we have our special correspondent.

The team roster is as follows:

1. Adams, M. R., Corp. Co., "C" 30th Infantry, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.
2. Andrews, A. E., Capt. 2nd Div. Inf. Unassigned, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
3. Barrick, H. W., 2nd Lieut. 15th Tank Bat. Panama, Canal Zone.
4. Bartow, D. M., Capt. Inf. DOL. University State College of Washington, Pullman, Wash.
5. Besse, L. R., Capt. Inf. DOL. A. and M. College, College Station, Wash.
6. Bilek, J., Sergt. Co. "K" 26th Inf. Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.
7. Bissett, D. A., 1st Lieut. 23rd Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
8. Bothan, F., Capt. 6th Inf. Jefferson Barracks, Mo.
9. Bowen, B. E., Major 38th Inf. Asst. Team Captain, Fort Douglas, Utah.
10. Brian, A. R., Capt. 24nd Inf. Camp Gaillard, Canal Zone, Panama.
11. Broderick, M., 1st Lieut., 11th Inf. Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.
12. Bryan, T. S., Sergt. Co. "C" 7th Inf. Vancouver Barracks, Wash.
13. Burnham, G. R., Private 1st Cl. Co. "A" 8th Inf. Fort Screven, Ga.
14. Chalker, C. W., Capt. 38th Inf. Fort Logan, Colo.
15. Compton, I., First Lieut. 38th Inf. Fort Douglas, Utah.
16. Conklin, R. E., Sergt. Co. "B" 9th Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
17. Conover, W. C., 1st Lieut. 13th Inf. Fort Warren, Mass.
18. Crossley, S. M., Pvt. Co. "B" 28th Inf. Fort Porter, N. Y.
19. Duffy, W. T., Sergt. Co. "E" 28th Inf. Fort Niagara, N. Y.
20. Dukes, T. A., 1st Lieut. 3rd Inf. Fort Snelling, Minn.
21. Dumas, W. A., Capt. Inf. Unassigned, Fort Benning, Ga.
22. Eichenberger, G., Sergt. Co. "E" 16th Inf. Fort Jay, N. Y.
23. Eikenbary, H. J., 1st Sergt. Co. "I" 5th Inf. Fort Williams, Me.
24. Ellis, J. B., Sergt. Inf. School Detachment, Fort Benning, Ga.
25. Emerson, Jr., Sergt. Co. "B" 22nd Inf. Fort McPherson, Ga.
26. Fenton, D., Corpl. Co. "C" 7th Inf. Team Supply Sergeant, Vancouver Barracks, Wash.
27. Giron, P. M., Sergt. Infantry School Detachmen, Ft. Benning, Ga.
28. Gray, C. A., Capt. 17th Inf. Ft. Crook, Nebr.
29. Hakala, C., Sergt. Co. "B" 8th Inf. Fort Screvens, Ga.
30. Hansen, T., Sergt. Co. "F" 1st Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
31. Harant, L. J., 1st Lieut. 23rd Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
32. Hedden, W. A., Capt. Inf. DOL Birmingham High Schools, Birmingham, Ala.
33. Hicks, T., Sergt. Service Co., 25th Inf. Camp Stephen D. Little, Negales, Ariz.
34. Higbie, E. L., Corpl. Co. "B" 2nd Inf. Fort Sheridan, Ill.
35. Hill, J. R. P., Corpl. Co. "D" 23rd Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
36. Hines, G. T., Sergt. Co. "E" 28th Inf. Fort Niagara, N. Y.
37. Hinds, S. R., 2nd Lieut. 3rd Inf. Fort Snelling, Minn.
38. Ioerber, F., Sergt. Inf. School Detachment, Fort Benning, Ga.
39. Jaynes, J. E., Corpl. Co. "C" 2nd Inf. Fort Sheridan, Ill.
40. Johnson, E. M., Sergt. Co. "C" 4th Inf. Fort Missiula, Mont.
41. Johnson, C., Sergt. Co. "E" 34th Inf. Fort Eustis, Va.
42. Jones, E. J., Sergt. Service Co. 28th Inf. Fort Niagara, N. Y.
43. Jones, F. A. Capt. Inf. 3rd Division, Camp Lewis, Wash.
44. Jones, L. V., 1st Lieut. 24th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
45. Jorke, A., Corpl. Corpl. Co. "C" 28th Inf. Fort Porter, N. Y.
46. Karlstad, C. H. Capt. Inf. unassigned, Fort Benning, Ga.
47. Kotlarczyk, A., Sergt. Co. "L" 23rd Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
48. Knuebel, J. A., Capt. Inf. unassigned, Teach Coach, Fort Benning, Ga.
49. Larkins, G. B., 1st Sergt. Co. "C" 24th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
50. La Rue, F., 1st Lieut., 30th Inf. Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.
51. Lay, W. F., 1st Sergt. Co. "F" 19th Inf. Schofield, Barracks, Territory Hawaii.
52. Linoroth, E. C., Capt. 2nd Inf. Fort Sheridan, Ill.
53. Lyons, C. M., Capt. 24th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
54. Lyons, J. P., Capt. Inf. DOL, Asst. P. M. S. & T., Drexel Inst., Philadelphia, Pa.
55. McAlpine, H, Major, Inf. unassigned, Team Supply Officer, Fort Benning, Ga.
56. McCormick, J. W. Capt. 4th Inf. Fort Lawton, Wash.
57. MacLaughlin, S. S., Capt. Inf. unassigned, Tank School, Camp Meade, Md.
58. Mallerstron, P .F., 1st Sergt. Co. "B" 17th Inf. Fort Crook, Nebr.
59. Mapes, P., Capt. 9th Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
60. Mars, O. C., Corpl. Co. "L" 11th Inf. Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.
61. Metcalfe, S. F. 1st Lieut. 8th Inf. Fort Moultrie, S. C.
62. Miller, R. O., Capt. Inf. DOL, Atlanta High Schools, Atlanta, Ga.
63. Newgarden, P. W., Major, 27th Inf. Schofield Barracks, Territory Hawaii.
64. Olsen, H. S., 2nd Lieut. 29th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
65. O'Mohunlro, W. H., 1st Lieut. 25th Inf. Camp Harry J. Jones, Douglas, Ariz.
66. Osterman, G., Sergt. Co. "F" 13th Inf. Fort Revere, Mass.
67. Paueron, J. F., Master Sergt. Hq. Co. 17th Inf. Fort Crook, Nebr.
68. Pearson, F. J. Capt. Inf. unassigned, Fort Benning, Ga.
69. Price, G. W. Major, Inf. unassigned, Fort Benning, Ga.
70. Printy, W. C., Sergt. Service Co. 20th Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Tex.
71. Privett, E. H., 1st Lieut. 28th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
72. Ramee, P. Major 28th Inf. Fort Niagara, N. Y. Team Captain.
73. Ranson, P. L., Capt. Inf. unassigned, Fort Benning, Ga.
74. Richmond, N. W., Capt. 22nd Inf. Fort McPherson, Ga.
75. Robinson, A. K., 1st Class, 1st Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
76. Rothrock, A. D. 1st Lieut. 29th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
77. Ruth, W. C., Sergt. Co. "B" 10th Inf. Fort Thomas, Ky.
78. Rivadenera, J. A., Corpl. Co. "A" 29th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
79. Sanders, A. D. 1st Lieut. 5th Inf. Fort McKinley, Me.
80. Schwab, J. S. Capt. 24th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
81. Shepherd, M. F. Capt. 17th Inf. Fort Crook, Nebr.
82. Sheets, H. B., 2nd Lieut. 17th Inf. Fort Crook, Nebr.
83. Silvester, C. F., Capt. 38th Inf. Fort Douglas, Utah.
85. Smith, C. M., Sergt. Co. "C" 1st Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
86. Smith, S. Sergt. Co. "I" 2nd Inf. Fort Brady, Mich.
87. Spann, W. M., Capt. Inf. unassigned, Fort Benning, Ga.
88. Stadia, H. E., Warrant Officer, Hq. 9th Corps Area, Presido of San Francisco, Calif.
89. Stewart, W. J., Corpl. Co. "L" 18th Inf. Fort Slocum, N. Y.
90. Street, R. R. 2nd Lieut. 6th Inf. Jefferson, Barracks, Mo.
91. Strickland, A. B. Sergt. Inf. School Detachment, Fort Benning, Ga.
92. Sullivan, C. F., Capt. 28th Inf. Fort Niagara, N. Y.
93. Taczanowski, A. 1st Sergt. Co. "D" 28th Inf. Fort Porter, N. Y.
94. Thompson, J. W., Capt. Inf. DOL Cornell Univ., Itaca, N. Y.
95. Thornburgh, W., Master Sergt. Service Co. 28th Inf. Fort Niagara, N. Y.
96. Tomey, W. R. 2nd Lieut. 29th Inf. Fort Benning, Ga.
97. Tupper, J. L. Capt. Inf. unassigned, Asst. Team Coach, Camp Lewis Wash.
98. Velenage, J. 1st Sergt. Co. "E" 13th Inf. Camp Devens, Mass.
99. Vehmette, R. E. 1st Lieut. 5th Inf. Camp Devens, Mass.
100. Waltz, W. P. Capt. Inf. DOL Hq. District of Washington, Washington, D. C.
101. Watson, W. R. 1st Lieut. 5th Inf. Fort McKinley, Me.
102. Wessels, T. F., Capt. Inf. unassigned, Fort Benning, Ga.
103. White, H. W., Sergt. Co. "A" 20th Inf. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
104. White, R. A. Corpl. Inf. School Detachment, Fort Benning, Ga.
105. Whitaker, H., Warrant Officer, Fort Riley, Kan.
106. Whiting, G. W. C. Major, 4th Inf. Fort George Wright, Wash.
107. Winters, J. T., Sergt. Co. "C" 28th Inf. Fort Porter, N. Y.
108. Wright, A. T. Capt. 18th Inf. Fort Schuyler, N. Y.
109. Zavadsky, M. A. Sergt. Co. "I" 8th Inf. Fort Moultrie, S. C.

**Summary by Grade.**

| | |
|---|---|
| 6 | Majors. |
| 32 | Captains. |
| 18 | First Lieutenants. |
| 5 | Second Lieutenants. |
| 2 | Warrant Officers. |
| 2 | Master Sergeants. |
| 6 | First Sergeants. |
| 26 | Sergeants. |
| 10 | Corporals. |
| 2 | Privates. |
| 109 | Total. |

**By Organizations.**

| Regiments. | |
|---|---|
| First Infantry | 2 |
| Second Infantry | 4 |
| Third Infantry | 2 |
| Fourth Infantry | 3 |
| Fifth Infantry | 4 |
| Sixth Infantry | 2 |
| Seventh Infantry | 2 |
| Eighth Infantry | 4 |
| Ninth Infantry | 2 |
| Tenth Infantry | 1 |
| Eleventh Infantry | 2 |
| Thirteenth Infantry | 3 |
| Sixteenth Infantry | 2 |
| Seventeenth Infantry | 5 |
| Eighteenth Infantry | 2 |
| Nineteenth Infantry | 1 |
| Twentieth Infantry | 2 |
| Twenty-second Infantry | 2 |
| Twenty-third Infantry | 4 |
| Twenty-fourth Infantry | 4 |
| Twenty-fifth Infantry | 2 |
| Twenty-sixth Infantry | 1 |
| Twenty-seventh Infantry | 1 |
| Twenty-eighth Infantry | 10 |
| Twenty-ninth Infantry | 5 |
| Thirtieth Infantry | 2 |
| Thirty-fourth Infantry | 1 |
| Thirty-eighth Infantry | 4 |
| Forty-second Infantry | 1 |
| Infantry unassigned | 16 |
| Infantry Detached Officers' List | 3 |
| Special Troops | 3 |
| Tank Corps | 1 |
| Infantry School Detachment | 6 |
| Total | 109 |

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# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post**

## SECOND BATTALION, 29th INFANTRY, GIVES SMOKER

On Thursday of last week the Second Battalion, Major Alfred E. Sawkins, commanding, gave a smoker in the Post Gymnasium.

The evening was full of entertainment of various forms chief of which were boxing bouts and vaudeville. Impromptu vaudeville was furnished by members of the battalion while a colored vaudeville troupe of four people helped to round out the evening.

There were plenty of smokes and plenty of edibles. Firm Roberts, of Columbus, was the caterer for the occasion.

The smoker was given complimentary to Major Sawkins who has been ordered away.

## 29TH INFANTRY GIVES FAREWELL PARTY

One of the most attractive parties of the season was given last Friday evening by the officers and ladies of the 29th Infantry in honor of Col. and Mrs. Goodale who are leaving that regiment.

The party consisted of a dinner followed by a dance. The dinner was given by the bachelor officers of the regiment to the married officers and was a complete success. The dance was given by all the 29th Infantry officers.

The polo club house, which was the scene of festivities, was attractively decorated in greens and blue and white streamers, the Infantry colors. The 29th Infantry colors, accompanied by the color guard, were present. Music was furnished by the regimental band of the 29th Infantry.

After the dinner a large quantity of paper hats, confetti and streamers were distributed and from then on the lace was the scene of merriment.

Among the guests resent, beside Col. and Mrs. Goodale, were General Gordan and Col. Kerth, the latter being now assigned to the 29th Infantry.

## BRIDGE FOR MRS. SAWKINS.

On last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. R. T. Arnest and Mrs. D. C. Campbell entertained at bridge in honor of Mrs. A. E. Sawkins, wife of Major Sawkins who has been ordered away.

The bridge, consisting of five tables was given in the quarters of Mrs. Arnest and about twenty ladies were present.

The guest prize was a beautiful piece of silk lingerie. The first prize, a pair of Italian silk hose, was won by Mrs. Goodale, the second prize, a bottle of perfume, was won by Mrs. Inman, the consolation, a beaded mat, went to Mrs. Sproule.

After the play refreshments, a frozen salad course and punch, were served.

Among those present were: Mrs. Sawkins, Mrs. Stetler, Mrs. P. P. Green, Mrs. W. V. Carter, Mrs. McNair, Mrs. Custer, Mrs. Lukert, Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. Sproule, Mrs. Sands, Mrs. Dunphy, Mrs. Hansell, Mrs. McCormick, Mrs. Goodale, Miss Critz, Mrs. Elkins, Mrs. Hoy, and Mrs. Inman.

## BACK FROM ATLANTA.

Lieut. and Mrs. Charles M. Chamberlain, Jr., have just returned from a five day leave in Atlanta. The trip was made by motor. Lieut. Chamberlain is reported to have distinguished himself by the maner in which he handled his car in the Atlanta traffic.

## MRS. PHILIP GREEN'S BRIDGE

A very pleasant social event of the dull season was the bridge given by Mrs. Philip P. Green at her quarters in Block 15 last week.

The quarters were very attractively decorated with nasturtiums and other garden flowers and the prizes were very attractive.

The first prize, a linen table cloth, was won by Mrs. Arnest; the second prize, a set of decorated card table numbers, was won by Mrs. Dunphy; the consolation, an attractive handmade handkerchief, was cut by Mrs. Lukert. There were several tea guests.

Among those present were Mrs. Goodale, Miss Critz, Mrs. Turner, Sr., Mrs. Reede Turner, Mrs. Lukert, Mrs. Arnest, Mrs. Dunphy, Mrs. Hansell, Mrs. J. P. Dinsmore, Mrs. Sproule, Mrs. Roby, Miss Sproule, Mrs. Tobias, Mrs. Sands, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Sawkins, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Frank Green.

## GENERAL AND MRS. MALONE GRANDPARENTS

News has been received of the birth of a son to Capt. and Mrs. Orryl S. Robles. His name is Francis Paul. Mrs. Robles will be remembered as Miss Mildred Malone, daughter of General and Mrs. Paul B. Malone. Young Francis Paul arrived on June 12, 1923, and reports by wireless that he is well pleased with conditions on this terrestrail sphere.

## SIMS-HAMMOND WEDDING.

On last Monday evening at Trinity Church Miss Alice Sims of Columbus was married to Capt. Claud G. Hammond, formerly of Fort Benning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. Alston Wragg, the Rector.

The church was handsomely decorated with palms, ferns and cut flowers interspersed with candles in seven-branched altar candlesticks. White perennial phlex, magnolias, white hydrangeas, and asparagus ferns helped to make the decorations. The wedding marches were played by Mrs. S. Alston Wragg.

The ushers were Messrs. Madden Hatcher, Owen McNulty, Pope Cole, Elliot Sims, and Lieut. Douglas. The brides maids were Miss Mildred Daniel, Miss Natalie Guthrie, of New Orleans, and Miss Elizabeth Mizell. The groomsmen were Capt. Little, Capt. Chesser, and Lieut. Honnen, all of Fort Benning.

Mrs. Hammond is the daughter of the late Dr. Edwin H. Sims and Mrs. Sims of Columbus. The groom is a member of the South Carolina Hammonds and was originally from Sumter S. C.

Capt. and Mrs. Hammond are now away on their honeymoon which includes New York and various points in Maine and Canada. After their return they will be stationed at Kinston, Rhode Island where Capt. Hammond has been detailed as an instructor at the State College.

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## American Legion Notes

From American Legion News Service

An automobile caravan to the American Legion national convention in San Francisco is being formed by American Legion members of Kansas. It is the plan to have the cars congregate at four points in the State and from there proceed to a central meeting place, where the party would form for the long journey. Many legion men who do not own automobiles will combine resources and buy an inexpensive car that can be sold at a small sacrifice when the party returns from the convention.

Georgia continues to lead all other departments of the American Legion in increase over memership for last year, according to latest reports of the legion's national treasurer. With a total of 8,573 members, the Georgia department has a percentage of 1,808 in comparison with last year. Other leading states, in relative order, are Arizona, Idaho, Utah, South Carolina, New Jersey, New York, Arkansas, South Dakota and New Hampshire.

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Eighty-five out of a possible 95 eligible veterans are members of the American Legion post at Nappanee, Ind. The post has raised money for the establishment of a city park and for the installation of playground equipment for the benefit of the community.

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A bet made in the last days of the Argonne, was paid off in Salem, Ore., recently when Walter H. Lilley, a Sacramento, Calif., business man, formerly a sergeant in the 148th, Oregon Artillery, called on George A. White, adjutant general of Oregon and one of the founders of the American Legion.

Oregon gunners were firing on the town of Moussey when General White, then a lieutenant colonel, told them they would be through fighting within ten days. Lilley doubted it and the two wagered the best dinner in Oregon when they should return home. White won the bet.

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Nebraska and Iowa American Legion members have proposed that press associations and newspapers be requested to omit the words, "Grover Cleveland" in carrying news of Bergoll, the draft evader, and use only his initials, "G. C."

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Members of the metropolitan police force of New York City, who died in the World War have been commemorated by the unveiling of a bronze tablet. A special ceremony was conducted by the General Lafayette post of the American Legion, which is composed entirely of police.

Des Moines, June—More than fifty thousand Iowa veterans of the World War have received their state bonus money, totaling more than $10,000,000 according to information obtained by the American Legion. Iowa will pay her 110,000 ex-service men a bonus of 50 cents a day for each day of service with $350 as the maximum for any individual. The bonus law was written by the legislative committee of the Iowa legion.

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### Co. "E"

From all reports the smoker given by the Second Battalion 29th Infantry, was a big success. We had a well, balanced program, plenty of local talent with a few selections from the well known colored quartet of Columbus. Each Co. was well represented in the special selections, and every man did his share to make the smoker a big hit.

The Co. finished firing last week and although we failed to qualify one man we are still leading the Regiment in per cent qualified.

The one man that failed to qualify made a record that has not been equaled in the 29th Inf. He needed eleven on his last five shots and made five straight duces. I would like to see Sgt. Storm or Sgt. Duncan beat the "E" Co. bolo for 2's.

Cpl. Myers must be getting pointers from Dinkey on how the alley apple is used in a boxing glove. Carrasco and Tea Hound make a fine pair. Carrasco weilding the gloves and the latter telling him how.

Cpl. Bryant, just returned from a furlough in Fla., says that the gaitors are having a big year.

### ATLANTA KIWANIANS GRATEFUL

**Adopt Resolutions Covering Entertainment.**

Of interest to the members of the 24th Infantry is the following resolutions recently adopted by the Kiwanis Club of Atlanta in connection with the part played by that regiment at the Kiwanis International Convention which was held in Atlanta:

"Greetings:

"By hearty and unanimous vote of the Kiwanis club of Atlanta, it is recognized that a very large part of the pleasure of visitors to the recent convention of Kiwanis International, held in this city, is due to the wonderfully generous and thoughtful helpfulness of a sister Kiwanis club.

"We are thus deprived of the privilege of taking all the honor to ourselves, but it brings to us the greater satisfaction that we share in the brotherhood of other splendid Kiwanis clubs, who in generous well doing, count it a joy to lend a helping hand

"Amongst the most outstanding and delightful features of the recent international convention were the splendid entertainments furnished by the colored band, the drum and bugle corps and the trained singers, all of whom added so materially to the success of Plantation night, through the courtesy of the Kiwanis club of Columbus.

"Words cannot adequately express our deep gratitude to your splendid organization, and we assure you that the Kiwanis club of Atlanta will welcome any opportunity which will enable us to give practical expression to our gratitude and esteem.

"Unanimously and enthusiastically adopted by the Kiwanis club of Atlanta, June 12, 1923.

"SHERRARD KENNEDY,
President.
"FRANK T. REYNOLDS,
"Secretary."

### SLANDER

"I have just been taking some motion pictures of a 24th Infantry fatigue detail."

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## NEW POLO FIELD ABOUT COMPLETED

### Old Field Near 24th Infantry Abandoned.

The new polo field near Block 23 on which construction began a short time ago is rapidly nearing completion and should be ready for play by the 1st of July.

Due to the fact that the 24th Infantry has had to expand its area because of additional troops being sent to the regiment from Columbus, New Mexico, it became necessary to abandon the polo field in the vicinity of that regiment's area. Considerable time and money had been put into the field by the polo association and the polo players of the post were somewhat non-plussed when they learned that the 24th Infantry would require the old polo field for drill purposes and the construction of barracks or erection of tents. An effort was at once made to find a suitable place for the construction of a new field and the area in which the new field now lies was assigned for this purpose. Developments have proven that this is far the most desirable site of any at this station for a polo field, not excepting the field near the polo club house on which a turf is being developed.

To the enlisted personnel of the post is due a great deal of the credit for getting the new field in shape so quickly. Members of the polo association who would have ordinarily had direct supervision over the work were on the range with their organizations and as a result the field was constructed, the tea house moved from the old field, and other work done entirely by the enlisted personnel. The work has been done very creditably and with the exception of installing the side boards and some rolling the field is ready for play.

The prospects for good polo at the Infantry School next year are good. There will probably be six teams on the post. It looks at this time as if the 29th Infantry team will have the "edge" on the other teams. The Blue team is in a disorganized condition due to transfer of its players to other stations. French, the Blue team's No. 2, has been assigned to the 29th Infantry thereby boosting that already strong team. Of the Artillery team but one players, Beiderlinden, remains here. The Yellow team practically disbanded before last season was over due to injuries to one player and the inability of the team as a whole to practice. But one player remains of the Blue team. However, it is being rumored that the 15th Tank Battalion will put a team in the field next year. The Artillery will no doubt gain players of experience, the 29th Infantry team will be practically intact, and the Blue team expects to be bolstered by student officers who have had considerable experience with their regiments.


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Col. William K. Naylor, the author of The Marne Miracle, is now Assistant Chief of Staff G-2 (Military Information), U. S. Army, and recognized as the foremost military strategist and student of Military History and its application to the principles of war.

During the war Col. Naylor served as Chief of Staff of a Division (33 National Guard Division from Illinois) and Chief of Staff of the 9th Army Corps. His present detail in the War Department is as one of the assistants to General Pershing.

Col. Naylor has made a most exhaustive study of the Marne Campaign of 1914, having at his disposal a mass of source records and from them has traced out the movements and operations of every unit of the contending forces engaged in the great campaign.

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1. Why do the French call the Battle of the Marne a miracle? Why do the Germans refer to it as a tragedy?
2. Was Germany. in all her boasted military efficiency, prepared for the World War? Wherein was she unprepared?
3. What was the German plan of Campaign? Was it that proposed by Von Schlieffen? Was it Von Moltke's? Was it a combination of the two?
4. What were France's plans for the war with Germany? Were they offensive or defensive at the outset?
5. Did the stand made by the Belgians at Liege save France?
6. Did Germany rush over defenseless Belgium in overwhelming numbers? Who were the stronger, the Germans or the Allies at this time?
7. What prevented the Battles of Mons and Charleroi from being complete German triumphs?
8. Were the British wiped out at Le Cateau? Did they stop Von Kluck?
9. Was Von Kluck responsible for the loss of the Battle of the Marne?
10. Why did the Germans fall back? Who is responsible for the order to retreat? Was it Foch's attack at Fere Champenoise?
11. Who was Von Hentsch? What part did he play in the orders for the German retreat?
12. Why did Germany lose?

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## Infantry Regiments Take Notice.

It is with pleasure that the News prints in another column of this issue an account of the record made at rifle practice by the 34th Infantry this year.

Somebody has said that it is the small things that count. The record made by any Infantry regiment is not a small thing, provided this record is creditable, and the News is anxious to have these records, together with records of other events going on with the various Infantry regiments. An account of a social gathering or athletic event is a small thing but the other fellow likes to read it.

As the publication representing the Infantry School the News believes that every regimental commander in the Infantry is interested in the publication to the extent that he is given a line of communication with the school. The same aplies in so far as getting advanced information in connection with the activities of the Infantry Board is concerned. Such interest leads the regimental commander to read the paper, which is mailed to him each week, and the best method of putting the activities of his regiment before other regimental commanders is by using the columns of the News which are always open.

The News is distributed gratitously and consequently has no income other than that derived from its advertising. Because of this fact it is not possible for the News to pay for news stories or employ correspondents. At the Infantry School everybody who has an idea that might appeal goes to considerable trouble sometimes to get this idea into the hands of the News. A spirit of co-operation exists locally in this respect. The same spirit is requested of the Infantry regiments. A story about the regiment "telling the world" what kind of an outfit it is will be accepted. Social notes advising student officers of what is going on in the regiments are particularly desirable. Results of polo tournaments, horse shows, field meets, and other athletic events will be given space.

Everybody connected with the News is doing the work "in addition to his other duties." The News has an S. O. S. signal as big as a garrison flag hanging out of the office window. A little assistance, please, Infantrymen.

## Junk the Army?

Recently a well known American business man with political ambitions was credited with making a remark appropos of using the military forces of the United States, namely, the Army and Navy, to enforce the Volstead Act. No doubt this gentleman believed that he was suggesting a practicable scheme for reducing governmental operating expenses and at the same time, to his mind, removing the temptation of having the idle brains of the military personnel of the United States become the "Devil's work-shop." A little piece of reformation, so to speak.

If the legal mission of the Army and the Navy was the enforcement of the Volstead Act this piece of legislation would be enforced and even Mr. Bryan would have no grounds for criticism regarding the "wet" condition of the country. However, such tasks are not the mission of the Army and Navy.

Most members of any city fire department have very little to do the majority of the time. Some of them have sunk so low that they have been known to do intricate pieces of embroidery and the like to pass the time away. The inhabitants of a city, however, would not only hesitate but they would forcibly oppose any city ordinance requiring firemen to operate garbage wagons or do city police work in addition to being firemen. Why? Because when a fireman is needed he is, like the Texan's gun, needed quick and needed badly.

As the fireman of a city fire department is an assurance to the people that their property and lives are being safeguarded against destruction by fire so are the military forces of the United States an assurance to the people of this country that their lives and property will be protected. And, unlike the fireman who has to knit to pass the time away, the Army and Navy is always busy in time of peace either perfecting themselves and others in the art of making this country safe from invasion or in assisting when called upon as a lost resort to uphold the majesty of the law.

The military forces of the United States believe that they should be extended the privilege of "hoeing their own row."

**Dedicated To**
**THE GUY**
**Who Was Editor Last Week**
**"HE DONE, HIS DURNDEST"**

"No Bull Fight After All For New Orleans People."—Newspaper headline.

We are not so particular; we hear "bull" fights almost every day.

Brother Woodall in his "Good Morning" kolyum ought to be ashamed of himself for printing the fish stories he is handling—and him a good Methodist, too.

"The Infantry School News is very much of interest to this command and we appreciate your including us on your mailing list." Extract from letter.

The News, being endowed with its full share of vanity, prints the above to keep the old morale boosted.

The Infantry team seems to be having a large time up at Niagara. By the way, isn't this just across from the Canadian border? Some of the fish stories drifting in would seem to indicate that more than "fish" might be caught in the vicinity.

## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE

Calculator had just hopped out of a big Studebaker after a trip to town when he spied the Dane coming forlornly down the road. "Well, well," said Calculator, as he came within hearing distance, "you look as if you had just been put on Sunday K. P. Why all the deep thought?"

"Well," said the Great Dane, leaning up against the right side of the sign "Keep to The Right" in front of the Post Office building, knowing no one would drive that way, "I've just been thinking about the roads. You see, there is so much to growl about here if one looks for it, and it is so easy to growl about everything, that I thought it would be a good thing to growl so every one could hear it. But I'm all wrong. I was going to complain about our poor roads in the Post but when I looked into it—(here he looked even more downhearted)—I found that I had not looked at the other fellow's side before now. I find that appropriations are short and all we can get are needed for quarters so I decided not to mention it because it can't be helped. We can get along a while longer with bumpy roads but we do need some sort of a place to live in."

Calculator extended his forepaw in congratulations and remarked, "That's the way I've wanted you to look at things ever since you started growling."

So, after wading through the small lake alongside the Post Office, they ambled off to the commissary to see if the fat butcher hadn't thrown away some particularly attractive bones by mistake.


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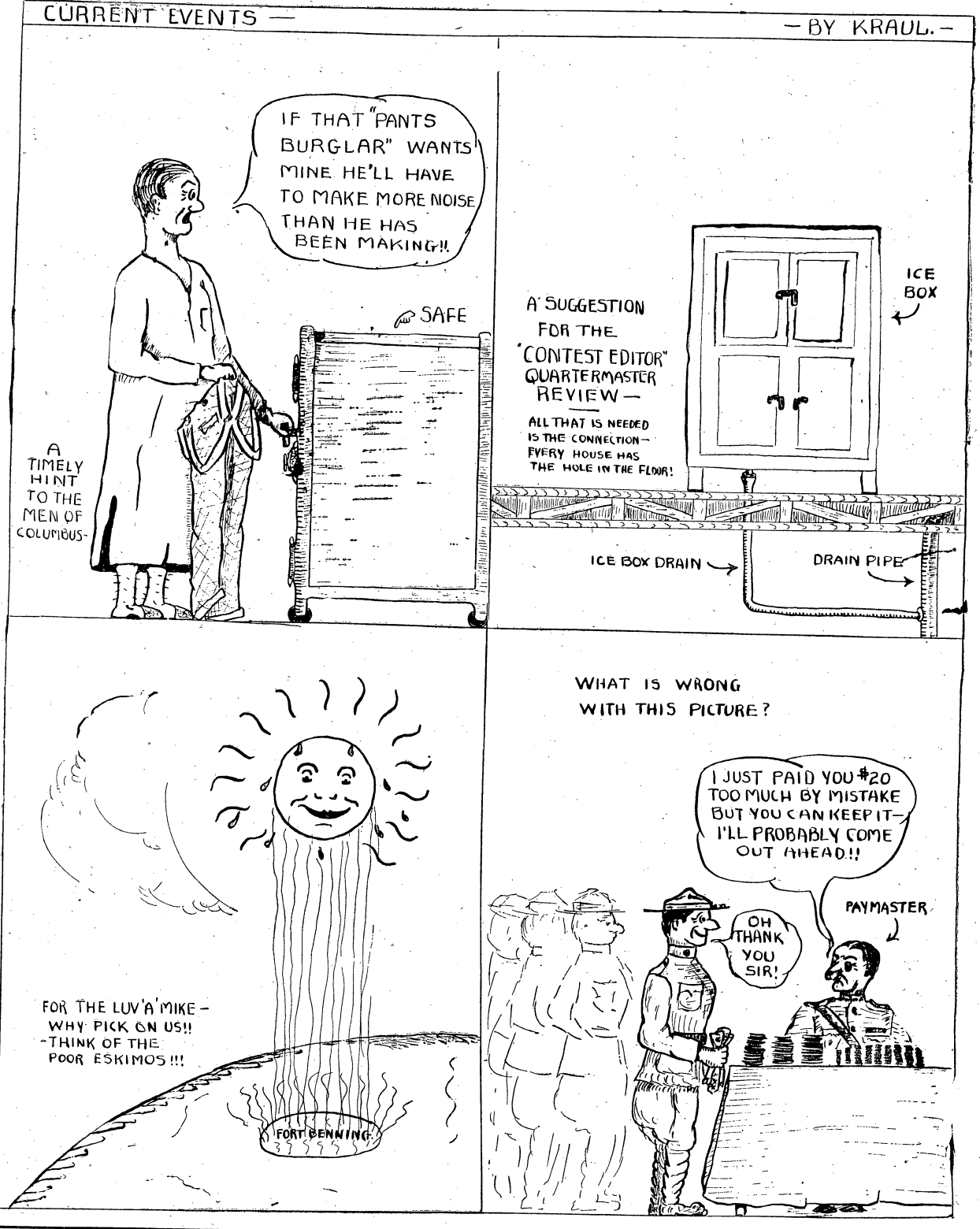


## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

**Reception Committee of One.**

Mr. Plattenberg said when he got off of a train to give a lecture in a town, he was met by a young man who asked, "Say, are you the guy that's gonna lecture here tonight?" Mr. Plattenberg said, "Yes," Then the young man said:

"Well I am the gentleman who to introduce you."

We were informed that the gentleman who makes the announcements at the Chatauqua is a Cornell graduate but we noticed that he asked the people, "Now, please do not Set in the aisles. There is a law against it." We did not go to Cornell but we wonder if that is the way they teach up there. (It reminds me of some of the monographs with battalion spelled with one "t" and two "Is" and Britannica spelled with two "ts' and one "n" which the military folks slip up on sometimes. I like to write monographs, however.)

Well the lecture was enjoyable and the writer will go again this evening.

**Ignorance Is Bliss.**

Charlie—Married yet, old man?

Edward—No, but I'm engaged, and that's as good as married.

Charlie—It's better, if you only knew it.

**Angels?**

A lady was entertaining her friends in the parlor and she left them to take her small daughter upstairs to bed. When she left the little girl, she said, "Darling, do not be afraid. The angels will stay with you up here. I must go down to my company."

A little later the child came down stairs and said in a loud whisper. "Mamma, those angels you said would stay with me sure do bite."

**Thoughtful Farmer.**

Elaine, was making her first inspection of the farm and after expressing her opinion on the various features of rural life, said, stopping before the great windmill, "Farmer Brown, everything is very nice on your place, but I think you are very kind to put up that nice big fan to keep your cows cool."

**Mamma Should Not Be Inquisitive**

Valerie came home from school one day and said: "Mamma I got 100 in spelling yesterday." Mamma answered: "Did you? That's fine. What did you get today?" "Oh! I missed today."

Evelyn, aged seven, ventured out alone one evening into the back hall and saw two roaches wandering in from the back porch. She "heeled it" at top speed back to the bedroom, crying, "Mamma, come quick, there's mice. Two little bitsy ones and they are black."

**Speed Limit Broken**

A colored brother went to a funeral. The following morning he was telling his employer all about the big affair. "Dat wuz de finest funeral I eber did see. Flowahs eve' ywhar and all sich fine things and we wuz all settin' 'roun' enjoyin' de wake, nen all ob a sudden de co'ps sat up."

"Well, what happened then?"

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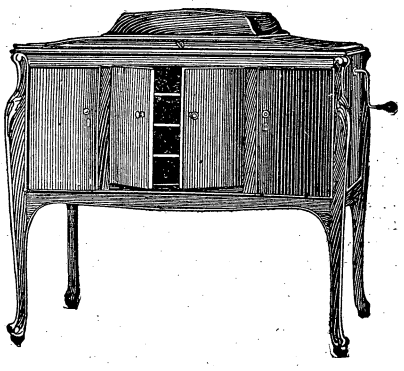
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The only method of finding these officers at times is for the person wanting them to know what set of quarters they moved into and knowing also who last occupied these quarters. The Information Operator at the telephone exchange does not know always how to find an individual by telephone and as a consequence the connection cannot be made.

While it is quite true that having ones whereabouts unknown is often desirable at the same time there may be a chance of missing a dinner party or something else of the kind on account of not receiving a telephone message. (Also the Editor of the News cannot get reports of social affairs unless he knows the number)

A recent daily bulletin requests that everybody who has had a change of phone numbers since May 15, 1923, register their new phone giving the name, rank, branch of service, changes in duty status, old and new office phones and old and new residence phones. The News will also be glad to print such information for the benefit of your friends.

## 24th INFANTRY TO CELEBRATE GLORIOUS FOURTH

### Big Schedule of Events Shown

The 24th Infantry will observe the 4th of July with appropriate ceremonies and exercises. The following is the schedule of athletic events in detail:

1. 100 yard dash.
2. 220 yard dash.
3. 50 yard 3 legged race.
4. 100 yard stilt race (tread of stilt 2 feet from ground) stilts cannot be tied to legs, but must be held with hands.
5. 50 yard dash with glass of water, start with glass full of water; glass with most water remaining crossing line, wins.
6. 50 yard cigarette race—start with sack of tobacco and cigarette paper in hand—made cigarette while running; contestant reaching scratch first with best made cigarette, wins.
7. 50 yard sack race.
8. One mile walk.
9. 400 yard Relay race—one team (4 men) from each—1st Bn. 2nd Bn., Companies I. K. L. M. and Service Company—7 teams.
10. Rescue race—wounded man on ground 50 yards from scratch; men at scratch with rifle, belt and bayonet and 5 rounds blank ammunition in rifle—rifle locked—runs to wounded man, fires 5 rounds to his front in prone position, picks up wounded man and carries him to scratch—entries same as event 9.

One entry from each company for each event must be made.

No man can enter more than one event.

## SERVICE MEN ESPECIALLY INVITED TO ROSE HILL M. E. BUSINESS MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Business Men's Bible Class of the Rose Hill Methodist Church invites and especially urges the officers and enlisted men of Fort Benning to their meetings each Sunday morning at 10 a. m.

The lesson is taught in an interesting and impressive manner by men who are prepared to give the class a mental and spiritual feast, and a hearty hand shake and slap-on-the-back greeting awaits you. Come, most especially those residing in Columbus above 12th street.

## New Arrivals and Removals

Capt. Thomas G. Brown, Quarters 232527-A.*
Capt. Leslie R. Forney, Quarters 191714.
Capt. A. L. Tuttle, Quarters 191706.
Capt. N. L. Bartley, Quarters 38-4.
Capt. O. N. Thompson, Quarters 232507-C.
Capt. Thomas J. Heald, Quarters 232503-D.
Capt. Pleas B. Rogers, Quarters 232509-A.
Lieut. A. GG. Anderson, Quarters 16-35.*
Lieut. Robt. C. Sanders, Quarters 16-32.*
Lieut. R. J. Williamson, Quarters 16-14.
Lieut. L. H. Sims, Quarters 16-13-A.
*Now on temporary duty at Camp McClellan.

## THE HOUSE BY THE SIDE OF THE ROAD

(By Sam Walter Foss)

"He was a friend to me, and lived in a house by the side of the road." Homer.

There are hermit souls that live withdrawn
In the peace of their self-content;
There are souls like stars, that dwell apart
In a fellowless firmament;
There are pioneer souls that blaze their paths
Where highways never rain;
But let me live by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

Let me live in a house by the side of the road
Where the race of men go by—
The men who are good and the men who are bad,
As good and as bad as I.
I would not sit in the scorner's seat
Or hurl the cynic's ban;
Let me live in a house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

I see from my house by the road,
By the side of the highway of life,
The men who press with their ardor of hope,
The men who are faint with the strife.
But I turn not away from their smiles nor their tears—
Both parts of an infinite plan;
Let me live in my house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

I know there are brook-gladdened meadows ahead
And mountains of wearisome height,
That the road passes on through the long afternoon
And stretches away to the night.
But still I rejoice when the travelers rejoice
And weep with the strangers that moan,
Nor live in my house by the side of the road
Like a man who dwells alone.

Let me live in my house by the side of the road
Where the race of men go by—
They are good, they are bad, they are weak, they are strong
Wise, foolish—so am I.
Then why should I sit in the scorner's seat,
Or hurl the cynic's ban?
Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
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## ENLISTED MEN AND THEIR WIVES LOOK

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All ladies who wish to form an afternoon dancing class please leave your names with Miss Roe.

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## FOURTH TO BE CELEBRATED

### Patriotic Exercises, Athletics, and Fireworks

That the Glorious Fourth will be celebrated at Fort Benning in an appropriate manner is evidenced by the program of events for the day which is shown below.

Colonel B. P. Nicklin, 24th Infantry, will make the address at the exercises scheduled for the Post Swimming Pool and the Declaration of Independence will be read by Chaplain F. L. Rosenthal. Band selections will intersperse the talks.

The program of events for the day follows:

6:30 a. m. Parade of all bands.
8:00 a. m. Patriotic exercises at Post Swimming Pool.
9:00 a. m. Swimming Meet, Post Swimming Pool.
12:00 Noon, National Salute.
2:30 p. m. Baseball at Post Athletic Field.
(Probably between I. S. D. and 167th Infantry Alabama National Guard.)
8:00 p. m. Pyrotechnic display on parade ground.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

**In the near future we will have about one-half of a column entitled: "What Not to do in Etiquete" in each issue.**

## THE USUAL COURTESY

"Brokesley," said the grocery keeper to the dead beat who was planning to move out of the community. "I don't believe you will eve rpay me what you owe me. It isn't worth while to sue for it, and you have nothing I care to attach. I will simply give you a receipt and call it paid."

"Fine of you," said Brokesley.

A few moments after, seeing that Brokesley still lingered about, the merchant said:

"Was there something you wished to speak to me about?"

"Not especially, but ain't it customary to give a fellow a cigar when his account is settled?"

—5th Corps News.

## LODGE NOTICES

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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**NOTICE**
Knights of Columbus Bishop Gross Council No. 1019 meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcomed. Cor. 13th nnd Broad

## NOTICE AMERICAN LEGION

**All officers and men who are members of Chas. S. Harrison Post of the American Legion and who are leaving Fort Benning are requested to send in their Change of Address.**

## OF ANCIENT VINTAGE

One of the pleasant things about the 29th Infantry Officers Mess is the atmosphere—and the rare after dinner stories.

One of the juniors who for the past several months had been listening with much amazement to the various tales of personal prowess and Don Juan adventures originating at the captain's table began taking notes on the elapsing of time of each story.

After much calculations, checking and re-checking this officer now announces that on the basis of his figures the age of the following named officers estimated from their own versions of their personal experiences is:

Captain George W. Pilkington, 217 years old.

Captain John A. Claussen, 168 years old.

Captain Howard N. Scales, Six years old.

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Heir apparent to the Mazda,
Through the Tanlac strolled the lovers,
Through the Shredded Wheat they wandered.
"Lovely little Wrigley Chricket,"
Were the Fairy words of Postum's.
"No Pyrene can quench the fire,
Nor any Aspirin still the heartache;
Oh, my Prestolite desire,
Let us marry, little Djer-Kiss."
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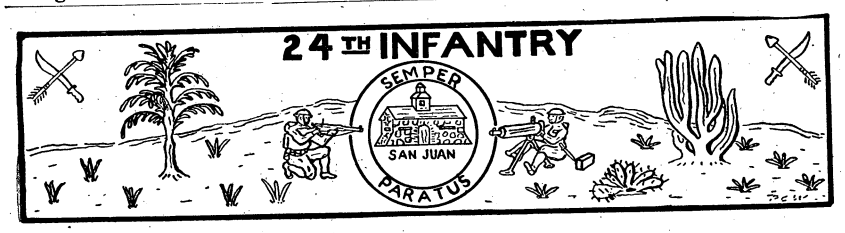


### Service Company

All Ye'gas hack,' Lizzy, and automobile owners of this company take notice. Ye are forbidden to take any soldiers out of camp with you unless you have a regular taxi cab license, under penalty of losing the privilege of using your car for one month, and spending many uncomfortable evenings at 8-10-and-12.

The company recently gained a man, Pvt. Morris, from the 10th Cav. by reenlistment. Welcome to the company, Pvt. Morris.

Young George Dixon seems to have a hunch that Flashlight Boyd did not fully earn his knockout Friday the 15th. Anyway he asked for a return match and Boyd took him up. The date is set for July 15th. Lookout Dixon! Boyd will be in better shape next time you meet him and the bets are that you will not last even seven (7) rounds this time.

Sgt. Goodwin, who is spending his time these days making soldiers of recruits, in addition to teaching them "squads east," is teaching them the doctrine of "Uphold the traditions of the 24th Infantry! If you do'nt, God Help you." Go to it Goodwin, a deep chest and a strong 'right' makes soldiers faster than soft words, pajamas, and pink tea.

Half of the company's pistol group have completed their record firing and as many have qualified. We expect 100 per cent qualifications this year with the .45.

The company lost two valuable men this week by discharge, Pvts. J. Handy and Fred Smith. They are expected to re-up however, within the next few days.

### Co. "A"

Company "A" is still leading the companies her size. Of the 20 men to fire, 16 have fired and have qualiifed as follows: Experts 7, Sharpshooters 5, Marksmen 4, and four men have not completed firing. We are on top and are going to stay on top. "A" company has a record that has never been beaten by any Company in the Regiment, an dif a man from this Company goes to the range and does not qualify he has a hard time staying with the men that did qualify, so every man goes out to do his best.

Pvt. Davis won for himself the distinction of being an Expert rifleman. Every soldier should work like Private Davis worked. His ambition always bene to become a good shot. He has made the goal, and like Pvt. Davis every soldier should make up his mind as to what he wants and work to that end.

Here is something that very few old or young soldiers can have said about them. Pvt. Murphy, this organization, will be discharged July 1st 1923. This soldier came to us when the 3rd Battalion was disbanded Sept. 1921. He has a record that is equaled, by few. He completed 5 years, 6 months and 26 days and has never been confined in the guard house. He has had company punishment but once. He never missed a call, always on time when duty called him. This soldier is one of exceptional quality, very obedient to his superiors and never shrinks from any duty that he is called upon to perform. When asked was he going to re-enlist he said, I don't see anything to go out for, I could as well stay here." So you see if you are good you have nothing to fear, because you know how to keep out of trouble and there will be no cause for worry.

### Company "I"

We are very glad to know that our Sgt. Handy has been promoted to the Bolo Squad. Look out Sergeant Handy, Sgt. Joe Anderson says he got to find somebody some where that can miss a target as many times as he can.

Private Woods and Golden have been matched for a three round bout. Pvt. Woods rang up last Sunday and found that Private Golden was in camp, so Woods tried to open Golden's mail. Woods want to fight in the company street where some one will part them, Old GolGden wants Wood in the kitchen.

Ex-Cook Turpin talked his way into the kitchen as cook; did fine, we are now using his steaks that he cooked for shoulder pads on the range, and his desert for target paste. He is now busy explaining to Gilbert where you can not get along with Golden.

Private Robert Childs has made expert on the range, "Pulling Targets." Poor boy has gone color blind he can't tell a 4 from a five.

Sergeant Ellis, (Slum), should go in the Quartermaster department as a camouflage artist. He takes a fatigue hat and make it look like steak any time he takes a notion.

Look out 1st platoon, Shorty Washington says there is not a soldier in the 1st Platoon can look any better than him and Robert Branch on inspection any day in the week.

### Company "K"

The enlisted men of Co. "K" are all smiles since the arrival of Capt. Rustemeyer, formerly commanding Co., "B," I. S. D. Col.: Now Co. "K" 24th, Inf.

The members of company "K" are doing some good shooting these days, Say Iron-jaw, where are all those 49s and possibles? must have gone away, eh.

### Company "L"

When the big Bugle of Zion City begins to sing a little song, entitled: "Wake Up Boys and Put Some Bulls Eye Oil in Your Gun," "L" Company stands at the head of the list.

Stop, Look and Listen! It was said some time ago that a calvaryman couldn't shoot, but when the truth is to be told, stop by and take a hot look at the calvary expert in Co. "L." The tale will be told when the season is all over.

Pvt. Tolbert Harris—Sunday is your last day to decide whether you are going to leave Grandpa, Sam, here struggling, trying to raise his boys. Stay here and help the old man. We can look at you with a field glass and tell you that you are going to stay here.

Sgt. JeJnnings, (Pop) made expert both ways, pistol and rifle, going some Pop, you had all the boys fooled anyway, you had some 76 stuff up your sleeve that you didn't care to put out until you saw your oats was getting away from you, carry on Pop you hav ethe rest of the Co. to follow in your footsteps.

We would like to know whether the C. C. has lost th ekey to the Co. fund or the mess Sgt. has gone insane over the funds that he has, (Keep 'Em, going Sgt. Scott you have been doing excellent, but be sure to keep the lock on that H. A. S. H. train. When she moves off from the station we ask of you to please have a DERAIL on the track.

Sgt. Session (Shaddy Rest) is on furlough for 30 days, and the Co. wishes him a nice time while he is away. We hope that he has plenty of good news for the boys when he comes off the target range at 12:30 today. Bob, was your furlough disapproved? Oh; I know that.

Pvt. Stubbs can you give any member of the Co. information as to how you made export? It is alright when you began pumping preliminary, but, boy when you have to peep for your oats it is (.....H).

### Company "M"

Some things to try to find:
Spl. Jennings awake.
Sgt. Green without a smile.
Sgt. Wheeler not talking over the telephone.
Cpl. Newman running.
Sgt. Coleman when you want him.
Pvt. Crawford not sparring.
Pvt. Ruffins looking lively.
Pvt. Henderson not writing a letter.
Pvt. Raspberry feeling well.
Pvt. Turner not singing, or talking.
Sgt. Russell's Puttees wraped neat.
Pvt. Hunt not baldheaded.
Pvt. Liddell not shooting dice.
Spl. Jones not hanging the dice.
Pvt. Bullard not snatching money in the game.


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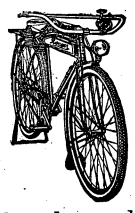

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Excellent results are being obtained in local recruiting according to reports form the Post Recruiting Officer, Capt. G. E. Kraul, Infantry D. O. L. Recruiting sub-stations are maintained at the following places:

Columbus, Ga., Sergt. C. M. Finney Co. G, 29th Infantry.

Macon, Ga., Sergt. Howard S. Catron, DEML (RS)

Albany, Ga., Sergt. Aaron M. Winn, DEML (RS)

Cordele, Ga., Corp. Grover C. Woods, DEML (RS)

Waycross, Ga., Pvt. Oscar H. Hood, DEML (RS)

Valdosta, Ga., Pvt. S. E. Hatfield, DEML (RS)

Dublin, Ga., Pvt. Graham Allen, DEML (RS)

The excellent work being done by the above canvassers has been commended upon very highly by the Commanding General and the records of the highest men published by the Fourth Corps Area Headquarters. Sergts. Winn, Catron and Finney were star recruiters for May, 1923 and every month one or more of the local canvassers stand among the highest in this Corps Area.

Fort Benning has led the Corps Area for the last two months in the number of enlistments and re-enlistments secured and it is expected we will lead again this month.

In addition to the local efforts a party of four canvassers, consisting of 2nd Lieut. J. D. Box, 29th Inf. (in charge); Corp. Arvil McK. Lance, Co. F, 29th Inf.; Sergt. Willie O. Powell, Hdqrs. Co., 2nd Bn., 29th Inf.; Pvt. James G. Strickland, Co. A, 15th Tank Bn.; Corp. Cordie Joiner, Bat. C, 83rd F. A. is on duty in the vicinity of Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and are sending in approximately 100 recruits a month.

A party of four canvassers consisting of Corp. Abe R. Daniels, Co. A, 29th Inf.; Corp. Willie J. Rankin, Co. C, 29th Inf.; Pvt. 1st Cl. Wm. B. Fairchild, I. S. D.; Pvt. George A. Johnston, Bat. A, 83rd F. A. is operating in Louisiana and Mississippi and the canvassers are getting excellent results sending in a detachment of recruts every few days via Fort Barrancas, Fla.

Re-enlistments have been greater the last few months than at any other period in the last three years. This is a very satisfactory indication of the high morale and contentment existing in the organizations stationed at Fort Benning.

In order to give young men in other parts of the United States an opportunity to serve at The Infantry School, the Adjutant General of the Army has authorized the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th and 6th Corps Areas to enlist a small quota each, for Fort Benning and approximately 600 recruits are to arrive from these Corps Area about August 1st, 1923.

Plans for the fall and winter recruiting in the surrounding towns are now being formulated by the Post Recruiting Officer and already many requests have been received from young men in Southern Georgia for enlistment for The Infantry School as soon as the farming season is over.

Members of this command who have had previous experience as recruiting canvassers and who are interested in recruiting during the fall and winter months should make application to the local Recruiting Officer. Noncommissioned officers of long service will be given preference, if they possess the necessary qualifications and experience.

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## 2nd CORPS AREA ACTIVE HOLD CORPS AREA CHAMPIONSHIP MEET

(Continued from page One)

Staff, U. S. A., with Maj. Livingston Watrous, A. G. D., U. S. A., as Adjutant of the parade. The aides were Lieut. Col. John M. Rogers, N. J. N. G., Major Arthur G. Hixson, Cav. Capt. Herbert C. Holdridge, Cav., 1st Lieut. John P. Neu, Q. M. C., 1st Lieut. Joseph M. Glasgow, Cav., all U. S. Army.

The following was the order of march for the parade:

1. Grand Marshal and staff.
2. 16th Infantry Band.
3. Massed colors of all organizations parading.
4. Battalion of 16th Infantry, Major Joseph H. Davidson commanding.
5. Comany U. S. Marines, 1st Lieut. John Halla, U. S. Marines, commanding.
6. 62nd Artillery Anti-Aircraft, Capt. Wm. M. Cravens commanding.
7. Band, 62nd Artillery Anti-Aircraft.
8. 165th Infantry Battalion, N. Y. N. G., Major Edw. J. Conrad commanding.
9. 9th Coast Defense Battalion N. Y. N. G., Major Leon A. Keyes commanding.
10. Brigadier General Quincy Gilmore and staff.
11. 113th Infantry Band, N. J. N. G.
12. 113th Infantry Battalion, N. J. N. G., Major Wm. A. Higgins commanding.
13. 104th Engineers Battalion N. J. N. G., Colonel E. Firth commanding.
14. 44th Divisional Signal Company, N. J. N. G., Captain Joseph B. Leimer commanding.
15. 112th Field Artillery, N. J. N. G., Major Richard P. Hardegen commanding.
16. Squadron 102nd Cavalry, N. J. N. G., Major Hardy J. Bush commanding.
17. Band and Battalion R. O. T. C., Clason Point Military Academy, Captain Holmes E. Dager commanding.
18. B. F. Keith Boys' Band.
19. Regiment of Columbus Cadets, Colonel John Mosier commanding.

There were thirty-one events in the meet in which were entrants from both the Army, National Guard of New Jersey, and R. O. T. C. units. Of especial interest was event No. 17 which consisted of a joint demonstration by units of Infantry, Tanks, Chemical Warfare Service, Air Service and Engineers. The Infantry unit was a battalion from the 16th Infantry and the general plan of the activity was a demonstration of the battalion in attack. An aerial circus was put on by two flight squadrons of airplanes from Mitchel Field.

Of special significance is the fact that this meet was participated in by all components of the Army of the United States and, regardless of who won the various events, the effect will be to draw more closely together.


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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## I. S. D. DEFEATS TANKS GAME WENT TEN INNINGS

(By SGT. J. M. WHEELER)

The I. S. D. defeated the Tanks in a thrilling ten inning game by the score of 3 to 2. It was a great pitchers battle between "Red" Lindsey and Johnny Hyland with Hyland the victor after "Red" had held the I. S. D. scoreless for seven innings.

The Tanks were leading up to the last half of the eighth by the score of 2 to 0, when Heckert scored Shepard with a walloping three base drive to right center. With Heckert on third and Suby on second and two down, Hodges hit to deep short while Heckert scored and got Suby coming from second after Heckert had crossed the plate.

Then the argument started, the Tanks claiming the score didn't count while the rule book showed that it did as it was not a force out at third and the batter was not retired at first. Therefore, the game was played under protest by Sgt. Dennis of the Tanks, with the score standing two all.

In the first half of the tenth the Tanks failed to score while the I. S. D. put the old game on ice after Suby had gotten a life at first on an error, stole second and third and scored on Waller's triple to deep left, ending a great battle. It seemed for awhile that the I. S. D. were doomed to defeat after losing it's first game of the season to Jordan City Saturday, but the boys rallied gamely and pulled one out of the fire. Heckert and Shepard were the hitting stars, while Evan's running catch off Waller in the sixth inning brought the fans to their feet.

Next Saturday at 3:30 p. m. the I. S. D. will endeavor to wipe out the defeat sustained by Jordan City on their grounds and with air tight, playing and an even break in the game the I. S. D. expect to emerge victorious. The box score follows:

| I. S. D. | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Heckert, 2b. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 0 |
| Suby, 1b. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarthy, c. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Waller, lf. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Hodges, cf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwin, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Hyland, p. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Shepard, rf. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 3 | 10 | 30 | 17 | 4 |

| Tanks | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hedgecock, cf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grantham, lf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Swantic, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Maynard, rf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Baltzell, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| Bryan, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 4 |
| Dennis, 2b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Lindsey, p. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 2 | 5 | 29 | 20 | 8 |

Two out when winning run was scored.

| Score by innings: | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 000 | 000 | 020 | 1—3 | 10 | 8 |
| Tanks | 001 | 010 | 000 | 0—2 | 5 | 8 |

Summary:

Three base hits, Heckert, Waller, Double plays, Dausch to Heckert to Suby. Stolen bases, Hedgecock, Ryan, Suby (3), Hyland. Struckout by, Hyland 3, by Lindsey 7. Bases on balls; Lindsey 2. Hit by pitched ball, Dennis. Time of game 2 hours. Umpires Valentine, plate, Sharpe, bases.

## NOTICE AMERICAN LEGION

**All officers and men who are members of Chas. S. Harrison Post of the American Legion and who are leaving Fort Benning are requested to send in their Change of Address.**

## TANKS VICTORS OVER ARTILLERY

**Coat of Whitewash Spread by Winners, Who Garned Ten Runs for Their Share—Two Hits for the Losers.**

By SGT. J. M. WHEELER

The Tanks easily defeated the Artillery yesterday afternoon by the score of 10 to 0, Lindsey and Swantic letting the Artillery down with two hits, both of which was garnered off Lindsey, who retired in the fifth, giving way to Bill, who whiffed seven and didn't allow the sign of a hit. The feature of the game was Swantic's steal of home in the eighth.

Walker, the first baseman of the Artillery will bear watching, for he is young and is one of the best players on his club, if not the best. Dickson, the new outfielder, looks like a ball player and he takes a healthy cut at the ball.

Bruno, the little hurler of the Artillery, would have gotten away better than he did, if his team mates had supported him, although his two errors proved costly.

The box score follows:

| TANKS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Grantham, lf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Maynard, 3b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Baltzell, ss | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Smith, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 0 |
| Sharpe, cf | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dennis, 1b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Huddleston, rf | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Randall, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Lindsey, p | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Swantic, p | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 10 | 11 | 27 | 10 | 2 |

| ARTILLERY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bruno, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Chidwick, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Dickson, rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker, 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Owens, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Everett, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Morey, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 1 |
| Piazza, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Green, cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 0 | 2 | 24 | 9 | 4 |

| Score by innings: | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tanks | 031 | 100 | 41x | —10 | 11 | 2 |
| Artillery | 000 | 000 | 000 | — 0 | 2 | 4 |

Summary: Two base hits: Grantham, 2, Huddleston. Double play: Bruno to Morey. Stolen bases: Sharpe 2; Swantic 2. Struckout by Lindsey 3; by Swantic 7; by Bruno 4. Base on balls: By Lindsey 1; Swantic 1; Bruno 2. Sacrifice hits: Dennis 2; Walker. Passed ball: Smith. Time of game: 1 hour 50 minutes. Umpires: Steele and Fielding.

## PENSACOLA GIANTS RETURN TO CANE BOTTOMS VANQUISHED

**24th Infantry Wins 4-3, 14-2**

The Pensacola Giants were entertained by the 24th Infantry baseball team on Saturday and Sunday last, June 23rd and 24th and while here learned some of the fine points of baseball. For instance they learned how to take the old game out of the discard in the ninth after having it given to them on a string of errors by their opponents. The 24th played a rather loose game, draped about a limp figure three errors satcked up in the first inning. The game totaled nine errors by the 24th, and netted three runs for the visitors. The regulars gathered up three runs during the game, tying the score in the seventh. In the ninth inning a winning tally was produced which saved the game but recorded an off-days' work.

The creditable aspect of the score and other features of the game was vouchsafed by pitcher Leonard, who held the batting down to the minimum, which proved very desirable in view of the rheumatic condition of the fielders, and in the seventh he himself plugged out a homer which tied the score. In the ninth inning Knight came up and got a single. He stole second, and then Gree ncame to bat and got around to the third station on a healthy wallop to center field. Knight easily scored. The game was called.

The second game was more like the usual form and results. The soldiers came out of their stuper and turned out a 14-2 victory. The scores follow:

**First Game**

| Score: | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pensacola | 020 | 010 | 000— | 3 | 5 | 2 |
| 24th Infantry | 100 | 010 | 101— | 4 | 7 | 9 |

42 base hits; 13 base hits; one home run.

Batteries: Pensacola, Winder-Wesley. So. Winder 8. 24th Inf. Leonard-Wallace. So. Leonard 4.

**Second Game**

| Score: | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pensacola | 000 | 011 | 000— | 2 | 7 | 3 |
| 24th Inf. | 103 | 118 | 000— | 14 | 17 | 5 |

Two home runs.

Batteries: Pensacola, Hill-Wesley. So. Hill 2. 24th Inf. Haywood-Battles So. Haywood 10.

## DEMPSEY Vs. GIBBONS

Within a few days another "Battle of the Century" will be staged at Shelby, Montana, between Jack Dempsey the present heavyweight champion of the world, and Tommy Gibbons, aspirant for the heavyweight championship.

This Sports Editor is of the opinion that Dempsey will win.

Naturally the newspapers have been full of "dope" furnished by experienced press agents for the purpose of working up interest in the affair, thereby increasing the gate receipts. The general tendency of most of this "dope" has been to attempt to show how the present Champion has been knocked around the ring like an amateur by his sparring partners and an attempt has been made to get the average man to underestimate Dempsey and over-rate Gibbons.

There is no doubt of Gibbons' ability. He is an experienced fighter with a punch. There seems to be no doubt that he can get a decision over any heavyweight now in the ring—except Dempsey. He cannot get a decision over Dempsey, unless Dempsey fouls him, for the reason that there is not as much ordinary "mule power" tied up under his skin as there is under Dempsey's skin.

The reports that Dempsey is not taking his training seriously because of over-confidence should be accepted with caution. Dempsey has too much at stake and his manager is too astute to take any chances. When Dempsey enters the ring on July 4th he will be in the pink of condition—and he may let Gibbons stay 6 rounds.


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Holy Name Society every second and fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY.**

Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

### WARFARE REVOLUTIONIZED—NEW FLASHLESS POWDER DEVELOPED

The Army Ordance Department has developed a powder that is flashless, smokeless and non-hygroscopic. The new powder may be exposed indefinitely to any atmosphere saturated with moisture without effect on its properties. During tests it has been completely submerged in water without any absorbed moisture being found.

The present type of service powder, because of its tendency to absorb

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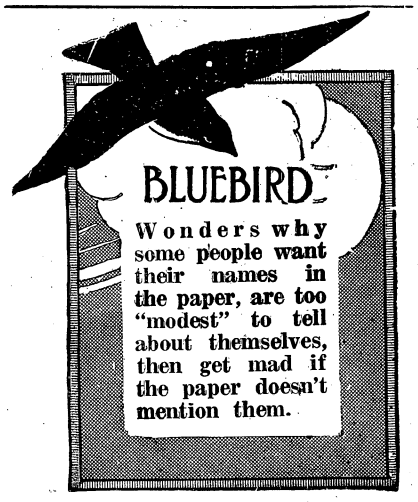



## PREPAREDNESS

**WHILE I believe in peace," said Maj.-Gen. Charles H. Muir, U. S. A., commanding the Third Corps Area, in an address to the Reading (Pa.) Sector of the Association of the Army of the United States, "I believe that the nations of the world still reflect the human weakness in us. No one but a fool believes that war is ended while nations of Europe still look at us with envious eyes.**

**"Therefore, I am a firm believer in the best Army and Navy that America can produce. I believe that no matter how much we do for the nations of the world in a philanthropic sense; no matter what advances we make towards peace; while the conditions of the human soul should remain human, wars will continue. I therefore hope for the best Navy and Army that we can produce.**

**"I want the flag never to be in jeopardy, and I believe that the only way to protect it is to inculcate that spirit in our Army that has kept it at its high sandard in he past."**

### C. M. T.'s WILL BE FED—QUARTERMASTER GEN. PREPARES MENU

The Army will feed each of the 30,000 young men who attend the Citizens' Military Training Camps this summer at a cost of 70 cents a day for three meals.

The office of the Quartermaster Gen. has prepared a basic model menu composed entirely of staple articles, for which 45 cents of the daily allowance for each man will be used. Twenty-five cents will be expended on special food, not included in this menu, which the young men are accustomed to eating, and for such additional expense as may be necessary for cooking and serving in the event that sufficient Regular Army personnel is not available.

In computing the basic C. M. T. C. ration, the Quartermaster Corps has provided larger meals than for the soldiers of the Regular Army. All of the young men attending these training camps will be from 17 to 24 years of age—or in that period of life when they are completing their development and require normally more nourishment than mature men. An allowance of fresh fruit and cereal for breakfast, a salad of some raw vegetables, such as sliced tomatoes, cucumbers, onions, lettuce or cabbage slaw, or a combination of these for dinner—and a pint of fresh milk or buttermilk for each person has been added to the Army ration.

None of the food for the Citizens' Military Training Camps will be furnished from Army supplies, but will be purchased on the open market in the vicinity of the camps.

The menu for one week prepared in the office of the Quartermaster Gen. will be furnished to the mess officers of the various camps as a guide as to what should constitute a balanced ration for young men under training conditions.

It is not intended that the prepared

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### FIRST INFANTRY MAKES GOOD RECORD

**Qualifies 98 per cent. of Men Firing**

That the 1st Infantry, the oldest organization in the military service of the United States, upholds its regimental traditions in peace as well as war is evidenced by the fact that during the recent rifle practice season 98 per cent of the men firing were qualified. Complete data is not available at this time to present a compilation of figures but the record as it stands is remarkable.

Many noted Americans have at one time or another served as officers in the 1st Infantry. Among the most noted of these were President Harrison, at one time a captain in the 1st Infantry; Capt. Meriwether Lewis, with twenty enlisted men of the First, guided the Lewis and Clark Expedition to the Pacific Northwest; Lieut. Zebulum Pike led the expedition into the Rocky Mountains; President Zachary Taylor once served with the 1st Infantry; Jefferson Davis, who later became President of the Southern Confederacy, was an officer in that organization.

The First Infantry has seen service in all wars since the War of 1812 and was especially active in the Indian Wars, the Civil War, and the Spanish-American War. The difficult task of training replacements for overseas regiments was assiged the First Infantry during the World War.

During the floods at San Antonio in September, 1921, the First Infantry was active in rescue work and in assisting the civil authorities to preserve order in that city.

### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Week Ending July 14, 1923**
**Sunday July 8.**

"All the Brothers were Valient," 8 reels, Lon Chaney; Torchy A La'Carte, 2 reels.

**Monday, July 9.**

Playing it Wild, 5 reels, Duncan; Mutt and Jeff, 1 reel; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, July 10.**

"Gimme," 6 reels, Chadwick; One Terrible Day, 2 reels, Our Gang.

**Wednesday, July 11.**

Voice from the Minaret, 7 reels, Norma Talmadge; Falling for Fanny, 2 reels.

**Thursday, July 12.**

Without Compromise, 6 reels, William Farnum; Over the Fence, 1 reel, Harold Lloyd; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday July 13.**

The Ne'er Do Well, 7 reels, Thomas Meighan; Roach Comedy, 1 reel; Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday, July 14.**

Rustle of Silk, 8 reels, Fitzmaurice, Fighting Blood No. 10, 2 reels.

### ECHOES FROM THE R. O. T. C.

**Graphics Received From Camp McClellan.**

**(Extracts from "The Messenger")**

The Post Exchange Officer announces that he will immediately procure a suply of moustache cups as a result of a sudden demand for these

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**The Gray Squirrel set his Waltham by the "ten of eight" whistle.**
**At eight o'clock he took a look and then began to bristle**
**"This darned watch is a seventeen jewel, but I'm a son-of-a-gun,**
**If it hasn't gained three minutes! When I bought it I sure was 'done'**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post**

### LIEUT.-COL. AND MRS. H. P. HOBBS LEAVE

Lieut-Colonel and Mrs. Horace P. Hobbs with their children left Fort Benning on July first motoring to Washington, D. C. where they will visit relatives for about a week. From Washington they will motor to Lake Winnepesaukee, New Hampshire where they will spend about a month, returning to Fort Benning about September first. Katherine will spend a month with her friend Agatha Chandler, daughter of Admiral and Mrs. Chandler at Warner, New Hampshire.

### PEACHES ARE NOW RIPE

**Shipments Are Being Made Ready**

About two miles beyond Buena Vista lives a Mr. T. N. Williams who owns and operates a large peach orchard. Members of the garrison who have visited this orchard report that the peaches are delicious and reasonable in price. This might be a good time to send a crate to relatives living some distance away from here and as the distance can easily be covered in an automobile in an afternoon the information is passed on.

Another trip to take, this time for the scenery and in search of a cool spot, is Goat Rock dam which is about fifteen miles north of Columbus. At this place is located the power plant of the Columbus Electric and Power Company and visitors are allowed both in the plant and vicinity. Of special interest is the tunnel leading from the Georgia side of the river to the Alabama side. Youngsters find this of especial interest and and the walk thru gives an opportunity to cool off. In order to reach Goat Rock dam leave Columbus by the Hamilton Road turning to the left a short distance beyond the end of the Hamilton Ave. street car line. Another turn to the left about ten miles out gets you on the Goat Rock dam road.

### LT. AND MRS. BRANDHORST ON LEAVE.

Lieut. and Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst left last Sunday morning for a two months' leave. Their first stop will be at Newton, Kansas, where they will visit the sister and brother-in-law of Lt. Brandhorst, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hennig.

On about July 10th they will leave Newton, accompanied by Mrs. Hennig, for Colorado where the remainder of the leave will be spent between Boulder and Denver. Mrs. Brandhorst's parents live in Denver and Lieut. Brandhorst's live in Boulder.

### A NEW PLACE TO SPEND SUNDAY

**Looks Like It Is Worth Trying**

A lady of the Post recently handed us the following invitation whfch is printed for the benefit of other members of the garrison. It "listens" good and is vouched for by the donor:

"You are invited to Pine Knot Springs for fresh air, pure Spring Water and a good chicken dinner. Just phone me, call Cusseta, Ga., operator, or mail the enclosed post card and tell me how many to prepare for and when you arrive everything will be ready.

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Yours truly,
Mrs. Berta Carnes Rushin.

### LT. AND MRS. RANALD ADAMS ENTERTAIN.

Misses Celeste Horne and Kitty Birdsey, of Macon, Ga., were guests of Lt. and Mrs. R. T. Adams during the past week. Lt. Adams reports that he had to sleep on the front porch.

### NEW OFFICERS JOIN 83rd ARTILLERY.

During the past week the following officers have joined the 83rd Field Artillery: Lt. L. J. Stewart, Lt. G. H. Olmstead, Lt. G. C. Carpenter, Lt. J. F. Uncles, Lt. H. Albert, Lt. D. J. Crawford.

### MAJ. KOEHLER TAKES TRIP.

Major and Mrs. George R. Koehler and family and Mrs. Hardeman, mother of Mrs. Koehler spent last Sunday at Warm Springs. The trip was made by motor and the day is reported as having been very pleasantly spent.

### COL. WALTON VISITS POST.

Colonel Edward S. Walton, Construction Quartermaster in the office of the Quartermaster General visited The Infantry School during the early part of the week. During Col. Walton's stay he was entertained by Col. and Mrs. William O. Smith.

On last Wednesday, the 4th, Capt. and Mrs. George E. Kraul and Lt. and Mrs. Harold A. Willis motored to Andersonville Cemetery, of Civil War fame, about sixty-five miles from here. It was formerly at Andersonville that the Andersonville prison, Southern Confederacy, was located.

### 29th INFANTRY GIVES SMOKER.

The First Battalion, 29th Infantry staged a farewell smoker in the Post Gymnasium last Thursday night with Major Floyd Hatfield, the departing battalion commander as guest of honor. Over 600 men of the battalion attended and among the distinguished guests were Brigadier-General Walter H. Gordon, his aide Lieut. George Honnen and Colonel George S. Goodale, the commanding officer of the 29th Infantry and Major J. C. Williams.

While throughout the entertainment there was much rollicking laughter—there was also the strain of parting. The men knew they were losing their battalion commander, and also their colonel. And when both of these officers made their farewell addresses the cheers that marked the close of each talk were loud; and there was much stamping of feet and shuffling, as men will act when they are touched to the heart, but instinctively masked their real feelings. But both the Major and the Colonel had lumps in their throats when they finished.

The smoker started promptly at 7:30 o'clock and continued without the slightest abatement until 11:50 o'clock. And the last boxing bout stirred the men to a high pitch of enthusiasm. They had not been satiated—and were anxious for more.

The program was mixed. First came three boxing bouts of much interest. A clean knockout by "Kid" Pacioni proved the feature of the early bouts. And interprising all of the boxing, speaking and musical comedy entertainment the 29th Infantry Band under the leadership of Mr. Dixon provided haunting melodies and singable tunes.

Following the sensational "one-handed battle royal," the "chow call" was sounded at 9:30 o'clock and Mr. Firm Roberts, of Columbus, the noted stomach disturber supplied a flock of nightmare inspirers which were washed down with cold beer of the kind authorized by Mr. Andrew Volstead.

The final part of the entertainment was provided by the colored artists supplied by Mr. Jack Love, the impressario of the Dream Theater of Columbus. Three excellent acts enlivened the good feelings already aroused by the snappy bouts.

The close of the entertainment brought from the men of the First Battalion the loudly voiced desire that their officers staged these smokers at least once a month. They liked them.

### CAPT. TAYLOR TO MARRY.

Mrs. Lula King Miller announces the marriage of her daughter Easter to Captain James Taylor, U. S. Army, at St. Luke's Church, Columbus, Georgia, August eighth. The bride-elect is a popular member of the Columbus set and Capt. Taylor is on duty with the 15th Tank Battalion at Fort Benning.

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Sunday.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Church.
5:00 p. m.—Evening service.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 p. m. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on duty at this Post:**

Protestant—Stephen R. Wood, telephone 158; Alexander W. Thomas, telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 1714, Post 74.

### WARFARE REVOLUTIONIZED—NEW FLASHLESS POWDER DEVELOPED

The Army Ordance Department has developed a powder that is flashless, smokeless and non-hygroscopic. The new powder may be exposed indefinitely to any atmosphere saturated with moisture without effect on its properties. During tests it has been completely submerged in water without any absorbed moisture being found.

The present type of service powder, because of its tendency to absorb

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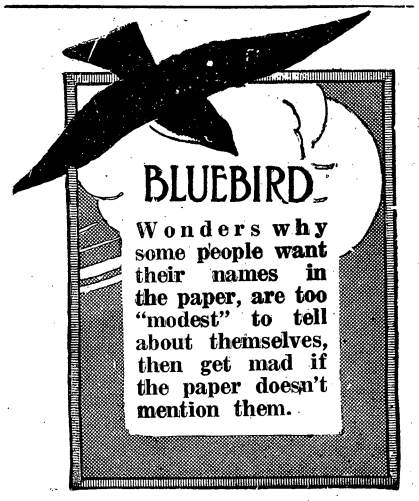



## PREPAREDNESS

**WHILE I believe in peace," said Maj.-Gen. Charles H. Muir, U. S. A., commanding the Third Corps Area, in an address to the Reading (Pa.) Sector of the Association of the Army of the United States, "I believe that the nations of the world still reflect the human weakness in us. No one but a fool believes that war is ended while nations of Europe still look at us with envious eyes.**

**"Therefore, I am a firm believer in the best Army and Navy that America can produce. I believe that no matter how much we do for the nations of the world in a philanthropic sense; no matter what advances we make towards peace; while the conditions of the human soul should remain human, wars will continue. I therefore hope for the best Navy and Army that we can produce.**

**"I want the flag never to be in jeopardy, and I believe that the only way to protect it is to inculcate that spirit in our Army that has kept it at its high sandard in he past."**

### C. M. T.'s WILL BE FED—QUARTERMASTER GEN. PREPARES MENU

The Army will feed each of the 30,000 young men who attend the Citizens' Military Training Camps this summer at a cost of 70 cents a day for three meals.

The office of the Quartermaster Gen. has prepared a basic model menu composed entirely of staple articles, for which 45 cents of the daily allowance for each man will be used. Twenty-five cents will be expended on special food, not included in this menu, which the young men are accustomed to eating, and for such additional expense as may be necessary for cooking and serving in the event that sufficient Regular Army personnel is not available.

In computing the basic C. M. T. C. ration, the Quartermaster Corps has provided larger meals than for the soldiers of the Regular Army. All of the young men attending these training camps will be from 17 to 24 years of age—or in that period of life when they are completing their development and require normally more nourishment than mature men. An allowance of fresh fruit and cereal for breakfast, a salad of some raw vegetables, such as sliced tomatoes, cucumbers, onions, lettuce or cabbage slaw, or a combination of these for dinner—and a pint of fresh milk or buttermilk for each person has been added to the Army ration.

None of the food for the Citizens' Military Training Camps will be furnished from Army supplies, but will be purchased on the open market in the vicinity of the camps.

The menu for one week prepared in the office of the Quartermaster Gen. will be furnished to the mess officers of the various camps as a guide as to what should constitute a balanced ration for young men under training conditions.

It is not intended that the prepared

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### FIRST INFANTRY MAKES GOOD RECORD

**Qualifies 98 per cent. of Men Firing**

That the 1st Infantry, the oldest organization in the military service of the United States, upholds its regimental traditions in peace as well as war is evidenced by the fact that during the recent rifle practice season 98 per cent of the men firing were qualified. Complete data is not available at this time to present a compilation of figures but the record as it stands is remarkable.

Many noted Americans have at one time or another served as officers in the 1st Infantry. Among the most noted of these were President Harrison, at one time a captain in the 1st Infantry; Capt. Meriwether Lewis, with twenty enlisted men of the First, guided the Lewis and Clark Expedition to the Pacific Northwest; Lieut. Zebulum Pike led the expedition into the Rocky Mountains; President Zachary Taylor once served with the 1st Infantry; Jefferson Davis, who later became President of the Southern Confederacy, was an officer in that organization.

The First Infantry has seen service in all wars since the War of 1812 and was especially active in the Indian Wars, the Civil War, and the Spanish-American War. The difficult task of training replacements for overseas regiments was assiged the First Infantry during the World War.

During the floods at San Antonio in September, 1921, the First Infantry was active in rescue work and in assisting the civil authorities to preserve order in that city.

### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

Opening hours for the three theatres:
24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Week Ending July 14, 1923**
**Sunday July 8.**

"All the Brothers were Valient," 8 reels, Lon Chaney; Torchy A La'Carte, 2 reels.

**Monday, July 9.**

Playing it Wild, 5 reels, Duncan; Mutt and Jeff, 1 reel; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, July 10.**

"Gimme," 6 reels, Chadwick; One Terrible Day, 2 reels, Our Gang.

**Wednesday, July 11.**

Voice from the Minaret, 7 reels, Norma Talmadge; Falling for Fanny, 2 reels.

**Thursday, July 12.**

Without Compromise, 6 reels, William Farnum; Over the Fence, 1 reel, Harold Lloyd; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday July 13.**

The Ne'er Do Well, 7 reels, Thomas Meighan; Roach Comedy, 1 reel; Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday, July 14.**

Rustle of Silk, 8 reels, Fitzmaurice, Fighting Blood No. 10, 2 reels.

### ECHOES FROM THE R. O. T. C.

**Graphics Received From Camp McClellan.**

**(Extracts from "The Messenger")**

The Post Exchange Officer announces that he will immediately procure a suply of moustache cups as a result of a sudden demand for these

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**The Gray Squirrel set his Waltham by**
**the "ten of eight" whistle.**
**At eight o'clock he took a look and**
**then began to bristle**
**"This darned watch is a seventeen**
**jewel, but I'm a son-of-a-gun,**
**If it hasn't gained three minutes!**
**When I bought it I sure was 'done'**

# Social Notes

**Call 146 Post**

### LIEUT.-COL. AND MRS. H. P. HOBBS LEAVE

Lieut-Colonel and Mrs. Horace P. Hobbs with their children left Fort Benning on July first motoring to Washington, D. C. where they will visit relatives for about a week. From Washington they will motor to Lake Winnepesaukee, New Hampshire where they will spend about a month, returning to Fort Benning about September first. Katherine will spend a month with her friend Agatha Chandler, daughter of Admiral and Mrs. Chandler at Warner, New Hampshire.

### PEACHES ARE NOW RIPE

**Shipments Are Being Made Ready**

About two miles beyond Buena Vista lives a Mr. T. N. Williams who owns and operates a large peach orchard. Members of the garrison who have visited this orchard report that the peaches are delicious and reasonable in price. This might be a good time to send a crate to relatives living some distance away from here and as the distance can easily be covered in an automobile in an afternoon the information is passed on.

Another trip to take, this time for the scenery and in search of a cool spot, is Goat Rock dam which is about fifteen miles north of Columbus. At this place is located the power plant of the Columbus Electric and Power Company and visitors are allowed both in the plant and vicinity. Of special interest is the tunnel leading from the Georgia side of the river to the Alabama side. Youngsters find this of especial interest and and the walk thru gives an opportunity to cool off. In order to reach Goat Rock dam leave Columbus by the Hamilton Road turning to the left a short distance beyond the end of the Hamilton Ave. street car line. Another turn to the left about ten miles out gets you on the Goat Rock dam road.

### LT. AND MRS. BRANDHORST ON LEAVE.

Lieut. and Mrs. Henry W. Brandhorst left last Sunday morning for a two months' leave. Their first stop will be at Newton, Kansas, where they will visit the sister and brother-in-law of Lt. Brandhorst, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hennig.

On about July 10th they will leave Newton, accompanied by Mrs. Hennig, for Colorado where the remainder of the leave will be spent between Boulder and Denver. Mrs. Brandhorst's parents live in Denver and Lieut. Brandhorst's live in Boulder.

### A NEW PLACE TO SPEND SUNDAY

**Looks Like It Is Worth Trying**

A lady of the Post recently handed us the following invitation which is printed for the benefit of other members of the garrison. It "listens" good and is vouched for by the donor:

"You are invited to Pine Knot Springs for fresh air, pure Spring Water and a good chicken dinner. Just phone me, call Cusseta, Ga., operator, or mail the enclosed post card and tell me how many to prepare for and when you arrive everything will be ready.

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The service will be $1.25 per person.

Necessarily this invitation is limited to a selected list and may I keep your name on my list as later on I expect to vary the Menu according to season, serving Country Ham, Sausage and other products for which Pine Knot is famous.

Yours truly,
Mrs. Berta Carnes Rushin.

### LT. AND MRS. RANALD ADAMS ENTERTAIN.

Misses Celeste Horne and Kitty Birdsey, of Macon, Ga., were guests of Lt. and Mrs. R. T. Adams during the past week. Lt. Adams reports that he had to sleep on the front porch.

### NEW OFFICERS JOIN 83rd ARTILLERY.

During the past week the following officers have joined the 83rd Field Artillery: Lt. L. J. Stewart, Lt. G. H. Olmstead, Lt. G. C. Carpenter, Lt. J. F. Uncles, Lt. H. Albert, Lt. D. J. Crawford.

### MAJ. KOEHLER TAKES TRIP.

Major and Mrs. George R. Koehler and family and Mrs. Hardeman, mother of Mrs. Koehler spent last Sunday at Warm Springs. The trip was made by motor and the day is reported as having been very pleasantly spent.

### COL. WALTON VISITS POST.

Colonel Edward S. Walton, Construction Quartermaster in the office of the Quartermaster General visited The Infantry School during the early part of the week. During Col. Walton's stay he was entertained by Col. and Mrs. William O. Smith.

On last Wednesday, the 4th, Capt. and Mrs. George E. Kraul and Lt. and Mrs. Harold A. Willis motored to Andersonville Cemetery, of Civil War fame, about sixty-five miles from here. It was formerly at Andersonville that the Andersonville prison, Southern Confederacy, was located.

### 29th INFANTRY GIVES SMOKER.

The First Battalion, 29th Infantry staged a farewell smoker in the Post Gymnasium last Thursday night with Major Floyd Hatfield, the departing battalion commander as guest of honor. Over 600 men of the battalion attended and among the distinguished guests were Brigadier-General Walter H. Gordon, his aide Lieut. George Honnen and Colonel George S. Goodale, the commanding officer of the 29th Infantry and Major J. C. Williams.

While throughout the entertainment there was much rollicking laughter—there was also the strain of parting. The men knew they were losing their battalion commander, and also their colonel. And when both of these officers made their farewell addresses the cheers that marked the close of each talk were loud; and there was much stamping of feet and shuffling, as men will act when they are touched to the heart, but instinctively masked their real feelings. But both the Major and the Colonel had lumps in their throats when they finished.

The smoker started promptly at 7:30 o'clock and continued without the slightest abatement until 11:50 o'clock. And the last boxing bout stirred the men to a high pitch of enthusiasm. They had not been satiated—and were anxious for more.

The program was mixed. First came three boxing bouts of much interest. A clean knockout by "Kid" Pacioni proved the feature of the early bouts. And interprising all of the boxing, speaking and musical comedy entertainment the 29th Infantry Band under the leadership of Mr. Dixon provided haunting melodies and singable tunes.

Following the sensational "one-handed battle royal," the "chow call" was sounded at 9:30 o'clock and Mr. Firm Roberts, of Columbus, the noted stomach disturber supplied a flock of nightmare inspirers which were washed down with cold beer of the kind authorized by Mr. Andrew Volstead.

The final part of the entertainment was provided by the colored artists supplied by Mr. Jack Love, the impressario of the Dream Theater of Columbus. Three excellent acts enlivened the good feelings already aroused by the snappy bouts.

The close of the entertainment brought from the men of the First Battalion the loudly voiced desire that their officers staged these smokers at least once a month. They liked them.

### CAPT. TAYLOR TO MARRY.

Mrs. Lula King Miller announces the marriage of her daughter Easter to Captain James Taylor, U. S. Army, at St. Luke's Church, Columbus, Georgia, August eighth. The bride-elect is a popular member of the Columbus set and Capt. Taylor is on duty with the 15th Tank Battalion at Fort Benning.

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# Social Notes

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### GENERAL GORDON RETURNS

General Gordon and Colonel Hocker motored to the American Legion Convention in Athens last Tuesday returning to the Post on Friday.

### MISS HARRIS ARRIVES ON POST
**Interviewed by News Reporter.**

Miss Virginia Arline Harris, the daughter of Lieut. and Mrs. Herbert Harris arrived at Fort Benning last Sunday. Her first stop was at the Station Hospital where she had her weight taken. The scales balanced at nine pounds and Miss Harris seemed gratified over this fact.

Miss Harris seemed quite well pleased with conditions at Fort Benning and she has decided to make this station her home for the present.

Major X. V. Blauvelt and his family are enjoying the pleasure of a new sport model Lincoln car.

Major Lloyd R. Fredendall, who is to be the assistant executive officer, and who will be remembered by some of the older members of the garrison as having been an instructor at the Infantry School in 1920 and 1921 arrived last Wednesday. Quarters had not been assigned Major Fredendall and his family at the time of going to press.

Col. and Mrs. Alfonte with their two attractive young daughters, Helen and Catherine, were entertained at dinner by Col. and Mrs. McCaskey on the "Fourth." Col. Alfonte has been assigned temporary quarters in Block 23.

Col. Pendleton and his daughter, Miss Mary Pendleton have arrived on the Post. Col. Pendleton is the guest of Col. and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey while Miss Pendleton is the guest of General and Mrs. Gordon. Mrs. Pendleton and her mother are expected to arrive Saturday the 7th.

Colonel and Mrs. Kent entertained at a picnic lunch at the U. S. Fish Hatchery near Warm Springs on the Fourth. The party included Misses Peggy and Emily Kent and Lieuts. Albert, Bassett, and Carpenter of the 83rd Artillery. The lunch was prepared by Mrs. Kent and Miss Peggy Kent. The party visited Warm Springs on the return trip home.

Captain Ellis, the genial Post Personnel Adjutant, had an exciting Fourth checking over efficiency reports.

The News acknowledges the receipt of "The Postex" a by-weekly publication of the Post Exchange. The Postex is published for the benefit of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of Fort Benning and will carry prices and description of articles on sale. The publication should be of value to everybody on the Post.

### NEW WOMEN'S STORE TO BE OPENED—WILL BE COMPLETE IN EVERY DETAIL

According to press reports about August 15th a new women's wear store will be opened up in Columbus at 1109 Broad street. The firm is to be known as Kayser-Lilienthal, Inc., and they will handle a complete line of wearing apparel and "fixtures" that go to make up the attractive appearance of milady.

No doubt such a store will be welcomed with opened arms by the female contingent of this garrison. An investigation by the News reporter reveals that the male members of the various families are non-committal in their remarks.

### "TREAT-EM-ROUGH" OUTFIT WINS
**Company "B," Tanks, Make Clean Sweep at Swimming Meet.**

On last Thursday the 15th Tank Battalion generally and Company "B" of that organization specifically took away every first place in the big swimming meet held at the Post Swimming Pool.

The following is a list of the events and the winners of first and second places:

Event No. 1—100 yard dash. First, Steer, Co. "B" 15th Tanks. Second Anderson, Co. "B" 15th Tanks.

Event No. 2—50 yard dash. First, Stear, Co. "B" 15th Tanks. Second Anderson, Co. "B" Tanks.

Event No. 3—50 yard breast stroke. First, Squirrel, Co. "B" 15th Tanks. Second, Owens, I. S. D.

Event No. 4—25 yard back stroke. First, Nugent, Co. "B" 15th Tanks. Second, Keen, Co. "B" 15th Tanks.

Event No. 5—Relay race. Stear, Team Captain, Co. "B" 15th Tanks. Squirrel, Keen and Anderson of Co. "B" 15th Tanks.

Event No. 6—Fancy Diving, First, Squirrel, Co. "B" 15th Tanks, 66 points Second, Bryant, Co. "B" 15th Tanks, 52 points.

Event No. 7—440 yard dash. First, Atkinson, Co. "B" 15th Tanks. Second Swantic, Co. "B" 15th Tanks.

Event No. 8—Rescue Race. First, Squirrel, Co. "B" 15th Tanks. Second, McCarthy, Co. "B" 15th Tanks.

The time for Event No. 1 was 1:18; for Event No. 2, 32 seconds; for Event No. 3, time 41.5 seconds; for Event No. 4, 20.5 seconds; for Event No. 5, 2:15.

In addition to the prizes, a $5.00 Post Exchange coupon book for the winner and a $2.00 book for second place, the Chero-Cola Company donated one case of Chero-Cola to the winner of each event.

### ATTENTION, NEXT YEAR'S CLASSES
**Just A Little "Tip"**

Item No. 1: The News is anxious to be of service to incoming officers. We probably will not have time to get everybody comfortably located in Columbus but about the best thing we do is to hand out information. If there is any special information incoming oficers desire please don't hesitate to call on the News. If we know the answer we will tell you promptly; if we don't know it we will find it out.

Item No. 2: When you sign a lease next September be sure that the following clause is in it—

"It is further agreed that if, during the term of this lease the tenant is required, by competent military orders, said orders requiring obedience not later than May 26, 1924, to live on the Post at Fort Benning, Ga. or is officially informed that quarters aa Fort Benning, Ga., are available prior to said date for his occupancy, which he must occupy under penalty of losing his commutation of quarters or rental allowance, the tenant shall be released from this obligation upon like notice, and under the same conditions, as provided in the last preceeding paragraph."


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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

A casion tournament was held at Service Club No. 1 on the evening of June 26th. After a two hour contest the prize was won by Private Dewey Elliott of Battery "B" 83rd Artillery. and Private A. Wright, same organization.

"Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick"—a riot of fun and laughter.

On last Saturday night an informal square dance was held in the Service Club the music being provided by a violin, a guitar, and a banjo. Everybody enjoyed a frolic and laugh. After Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick" have left on the 28th another square dance even will be held.

Wives, bring your husbands to see "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick" and you will never again hear them say: "Where is that dollar I gave you last week?"

The Hostess is rejoicing in a beautiful leather cribbage board made for her by Corporal Busch. Any man permitted to use it must almost give his bond to insure its safe return.

The chorus, do you say? Well, when it comes to honest-to-godness charm and downright goodlookingness, this chorus can make the Follies of 1923 look like a Ladies' Aid Society on a hot Augusta afternoon.

Miss Carolina Roe, the Post Hostess, will be at Fort Benning another year regardless of whether or not government appropriations for this purpose are available—which they are not. The authorities at Fort Benning value Miss Roe's services to such an extent that they have decided to provide funds for her salary out of local sources. The enlisted personnel are congratulating themselves on Miss Roe's retention—Editorial Note.

You've heard the old saying, "Laugh and the world laughs with you," haven't you? Well, you'll certainly have the world with you if you attend "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick." It's a knock-out from start to finish.

### CHILKOOTIES DABBLING IN POLITICS.

**Entertain American Solons.**

Being stationed in Alaska probably appeals to most of the crowd at Fort Benning, Panama, and other foreign service stations this hot weather but right at present the "Chilkooties," as our friends in Chilkoot Barracks, Alaska, call themselves, are just recovering from a visit by a Congressional party and have just returned to earth.

Here is what the Chilkoot Post had to say, among other things, about the visit:

"CONGRESSMEN ENTERTAINED AT DINNER BY ENLISTED MEN:

One of the most pleasing incidents of the Congressional visit to the Post was the dinners given by Cos. "E" and "F" on Monday evening. Pleasant and palatable was that meal, for the Congressmen enlivened the dinner with witty speech-making, and the company cooks had outdone themselves for their distinguished guests. The dinner was greatly enjoyed by the Congressional party, and it was a source of gratification and pride to the soldiers to entertain their noted guests."

Such things help the Army and congratulations are extended to that small Alaskan Army Post.

## 29th Infantry News Notes

1. Sgt. Stephenson the Co. pen pusher is forever pulling wise cracks here is one of Steve's latest: Teacher sent little black Rastus home from school one day with a note to his father which read like this: Mr. Brown your boy smells give him a bath. Mr. Brown was quite peeved, here was his answer to the teacher: Teacher my boy Rastus is not a rose. Don't smell him, teach him. Har! har!

2. Has any one noticed Corp Egelnick take his post at the big oak tree every night? I wonder what he does since the student officers have left the post? Have to jar loose now don't you Samuel? Plenty of free rides when the school starts again.

3. Corp. Metzinger was seen in the chow line three times at the battalion entertainment. You were out of luck Corp, their wasn't any seconds or thirds.

4. What did you want with the four-bits at the Blowout Corp. Madura? Did you suddenly become hungry, why don't you try and control that appetite of yours Paul?

5. Battling Otalvaro certainly did make a Rep for himself last week. That "Napper" of yours would scare any human. But it did not seem to scare "Young" Cooley you had better cool off a little, you are not as good as you think.

6. Why are you going to town three times a week Corp. Wilson? It must be getting serious, isn't it? Corp. Marcattili would like to be in on it, better take him into your confidence, you know he can "Gum-shoe" somewhat.

### STAND TOGETHER, MEN! LET'S KEEP OUR TROUSERS

**Though Clothiers Report Sartorial Invasion by Women, Men Still Have Rights**

What Julius Caesar really meant when he uttered that immortal line, "Two can live as cheaply as one," was that in 1975 both husband and wife could wear the same clothes, and despite the daughter of his short-visioned auditors, the red-headed emperor seems to have been right.

The sign on the door, "Gent's Furnishings," doesn't mean anything any more, for women are buying all kinds of men's clothing for themselves. They are buying knickers, they are wearing felt hats, men's shirts and soft collars and string ties. The only thing they aren't wearing is men's trousers, and it may soon come to that. On the other hand, messiers, regard the fashionable gent of this spring as Fashion says he shall appear:

A top coat of brilliant plaid splashed with all the colors of the rainbow.

A beaver Fedora with that careless flare and a neat bow of ribbon where the band used to be.

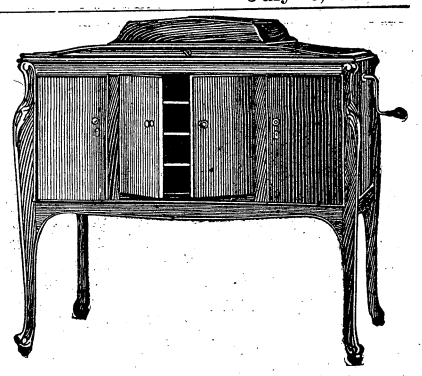
Shirts will be highly colored with raglan shoulders and intricately pleated.

A soft frill about the neck with ruffles around the hands and feet.

Earrings, pearl-button spats and lace-trimmed handkerchief complete the picture.

I say, men, let's stand together. The women have become so bold that they may even try to take our trousers away from us. This will not, can not, must not be. Again I say, let's stand together on this mighty issue.

Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick are coming.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## WITH.. THE.. EXCHANGES — EXTRACTS FROM EDITORIALS ON PREPAREDNESS

### Church For Preparedness

The churches of America are working earnestly to promote world peace and they would be the last to approve an appeal to arms except as a final resort for the defense of national honor against foreign aggression. It does not follow that churchmen necessarily are pacifists, favoring a do-nothing policy which would leave the richest nation in the world unprotected from the greed of others, another China unable to defend itself and compelled to submit its fate to the hands of possible friends. A ringing announcement of patriotic determination to maintain the republic by a reasonable degree of preparedness has come from the churches following a conference of religious and welfare workers called by Secretary Weeks to consider the religious and moral training of soldiers.—Indianapolis Star.

### Against A "False Pacifism"

Preparedness has other advocates than professional soldiers and laymen who have taken to heart the lessons of history. No more effective plea for a rational scheme of national defence has been delivered within the past few years than that contained in the findings of the conference of social and religious workers called by Secretary Weeks to meet in Washington to make recommendations on the subject of the religious and moral training of soldiers. The membership of the conference included more than sixty men who had gained eminence as educators, clergymen and leaders of welfare organizations, and twenty-five chaplains who had rendered conspicuous service in the war. Protestant, Jew and Roman Catholic sat side by side, and there was no thought of creed in the discussions. The committee's findings deserve to be read and studied by all Americans who believe that the ideals and the institutions of America are worth fighting for. They provide an answer to the meddlesome pacifists who "under the cloak of religion" are seeking to scrap the land and sea defences of the United States. And they prove that among the stanchest friends of the cause of preparedness are to be found th espiritual leaders of every denomination in this land of many faiths.—Boston Transcript.

### What History Teaches

The history of the world is proof that the friend of one generation may become the implacable enemy of the suceeding generation. And it takes time to develop armies and navies. They cannot suddenly be whipped into fighting shape to meet the emergencies which arise. Adequqate military preparation against such emergencies does not constitute militarism unless the militaristic purpose is plainly fostered. You may have a standing army of a million men without the slightest trace or hint of militaristic purposes. Or, on the other hand, you may maintain a standing army of less than a hundred thousand men and still have it a veritable militaristic machine. It all depends upon the spirit and training fostered and promoted. This is th eerror into which all pacifists generally fall. Militarism depends not upon numbers but primarily upon motives. When so many mistaken religious leaders are decrying the firm attitude taken by Secretary Weeks in the cause of national defense, it is refreshing to see a group of religious leaders which includes such men as Bishop McDowell of the Methodist Church, President Thomas of Pennsylvania State College, Bishop Perry of the Episcopal Church and Rev. John J. Burke, General Secretary of the National Catholis Welfare Council, not to mention numerous others who attended the conference called by Secretary Weeks in Washington come out so wholeheartedly in endorsement of the Secretary's attitude in matters of national preparedness. — Manchester Union.

## TERRIAN EXERCISES

### Synopsis of Contents

(By Lt. Col. W. H. Waldron, In. U. S. Army.)

Attack of Strong-Point—Rifle Company—An Infantry battalion operating on the right of the attacking line is held up by an enemy strong point. The support rifle company is brought up to attack the strong point. This Terrain Exercises covers the arrangements for and the details of the conduct of the attack.

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Flank Guard—A regiment of Infantry on the march in hostile country, has sent out a flank guard to march on the exposed flank. This Terrain Exercise covers the details of the formation and operations of the flank guard in its march and contact with the enemy.

Posting An Outpost—An Infantry battalion halts for the night. One rifle company is detailed to form the outpost. This Terrain Exercise covers the details of establishing the company as the outpost.

Visiting Patrol—An Infantry platoon is one of the supports of an outpost. Visiting patrols are sent out at night. This Terrain Exercises covers the details of the operations of one of these patrols.

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## HARDBOILED

### "He Didn't Mean Nuttin' By It."

Here's one that Colonel Blank tells on himself.

Several years ago the Colonel was in command of a motor convoy down on the Border. He was riding ahead of the convoy in a car and was familiar with the route. A stream was reached, one place across which looked almost impassable—but was not—and another which looked good but had a soft bottom.

The first truck of the convoy arrived and Colonel Blank directed the driver which crossing to take and then turned away momentarily to attend to something else. The driver of the truck, a colored soldier, took one look at the place he was directed to cross, decided that his truck was not going to get stuck in a place like that and, incidentally, that nobody could tell him anything about driving, and took what appeared to be the better crossing. Colonel Blank stopped him before he got too far in and then proceeded to hand out an artistic piece of cussing which left no doubt in the driver's mind with regard to his worthlessness and general cussedness.

That evening the Colonel overheard a conversation between his colored striker, who had been with him a number of years, and the driver of the truck. It went something like this:

Driver—"Boy, I sho caught h—— today from dat cunnel ob yose. He cussed me foh eveythin" he could think ob an' den added a lot mo.' He called me names I nebber hearn befo.' I tells yuh, dat cunnel sho' am a hard-boiled man."

Striker — "Boy, whut yuh tawkin about? Dat cunnel ain' hard-boiled. He soun' dat way but he ain't. Dats jus' his way. He doan mean nuthin' by his tawk."

Driver—"Yuh say he aint hard-boiled? If yuh had bin there today you would uv sed he wuz hard-boiled. I been in the Army seven years and I aint never heared a man be so hard-boiled befo'."

Striker—"Lissen to me. I done tole yuh dat cunnel aint hard-boiled. I bin wid him now eber since he wuz a cap'n. One day he had his comp'ny lined up and a big ginrel came along and dis ginrel didn't like the looks ob de company so he stopped and said, like he was mad, 'Who is in comman' ob dis company?' real mad an snappy, jus lak dat. Den de cap'n, who was lookin at de rear rank about sumpin step out in fron tob his comp'ny an' talk right out jus' lak de ginrel did, only mo' so, 'I is, Blankety, Blank, Blank it, kaint yuh see me?' Now de cunnel ack hard-boiled dat time but he didn't mean nuttin' by it."

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## Army Activities In Peace Time

Just what does the Army do in the time of peace to warrant the expenditure of 2 1-2 cents of each dollar of taxes for its upkeep?

The average citizen who pays taxes is too busy in the pursuit of "health, wealth, and happiness" to find time to investigate this matter and for his benefit a few Army activities in time of peace are set forth. These facts have been stated before by the Secretary of War in various addresses. The fact should be borne in mind, incidentally, that this work is being done with an Army that stands 46th on the list of Armies of the World—an Army of 118,000 men or just 18,000 more than Germany's standing army.

Every Summer the attention of the Regular Army is engaged with instructing members of the Reserve Officers Training Corps and the Civilian Military Training Camps in 27 camps scattered throughout the territorial limits of the United States and Porto Rico who will defend the Country in time of War. The large number of officers and non-commissioned officers required for this work tends to seriously handicap performance of the routine duties necessary for the upkeep and efficiency of any organization, military or civil, of any size but notwithstanding this the Regular Army "carries on."

A number of years ago some of the more progressive citizens of Los Angeles, California, conceived of the idea of constructing a harbor for that city. The idea was amusing to some because of the apparent impossibility of developing a comparatively small, shallow river for this purpose. Army Engineers got on the job, worked out plans, and supervised the work and as a result Los Angeles now has a real harbor. The Army is a pioneer in the construction and operation of railroads. Concrete examples are the oriignal construction of such railroads as the Baltimore and Ohio, the Erie Railroad, the New York, New Haven and Hartford and others. When the Czar of Russia wanted a road built from St. Petersburg to Moscow a U. S. Army Officer did the work.

The Panama Canal was built by an Army Officer and the adverse sanitary conditions which prevented other nations from existing in that zone were eliminated by an Army Officer. Most of the navigable waterways in this country have been made navigable or are kept in that condition by Army Officers.

Over building construction the Army has had supervision in Washington. The Washington Monument and Lincoln Memorial are concrete examples of monumental construction. The dome and wing of the Capitol are Army products as are the Municipal building, the Congressional Library, the Government Printing Office, and other public buildings.

The Army has made discoveries of value for use in the business activities of the Nation. Last year in one of our seaport towns a number of men were killed by gas while fumigating a ship. An appeal was made to the War Department for suggestions, and as a result the Army developed a gas safe to use in such work. The improved gas masks now so commonly used in mines is an Army invention; tear gasses used in banks as protection against burglars and by the civil police in quelling riots, is an Army product; the loops which have largely superceded the antennae of wireless stations is an Army development; the new radio alphabet which permits the transmittal of messages more than twice as fast as the Morse Code, is an Army product.

The Army is standardizing the trucks and tractors of the country and raising the standard of horses and mules bred in the United States. These animals were greatly depleted in numbers by the World War.

In addition to the foregoing the Army is ever ready to answer calls in relief work of which examples exists in the cases of the Galveston Flood, the Mt. Pelee Disaster, the Texas flood, and the Ohio River flood of about 1912. During the West Virginian mine troubles when the coal supply of the nation was threatened by a dispute arising the Army took the situation in hand and in a friendly manner induced the parties to the dispute to adjust their differences. The space is not available to go into further details regarding the activities of the Army in time of peace but the foregoing gives a general idea of what to expect from the United States Army.

The Army is always in readiness for fight, frolic, new discoveries and inventions. It is very good National Insurance.

## AN AID TO CONCEALMENT

The development of a new smokeless and flashless powder for use in both the high charges and small arms will lend a degree of safety to our troops in time of war never before experienced.

Those of us who were machine gunners, especially, during the overseas campaign remember the difficulty we experienced in so placing our guns as to hide the smoke during the day and the flag at night. Such placement required considerable ingenuity at times and was frequently the cause of casualties and demolishment of the gun when the work was carelessly done.

Especially will the new development embarass enemy fliers in locating batteries. The fliers can not resort to sound, as do the artillerymen, but must be guided largely by sight. With no flash at night and no smoke during the day the fliers will have their difficulties.

This recent invention by the Ordanance Department gives us, at least temporarily, a decided advantage over such enemies, actual or constructive, as we may. The individual or individuals responsible deserve suitable recognition.

"Mr. A. was born in Augusta in 1866 and came to Atlanta with his parents in 1820." News dispatch from Atlanta, Ga.

Just let any Georgia town claim anything and Atlanta tries to go her one better.

## ANOTHER COMMENT

If the News succeeds in being the means of a bit of recreation it believes that its mission has, at least partly, been accomplished. Here is a remark from the recreation officer at Chilkoot Barracks, Alaska, to be considered by the reader of these lines in the manner in which his or her conscience guides him, or her.

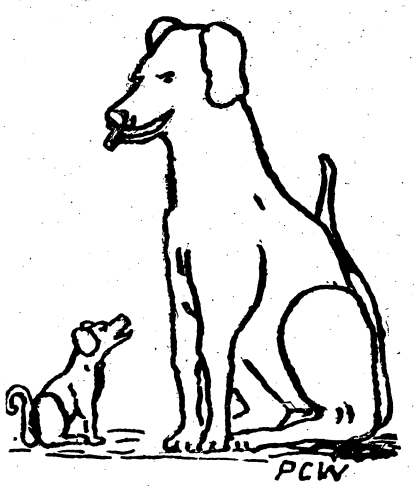
"The chaplain receives the "News" as an exchange for his "Chilkoot Post." He allows us to place it in the library after he has read it. I read it regularly and find it mighty god."

## THE ANSWER—

"Where does the revenue or the money that is spent in Columbus, Ga. come from?" What Sources?—The Columbus Star.

Part of it from Fort Benning; about $20,000,000.00 annually, it is estimated.

A sudden influx of news was received Thursday morning just before going to press. In order to have the News ready for delivery on Friday some of the type had to be set hurriedly. The readers forbearance in the matter of typographical errors is requested this week.




## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE.

Calculator and the Dane stopped at the Hospital the other day with a bone for a sick friend. The friend had taken the trip over the road from town and of course he was sick. The foolish dogs thought their friend was hungry so they brought a bone instead of flowers. They didn't know how well patients are really fed nor how many bones they already have. And they spelled out a sign in front of the Hospital. "No Parking." "Wonder what that means" said Calculator. The Dane looked wise, scratched his ear and suggested "Perhaps it means please do not park cars here." "Can't be" replied the little Wisenheimer Don't you see there are three cars parked within a few feet of the sign and surely a soldier wouldn't ignore a sign like that."

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FOR SALE—One pool table in good condition. See Commanding Officer, Co. "G" 29th Infantry.

LOST—On last Saturday morning, between Blocks 19 and 23, one yellow and brown riding crop. Finder please notify Miss Ruth Schoeffel. Phone 3265-J, city.

FOR SALE—Nash, 6 cylinder, 5 passenger; run 17,000 miles; Gabriel snubbers; Front and rear bumpers; Automatic windshield wiper; Green sun and storm shield; six tires, all good, four practically new; two extra rims; steering wheel lock; tool box; spot light; six extra spark plugs, new; numerous other accessories; Ice box, bed, etc., for camping. Engine and entire car in excellent condition. Price $750.00 or $650.00 without extra equipment.

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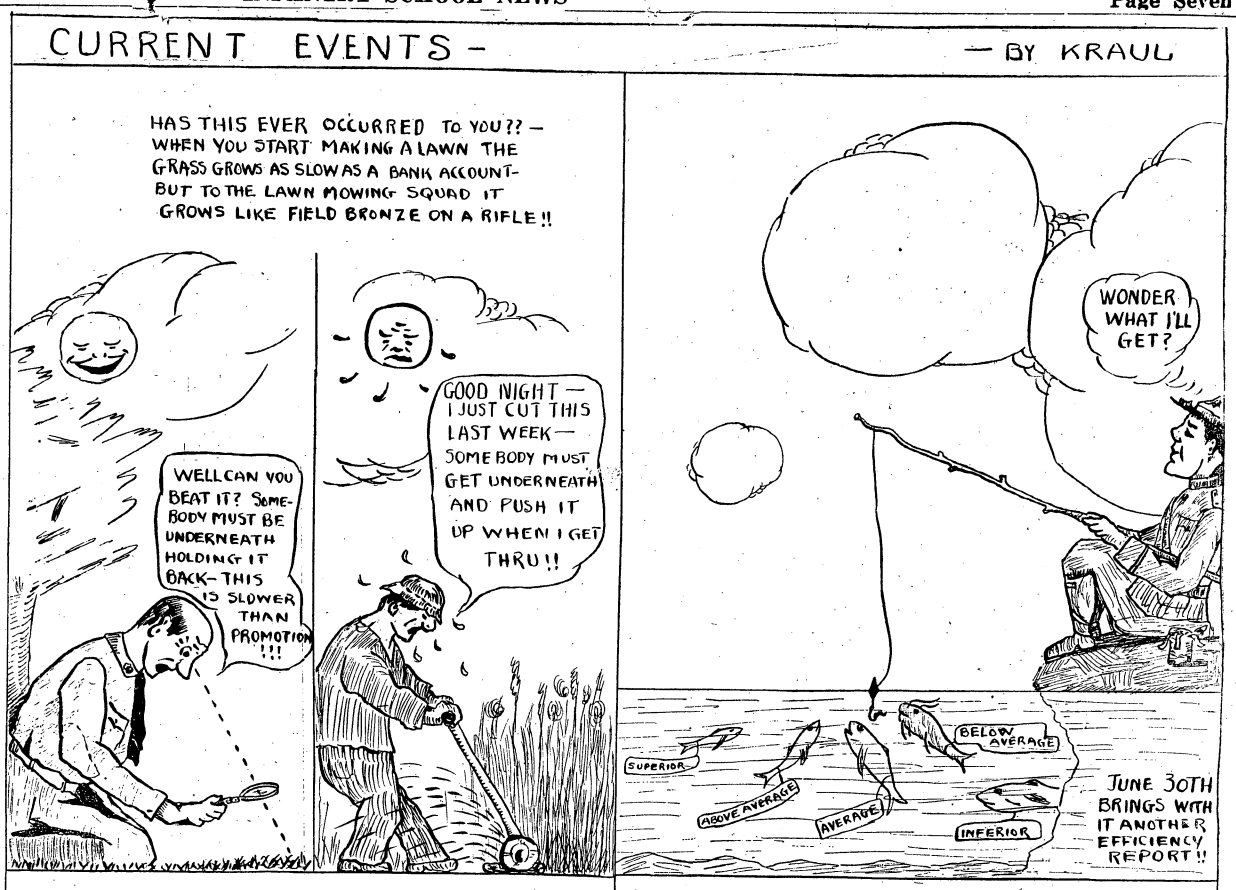



## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

**Name Changes.**

Evelyn, aged two, had a little Indian doll whose name was Minnehaha. She told us one day. "When dolly is good her name Minnehaha, when she bad, she Minneboohoo."

**Safety First**

Auto Salesman (demonstrating new car to a lady.) You had better not touch that spark plug. It will shock you."

Lady: "Then I guess you had better put shock absorbers on my car."

**His Hard Luck**

Lucindy carried a whole boiled ham, still steaming, through the room where her husband lay very ill. He smelled it and said: "'Cindy, dat ham sho do smell mighty good. Gimme piece ob it."

But 'Cindy marched on, saying, "Go on wid yo' dyin' niggah, dis am fur de wake."

Pat's wife had just died and he was wailing aloud bemoaning his widower's fate, when a kindly neighbor came over to him and said, "Now Pat, have patience, have patience." Whereat Patrick replied, "Hum, I dunno that Patience will have me or not."

A woman at a dinner party sat next to a lawyer, whom she mistook for a doctor. She loved to discuss hygienic theories, so she asked him, "Please tell me if you think one ought to lie on the right side?" Lawyer (blandly) "If one is on the right side, madam, it should not be really necessary to lie at all.

Neighbor to Edwin, aged six: If you don't hurry up, Morris will get ahead of you. He is six, too."

Edwin: Oh, no, he won't we go to the same school and I am going to sit on the seat in front of him."

**Did You?**

Mamma—"How are you getting along in school, Johnny?"

Johnny—"Fine, mamma we are learning the dums table and have lots of gozinta examples?"

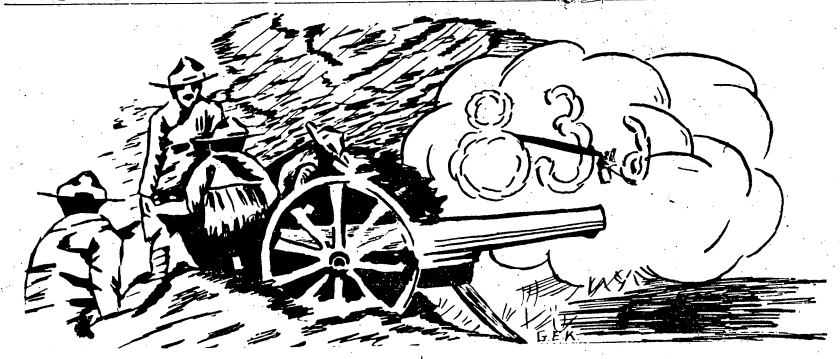
Mamma—"What on earth are they teaching you?"

Johnny—"Well, teacher says, 'two dums two is four and three dums two is six and we have strings of 'xamples like that then we have four gozinta eight twice and four gozinta twelve three times. Didn't you have that when you went to school?"

**An Ingersoll Might!**

"Did your watch stop when it dropped on the floor?" asked a man of his friend.

"Sure," was the answer. "Did you think it would go through it?"



The Artillery has nothing to say this week. "A" Battery is having a hot time over in Camp McClellan, and wants to know who chased all the cooling breezes out of Alabama. We feel very sorry for said Battery, and wish we could do something, but we have a time stretching our little breezes over twenty-four hours. It is suggested that they go up on the Maine Coast for their vacation next Summer and not be as tight with their car fare. Anyway freight cars still have the same rods under them.

Somebody said Kemp looks more like "Abe Martin" than "Abe" does himself. Another guy said Kemp posed for the picture but the cartoonist was too true to life.

Sgt. Hall said he is never going to ride a horse twenty miles without considerable previous training again; also is going to steer clear of break bone fever. He knows what it feels like after that ride.

Corp Copak, our feature, daredevil, motorcycle rider has gone on a vacation.

Some N. G. Colonel said that long haired men are the nonenities of manhood, minus red blood corpuscles. It is both unsanitary and effeminate to have hair over an inch and a half long. We agree with him, and advise all the long haired ducks to get a clipping before some supply Sergeant issues them a few teddy bears and curling irons by mistake.

## 4th FULL OF EVENTS

### Fort Benning Observes Day

The following program was carried out at Fort Benning on the 4th:

**Program For the Day**

6:30 a. m., parade of band.

8:00 a. m., Patriotic exercises at swimming pool.

Program as follows:

1. Selection—29th Infantry band.
1. Address—Col. B. P. Nicklin, 24th Infantry.
3. Selection—Band.
4. Reading of Declaration of Independence—Chaplain F. L. Rosenthal, O. R. C.
5. Star Spangled Banner—Band.

9:00 a. m., swimming meet.

Events as follows:

1. 100 yd. dash (free style).
2. 50 yd. dash (free style).
3. 50 yd. dash (breast stroke).
4. 25 yd. dash (back stroke).
5. Relay race.
6. Fancy diving contest.
7. 440 yd. dash (free style).
8. Rescue race.
9. Exhibition drill—life guards.

Concert by 29th Infantry Band at the Flag Pole from 11:45 a. m. to 12:15 p. m.

12:00 noon. Salute to the Union.

2:30 p. m. baseball game.

8:00 p. m. fireworks on parade ground.


## Woman's Exchange

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## "HAMLET'S SOLILOQUY, 1920

(With apologies to Shakespeare
To reenlist, or not to reenlist
That's the question
Whether 'tis better to rub up against
A cold, unfriendly and forgetful public
in search of job which is not—
Or don the uniform once more
And by reenlisting place myself in a
Position where I may request all
To go to the devil with their fair
Promises of a warm welcome and my old
Billet back upon my return when they bade
Me a tearful adieu, as I went forth to
Help make the world safe for democracy-that
Their business might flourish and their
Bellies wax fat from profiteering while
Our beloved country was in the throes of war,
To be a soldier once again by heck—
'Tis a consummation devoutly to be wished—
As I gaze upon the leaden skies of an
Approaching winter, the "situation that confronts"
Me is appaling; The prospects of
Howling blizzards filtering through my B. V. D.'s
Reinforced only by a flimsy fabric of
Hand-me-down Palm Beach pantaloons;
My heart grows faint within me and I
Pine for the flesh pots of my old company
Mess the oroma of roast beef
Assails my nostrils—and I long for the pie
In which I once did revel.
This good right hand which once did my
Trusty rifle grip on battle fields
Of France is becoming palsied and
My knuckles calloused from knocking
Upon back doors in peaceful, panhandling
Pursuits which avail me naught.
My once well fatted form is
Wasting away because I have not
The wherewith to purchase chow;
The shoes upon my mine feet are grasping
Plutocrats, they have no soles.
Bismillah! Old glory looks good
To me, I'm on my way.
(By Sgt. William W. Soule. (Wichita G. R. S.)
—Recruit Camp, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

## FORCED TO COOK WHILE HUSBAND SLEEPS

Mr. Susan Johnson was arraigned before Captain Bridget O'Brien in police court this morning on charges brought by his wife to the effect that he could not cook and that he refused to clean the house and would sleep until 11 o'clock in the morning. The angry wife told the court that she always had to get up in the morning and cook her own breakfast before going down town. Mr. Johnson was found guilty and sentenced to six weeks in the School for Bakers and Cooks.

Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick are coming.


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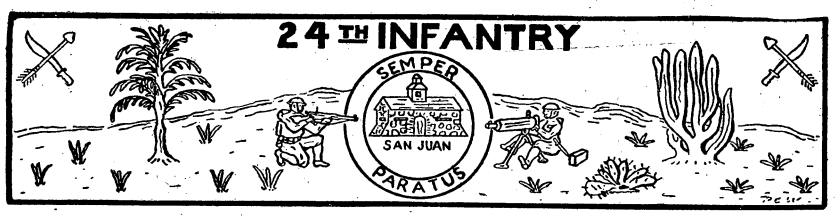


### Company "A"

Pvt. Lyons, Freddie was discharged July 5, 1923. This soldier has served continuously with this organization. Completed 5 yrs. 8 mos. and 25 days. His quality as a soldier is exceptional. He has never been courtmartialed. He has been on the Mat once in this enlistment. He is a pistol sharpshooter and a rifle marksman. He is obedient and very prompt when it comes to doing his duty. He was never absent from any formation. It is a pleasure to be in an organization where there are men like Pvt. Lyons. If you attempt wrong they will give you such a jacking up that you will always say it's no use of me trying to do wrong and every one else in the company is doing right. Again it is a credit to an organization to have men like this one re-enlist, it shows that the man himself has taken interest in what he has chosen for his livelihood.

Now Sgt. Mann, it is high time you begin to show some pep with the 45 you have been taking to the pistol range. If I am not mistaken nearly six months, and you have not qualified yet. Everybody seems to be leaving you behind, wake up get in the game, "A" company is way ahead with the rifle shooting and we want to get ahead with the pistol. So do your bit and don't be the drone.

Pvt. Murphy re-enlisted for this organizatiton July 2, 1923, Bully for Spud. They can't fool you.

### Company "B"

Hello! What? You don't say—Yes—Another one—When? On Monday did you say? They have. How much? What! 322? Why what's the matter with the stinging "B"? Two highest in the regiment? Well that's no more *than* I was looking for. Yes that's something for the rest to shoot at. I know that, McGuire 322, and Bryson 316? Hurrah for "B" Company, always "B". B first, B highest and B the most.

Well "B" Company has passed one crisis, now that Private Nickens has qualified and there is only one more chasm to be crossed, and it looms up in the form of one Sergeant Pitts, who prior to last year was a noted member of the Blind Mens' Club. But since he has qualified with the pistol we doubt whether we will take out another membership this year in the Blind Mens' Organization. Alright Willie, we are counting on you to help make the stinging "B" 100 per cent this year, so let's start punching the bull in the eye from the start.

An even exchange is no robbery, so the old adage goes, but we are wondering whether it was an even exchange or not. "B" Company swapped Private Murray to "C" company for Private Thornton, and since Company "B" is first in everything it is a lead pipe cinch they got the best of the bargain. Just the same we will ask "C" company what they have to say about it. How about it Company "C"?

### Company "K"

"We are off" for the Regimental Field Meet, to be held on the Regt'l, Athletic field, 24th Infantry, July 4th, and company "K" will have won all 1st prizes, 'ere this is published.

The boys of company "K" are all up in the air over the company Baseball team, and from present indications looks like the trophy for our company.

Sgt. Woods, (Tom Duff) our athletic Sgt. was seen weeping on last Monday morning, over the error in picking a winner for the 220, yd. dash, and upon being asked what was the idea of the gloom, replied "I could have put pa Bel's on and made a cleaning if he showed one tenth the speed shown the other night."

### Company "L"

Corporal Reeves, Noisy, has done it at last. He raised his right Flopper and begged his uncle with tears in his eyes to try him one more time. Instead of getting a three months furlough, he got three more tables in the moss hall.

A very sad accident happened in the company the past week, it was very painful for Sergeant Handy, to lose poor old Woods (Mike Valet), out of the Bolo squad.

We all are very sorry "to tell you frankly my boy" that we hate to lose our old Company Commander, Captain Chas. H. McNair, 24th Infantry. Because he has been with the most of the boys for about three years. The Boys all very gladly donated the Captain a beautiful Walrus hide hand-bag, so he would not forget us while he was enjoying himself on his leave.

Look out Reuben Wilkerson, you can't get the 6 bits until you re-up, so don't go to town and do like a certain Corporal. He married one hour and she couldn't use him never no more.

We are very proud of our new Company Commander, Captain A. L. Tuttle, the Bull Eye expert. Outside of his company duties h eis trying to keep Sgt. Handy from running off the firing line.

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### COCA-COLA COMPANY HAS SOMETHING NEW

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### MARRIAGE VS. WAR

We have often been asked why we refer to marriage in the same sense as war. There is often no difference at all. A fellow meets a girl and decides that she FALLS IN. You talk it over and decide to BATTLE through life with; he PRESENTS ARMS and you SIGN UP. A minister SWEARS YOU IN. There are only a few SKIRMISHES during the courtship. The real fighting starts after the marriage. That's when the man thinks he is only a poor NUT. In the home as well as on the battle field they use HAND GRENADES, such as flat-irons, rolling pins, etc. The wife is usually a RIFLE EXPERT as she rifles his pockets for loose change every night. She takes all your money and CONFINES YOU TO QUARTERS. Whether you have done anything or not, she invariably has you on MESS DETAIL, washing the dirty dishes. She makes her COUNTER ATTACK in the department store and she certainly knows how to CHARGE. She is your COMMANDING OFFICER and you are her SUPPLY OFFICER. In the trenches, the fight does let up once in a while, but in the house fiercest fighting is yet to come—wait until the INFANTRY arrives. Instead of SHOULDERING ARMS, you shoulder the baby. On the field shells schreach and scream but they haven't a thing on the kid. You get your WALKING PAPERS every night and that is the only HIKE you take. In the War you only sign up for three years. There is no clause like that on your marriage certificate. You can get exempt from war on account of marriage, but you can't get exempt from marriage on account of war.—5th Corps News.

### SIGNAL CORPS GETS FIGHT RETURNS.

**Radio Broadcasted and Fort Benning Tunes In**

Fort Benning received the Shelby fight returns last Thursday from two sources. The Columbus Ledger very enterprisingly furnished the results by telephone to the Post Gymnasium where they were announced to an interested audience while the local radio station received the returns and also announced the results by telephone at the Post Gym.

The work of making these returns possible was done by the detachment of the Signal Corps at Fort Benning under the personal supervision of Capt. Jay D. B. Lattin, Post Signal Officer. Telephone connections were made direct with the radio station and a magnovox was installed with the Ledger connection. All installations at Fort Benning were made by the Signal Corps.

The returns were very satisfactorily received from both the Ledger and the radio station. The thanks of the garrison are extended to both the Ledger for furnishing their service and to the Signal Corps for its good work.

### C. W. S. REPRESENTATIVES ATTEND SERVICES EN ROUTE TO McCLELLAN

The Messenger is pleased to pass on a little story about the delegation from the 1st Gas Regiment, recently arrived in camp. It seems that when this group, commanded by 1st Lieut. P. F. Craig, C. W. S., arrived in Roanoke, Alabama, one Saturday night, after an all-day hike, they were met by a delegation of citizens among whom was the minister of the local Methodist church. The latter extended a cordial invitation to Lt. Craig to attend services in his church the following morning. The officer accepted, and Sunday morning found this crack organization occupying front seats in that quaint little country church. A letter received by one of the R. O. T. C. students from a relative in Roanoke states that every man was dressed as spick and span as if he were to be inspected by the President of the United States, and that the impression made upon the citizens of the town was excellent.

Congratulations, Lieutenatn! It is such little acts as this that are gradually "selling the Army" to our civilian friends. "Thugs in khaki" is a term that never did apply to our men, and as time goes on the citizenry of our country will see us as we actually are.—Camp McClellan Messenger.

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You have seen in our daily papers the editorials and the write-ups about our own beloved home-folks not saluting the flag! Reflect a moment, and see how you stand on this question. Do you think it is right? Do you feel a delicacy in not giving Old Glory her due? You needn't, buddie, the old flag really doesn't need nor want the respect of the shriveled soul who is too proud to salute her Stars and Stripes. The poor little guys who stands on the street corners and calls you a "tin soldier" hasn't guts enough to protect himself as is the glory of every soldier, and the next time you see one who doesn't give Old Glory her due, you can count on him as being the guy who had nine millions of exemptions when you were "Over There" without any exemptions save your old tin helmet and a mudhole.

Give Old Glory her due."—The Rifleman.

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## Hints on Etiquette

(By Imer Lyer)

The Engagement—While it was once quite proper to get the consent of the parents before asking the hand of their daughter in marriage at this time it is only necessary to use a little judgment along this line. When you call the second time on the young lady watch closely your reception by the other members of the family. If, as you enter the gate, the dog is not "sicked" on you proceed with confidence to the door. If the door is open throw your hat in and if it stays follow it. It is not necessary to ring under these conditions but several very loud raps with some heavy object like a stone may tend to impress the inmates of the home with your importance and, incidentally, let them know that you know what's what along social lines.

Having gotten the girl in your possession go right to the point without stammering or confusion. Tell her you think that she is about the finest piece of feminity you ever saw wrapped up in one hide. Always try to pick the middle of the day for this important piece of business. Impress on the girl the bargain she is getting and don't belittle yourself. If she has a sneaking fondness for you she may believe what you say. Do not let her kid you into thinking she will not let you kiss her at this time. She will, usually, as she did several times before you ever proposed.

If the girl accepts you it is better to say nothing about the matter to her parents right then. They may ask inquisitive questions about your income, etc., and besides it's none of their business. They will find out in plenty of time. However, if you feel that you must let them into the plot get hold of the "old man" first and try to get a line on his attitude toward making you a small loan. If he falls for this you are assured that he is a good scout and can then go the limit with the information you have in hand.

A ring is not necessary but to let people know that you are free with your money you might get one on the installment plan from a number of good houses—so their advertisements say—and surprise the girl at the last moment by giving her this ring. If she tries beforehand to tell you what kind of a ring she wants stall her off. She may not know the size of your roll and she may be inclined to be extravagant.

Just as soon as you feel that you are safely engaged write the editor of your local paper a long letter about it. Tell him what kind of a girl you have and describe her personal habits. To lend color to the story give a detailed history of events leading up to engagement including where you first met the girl, what she said, what you said, what she replied, and so on. If the parents of the girl try to get meddlesome in this matter and want to announce the affair themselves just tell them politely but very firmly where to head in. Let them know that you are running the show, that you are the one expecting to marry the girl, and that you are competent to handle the whole affair. The "old man," especially, may want to tell the gang about it. He has several reasons for wanting to do this chief of which is that his household expenses are going to be greatly reduced. Don't let him get away with it. It is bad form and may cause you embarrassment.

Right now is a good time to go around to all your friends and tell them how much your personal expenses are going to be increased. If you can not work them for an engagement present in this way touch them up for a loan. If you are successful in the latter, it will come in handy helping to pay for the girl's trousseau. Remember that loans of this nature are looked upon as gifts by the loaner.

Next week I will tell you something about the wedding.

## ANOTHER LETTER.

As the News has stated, this paper is endowed with its usual share of ordinary newspaper vanity. The News is for the Infantry School, also. For both reasons the following letter is published:

Camp McClellan, Ala.
June 29, 1923

To the New Editor,
The Infantry School News
Sir:

I wish to thank you for the copies of the News you so kindly sent us. They went like the proverbial "hot cakes." Immediately upon their receipt they were distributed to the officers and great interest was manifested by everyone, the uninitiated had to have an explanation as to just who Calculator is, his conection with the School, etc.

I assure you that future editions of the paper will find a large number of interested readers among the past, present and future Benning officers here at this Post.

One of the outstanding features at this Summer Camp is the great number of Benning officers one sees and it is gratifying to see the manner in which they take hold of things. They have the admiration of everyone and the oficers who have not been to the Infantry School express a keen desire to go. I have had volleys of questions fired at me, covering every possible angle of the School, by those who have yet to come down there.

The R. O. T. C. Camp is functioning splendidly—no confusion — everyone has a job and he is tending to it religiously—these students are receiving training of the highest order under an excellent administration.

The student body is composed of young men of culture and refinement, sturdy young Southerners and are excellent oficer material. The only thing that leads me tobelieve that they will not make soldiers is the fact that I have no heard a "growl" from any of them.

Athletics receive a great deal of attention during the regular daily program and the swimming pool is an attractive and well patronized place these moonlight evenings. During the day and well on into the night the Alabama hills echo and re-echo with spirited College yells when the Student Body gathers at the Amphitheatre or at other points on the reservation to witness programs, band concerts or other forms of entertainments which are constantly being staged for them.

It is a novel sight to see the bodies of men from rival colleges marching together, singing the same songs and all boosting the same events, however individual College spirit is not lacking and one is forcibly informed of the merits of each institution by the wording of the respective "yells."

These Summer Camps are an immense success and thanks to the assistance of Bennings ofifcers they are developing a selected body of young Americans into real Reserve officer material.

Again thanking you for copies of the Infantry News and wishing you Success as editor of that important publication, I am,

Yours sincerely,
W. A. Cunningham.
Recreation Officer.

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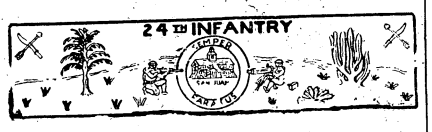


During the week two new Company commanders have been welcomed into the regiment. Captain J. H. Rustemeyer returns to Fort Benning from R. O. T. C. Duty at the A. & M. College of Oklahoma, Stillwater, Okla. and is assigned to the 24th Infantry. He has been assigned to "K" Co. which he formerly commanded when the personnel was known as Co. "B" of the Infantry School Detachment, (Colored)

Captain Benjamin F. Caffey, Jr. Infantry has joined the regiment from leave. Captain Caffey comes from the 2nd Corps Area Headquarters D. O. L. and has been assigned to "C" Company. Company "I" has been the recipient of a new Company commander in the person of Captain A. L. Tuttle, 24th Infantry. Captain Tuttle has been performing the duties of plans and training officer for the regiment, and has been kept busy with the very difficult task of firing the regiment through a target season which has had setbacks almost daily since it's beginning. Captain Tuttle will continue the Rifle instruction in additon to the duties of company commander.

Within the past week twelve officers of the regiment departed for a tour of special duty at Camp McClellan, Ala. as instructors in the summer training camps of the 4th Corps Area. Captain R. M. Wilson left with the 24th Infantry baseball team for a series of games with the Black Barons of Birmingham, and the Colored giants of Memphis.

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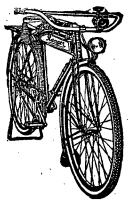

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## 24th INFANTRY FIELD MEET

By way of celebration of the great National holiday, a field meet was held July 4th, on the parade grounds of the 24th Infantry, followed by a base ball game, the first of the regimental league series. The Band was present and enlivened the occasion with suitable selections, and also set the cadence for some of the fancy races.

The meet was made up of teams from Service Company, "A" & "B" "C" & "D," "E" & "F," "G" & "H," "I," "K," "L," & "M," Companies, and prizes were awarded for first and second places for team events and also for third place in individual contests. Cash prizes of $2 for first place, $1 for second place, and 50c for third place were awarded all individuals in all contests.

The following is the list of winners in the various events:

**100 Yard Dash**

1st Place ..... Ward, Co. "M"
2nd Place ..... Miller, Service Co.
3rd Place ..... Yewell, Company "G"

**220 Yard Dash**

1st Place ..... Carr, Company "A"
2nd Place ..... Tooner, Co. "G"
3rd Place ..... Brice

**3 Legged Race**

1st Place ..... Bonner, Co. "M"
Reid, Co. "M"
2nd Place ..... Gilliard, Co. "I"
Cobb, Co. "I"
3rd Place ..... Clemmons, Co. "E"
Baugh, Co. "E"

**100 Yard Stilt Race**

1st Place ..... Crawford, Co. "M"
2nd Place ..... Harris, Co. "L"
3rd Place ..... Brown, Co. "B"

**50 yard dash with glass of water.**

1st Place ..... Green, Co. "K"
2nd Place ..... Troop, Co. "G"
3rd Place ..... Saunders, Co. "H"

**50 yard Cigarette race.**

1st Place ..... Williams, Co. "I"
2nd Place ..... Venters, Co. "G"
3rd Place ..... LaFluer, Co. "M"

**50 yard Sack Race**

1st Place ..... Cooper, Co. "I"
2nd Place ..... Dewitt, Co. "M"
3rd Place ..... Knight, Co. "L"

**1 Mile Walk**

1st Place ..... Mimmick, Co. "M"
2nd Place ..... King, Co. "I"
3rd Place ..... Orange, Co. "A"

**400 Yard Relay Race**

1st Place ..... Team Co. "M"
2nd Place ..... Team Co. "K"

**Rescue Race**

1st Place ..... Davis, Co. "G"
Braxton, Co. "H"
2nd Place ..... Houston, Co. "A"
Adams, Co. "B"

**Summary**

| | 1st P. | 2nd P. | 3rd P. |
|---|---|---|---|
| "M" Company | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| "I" Company | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| "G" and "H" Co.'s | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| "A" and "B" Co.'s | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| "K" Company | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Service Co. | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| "L" Company | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| "E" and "F" Co.'s | 0 | 0 | 2 |

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## ECHOES FROM THE R. O. T. C.

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almost forgotten dinner set additions. A moustache contest would not be out of order in camp judging from the hairy upper lips displayed by the cadets.

A. H. Davis, from Georgia Tech has asked, to be allowed to throw stones at the pistol target, as he feels that his previous experience in target work gives him an unfair advantage over his mates.

D. E. Allen, of Company "G," caled on Captain Wysor, Assistant Adjutant, and inquired where he could find the key to the parade ground. Captain Wysor handed him the key to the office safe.

Foot Polo, a game not unlike Polo, (except that horses are eliminated) is the latest addition to the already heavy athletic schedule. Mr. A. L. Carroll, who has the distinction of having written the first book of rules on this game, is building what he terms a championship team from the splendid material in the camp. He asks us to announce that there are still two or three vacancies on his first and second teams.

Last evening was "College Stunt Night" at the R. O. T. C. Camp. With individual stars from the Emory University Glee Club in attendance, the various college delegations attempted to outdo each other in their efforts to demonstrate the spirit of their schools. College songs were sung with a vigor unbelievable. The 22nd Infantry Band provided its highly pleasing offering of a medley of all the college airs.

Editor's Note—It is the opinion of the News that those youngsters are being led a "dog's life."

## C. M. T.'s WILL BE FED

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menu will be strictly followed for each meal.

The quantities will be varied with the appetites of the members of the mess and the local market. In some instances a liberal allowance of milk and sugar has been provided over and above what would be used for the particular meal, but as a rule a pint of milk per person a day has been provided for use in some form. The same may be said of fruits, cereals and fresh vegetables.

The following menu for one day gives an idea of the variety of food to be served. The menus are changed daily.

Breakfast—Fresh fruit, cantaloupe or berries, cereal, corn flakes and oatmeal, fried bacon and scrambled eggs, hot biscuits, coffee, sugar and milk for fruit, cereals and coffee.

Dinner—Fresh vegetables, soup, chicken a la creole, fresh string beans, creamed new potatoes, young onions, sliced cucumbers, bread, jelly roll, lemonade.

Supper (cold)—Potato salad, sliced summer sausage, green apple sauce, bread and butter, iced tea and fresh whole milk.

## WARFARE REVOLUTIONIZED — NEW FLASHLESS POWDER DEVELOPED

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moisture, must be packed in waterproof containers. If these containers are in any way defective, deterioriation is almost certain to result.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## I. S. D. WINS TWO FROM ATLANTIANS

### Soldiers Take Double Bill from the Ramblers, First Game Being the Best of the Season on Benning Field.

By Sergt. J. M. Wheeler.

The Atlanta Ramblers proved to be one of the hardest teams the I. S. D. has played this season. The first game proves this, while the second one was also good. In a grett pitcher's battle in the first setto, between McNutt and Manos, Kid Suby shone forth as the greatest star of all when in the last half of the ninth he hit the longest home run ever made at Benning, winning the old ball game by the Score of 1 to 0.

Heckert's sensational one-handed pick-up off Clark's near hit in the fourth inning, and the retiring of him at first, will live long in the memory of the fans who witnessed the game. It was the greatest game of the season bar none, and the fans were thrilled time after time by the sensational playing of both clubs.

The two hurlers never worked better in their lives and, though Manos lost, he was glorious in defeat for he came near winning his own game with a slashing drive to deep right in the eighth inning, but was left stranded at third by his teammates.

Swantic, of the Tanks, worker in the second game and he held the Ramblers at bay with the exception of one bad inning, when they scored five runs. The game ended 6 and 5, with the soldiers on the long end. The box score follows:

**First Game**

| I. S. D. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Heckert, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Suby, 1b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarthy, C. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 0 |
| Waller, lf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Hodges, cf. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Goodwin, 3b. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Hyland, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Shepard, rf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| McNutt, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 25 | 1 | 5 | 27 | 10 | 2 |

| RAMBLERS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robertson, c. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Morris, rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lumpkin, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Clark, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Courtney, lf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Clements, cf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Dwyer, ss. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Brown, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Manos, p. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 0 | 8 | 24 | 10 | 0 |

| Score by innings: | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 000 | 000 | 001 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| Ramblers | 000 | 000 | 000 | 0 | 8 | 0 |

Summary—Home run, Suby; sacrifice hits, Suby, Goodwin; struck out, by Manos 4, by McNutt 7; base on balls, off Manos 2; attendance, 800; umpires, Goldstein and Erheart; time of game, 1 hour and 20 minutes.

**Second Game.**

| I. S. D. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Heckert, 2b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Suby, 1b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| McCarthy, c. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Wheeler, rf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwin, 3b. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Waller, lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hodges, cf. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hyland, ss. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Swantic, p. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 6 | 10 | 21 | 14 | 1 |

| RAMBLERS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lumpkin, ss. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Morris, rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Robertson, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Manos, lf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Clark, lb. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Courtney, 2b. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Clements, cf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brown, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Starmes, p. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 27 | 5 | 6 | 18 | 3 | 1 |

| Score by innings: | | | | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 231 | 000 | x | 6 | 10 | 1 |
| Ramblers | 050 | 000 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 1 |

Summary—Three-base hits, McCarthy; two-base hit, Suby; struck out, by Starmes 3, by Swantic 10; base on balls, off Swantic 4; double play, Swantic to Heckert to Suby; stolen bases, Heckert 2, Starmes; time of game, 1 hour and 15 minutes; umpires, Goldstein and Erheart.

## THE I. S. D. TEAM BEATS JORDAN CITY

The I. S. D. evened up the series with Jordan City last Saturday afternoon on the latters lot, winning easily by the score of 11 to 4, sending Monte Moore to the showers in the 6th stanza. McNutt, kept the hits well scattered and never was in danger, he gave way to Duff, the veteran, in the seventh, who looked good in the three frames he worked tho he is not in the best of shape as yet as he has not fully recuperated from the effects of the injury he received while on Maneuver. McCarthy's hitting and Hinton's fielding were the features of the game while Albrecht scored three of his team mates runs. This makes eleven wins for the soldiers and one lost, later on in the season the I. S. D. will play Jordan City the odd game and from the exhibition put up Saturday, the boys from Benning should cop the deciding game.

The box score follows:

| I. S. D. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Heckert, 2b. | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |
| Dausch, 1b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 1 |
| McCarthy, c. | 5 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Waller, lf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hodges, cf. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Goodwin, 3b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Hyland, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Shepard, rf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McNutt, p. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Duff, p. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 11 | 14 | 27 | 18 | 3 |

| JORDAN CITY | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moore, J., 3b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Coulter, 2b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Hinton, ss. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 1 |
| Cashion, lf. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Albrecht, 1b. | 5 | 3 | 1 | 13 | 2 | 0 |
| McClellan, c. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 2 |
| Tidd, cf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Matthews, rf. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Booth, p. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Moore, M., p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| Smith, rf. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 41 | 4 | 10 | 27 | 27 | 7 |

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 323 | 120 | 000 | 11 | 14 | 3 |
| Jordan City | 100 | 101 | 010 | 4 | 10 | 7 |

Summary—Three base hits, Cashion, Heckert; two base hits, McCarthy, McClellan; Double plays, Hinton to Coulter to Albrecht; Stolen bases, McCarthy 3, Waller 2, Goodwin 2, McNutt 2, Moore J., 1; Struckout by McNutt 5, by Duff 2, by Moore, M., 5, by Booth 2; Base on balls, off Moore, M., 3, off Booth 1; Time of Game, 2 Hrs. Umpires Valentine and Woods. Attendance 300.

## LEGION BOUTS GOOD

### Good Crowd At Driving Park.

Last Thursday the American Legion staged another successful boxing bout. The affair was held at the open air arena at the Driving Park and was well attended. A number of conflicting attractions tended to reduce the size of the crowd somewhat.

The first preliminary was between Yelmoni of Fort Benning and Pomerantz of Fort Benning. The men were middle weights. Yelomni was knocked out in the second round. This bout was followed by another four round preliminary between Kent and Hubbard, both of Columbus. Hubbard knocked his man out in one minute and forty seconds of fast fighting. Kent seemed to have the edge until the k. o. Keenan, Fourth Corps Area bantam weight champion, got a decision over Ray of Columbus in six rounds. Keenan did not show his usual form. Pacioni, of Benning, substituting for Grantham, of Benning who had an injured arm, kept on his feet for ten rounds against Eugene Poyner. Poyner had everything his own way. Pacioni challenged Poyner to a return bout giving as his reason that he had had but one day's notice in which to get ready for the bout. Antley of Columbus and Billy Knox of Missouri battled a ten round duel with Antley getting the decision. Knox either badly sprained or broke his right hand in the second round. He challenged Antley for a return go Athens who was recently kayoed by Antley, challenged for a return bout.

The main go of the evening was between Peck of Columbus and Tenner of Charleston, S. C., for the mythcal featherweight championship of the South. The decision was a draw although the crowd was about divided in its opinion.

During the bouts the Gibbons-Dempsey returns were announced.


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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**
Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.

9:00 A. M.—Morning service in charge of the Protestant Clergy of Columbus.

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School, Lieut. Custer in charge.

6:00 P. M. — Evening Song, Mrs. Cooper in charge.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL**
Block 7, Hall avenue.

8:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon.

10:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon. No Sunday School during the summer months.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY**
Sunday

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Services.

5:00 P. M.—Evening Services.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 P. M. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on Duty:**

Protestant — Stephen R. Wood; Alexander W. Thomas, Telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, Telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 13248-W., Post 74.

### CHAPLAIN'S NOTES.

Chaplain Stephen R. Wood is at present on temporary duty at Camp Bragg, N. C. Owing to his absence the morning services at the Protestant Chapel will be conducted by a civilian minister from Columbus.

Sunday, July 8th, The Protestant service was conducted by Dr. R. H. Jenkins of St. Luke's M. E. Church. On Sunday, July 15th Dr. Henderson of Rose Hill Presbyterian church will conduct the services. It was hoped that a large crowd will attend and show these gentlemen that their ef-

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## The Infantry Team Creed

I AM an Infantryman. Being an Infantryman I realize the value of team work. I am a prospective team member. In the furtherance of my aim to make the team I will not think of myself as an individual but a component of the team. What knowledge I gain in my work that I consider of value, that will help my brother competitor, I will not hold to myself but will pass on to others that the team may benefit. Being an Infantryman my aim is to make the Infantry first and I realize that only by a conscientious effort on my part, on the part of every individual, can the desired result be attained. I will enter into all work with the spirit to make it a success. I will comply cheerfully with all regulations and make the best of existing conditions and in so doing realize I am giving the team my support and keeping up the proper team spirit. Whether successful in making the team or not I consider I am not a loser. An Infantryman never loses. I will do all in my power to maintain contentment in the team. I am a prespective team member. I am an Infantryman.

### 83rd ARTILLERY POLO TEAM.

**Will Be Strong This Year.**

The polo team of the 83rd F. A. has had a serious reverse on account of the departure of Lieut. Gannon, Lieut. McCarthy and Major Yeager. The poor outlook caused gloom to settle down on the Artillery camp for a short time. Gannon, the team Captain has been active in polo since the initiation of the "Sport of the Princess" at the post, and his loss to the team will be greatly felt. McCarthy, "Stellar Back," is exceedingly hard to replace because it is seldom that a No. Four is developed with the aggressive and dependable playing such as he was capable of.

Recently Lieuts. Carpenter, Alberts, Olmsted, Uncles and Crawford have joined the Battalion. All of them are Polo enthusiasts, Olmsted played the four position on the 12th F. A. team at Fort Sam Houston. It is expected he will fill this place. The polo team has been reinforced considerably by the assignment of Major Anderson and Captain Shugg to this Post. It is understood that they are veteran players of long standing according to advance information. These two officers will join about September the first, Lieut. Beiderlinden whose wrist was injured during the tournament in March due to his horse falling, reports that he expects to be in the game at an early date. Roxbury is only temporarily absent from the organization and according to rumor is getting quite a little practice while playing with the "All Stars" at Camp McClellan, Ala.

The present polo activity is primarily training new horses. The pride of the Artillery, "Sister" was injured in some unknown way while in the pasture and probably will never play polo again. However it is hoped that some recruits will join the Artillery picket line in the near fuutre and will be in the line up when the ball is bowled for the opening of the 1923-24 Polo season.

### A QUALIFICATION HARD TO BEAT

**26th Infantry Qualifies 97.8 Per Cent.**

On June 7, 1923, the Twenty Sixth Infantry, stationed at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, completed its season's rifle firing with a record which is an enviable one for any Regiment of Infantry in the Army.

The results can best be described by the following order:

Headquarters Twenty-Sixth Infantry,
Plattsburg Barracks, New York,
June 11, 1923.

General Orders No. 4.

1. The following table shows the results of the record rifle practice of the regiment to date.

**June 9, 1923**

| Organization | E. R. | S. S. | M. M. | Unqualified |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| A | 10 | 14 | 17 | 0 |
| B | 7 | 16 | 15 | 2 |
| C | 15 | 18 | 13 | 3 |
| E | 12 | 8 | 6 | 1 |
| F | 9 | 7 | 8 | 0 |
| G | 18 | 8 | 7 | 0 |
| I | 15 | 8 | 6 | 0 |
| K | 11 | 13 | 17 | 0 |
| L | 20 | 11 | 10 | 0 |
| No. Ser. | *8 | *6 | *12 | *2 |
| | 19 | 18 | 19 | 1 |
| Totals | 144 | 127 | 130 | 9 |

*Authorized but not required to fire.

2. Out of 410 men who fired the record course 401 qualified as marksmanship or better, making a percentage of 97 4-5.

3. The Regimental Commander desires to congratulate Lieut. Colonel, M. C. Corey, in charge of the firing, and all the officers and men concerned, on this most excellent record which was achieved in spite of many handicaps of

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Program For the Week Ending July 21, 1923—Opening Hours for the Three Theatres.**

24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday July 15.**

The Pilgrim; 4 reels, Charlie Chaplin; Toll of the Sea, 4 reels, Special Cast.

**Monday July 16.**

Front Page Story, 6 reels, Horton; Water Sports, 1 reel, Novelty; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday July 17.**

Double Dealing, 5 reels, Hoot Gibson; Broadcasting, 2 reels, Jones.

**Wednesday July 18.**

Bell Boy No. 13, 5 reels, Douglas McLean; Forward March, 2 reels, Aubrey.

**Thursday July 19**

Do and Dare, 5 reels, Tom Mix; Town Terrors, 2 reels, Lee Kids; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday July 20**

Only 38, 7 reels, De Mille; Roach Comedy, 1 reel; Pathe Review, 1 reel.

**Saturday July 21**

Nero, 12 reels, Special Cast; Old Spain, 1 reel, Novelty.

### INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM NEWS

The provisional regimental team match of the candidates of the Infantry rifle team was held on July 3rd and the team of the 5th Infantry, composed of Lieut. R. E. Vermette, Lieut. W. R. Watson and Sergeant R. T. Eikenbary won with a total score of 561 out of a possible 600. National

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**To the 24th Infantry area old Gray Squirrel took a trip,**
**'Twas just about retreat time, First Sergeants called rolls with a zip.**
**"Adams, Baker, Jones and Jackson didn't even mention "Schmidt."**
**"I tell you what," said Gray Squirrel, "'tis an All-American outfit."**

## INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM NEWS

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match regulations applied to the match, rapid fire being fired at the "A" target at 200 and 300 yards and the offhand position was fired without the sling. The ranges fired were 10 shots, 200 yards offhand, 200 and 300 rapid fire and 10 shots at 600 yards. A composite team representing the Tanks finished second, one point behind the winners and a provisional team from the 3rd Infantry finished third. Where regiments were not represented by three men, unassigned men were drawn for by lot and were assigned to complete a team of three men.

On Wednesday, July 11th, weather permitting, the final tryouts for the Infantry team squad will start and will continue until July 24th. The period proceeding the starting of the tryouts is being devoted to firing at ranges where most needed. Weather conditions have been exceptionally fine since the arrival of the team and during the first month of training only one afternoon period has been called off on account of rain.

The baseball season ended on July 5th when the Giants, captained by Lieut. Watson won from the Bisions, captained by Capt. Pearson in the third game of a two out of three series. Great interest was taken in the series and a great deal of good sport was enjoyed by all. Saturday, July 7th the team is making another sight seeing tour through the Niagara Wall Paper Company's plant at Niagara Falls. Last Saturday the trip was made to the Niagara Power Company plant where the squad saw the wonderful development of hydro electric power from the Falls. Trips are being planned for the coming Saturdays and it is hoped that before leaving Fort Niagara all the principal plants of interest will have been visited.

A number of officers families have joined the team colony during the past week, among them being Mrs. Bisset, Mrs. Tomey and Mrs. Barrick.

Daily bulletins will be sent organizations of the daily results of the tryouts. The shooting this year has been excellent and a strong competition is expected. Among the new men are some excellent shots and those of previous teams and experience will be forced to go to the limit to win.

The pistol squad is firing daily and turning in fine scores. Captain W. A. Hedden, member of last year's pistol team is in charge of the work of the pistol squad. A number of the riflemen are trying out with the pistol in addition to their work with the rifle.

The final result of the tryouts will be published in these columns and also weekly articles will be published from our correspondent.

## INFANTRY TEAM BULLETIN

### Infantry Regimental Teams Doing Good Shooting

BULLETIN NO. 1.

**Regimental and Provisional Team Match**

| | S. F. 200 | R. F. 200 | R. F. 300 | 600 | Total | Team Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **1. Fifth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| *Vermetto, R. E.* 1st Lt. 5th Inf. .... | 43 | 50 | 44 | 50 | 185 | |
| Watson, W. R. 1st Lt. 5th Inf..... | 45 | 45 | 48 | 49 | 187 | |
| Eikenbary, H. T. 1st Sgt. 5th Inf..... | 44 | 50 | 45 | 48 | 187 | 561 |
| **2. Tanks.** | | | | | | |
| Lyons, J. P. Capt. Inf..... | 47 | 48 | 47 | 48 | 190 | |
| MacLaughlin, S. S. Capt. Inf..... | 45 | 49 | 45 | 49 | 188 | |
| Barrick, H. W. 2nd Lt. 13th Tank Bn. | 41 | 48 | 49 | 44 | 182 | 560 |
| **3. Third Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Hinds, S. R. 2nd Lt. 3rd Inf..... | 48 | 47 | 46 | 49 | 190 | |
| Lay, W. F. 1st Sgt. 19th Inf..... | 46 | 50 | 45 | 49 | 190 | |
| Dukes, T. A. 1st Lt. 3rd Inf..... | 44 | 42 | 45 | 47 | 178 | 558 |
| **4. Seventeenth Infantry.** | | | | | | |
| Mallorstrom, P. F. 1st Sgt. 17th Inf. | 45 | 49 | 48 | 49 | 191 | |
| Sheets, H. G.. 2nd Lt. 17th Inf..... | 46 | 48 | 48 | 47 | 189 | |
| Paurron, J. F. Mtr. Sgt. 17th Inf.... | 48 | 41 | 39 | 46 | 174 | 554 |
| **5. Thirtieth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Whitaker, H. Warrant Officer..... | 46 | 48 | 48 | 46 | 188 | |
| Adams, M. R. Cpl. 30th Inf..... | 45 | 43 | 44 | 48 | 180 | |
| La Rue, F. 1st Lt. 30th Inf..... | 42 | 47 | 46 | 45 | 180 | 548 |
| **6. Twentieth Infantry.** | | | | | | |
| Andrews, A. E. Capt. Inf..... | 43 | 49 | 48 | 48 | 188 | |
| Printy, W. C. Sgt. 20th Inf..... | 47 | 47 | 46 | 42 | 182 | |
| White, H. W. Sgt. 20th Inf..... | 43 | 49 | 46 | 40 | 178 | 548 |
| **7. Sixth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Bonham, F. G. Capt. 6th Inf..... | 44 | 49 | 48 | 47 | 188 | |
| Street, R. R. 2nd Lt. 6th Inf..... | 45 | 48 | 41 | 48 | 182 | |
| Shepherd, M. F. Capt. 17th Inf..... | 41 | 44 | 43 | 49 | 177 | 547 |
| **8. Eigth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Zavadsky, M. A. Sgt. 8th Inf..... | 46 | 47 | 46 | 47 | 186 | |
| Hakala, C. Sgt. 8th Inf..... | 43 | 50 | 45 | 46 | 184 | |
| Metcalfe, S. F. 1st Lt. 8th Inf..... | 44 | 44 | 43 | 46 | 177 | 547 |
| **9. Infantry School Detachment—** | | | | | | |
| Ellis, J. B. Sgt. I. S. D..... | 47 | 46 | 44 | 47 | 184 | |
| Strickland, A. B. Sgt. I. S. D..... | 43 | 47 | 46 | 46 | 182 | |
| Giron, P. M. Sgt. I. S. D..... | 45 | 47 | 43 | 44 | 179 | 545 |
| **10. Twenty-Third Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Katlarozyk, A., Sgt. 23rd Inf..... | 44 | 50 | 47 | 43 | 184 | |
| Harant, L. J. 1st Lt. 23rd Inf..... | 47 | 43 | 47 | 45 | 182 | |
| Bartow, D. M., Capt. Inf..... | 46 | 46 | 45 | 42 | 179 | 545 |
| **11. Fourth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| McCormick, J. W., Capt. 4th Inf..... | 45 | 45 | 46 | 48 | 184 | |
| Johnson, E. M., Sgt. 4th Inf..... | 43 | 47 | 40 | 46 | 176 | 544 |
| **12. Department of Experiment—** | | | | | | |
| Ioerger, F. Sgt. I. S. D..... | 46 | 48 | 46 | 49 | 189 | |
| Wessels, T. F., Capt. Inf..... | 44 | 47 | 47 | 47 | 185 | |
| Burnham, G. R., Pvt. lcl. 8th Inf..... | 42 | 38 | 46 | 44 | 170 | 544 |
| **13. Instructors, Infantry School—** | | | | | | |
| Pearson, F. J., Capt. Inf..... | 47 | 47 | 48 | 44 | 186 | |
| Karlstad, C. H., Capt. Inf..... | 41 | 50 | 46 | 45 | 182 | |
| Dumas, W. A., Capt., Inf..... | 39 | 46 | 46 | 44 | 175 | 543 |
| **14. Seventh Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Fenton, D., Cpl. 7th Inf..... | 44 | 43 | 48 | 49 | 184 | |
| Newgarden, P. W., Major, 27th Inf..... | 47 | 50 | 45 | 39 | 181 | |
| Bryan, T. S., Sgt. 7th Inf..... | 44 | 44 | 44 | 46 | 178 | 343 |
| **15. Twenty-Sixth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Olsen, K. S., 2nd Lt. 29th Inf..... | 44 | 50 | 48 | 45 | 185 | |
| Bilek, J., Sgt. 26th Inf..... | 44 | 46 | 47 | 45 | 132 | |
| Johnson, G. Sgt., 34th Inf..... | 42 | 44 | 44 | 47 | 177 | 542 |
| **16. Twenty-Fourth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Jones, L. V. 1st Lt. 24th Inf..... | 45 | 49 | 47 | 46 | 187 | |
| Lawkins, G. R., 1st Sgt. 24th Inf..... | 45 | 40 | 45 | 47 | 177 | |
| Schwab, J. S., Capt. 24th Inf..... | 42 | 44 | 44 | 47 | 177 | 641 |
| **17. Thirteenth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Conover, W. C. 1st Lt. 13th Inf..... | 43 | 44 | 48 | 47 | 182 | |
| Velenage, J., 1st Sgt. 13th Inf..... | 44 | 50 | 43 | 43 | 180 | |
| Osterman, G. Sgt. 13th Inf..... | 44 | 47 | 43 | 45 | 179 | 541 |
| **18. First Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Robinson, A. K., 1st Lt. 1st Inf..... | 47 | 48 | 46 | 45 | 186 | |
| Hanson, H., Sgt. 1st Inf..... | 45 | 47 | 46 | 41 | 179 | |
| Smith, C. M., Sgt. 1st Inf..... | 42 | 46 | 41 | 45 | 174 | 539 |
| **19. Thirty-Eighth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Chalker, C. W., Capt. 38th Inf..... | 42 | 48 | 48 | 45 | 183 | |
| Compton, I., 1st Lt. 38th Inf..... | 43 | 48 | 46 | 45 | 182 | |
| Silvester, C. F., Capt. 38th Inf..... | 42 | 40 | 43 | 48 | 173 | 538 |
| **20. Machine Gun Instructors— Infantry School** | | | | | | |
| Price, G. W., Major, Inf..... | 48 | 47 | 45 | 49 | 189 | |
| Ransom, P. L., Capt. Inf..... | 47 | 46 | 40 | 43 | 136 | |
| Hines, G. T., Sgt. 28th Inf..... | 40 | 47 | 41 | 45 | 173 | 538 |
| **21. Eighteenth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Wright, A. T., Capt. 18th Inf..... | 41 | 49 | 50 | 44 | 184 | |
| Stewart, W. J., Cpl. 18th Inf..... | 43 | 48 | 41 | 46 | 178 | |
| McGuire, E., Cpl. 18th Inf..... | 45 | 46 | 39 | 45 | 175 | 537 |
| **22. Twenty-Ninth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Rothrock, A. D., 1st Lt. 29th Inf..... | 44 | 47 | 46 | 46 | 183 | |
| Privette, F. H., 1st Lt. 29th Inf..... | 40 | 49 | 47 | 44 | 180 | |
| Rivadenera, J. A., Cpl. 29th Inf..... | 45 | 45 | 40 | 44 | 174 | 537 |
| **23. Eleventh Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Sanders, A. D., 1st Lt. 5th Inf..... | 43 | 46 | 49 | 45 | 183 | |
| Crossley, S. M., Pvt. 28th Inf..... | 38 | 44 | 46 | 50 | 178 | |
| Mars, O. C., Cpl. 11th Inf..... | 41 | 43 | 44 | 47 | 175 | 536 |
| **24. Ninth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Mapes, P., Capt. 9th Inf..... | 49 | 48 | 45 | 43 | 185 | |
| Conklin, R. E., Sgt. 9th Inf..... | 43 | 43 | 46 | 47 | 179 | |
| Jones, E. J., Sgt. 288th Inf..... | 43 | 40 | 41 | 46 | 170 | 534 |
| **25. Sixteenth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Siler, A. M., 1st Lt. 16th Inf..... | 45 | 46 | 43 | 48 | 182 | |
| Brian, A. R. Capt. 42th Inf..... | 43 | 48 | 42 | 46 | 172 | |
| Eichenberger, C., Sgt. 16th Inf..... | 37 | 47 | 47 | 42 | 175 | 534 |
| **26. Second Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Lindroth, E. G., Capt. 2nd Inf..... | 47 | 42 | 45 | 48 | 182 | |
| Jaynes, J. E., Cpl. 2nd Inf..... | 42 | 47 | 46 | 41 | 176 | |
| Highie, E. L., Cpl. 2nd Inf..... | 44 | 45 | 35 | 49 | 173 | 531 |
| **27. Tenth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Ruth, W. C. Sgt. 10th Inf..... | 43 | 46 | 46 | 45 | 180 | |
| Thompson, J. W., Capt. Inf..... | 44 | 43 | 44 | 46 | 177 | |
| Jonke, A., Cpl. 28th Inf..... | 39 | 49 | 37 | 48 | 173 | 530 |
| **28. Twenty-Fifth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| O'Mohundro, W. H., 1st Lt. 25th Inf. | 45 | 40 | 48 | 44 | 177 | |
| Waltz, W. P., Capt. Inf..... | 43 | 46 | 45 | 42 | 176 | |
| Hicks, T., Sgt. 25th Inf..... | 46 | 39 | 44 | 45 | 174 | 527 |
| **29. Twenty-Second Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Jones, F. A., Capt. Inf..... | 43 | 45 | 46 | 44 | 178 | |
| Emerson, J. Sgt. 22nd Inf..... | 46 | 43 | 44 | 43 | 176 | |
| Winters, J. T., Sgt. 28th Inf..... | 43 | 48 | 40 | 42 | 175 | 527 |
| **30. Twenty-Eighth Infantry—** | | | | | | |
| Taczanowski, A. 1st Sgt. 28th Inf..... | 43 | 42 | 45 | 46 | 176 | |
| Thornburgh, W., Mtr. Sgt. 28th Inf. | 42 | 42 | 47 | 43 | 174 | |
| Sullivan, C. F., Capt. 28th Inf..... | 42 | 46 | 40 | 42 | 171 | 521 |
| **Unofficial—** | | | | | | |
| Tupper, J. L. (Ass't Coach) C'pt. Inf. | 46 | 49 | 48 | 47 | 190 | |
| Knuebel, J. A. (Coach) Capt. Inf..... | 45 | 49 | 44 | 50 | 188 | |
| Smith, S. (Sp'l Coach) Sgt. 2nd Inf. | 43 | 48 | 45 | 48 | 184 | 562 |

Tried for team competition to stimulate interest. Regimental team shoot believed most valuable, but so far none have been authorized.

Rapid Fire done on target "A" with regular time allowance for 200 and 300 yards rapid fire.

Where regiments did not have sufficient men to make one team, men from other organizations were attached.

Ties were decided by lowest score made by any member of team at 600 yards, slow fire, 300 yards, rapid fire, and so on.

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—Per RAMEE—Team Capt.

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# Social Notes

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**MRS. LYONS AWAY.**

Mrs. C. M. Lyons, wife of Captain Lyons, 24th Infantry, is visiting friends in Springfield, Missouri. Captain Lyons is now at Camp Perry with the Infantry Rifle Team. Mrs. Lyons expects to join him about August 1st.

**CAPT. BETTS RETURNS.**

Captain E. C. Betts has returned from a sixty day sick leave, which was spent at Daytona Beach, Fla. The friends of Captain Betts, and especially the polo player of the Post, will be gratified to learn that Captain Betts has fully recovered from the injuries sustained by Capt. Betts during the last polo tournament. Captain Betts reports that while on leave he saw Colonel J. W. Barnes, retired, who was at one time G-3 at Fort Benning. Colonel Barnes sent his best wishes to members of the Command.

**LT. LAVIN ON LEAVE.**

Lieut. R. P. Lavin, Assistant Post Adjutant, will go on leave on about the 16th of this month. His whereabouts while on leave are surrounded by mystery.

**CAPT. McNAIR ON LEAVE.**

Captain Chas. H. McNair, accompanied by Mrs. McNair has gone on a sixty day leave. The leave will be spent in Philadelphia.

**COL. AND MRS. KENT HAVE 25th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

On last Sunday Col. and Mrs. W. A. Knet motored to Pine Knot Springs and entertained a small party. This was the 25th wedding anniversary of Col. and Mrs. Kent. Dinner was had at Mrs. Rushin's. Included in the party were Col. and Mrs. W. B. McCackey, Miss Peggy Kent, and Lieut. R. P. Lavin.

**MRS. PENDLETON ARRIVES.**

On last Saturday Mrs. Pendleton, wife of Colonel Harris Pendleton, Jr., arrived on the Post accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Sono. Col. Pendleton has been assigned quarters in Block 15.

**OFFICERS OF POST ENTERTAINED.**

On last Wednesday afternoon the officers of the Post were entertained by Mr. Ralph O. Howard and Mr. R. M. Hall, local representatives of the First National Bank of Columbus, at an old fashioned barbecue at the Big Eddy Club. General Gordon and his aid, Lieut. Honnen, were among those present. Officers who were in attendance expressed themselves in a very complimentary manner with regard to the barbecue and appreciated the hospitable motive which prompted Mr. Howard and Mr. Hall in giving the party.

**LIEUT. GAILEY ENTERTAINS.**

Mr. and Mrs. Callaway of Millstead, Ga., visited their cousin Lt. C. K. Gailey at Fort Benning on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Lieut. Gailey favored the Callaways with dinner parties on both evenings.

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

On July the 4th a rather unusual record was made in the matrimonial race when a certath member of the Print Shop rode to Columbus acquired a wife and returned to camp all in the brief space of one and one-half hours. Corporal Harry Willis, I. S. D., and Miss Verna Wills of Chattanooga, Tenn., are the happy ones. Miss Wills sister of Private Peter Wills, Headquarters, Company, has been staying at the Service Club for the past four weeks and in that short time has made many friends in Fort Benning.

Corporal and Mrs. Willis are spending their honey-moon among the hills of Tennessee. We wish for them many happy years of weded life.

The masquerade ball on July 3rd at the Post Gymnasium was a great success—everyone looked so cool and the music was never better. Many fancy costumes were in evidence, among them being: The family Queen, Mrs. Pool; the Marine Corporal, Mrs. Brown; the two Brigands, Corporals Bennett and Kilpatrick; the Western Cow Boy, Sammie Brigs; the "lady" in blue, Lonymeyer; the bashful fairies, Misses Leigh and Jones; the Bandit, Corporal White, and many others whose names are known to the scribe.

July 4th was rather a busy day for the Service Club, men, women and children packed the house all day—but why not, it is the coolest place in Fort Benning. Games of cards, checkers, chess, pool, etc., were enjoyed thruout the day. The piano and victrola did their part in contributing entertainment for the day and both were ready to declare a strike when the day was over.

Anyone finding any Victrola records marked "Service Club" in any recreation room, or elsewhere, please return same to the Service Club, also packs of cards marked "C. M. Roe" on the face of each card.

The Hostess had rather a pleasant surprise the other day when a certain Major dropped from "the skies" and handed her an armful of Piano Rolls, for which all the Service Club habitues join in thanking him for the thoughtful donation.

The President of the Service Club committee has taken to the woods—no, it was not caused by a disappoint in love affairs—the reason is far more prosiac, the measles is his champion.

COMING! COMING! COMING! Watch for the date of an informal country dance to be given in the Service Club soon.

**COMMUNITY SINGERS ENTERTAIN**

**Gave Concert Last Sunday Afternoon.**

On last Sunday afternoon Dr. Taylor's Community Singers gave a concert to an interested audience on the lawn of the Commanding Officer's quarters. The concert was well received and the type of music was varied. Several selection of sacred music were rendered and the old colored religious music brought forth enthusiastic applause from the audience.

Among the selections were "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," "I Couldn't Hear Nobody Pray," "Golden Slippers," "Old Time Religion," and other songs familiar to past generations.

Last Sunday's concert was not the first given by the Community Singers and those members of the audience in attendance hope that it will not be the last. The popularity of this band of singers is evidenced by the number of times they have met with a warm reception at Fort Benning. They inject real harmony and the pathos of their race in their singing especially in the rendition of the old melodies.

**RENTAL LEASES SLIGHTLY CHANGED**

**Beneficial To Student Officers**

All rental contracts or leases that are signed up hereafter will be for from September to September instead of from October to October, as is now the case, according to an announcement yesterday by F. W. Armour, secretary and treasurer of the Columbus Real Estate board.

It was pointed out that as the contracts now stand they are an inconvenience to the student officers who come to the Infantry school every year, as it causes them to have to find lodging in private homes or hotels until they can get into their homes in October, as they arrive here in the first part of September.

This change in the renting and leasing of houses was proposed by the board of real estate men of the city some months ago, and it is stated, will be adhered to by all *local realtors in* general, as practically all the local real estate men belong to this board.—Enquirer-Sun.

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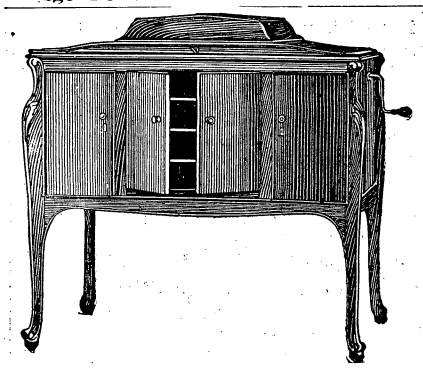

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Monel Metal Indentification Tags—A test of monel metal indentification tags has been under way for some time. A new set of tags were received and tested recently.

Mdical Department Rolling Kitchen—Some literature and illustrations were recently received and considered. These carts were used to feed the multitudes during Shrine Week in Washington, D. C., during the early part of June.

Experimental Ammunition—Experimental ammunition for rifles and machine guns has been received and will be fired and results noted early in the coming school year.

Aerial Smoke Screen—Photographs showing a smoke screen developed from candles and designed to hide the ground from observation from above have been received. Further information as to the tactical use for such screen has been asked for.

Machine Gun Record Book—The improved machine gun record book in final form has been forwarded to the Office of the Chief of Infantry.

EE-8 Telephones—A modified type of EE-8 telephone was recently received here and shipped to the Calvary Board. This telephone is still considered not entirely satisfactory.

## New Arrivals and Removals

The following named officers have been assigned quarters on the Post since June 1, to July 10, 1923:

*Anderson, A. G., 1st Lt. Inf. (15th Tank Bn.) Quarters 16-35. 'Phone 274 (Now in Camp McClellan).

Sanders, Robert C., 1st Lt. Inf. (Camp McClellan) Quarters 16-32 Phone 277.

Brown, Thomas C. Capt. 15th Tank Bn. Quarters 232527-A Phone 363.

*Forney, Leslie R. Capt. Inf. Instructor, Quarters 191714, Phone 233.

*Williamson, R. J., 1st Lt. attached to 29th Inf. Qrs. 16-14, Phone 285.

*Tuttle, A. L., Capt. 24th Inf. Qrs. 191706, Phone 394.

*Bartley, W. L. Capt. 15th Tank Bn. Qrs. 38-4, Phone 251.

*Pangburn, Elmer D. 1st Lt. 24th Inf. Qrs. 16-27, Phone 282.

*Thompson, O. N., Capt. 24th Inf. Qrs. 232507-C, Phone 342.

*Heald, Thos. J., Capt. 15th Tank Bn. Qrs. 232503-D, Phone 346.

*Rogers, Pleas B. Capt. Inf., Range Officer, Qrs. 232509-A, Phone 343.

Sims, Leonard H. 1st Lieut. Inf., Qrs. 16-13-A, Phone 86.

Alfonte, W. A., Lt.-Col. Instructor, Temporary Quarters, 232529-C, Phone 362.

Evans, H. R., Capt. 15th Tank Bn. Qrs. 232501-D, Phone 348.

Burt, William G., 1st Lt., Inf. Qrs. 16-42, Phone 247.

*Ednie, A. V., Capt. Inf., Qrs. 232-535-B, Phone 375.

*Tharp, Llewellyn D., Capt., Inf., Qrs. 232509-B, Phone 343.

Hansell, Haywood S., Lt.-Col. Med. Corps, Qrs. 15-351, Phone 113.

Mahoney, W. C., Capt. Q. M. C., 232523-B, Phone 367.

Roberts, Frank N., 2nd Lt. Inf. Qrs. 20-I, Phone 195.

Green, Philip P., Capt. Med. Corps, Qrs. 232511-C. Phone 360.

Chase, John A., Capt. Inf., Qrs. 20-I. Phone 238.

Walker, Edward E., Capt. Inf., Qrs. 191713, Phone 255.

Nulsen, C. K., Major 24th Inf. Qrs. 232511-A, Phone 359.

Fuller, Francis R., Major Inf., Qrs. 15-31, Phone 190.

Freidendall, L. R., Major Inf., Qrs. 15-347, Phone 102.

Crawford, D. J., 2nd Lieut. 83rd F. A. Qrs. 19-E, Phone 262.

Stewart, L. J., 2nd Lt., 83rd F. A., Qrs. 40-12-B, Phone 240.

Pendleton, Harris, Jr., Lt.-Col., Inf. Qrs. 15-343, Phone 78.

Smith, C. A., 1st Lt. 29th Inf. Qrs. 40-12-A, Phone 83.

Rathbone, Walter A., Capt. Inf. Qrs. 191717, Phone 266.

Philpot, S. B., Major, 24th Inf., Qrs. 19-A, Phone 211.

*Temporary duty, Camp McClellan.

## 83rd Field Artillery

**"B" Battery**

This is a young man's age, for survey of the men holding big positions reveals the fact that gray hairs are few. In the same way, "B" Battery is a young man's peppy Battery. Our Top-Kick is a youngster, as tops go: the Mess Sergeant is young and full of pep; our cleck is a baby and even our officers are little fellows. This young spirit keeps things moving around here.

Two of our men moved over the hill, but their reason for going is a dark secret to us, any way, we all know that a dark cloud always comes before a storm. Sergt. Green took a walk but the supply-room is still here. The Battery is sorry to lose a good man.

We are trying to make our place more of a "Home Sweet Home." Drop around and see our new wicker rockers our phonograph operated by human springs. The artillery extends an invitation to all branches, come and pay us a visit. There's always somebody home.

Yep a Columbus Hambone got a deserter.

**"C" Battery**

The battery garage is the scene of beaucoup labor. Sections being scraped and painted, tool room being repaired, etc.

We hope that Sergeant John will "re-up!" think it over, John.

Our battery commander, having been ordered to Ft. Sill expects to leave the outfit about August 1st.

Sergeant John, how about re-enlisting?

All together, "C" Battery, "Say John, don't go away from your boys."

Lieut. Beiderlinden, and Lieut. Carpenter have raised the average for the Battery—Height we mean.

**PERMANENT WAVE, DOLLAR HAIR CUT PROPER FOR MEN**

**New Spring Regulations on Male Adornment**

It is now considered improper, if not downright indecent, for a gentleman, calling himself a gentleman, to be seen without his permanent wave and his dollar hair-cut. The growing tendency toward elaborate head-dress for men seems to indicate that soon the "part" will run cross-wise, ending in fish-hook curls about the ears.

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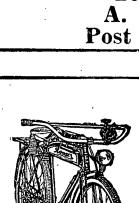

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## American Legion Notes
**From American Legion News Service**

Parkersburg, W. Va—Following an offer of a reward of $100 from the West Virginia department of the American Legion for the arrest and conviction of persons who unlawfully and publicly mutilated an American flag which they took from in front of the post office building at Mineral Wells, W. Va., three men have been arrested at Parkersburg and have been charged with the offense.

Indianapolis—Georgia continues to lead all other departments of the American Legion in membership gain over 1922, according to latest reports from legion national headquarters. Other leading states, in relative order, are Arizona, Idaho, Utah and South Carolina. In total membership, the five leading states are New York, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Iowa and Ohio.

Washington—The American Legion's long fight to obtain the removal of disabled war veterans from contract hospitals and institutions where conditions oftentimes have been determined to their recovery is on its way to success, according to information received by Joe Sparks( chairman of the legion's national rehabilitation committee.

In a recent letter from Director Frank T. Hines of the United States Veterns' Bureau, Sparks was informed that "it is the policy of the Bureau to evacuate all its beneficiaries from contract institutions during the coming year, transferring them to hospitals under the jurisdiction of the Bureau."

Because of lack of hospitals, the Veterans' Bureau has sent many sick and wounded former service men to private institutions, paying a fixed sum for their maintenance. In a number of instances, this practice has resulted in neglect and ill treatment of the war fighters, according to the legion men, who state that there has been no efficient check to determine whether the disabled were receiving all that the government was paying for their support in the contract institutions.

Bloomington, Ill.—A message of Americanism will be heard by every school child in the state of Illinois each week during the school year, according to details of a plan just announced by Commander Charles W. Schick, of the American Legion in Illinois.

Under the plan offered by Commander Schick, a member of the American Legion will be detailed to each room of city schools, and to country schools each week during the school year to discuss some phase of Americanization.

Commander Schick has announced that all posts of the organization will take an intimate part in naturalization of aliens. He hopes to work out a plan in co-operation with churches of all denominations, whereby the prospective ictizens will receive a course of instruction in American hstory and nstitutions, before fnal papers are awarded.

"The Legion is really a great American organization," declared Commander Schick." It embraces all creeds, all races, and almost all colors. It is the great melting-pot in which are fused America's mighty forces. It should be the legion's task to perform some constructive work. This work, I believe, should be along the lines of maintaining the ideals of America."

San Francisco—California is preparing to demonstrate her advantages to the 150,000 world war fighters expected to attend the American Legion's national convention in San Francisco next October. Citizens from outlying cities and towns, industrial and commercial centers, farming regions and the ranch country will assemble in the convention city to welcome the visitors.

California's products and her assets of wealth are to be displayed effectively in a large electrical parade to be hel don one of the evenings during convention week. Every county in the State will be represnted by floats bearing typical exhibits, enhanced by groups of pretty girls and ornamented by electrical effects. One hundred bands, representing cities and towns, many of them from legion posts, will march in the procession. Visiting legionnaires, who will have marched in the customary military parade on one of the convention mornings, will be permitted to sit on the side-lines to watch the California boosters demonstrate their state pride.

Chambers of Commerce and legion posts throughout the State are preparing to spend a quarter of a million dollars on floats for the night parade.

Indianapolis—Alvin Owsley, national commander of the American Legion, has received a letter from Sir Douglas Haig, commander of the British forces during the world war, thanking him for a message to the recent convention of the British Legion from the American organization, delivered by Hanford MacNider, of Mason City, Ia.

"It seemed to me that your splendid words found an echo in the hearts of every one present," the letter stated, in part. "To your wish, 'Let us be comrades in peace,' I hasten to assure you that that is the sincere wish of every member of the British Legion. The aims of our respective legions seem to be identical for all practical purposes, and I hope that by some means we English-speaking ex-service men may become more closely affiliated. Please convey to your colleagues of the American Legion the heart-felt thanks of the British Legion for your assurance of fellowship which we cordially reciprocate."

The legion was represented at the convention of British veterans by Mr. MacNider and Milton J. Foreman, of Chicago, past national commanders.

### THE CODE OF A GOOD SPORT

I.
Thou shalt not quit.
II.
Thou shalt not alibi.
III.
Thou shalt not gloat over winning.
IV.
Thou shalt not be a poor loser.
V.
Thou shalt not take unfair advantage.
VI.
Thou shalt not ask favors thou art unwilling to give.
VII
Thou shalt always be ready to give thine opponent the shade.
VIII.
Thou shalt not underestimate an opponent, nor overestimate thyself.
IX.
Thou shalt root with all thy might, but in rooting a good sport will root right.
X.
Honor the game thou playest, for he who playeth the game straight and hard wins even when he loses.—Fifth Corps News.

### BIBLICAL BALL PLAYERS

Father Time stated that baseball was played even in Bible days. He says:
Eve stole first and Adam stole second.
Saint Peter umpired the game,
Rebecca went to the well with a pitcher,
While Ruth in the field won fame;
Goliath was struck out by David,
A base hit made on Able by Cain,
The Prodigal Son made one home run,
Brother Noah gave out checks for rain.

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## The Price of Peace

The offer of $100,000 for the best plan to obtain permanent world peace has created a stir in journalistic circles. Mr. Bok will no doubt receive a great many well prepared papers on the subject.

Municipalities preserve order among their inhabitants by having an efficient police force. Certain city ordinances are drafted along lines which will prevent confusion and disorder and these ordinances are then enforced by men whose only duty is their enforcement. The municipality in this manner preserves peace.

The principles which apply to the preservation of peace in a city appear to be valid in the preservation of peace between nations. Switzerland is an example of how a nation prepared for war at all times may still remain at peace with hostile adjoining nations. True, the natural terrain of this little country has something to do with this but in addition to the terrain there are about 500,000 reasons why other nations make no attempt at invading her—and every one of these reasons is armed with a rifle.

World peace may be insured by establishing certain laws covering the matter of one nation declaring war upon another and then having sufficient force behind these laws to enforce them. Establish the laws and have no force behind them and they become "a scrap of paper." If the United States wants world peace she must do her share toward supplying the force necessary to enforce such laws as exist or may be enacted toward this end.

## For A Better Infantry.

In a recent issue of the News an editorial under the caption "An Aid To Concealment" discussed the possibilities of the new flashless and smokeless powder recently developed by the Ordinance Department. Now we have information of a new semi-automatic rifle capable of firing sixty shots per minute.

The equipping of Infantrymen with this new rifle and a plentiful supply of ammunition charged with the new powder will be a decided advantage over the present equipment. From the reports received the new rifle is about the same weight as the present Springfield rifle and this fact will not tend to increase the weight of the present Infantry pack. The rifle is accurate and simple in construction thereby eliminating jams and accidents.

One of the first tactical principles being that an advance with small loss of life is possible only after fire superiority has been gained the means to this end seems to have been now made available. The smokeless and flashless powder will tend to aid in the concealment of troops while the terrific volume of fire of which a full company is capable with the new rifle can not fail to gain fire superiority. After which the bayonet, or the threat of the bayonet, will complete the action.

Things seem to be "breaking for" the Infantry right at present.

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Speaking of the Fort Benning road, it is a difficult thing to transport $20,000,000 over it in a year's time without losing some of this cash. Too many shell holes. If the road could be smoothed over a little more of this money might reach Columbus safely.

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The Columbus-Cusseta Road does not seem to be thriving so much these warm July days. As for the Columbus-Fort Benning Road—well, this is a respectable newspaper which is read by ladies and as a consequence the subject must be dropped right here.

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If a bond issue should be floated we believe we know where to locate a number of prospective subscribers. Everybody is interested in floating something over the Fort Benning road. Airplanes will do it now but they are somewhat expensive

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"Only Tea Packing House in the South Opened Up in Atlanta." Headline. (Atlanta paper.)

Wrong again. For several years tea has not only been packed but has been grown at Summerville, S. C.

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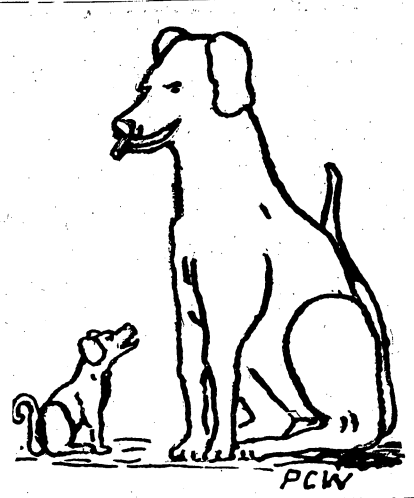
Some people are like the great lakes which have never been known to dry up




## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE

Calculator and the Great Dane were watching the daily struggle at the post commissary. Said the Great Dane. "This here Dempsey-Gibbons fight has set me thinking, Calculator, and there is a splendid idea comes into my mind." "How is that," said the other, "you being an army dog, shouldn't talk of fighting—you'll offend some one as we are supposed to be a peace army now."

"That may be, said the Great Dane," but here is the point. Whenever I listen in on the conversations at the different gathering places I find that there is a lot of discussion going on about this officer or that family and what they did or some one said they did. It doesn't seem to be any one's business except the party concerned, but still the others talk about it as if it was a family affair. So the thought came to my mind what a fine thing it would be if I could turn into you the names of the people who talk about the others and don't like their style and so forth and you would order them to appear at the post gymnasium on certain days and fight it out in the ring with the padded gloves. The loser to apologize for his or her bad manners in gossipping or doing things which made gossip possible."

"A great scheme," replied Calculator," and I would suggest that during each bout the reason for the fight be announced in a loud voice to the audience."

"It ought to do some good," laughed the Great Dane. "I am getting tired of hearing so many unkind remarks about the other fellow. I always investigate those htings and the remarks are never justified—least of all by folks who don't know what they are talking about."

"You express my sentiments exactly," said Calculator, "I have a notebook full of names of people on the post who putt in 49 hours out of 48 at that kind of work and I am figuring on publishing it some day in the same style as the doughboy of 1921 will their picture and the particular brand of remarks they make as took underneath."

At this moment a car came by headed for town so Calculator hopped aboard to see how the paving of the Benning road was getting along, while the Great Dane started over to see the Grey Squirrel and the Blue bird.

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PROHI OFFICIALS MAKING ATLANTA SAFE FOR ELKS—Atlanta, (Ga.) dispatch—Well, better luck next time Bills.

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The slogan of the pacifists this year is "Law, Not War" There seems to be enough law to satisfy even the pacifists.

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**Join the Motor Club. Support the Good Road Movement.**

## LEDGER FURNISHES FIGHT RETURNS.

On last Thursday evening the Columbus Ledger furnished the returns of the Willard-Firpo fight to the personnel of Fort Benning.

The system of getting the returns was the same as the one followed when the returns were furnished by the Ledger of the Dempsey-Gibbons fight on July 4th.

The courtesy of the Ledger in furnishing this service is appreciated by the entire command.

## FLAG ETIQUETTE

1. The proper time for raising or putting out a flag is sunrise or after, never before.

2. The flag should always be lowered at sunset, although the War Department sanctions the flying of the flag over civilian property at night, provided it is not so flown for advertising purposes.

3. A flag should never be allowed to trail or lie on the ground and should always be taken in during stormy weather.

4. When the flag is raised at ceremonies, everyone present should stand, face the flag and if covered, uncover, holding the head-dress opposite the left shoulder with the right hand. Men in military or naval uniform will render the hand salute.

5. When the flag passes in parade, the same courtesy should be rendered as in No. 4.

6. When any other flag is displayed with our National colors. Old Glory must always be on the right or above.

7. As a sign of mourning the flag should first be smartly hoisted to the "truck," as the peak of the staff is called, for a moment and then slowly lowered to and left at half mast. At sunset the flag should first be smartly hoisted to the truck before lowering to the ground.

8. The flag should never be used for a cover or in any position where other objects are placed on it.

9. Flags should always be treated with reverence and carefully put away when not in use.

10. In draping the flag against the side of a room or building, the blue field should always be towards the North or towards the East.

11. When the "Star Spangled Banner," recognized as our National Anthem, is played or sung, all should rise and stand until the song is finished. Men and boys should uncover. It is proper to face the musicians or those singing during this ceremony except when the flag is being lowered, when all should face the flag.

12. When red, white and blue bunting is used for decorating, the blue, representing the union, should be at the top, the honor point, the white in the middle, and the red below.

13. It is against the law to put any printing or advertising of any kind on the United States flag.

14. A common misuse showing lack of respect and dignity is the embroidering of the flag on cushions and handkerchiefs, and the printing of the flag on paper napkins. These practices, while they are not strictly in violation of any present Federal law, should be discouraged.


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FOR SALE—Piano good condition. Attractive Price. Anyone interested in purchasing a Piano should call Phone 289-Post.

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FOR SALE—Ivers & Pond Piano. Perfect Condition. Mrs. B. F. Harris, Block 40 House 57.

FOR SALE—Dress Form size 36. Price $3.00. Phone 192 Fort Benning.

FOR SALE—Florence oil stove, two burner with oven; one electric heater; two oil heaters. All in good condition. Phone Capt. F. P. Chamberlain, 379 Post. Quarters 232533.

FOR SALE—One portable Victrola in first class condition. See Sgt. T. Morrow, Co. "A," 29th Infantry. Phone 14, 29th Infantry.

FOR SALE—Nash, 6 cylinder, 5 passenger; run 17,000 miles; Gabriel snubbers; Front and rear bumpers: Automatic windshield wiper; Green sun and storm shield; six tires, all good, four practically new; two extra rims; steering wheel lock; tool box; spot light; six extra spark plugs, new: numerous other accessories; Ice box. bed, etc., for camping. Engine and entire car in excellent condition. Price $750.00 or $650.00 without extra equipment.

Captain A. A. Roby,
Executive officer, Station Hospital.
Office phone 144, Quarters 373.

FOR SALE—One pool table in good condition. See Commanding Officer, Co. "G" 29th Infantry.

"LOST between commissary 24th Infantry and Block 18 last Thursday night one ladies grey silk elbow glove for right hand. If found please return to Post A. & R. Officer, Post Gymnasium.

### 24th INFANTRY QUALIFIES 100 PER CENT.

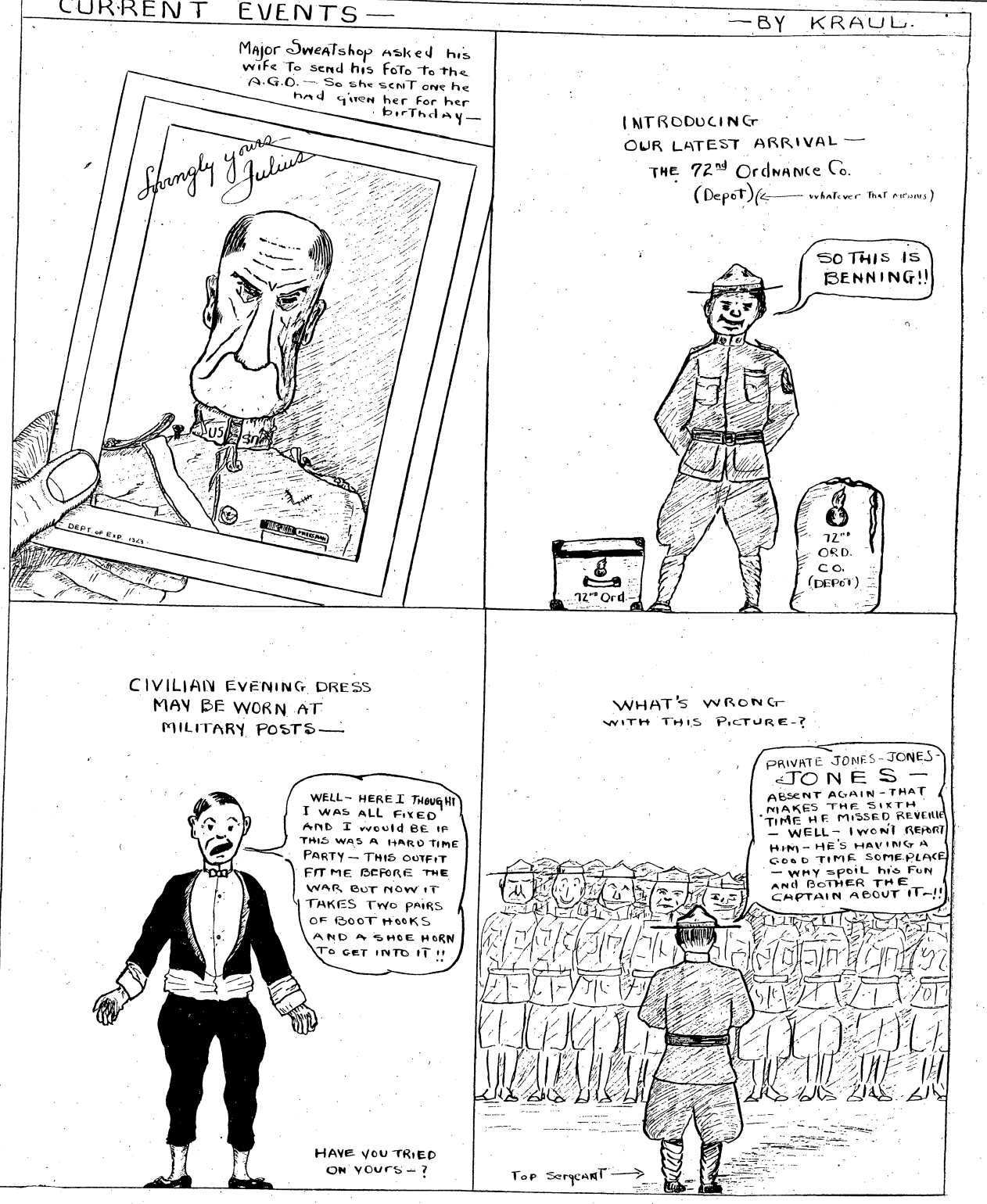
**In Machine Gunnery, Second Season With Perfect Score.**

The Machine Gun companies of the 24th Infantry have this week finished their target season with the following gratifying result:

Company "D," with forty men firing, qualified twenty Experts, nineteen Sharpshooters and one Marksman; H. Company, with forty men, qualified eight Experts, thirty-one Sharpshooters and one Marksman, while Company M with forty-one men, qualified eleven Experts, twenty-eight Sharpshooters and two Marksmen.

These companies were enabled to produce the one hundred per cent. qualification shown above only thru the untiring efforts of every one concerned. The members of companies D and H who came to Fort Benning last October with a record of 100 per cent. qualification for the 1922 target season have labored unceasingly as coaches for the untrained Machine Gunners who were attached to those companies and to Company M, while the interest an denthusiasm of the new men aided materially in putting across this record of which we are all so proud.

Capt. E. C. Callahan was in charge of firing, and was ably assisted in the work by Lts. W. V. Carter, H. D. Schas, Lloyd Inman and H. P. Henry.




## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### He Knew Johnny

Teacher: "Now, Willie, if Johnny Stone (a classmate) should tell you that he killed three rabbits yesterday and five the day before, how many rabbits would he have killed in both days?

Willie: "Oh, about one or two."

Teacher: "One or two? Why Willie, three and five make eight."

Willie: "Yesm, but I know Johnny's habits."

### Then the Fun Began

A dignified statesman some time ago, while traveling in a thirdclass railway carriage in the north of England, sat down hurriedly next to a little girl in shawl and clogs. Happening to glance at her a moment or two afterward, he saw that she was regarding him with no great favor. It dawned upon him that he was sitting on her newspaper. "Here, my dear, he said, pulling the paper from under him and handing it to her. "I'm sorry."

The little girl did not look quite satisfied, but she said nothing until a few minutes later, the train drew up at a station. "Please sir, she then inquired weakly, "May I have my Limburger cheese. It was in the paper."

### A Timely Tale

Two rookies of the A. E. F. met in Queenstown, Ireland. Just as they had interchanged a mutual "Howdy, Buddy," a "Henry" passed, closely followed by another.

Said one: "What time of day is it when one Ford chases another Ford?"

"Give it up! What's the answer?"

"Tin after tin."

### A Handicap Both Ways

Two Irishmen were philosophizing. Said Pat to Mike, "Did yes iver shtop to think that wan-half the world don't know how the ither half gits along?"

"You're right," said Mike; "and neither does the other half."

### Accountant Needed

Valerie, aged 7, is the baby in a family of six, and naturally the family bathroom is a very busy place. Her mamma asked her if she had taken a baththat morning, or if she needed one the evening of this particular occasion. Valerie bawled out to her auntie several rooms distant—"Auntie, was it me that had a bath this morning?"

### Really Happened.

A child in the Public school was trying to answer the examination questions in geography in her final examination and this is one of the answers she wrote:

"The Mississippi River has its source in the Red Sea, flows thru Hudson Bay and empties into Cape Horn."

### Mixed.

A lady went away from home and just before leaving she told her four year old nephew that she would not return for a long time. But after a few weeks absence she found it necessary to make a trip home. She came upon the little fellow suddenly and the shock of seeing her when he was not expecting her proved so great, his ideas got twisted and he said:

"I know who you is but I don't know who youse name are."

## Hints on Etiquette
### By Ima Lyer

**THE WEDDING—Your falling for the same old story ought to be told the world.**

"Not more than four months before nor less than fifteen days after, wedding invitations should be sent to those who are to be present at the ceremony" In chosing the guests descrimination should be used. In these days of the h. c. o. l. it is no longer considered bad form to ask only those people from whom you may reasonably expect an expensive wedding gift. Some authorities on etiquette even sponsor the initials 'P. B. P.' on the invitation which of course, is a gentle hint to the person receiving same.

"Formal invitations may be either printed or engraved, If time is a factor it may be necessary to have a printer run off several hundred invitations. The use of a typewriter in sending out formal invitations is very infrequently resorted to. In the event that a typewriter is used great care should be taken to see that the stenographer uses the correct form and punctuation. The following is an effective invitation form:

Mr. James Jackson
(of the firm of Jackson and Adams)
requests that you
be at his marriage to
Miss Cecilia Baumgartner
the daughter
of
Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Baumgartner
(Green Grocers)
on the
Evening
of
P. B. P. July 13, 1923 P. B. P.
at the home of Mr. Jackson's
parents.

The above form of invitation tells all at a glance and, especially if the groom be a young man just starting out in business, it calls attention to him in this conection. He should never talk business at the wedding, however.

"It is necessary that the young man and young lady make out a list to whom invitations are to be sent." A recent directory showing the names of all bank officials is always available and contains a large assortment of names to choose from. Care should be taken, however, that the wedding either takes place in a building large enough to accomodate all guests or else in some town other than the one in which live the invitees.

"The bride and groom deside upon the clergyman whom they wish to officiate" As far as making it stick is concerned most clergymen, regardless of denomination or creed, are very efficient in this respect. There is not much choice in the matter and, as a courtesy to the bride, the groom usually accepts her decision.

"The church should be decorated for the occasion. Multi-colored streamers of tissue or crepe paper lend color to the occasion and relieve the usual funeral atmosphere. The old custom of throwing rice and old shoes is no longer considered good form but in order that there may be something to throw a supply of confetti should be supplied. The pews indicating the intimate friends of the bride and groom should be marked with black crepe.

"The only choice among the days of the week is that which arises from the grooms convenience or desire. Naturally, any day will do but grooms customarily pick either the seventh or the eleventh of the month which custom, has been established due to the sporting element involved in the undertaking.

"It is customary for a widow to remove the engagement ring and wedding ring of her first husband during the marriage to her second." There are many reasono for this. Two wedding rings and two engagement rings take up too much space on the finger and besides the groom usually demands it." It is but natural that the groom has a cretain amount of feeling in the matter and in order to have the ceremony pass off smoothly good taste prescribes that reference, either verbally or by implication, to the first husband not be made. If however, the groom with business acumen borrows the first pair of rings they may then be used to make the second wedding. While there is nothing in the conventions prohibiting it at the same time it is generally considered bad form for the groom to mention where he got the rings under the above circumstances.

## 15th Tank Battalion News

Sergt. Boone of Company "C" is on a guard roster all by himself, and we understand that he will soon be able to qualify as a night watchman if the young Miss Boone doesn't let up on her proud father and give him a little rest. Mrs. Boone presented the Sergt. with a nine pound girl last Monday, both the mother and the baby are doing splendid. Congratulations to the proud parents.

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If you want any real dope on the Fire Dept. See Private Mallof of Co. "A" for he is now a full fledged member of the force and an authority on the subject.

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Lieut. Brotherson just returned from a twenty day leave which he spent in Florida; when interviewed he stated he had a grand time.

### HOT WEATHER HINTS

The heated season is at hand. In fact, we already have had a taste of the discomfort attendant upon a high temperature and a relatively high humidity.

Here are some suggestions whi h may be of value in helping you to get through the summer season without having a case of sunstroke or heat prostration, or requiring the services of your doctor. Look 'em over and see what you think of them:

Eat moderately.
Drink buttermilk instead of either coffee or tea.
Take the shady side of the street.
Don't hurry, worry, fret or fume over trifles.
Take a bath every day.
Keep your bowels open.
Live in the open air as much as possible.
Dress lightly.
Be regular in your habits.
Keep your temper.
Don't watch the thermometer; it doesn't help any to know just how hot it is.

And finally, anathematize the fellow who asks, "Is this hot enough for you!" —Bulletin Chicago School of Sanitary Instruction.

### HERE'S A HOT ONE.

Editor, Infantry School News,
Fort Benning, Ga.,
Sir:

Bluebird, The Gray Squirrel, The Great Dane and Calculator want to know why a plea to "patronize our advertisers" is placed next to the advertisement of a funeral director.

Is it a vailed suggestion on the part of the Editor for his reader to "go to———Someplace?

Edi'or's Note—This paper is shocked at such base insinuation. This was done in the last issue to see if anybody read the ads. and would take a crack at the compositor. The plea for the advertisers is directed, however, at the "dead ones."

### 7th ENGINEERS HAS MEASLES.

**Loud Wails Issuing From Their Camp**

Lo! How the mighty have fallen. Yea, even those who swam the Meuse and bridged the Chattahoochee. For, behold, they have that kid's disease known as Measles.

In other word the 7th Engineers, will stay at home for a time and think over their sins—if they have any, and no doubt they have—while the Rest of The World Rolls On."

The first we heard of it was when a certain member of the Service Club Dance Committee tried to get out of quarantine on account of feeling duty bound to attend the dance last Wednesday night. Being an important member of this committee this member tried in every way to find a legitimate reason for not being quarantined. The "Powers that Be" acted real hard-boiled about the matter, however, and the rest of that dance committee will have to swing the load without the able assistance of this particular member.

A reporter from our evening contemporary in Columbus reports that the accomodating editor, business manager, and others of that progressive newspaper are helping the unfortunate 7th engineers to pass the time away by getting the paper to them each evening. This is going to help the outfit some and it is suggested that after reading the paper from front to back they start over and read it from back to front, Chinese fashion, in order to make the news last until the next paper arrives. Not meaning to insinuate, of course, that that paper contains no news but making the suggestion with the realization all good things must sooner or later come to an end.

The News hopes that its 7th Engineers friends will soon become convalescent.

### OLD-TIMER LEAVING BENNING

**Here Since April 1919**

On or about the 15th Mr. Frank W. Salfingere, who is now assistant to the Construction Quartermaster, will probably leave Fort Benning on a fifteen day leave before accepting a position with A. Bentley & Son, Contractors, of Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. Salfingere first came to Fort Benning as a captain of infantry on April 2, 1919. He was assigned to duty as adjutant of the Machine Gun School. Shortly after this he was put on special duty with the engineers. After being discharged from the Army Mr. Salfingere accepted the position which he now holds.

It is doubtful if there is anybody else now at this station who has been at Fort Benning as long as Mr. Salfingere. Best wishes follow him to his new field of endeavor.


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Funeral Directors and Embalmers.
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We employ a Lady Assistant.
Office Phone 854
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**PURINA POULTRY CHOWS**
Makes them Grow and Lay.
For Sale at
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THE HOUSE THAT SATISFIES
TRADE MARK
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COLUMBUS, GA.
CLOTHING & HATS
LOOK FOR SIGN--THE GOLDEN ARM

MEET ME AT
**U.S. Lunch Room**
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OPEN DAY AND NIGHT

**Grand Theatre**
COLUMBUS
MON. TUES. WED.
JULY 16, 17, 18
AGNES AYRES
—in—
"The Heart Raider"
THUR. FRI SAT.
JULY 19 ,20, 21
BEBE DANIELS
—in—
"The Exciters"
With ANTONIO MORENO

**Arenowitch Co.**
North Broad Street Dep't Store
MAKE OUR STORE YOUR SHOPPING HEAD-QUARTERS
1232 Broad St. Phone 803
Walk a block and save the difference.

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INSURANCE REAL ESTATE LEASES
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THE HOME OF "BUTTER NUT" BREAD
Quality Cakes and Pastries.
Caterers for Receptions, Parties and Weddings
109 Twelfth Street. Phone 1332 Columbus, Ga.

## With Our Advertisers

### THE LADIES STORE

Recently, in our devious perambulations about town, we dropped into that up-to-date woman's "fixin's" establishment known as Kirvens. Being a mere man we soon realized that we were hopelessly at sea. On every side we saw unknown articles of feminine wearing apparel and we were too bashful to ask a clerk what they were for fear we might be considered "fresh"—only lady clerks being in sight.

Upon investigation we found that anything from a down comfort to table linen and from hair pins to shoe laces can be purchased at Kirvens. Not only do they handle milady's articles but almost any kind of cloth—including the kind used for automobile tops—imaginable can be purchased there and if they do not happen to have what you want in stock they will get it for you if it is made.

Yea, a veritable store is Kirvens and, having no female reporter the News cannot do the subject justice. An inkling can be obtained, however, by reading the weekly advertising carried in the News.

### THE MEN'S STORE

And now we are in our element. When we walked into Chancellor's recently we had no embarassing fears. On all sides we saw nobby hats, snappy ties, spiffy sox, good looking uniforms and "cits." Prices are in conformity with the grade of article sold. Being toward the end of the month—the first end after pay day—we felt financially influential and invested several iron men in a "Pershing" cap. The cap met with approval upon our return home.

The fact that the News has beeen carrying Chancellor's advertising since almost from the first issue speaks well for this firm. The News is descriminating in the class of advertising carried.

Chancellor's handles boots, riding crops, caps, campaign hats, and, in fact, all kinds of military equipments. Besides these there is a wide variety of civilian clothing to chose from.

### THINGS TO TRY ONCE.

1. Getting paint from the Futilities Officer for recreation activities.
2. Getting cream that will whip from a certain dairy supplying the Post with milk.
3. Getting thirty days leave when everybody else is away.
4. Try to buy a private mount at the Infantry School.
5. Getting government transportation for dances.
6. Telling the Sanitary Inspector where to head in.
7. Buying privately owned quarters.
8. Publishing a newspaper in addition to your other duties.
9. "Jewing down" prices at the Sales Commissary.
10. Getting the Quartermaster to take something off your memorandum receipt.
11. Driving to Columbus without cussing (Chaplains barred)
12. Finding two pages of social notes.
13. Trying to out-talk a Columbus speed cop.
14. Putting something over on the K. O. 24th Infantry
15. Getting the Post Ex. Officer to cash canteen checks at par.
16. Having Bluebird say something pleasant.
17. Trying your hand at writing this kolyum.

**Patronize the Advertisers in The News.**

Conway Tearle in the Paramount Picture "The Rustle of Silk"

### NEITHER KISS NOR WEDDING AT END OF NEW FILM

**Unique Though Happy Finish Marks Picture, "The Rustle of Silk."**

A happy motion picture story ending that doesn't include a marriage or an embrace!

That is one of the unique distinctions claimed for "The Rustle of Silk," Herbert Brenon's Paramount picture featuring Betty Compson and Conway Tearle, which will be the feature of the bill at the Post Theatres Saturday July 14.

The story, adapted from Cosmo Hamilton's novel by Sada Cowan and Ouida Bergere, centers about a humble English girl who falls in love with a great British statesman who is already married. The girl, serving the statesman's wife, adores the husband from afar.

By accident the man learns of the girl's love. Unhappy with his wife and hisheartened by the course of political events, he offers to get a divorce and marry the girl.

But a crisis in the affars of state requires all of his attention. If he resigns, chaos threatens to engulf the government. The girl, because she loves him, sacrifices her love and sends him back to fight his cause against overwhelming odds. Her compensation is found in the fact that the man who loves her faces his duty because he loved her. He wins his fight, but for the time being, at least, he fails to win the girl who spurred him on to victory.

Unlike so many screen plays of the day, "The Rustle of Silk" does not introduce an episode five or ten years later showing the principals happily married. It ends as real life stories so often end—in happiness achieved through sacrifice, but with promise of happiness to both in the future.

JOE GILLMAN
REGIMENTAL TAILOR
29th U. S. Infantry
Expert Military and Civilian Tailoring

### HOVERING HEAT HINTS.

**By D. Phool, Hawse Doctor**

1. It's hot.
2. Keep cool.
3. Diet.
4. Eat chicken.
5. Eat more chicken.
6. Eat watermelon.
7. Eat more watermelon.
8. Company commanders should furnish their men with umbrellas for shade; electric fans should be installed in every tent.
9. Keep in the shade.
10. Sentries should keep their prisoners under trees.
11. Prisoners should not be allowed to work too hard—if at all.
12. Don't get "all het up" over the Fort Benning Road.
13. Wear few clothes. Post Exchange sells bathing suits.
14. "Keep your shirt on."
15. Keep your eyes off your motometer.
16. It's hot.
17. Keep cool.

### MORE HOT WEATHER HINTS.

By transfering to the detachment in charge of the North Pole the heat will be entirely avoided.

During the hot weather pass by all of your friends without speaking to them. This will get you a cold look.

Try to borrow money from somebody at Fort Benning about the 20th of the month. You will get the cold shoulder.

By carrying a small tree with you at all times it will be possible to always be in a shady spot.

An excellent uniform for cool weather can be made of unbleached cheese cloth.

Do not wear an overcoat during the noon hour.

Punch a Columbus cop in the nose; you'll get knocked cold.

### ARMY OFFICERS INTERESTED IN LOCAL AFFAIRS

John W. Weeks, Secretary of War, was agreeably impressed during his recent transcontinental trip by the popularity enjoytd in their local communities by commanding officers of the army At almost every post they rank as leading citizens. They are in demand for every sort of public function and called upon to make speeches on an endless variety of subjects. They invariably measure up to the task, Mr. Weeks claims, and the army as an institution is the beneficiary.—Christian Science Monitor.

### INFANTRY REGIMENTS, TAKE NOTE!

Following the recently announced plans of the NEWS a short story of some Infantry regiment is appearing each week. During the past week stories were received from three regiments. These stories will appear in the near future and will be published in the order in which received. The News desires here to express its appreciation of the co-operation shown by the various regimental commanders in the furnishing of the requested data.

You Army Folks!
Visit Beautiful Warm Springs
Ideal Week-End Vacations at Your Front Door.
ALWAYS COOL
FAMOUS POOL
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UNEXCELLED CUISINE
WEEK-END RATES
FAMOUS JAZZ "5"
—STYLES MANAGEMENT—
Warm Springs Hotel
WARM SPRINGS, GA.
"Where Skyland and Woodland Meet"

"MRS. AND MR. POLLY TICK"
The Popular Musical Comedy will be presented by the
FORT BENNING MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY
Post Theater
Saturday, July 28, 1923—Members of troupe under supervision of paid director—Girls and Singing.

### Company "A"

Private 1st Class Jessie Cooper, Co. "A" 24th Infantry, is making preparation to go out and face the cold world. Now my friend, do you think you can better your condition? Of course you ought to exactly know what you want to do. If you are not going to stay gone when you go you had better stay and save yourself the trouble of looking up a Recruiting Officer when your mess kit gets empty and your place of lodging gets uncomfortable on account of low funds, and at nights after toiling all day no place where you can rest; then you will realize your mistake. Sitting in the park and patting your foot is not like sleeping in a Government tent. Beware! Winter is coming.

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Private 1st Class Lyons re-enlisted July 6, 1923 for Co. "A" 24th U. S. nfantry.

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Private 1st Class Bell, George is becoming very, very popular in the city since he was made baggage master on the baggage truck. I know he can't help but re-enlist. He will never be baggage master in Sanford, Fla. and I know it.

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Old Sergeant Burley, "Trigger" has made up his mind to cross the broom. It's immensely funny how many things men say they would never do while in other cities. They come to Fort Benning, Ga. go to Columbus and do those very things they said they would never do. Please tell me what makes the change of mind.

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### Company "B"

Seen on one Sunday morning not long ago, a certain young man from Company "B" in a certain restaurant, buying a certain amount of something, which was not very appropriate for a Sunday breakfast. He didn't have time to eat it there—or was there some other reason? Just the same all of you who desires to know what this gentlemen bought ask Pvt. Nickens. He will probably tell you another. Then again he might tell you what he later did with it.

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Oh! Ye darling boys of nineteen and twenty three,
Who are being discharged and the world you are afraid to see,
Three years is a glorious thing—not to have on hand,
For how on earth are you to see the world's fair in Portland?
You know it is some 3000 miles from here and walking is very hard,
So if you wish to reach there on time, start now and you won't be so tired.

Now this applies to some "B" company men, who are day by day,
Talking about Cincy, Chi, Pittsy and Philly, yet in they stay.
When you get your three, and the stew comes regular and fast,
Don't try to take Mamie Smith's place but think of when you were discharged last.
For Brother dear listen hear, you have your chance every 3 years,
And when I think of what we are going to do to oou it nearly brings me to tears.

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### Company "F"

1st Sergt. Gunn has for sale three Pointer pups. Any one wishing to purchase the same will inquire at Company "F" Orderly room.

Private David Brown has declared never to set foot on Old Carries Nation again. Just told his Uncle he would.

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We are no doing very good shooting out of 13 men fired we only have qualified ten Experts and three sharpshooters. It should be thirteen Experts.

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"Peep sight" Cloudy declares he won't take anything under 325. I would hate to offer him two six bits.

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Every one in "F" Co. is wondering when Bugs Taylor is going to pass around the cigars.

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Poor Knight had to go all the way to Memphis never to see his father's face.

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Corporal Hannah Porter is on his knees praying for August come. But old boy, will Moore's shoes fit you?

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### Company "H"

Corporal Mose Winters, more than often called 'Little Brother' has been discharged, and even tho his re-enlistment seems an undecided factor it is desired to express the company's appreciation of his unfaltering and loyal service thus far rendered. A berth will always be available for this service man in the ranks of this organizaton.

This organization has just completed its second consecutive machine gun practice season with a "100 per cent. Qualfication." It is the result of untiring labor and applicaton on the part o fthe enlsted personnel of the officers concerned, and I do feel that it is needless to express our deep and sincere appreciation thru thse columns as they have doubtless seen our thanks expressed thru every means available.

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### Company "K"

Timely, interesting, and practical, was the address of Captain J. H. Rustemeyer, C. O. Co. "K" to the company and its guests on July 4th, while at mess, "You can in most instances, judge a man's real worth by his consideration of others," and we are not throwing bouquets.

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Sergt. Garrett (Tailor-made) is sticking close to ost these days, say Bill, what's the secret, ("Promises are easier made than kept.")

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Bang, Bang, Biff, Biff, Umph, Wow Who was the Lord that had to pass in review. I say who was it? There, there. Ask N. T. L.

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### Company "M"

Sergt. Russell known as (Billy Bob Russell) is now on the Target Range: Well, Billy if you do as good shooting as you do preaching you will sure miss the target.

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A certain Sergt. seems to think that singing the ballard entitled "Stumbing is not enough" so he tried to demonstrate it on one of the oppisite six and, that person hasn't been able to walk since. Of course she bumped him on his nose.

Be Careful Sergt. Signes Green acting is not as easy as seeing it.

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The fourth has past and gone but it will linger in the memory of the Co. Team. For it is believed to be one of the Company's most stimulates but pleasant days on which they scored in the Tract meet as follows 1st places 5, 2nd places 1, 3rd places 1.

We don't mean to swell up or say things that we can't back up but, we are justified in saying that we have a team that we are proud of and, not only the Company Team but, the Company at large for the backing and support it has given its Team.

We know it does not shine as a star but nevertheless we are proud of it and it believed that it will get farther in the footlights as a First Class Team, and it is further believed that it will hold a better record in the future that it has in the past. So come on Company and lets make it one of the best in the Post. Yes one that will be looked at with an envious eye.

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## 24th INFANTRY HOST

### To Georgia State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs.

Representatives of the Georgia State Federation of Women's Clubs visited Fort Benning Saturday afternoon June 30th and participated in a program at the 24th Infantry Service Club. It was the best opportunity of the year to improve cooperative effort between colored leaders and workers of this state and of the South and the 24th Infantry.

The clubs in this federation are interested in education health, labor, crime, prisons, the courts, recreations, hospitals orphans homes, charities, housing conditions, child welfare, etc.

**Program.**

Selection .....24th Inf. Band.
Address .....Col. N. P. Nicklin, Com. Officer 24th Inf.
Response .....Mrs. Geo. S. Williams, Pres. of Federation.
Selection .....24th Inf. Band
Minute Speeches: Mrs. M. I. Heard, P. G. Capel, L. E. White, H. L. Harris, R. S. Taylor, L. E. Wilkins, W. G. Hill, M. L Walker, A O. Whitmire, H. A. Bleach.
Selection .....24th Inf. Band

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## I. S. D. BUYS BUS TRUCK

### No Government Transportation For That Outfit.

One day last week a handsome motor vehicle drove up to the office of the News and parked. Not recognizing this vehicle as a Government affair the office dog went out to take a look. His exclamations attracted the rest of the office force and an investigation proved that the Infantry school detachment had recently purchased a Reo Speed wagon.

This combination bus and truck seats fourteen passengers comfortably and is adaptible for either hauling heavy articles or passengers. The name of the detachment has been painted on in a very attractive manner and the whole thing is a credit to that enterprising organization.

Among other things the I. S. D. baseball team, last year's Post Champions, which makes frequent trips for the purposes of showing baseball teams in the vicinity how the national pasttime should be played, will no longer be handicapped by being unable to get transportation. Also the estimable and efficient mess sergeant of that organization—who is said to have the best mess at Fort Benning—will be no longer handicapped by lack of transportation. He has thrown his wheelbarrow away—or turned it in to Salvage,and now rides in pomp.

The Post A. & R. Officer when interviewed stated that he hoped to borrow the bus some time for various purposes.

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## SINCE WOMEN HAVE BROKEN INTO POLITICS

Say, folks, we know that you have heard politics cussed and discussed for a long time, but did you ever see Old Man Politic on the stage? And did you know that he has a wife and a whole bunch of Little Tickets? And did you know that the old fellow is even more henpecked than Jiggs? No? Well, all we've got to say is that you have a lot to learn about him. Now, keep this under your hat, and don't talk about it unless you're by yourself or with somebody—if you want to catch a glimpse of the whole Polly Tickk family, be in the Post Theater on the night of July 28th. We don't know whether they are democrats or republicans, but we have heard it rumored that Mrs. Tickk has gotten the upper hand and is planning to start a Woman's Party with the avowed intention of taking the trousers away from the men and making them wear dresses while their wives strut around with the captured breeches! On their arm? Of course not! They're going to wear them. Can you imagine Mrs. So-and-So coming prancing down the street with her hubby's Sundayy trousers on? Well, that's just what we understand the women are planning to do. They are to start their campaign pronto. We undrestand they are to have a very distinguished speaker from Oklahoma who will address a political meeting that night and explain why the men should not wear the breeches.

But if Madam Rumor does not play us false, they will meet with some very stiff opposition on the part of the men. We also understand they have banded themselves together and are planning some very desperate steps in order to protect their inalienable right to wear pants. Just what their plan sare and how successful they will be, remains to be seen. It promises to be a very exciting meeting and as the women are very anxious to present their arguments to as large a crowd as possible, they have required us to urge everybody to attend. If you are not there you will regret it. Remember the date.

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## SERVICE AND SACRIFICE. THE CHURCH AND THE ARMY

There recently occurred a tragic incident at one of the bathing beaches of a Southern Army Post that forcibly presents a true illustration of the attitude of the Service man toard the lives of civilians, when sudden danger and sure death seems to stare them in the face.

Do not hesitate to sacrifice themselves to save a civilian, whether they are on duty or off duty? The answer is decidedly no!

It makes no difference whether it be a member of the Army or the Navy, or any other branch of the Public Service; and little difference whether engaged in what may be termed a strictly military or naval duty, under orders, or on their own.

In this case it happened to be a sailor, who was off duty, and at the beach, a beach by the way which is usually safe enough, and usually a boat near at hand.

Some children and women were splashing about full of glee and good spirits, when one little girl slipped too far out. Before the others could get to her in her struggle, she was caught by an under-tow.

The sailor who saw her made a run, plunged into the surf, and being one of the strongest swimmers on the coast, all expected a rather ordinary rescue to occur.

But the tide was turned just enough to make the added weight of the innocent child on his shoulders too much for his strength. Before a boat could reach him, before a line could be thrown far enough out, both sailor and girl were swept away.

Sad was the realization, when the spectators realized that the tragedy was done.

It is not this pathetic incident in itself that causes me to write this article. Bu tit may serve as a focus on which to concentrate the attention of Good Church people to the fact that both in his professional and private life the Army and Navy man takes for granted those supreme sacrifices which the layman calls heroism.

Had this man been on guard duty as a life-saver, the result would have been the same. Under either circumstance, his personal love for the child of another, (in fact a strange child in this case who was visiting at the Post from the city nearby) and his duty as a public servant in uniform, would have been identical in action.

It is this true spirit of national as well as personal service makes a nation. We find the same spirit in young men who are in the Training Camps this year.

In fact, an Areoplane accident occurred within the same week, or not long after, the incident cited above. Army men and college boys went to the rescue with one purpose. The result was that what would have been a triple tragedy was reduced to a small margin. Yet that margin was another sacrifice of one service man.

It is true that the church sends Missionaries all over the world to work and serve; and modern civilization requires the best efforts of all men to prosper.

The dangers of the trades cannot be minimized, when compared with Military Service; and the dangerous occupations attest the readiness of men for sacrifice.

But the thought we wish to leave with the church member is this: "Greater love hath no man than this, that he shall lay down his life for his friend." St. John.

Human nature is prone to weakness, and life is sweet to soldier or civilian; but it has been proven beyond all doubt that the well trained Army or Navy man, whether he listens to the Gospel or not, is living the command of the Master.

This is psychology and truth, and furnishes the national reason for training of all branches of the Army and Navy; that training men sacrifice the minimum, to attain the national aim, while untrained service men lose at least one half more men to the same end. The well-trained Missionary is an asset to any church.

We will never have our own national ideals either of the church or the state spread over the world without an American Military and Naval police, or marines, to defend right and justice, in every corner of the earth where we wish to travel.

We can only become citizens of the world, when these units are all over the world, ready and willing to serve or sacrifice for the national welfare.

## CHAPEL NOTES.

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forts to cooporate with the chaplains are appreciated.

Chaplain F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) reports to Camp McClellan on July 14th, for two weeks training. During his absence the Jewish services will be conducted by a Lay Reader.

## A QUALIFICATION HARD TO BEAT

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## NEW POLO FIELD TO BE DEDICATED

**Game Next Sunday: Composite Teams**

The New polo field which has just been completed will be formally opened up next Sunday by a game between two composite teams of the Post. Just who will constitute the personnel of the two teams has not been announced but it appears probable that all the polo players now on the Post will have an opportunity to play in at least one chukker.

The new field is very desirably located and the nature of the area is such as to permit of quick drainage after a rain. As is the case all new field this field is at present a little soft but no worse than the sandy condition which ordinarily existed at the old polo field near the 24th Infantry area in dry weather. The handicap cause by dust at the old field will not be so noticeable on the new field.

The side boards are now in place and the tea house, band stand, and bell booth has been moved. Nothing remains but a good, fast game of polo to make it a real polo field and this will be played Sunday. As usual the public is invited to the game. The game will probably start about 3:00 P. M.

## TANKS BEAT ARTILLERY

**(From Columbus Ledger)**

The master pitching and hitting ability of Lindsey, moundsman for the Tanks corps, enabled that aggregation to swamp the Eighty-third field artillery diamond aggregation in the American league at Fort Benning Sunday afternoon by the score of 14 to 1.

Lindsey slammed out a homer and two singles out of four trips to the platter, besides striking out twelve of the artillerymen during the course of the struggle. Two fast double plays by the Tank infield also spelled much trouble for the cassion crew. Fielding, with two out of four, was the willow star for th edefeated team.

The box score follows:

| TANKS | AB | H | R | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hedgecock, rf. | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dennis, 2b. | 4 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Swantic, 1b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 0 |
| Smith, c. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Sharp, cf. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Grantham, lf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Baltzell, ss. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Manior, 3b. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Lindsay, p. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Huddelson, cf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowe, c. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Norman, p. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 39 | 16 | 14 | 27 | 11 | 1 |

| 83RD— | AB | H | R | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bruno, 3b. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Joseph, lf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Fielding, cf. | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Everett, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Piaza, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Morey, rf. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Chirwick, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Stone, 1b. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 0 |
| Glascott, p. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Lineberry, p. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 5 | 1 | 27 | 9 | 7 |

Summary — Home runs, Lindsay, Bowe; Three-base hits, Smith, Manior, Dennis; Stolen bases, Hedgecock 2, Dennis 2, Swantic 1, Smith 1, Sharp 2, Manior 1, Grantham 2; Struck out by Lindsay, 12, by Norman, 4, by Glascott 2; Base on balls, off Lindsay 1, off Glascott 1.

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## STRIBLING POINTING TOWARD DEMPSEY

**"Pa" Stribling Sees Vision of Son in Ring with the Heavyweight Champion Two Years From Now.**

"Pa" Stribling's Mind is wandering way ahead of time—two years hence, the year of 1925,—when his boxing son, William Lawrence, of 18 years, and at present with only two years experience in the game and defending the southern middle-weight belt, climbs o'er the decorated ropes amid the cheers of a great throng of fans stretching so far the back row appears to be a line of dots, as a challenger for the world's heavyweight title against Jack Dempsey—if he holds the title that long.

Says "Pa" in regard to his son meeting the heavyweight champ in two years:

"Just two years from now—then he will be ready. Trained to the minute, with youth and stamina on his side, and every person in the South and thousands in the East and West lending him encouragement, the kid will enter the ring with Dempsey or whoever may be champion, prepared to wrest away the title and bring the first world's heavyweight title honors to Dixie.

Shribling, yet a youth but a man sized boxer, is taking on flesh and growing, changing from one class to anther each year, and by 1925 he will be weighty enough to meet the champion.

**Started Career Two Years Ago.**

Stribling started his career as a professional in Atlanta, Ga., two years ago, fighting in the bantamweight class. He advanced to the featherweight division later, on July 4th of that year, tipping the scales at 128 pounds. July 4th, 1922, Strib fought in Macon for welterweight championship of the South, defeating Jake Abel. He weighed 146 pounds. He has gained about 45 pounds of meat in the last two years. At that rate of speed Stribling will no doubt weigh about 190 pounds in the next two years.

**Strib Lacks a Punch**

Stribling might have the weight and size, and without a doubt, the brain and science to fight the champion in 1925—but will he have the punch. Its clearly seen that a boxer can't be a champ without a knockout punch. That's something Stribling doesn't carry yet.

He has two solid years to develop a knockout blow. Can he bring about a sleep sock in that length of time? If so, he would be the choice as a challenger for the crown.

He has pounded away every boy from the bantam to the middleweight class in the South. He is now out of the game for a while due to both arms being fractured.

Let us hope that Strib, son of Ga. and Dixie, our idol and the only one below the Macon Dixon line that has any prospects of becoming a world's champ, develops a terrific blow—that's all he needs—and win the crown and bring the honors to the South.—Enquirer-Sun.

In this connection attention is invited to a prediction made along this line in a recent issue of the News. 2000 years ago a high official of the Roman government asked, "Can any good come out of Nazareth?" Young Stribling's nativity does not handicap his ability. With proper care he will go far.

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## WILLARD Vs. FIRPO

**After This Dempsey Vs. (?)**

Having made a bum guess on the outcome of the Dempsey-Gibbons financial fiasco by saying that Dempsey would put Gibbons out in the sixth or seventh round and being now in an agreeable good humor because Gibbons stayed the limit we proceed to make another prognostication.

This time we will not say just what round it will happen in but we believe Mr. Firpo, from the South of here, is going to hand Jess a little trimming. Jess has shown a wonderful comeback. For this he deserves credit and certain rumors current just after the Toledo affair between himself and Dempsey, if true, makes us have a desire to see Willard knock Dempsey for a row of Algerian mustache cups. Besides this we don't particularly like the way Mr. Dempsey fought the war.

However, to go back to Willard and Firpo, the former has never done anything wonderful in the ring except get a decision over Jack Johnson and the gossip shortly after this fight led a great many to believe that there was "something rotten in Denmark." Johnson did not train for this scrap as he should—so the tale went he was getting old, comparatively, and his purse was considerably more than the amount originally agreed upon, all of which latter is rumor too. After this Willard met Dempsey together with his Waterloo. Willard is too big to be active while that young Firpo is a bundle of greased lightening who does not realize his own power. Willard is not fast enough to get out of his way and not strong enough to withstand Firpo's mule-kick punches. Consequently we believe Firpo will win. Then Dempsey will meet Firpo.

At this meeting there will be something doing. It is possible that Dempsey has lost some of his slugging steam but even at that he is still a wonderful fighting machine. He knows a great deal more about the fight game than does Firpo but he can stand no more punishment nor is he any faster. Firpo can probably but the harder of the two. It will then probably develop that Firpo will take Dempsey's punishment in order to mix things with him and if a general pugilistic roughhouse ever occurs friend Dempsey is going to get the licking of his life. Incidentally Firpo realizes that it is to his advantage to mix thngs up wth Dempsey. This fight will be a real, honest-to-goodness scrap.

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## NEW POLO FIELD NAMED

**In Honor of Lt. Col. Pike, M. of H.**

The new polo field near Block 21 which has just been completed has been named in honor of Lieut. Colonel Emory J. Pike, Infantry, who was an enthusiastic polo player and who was killed in action in September 1918 near Pont-a-Mousson, France.

Colonel Pike was at this time Machine Gun officer of the 82nd division. For heroic conduct in action the Medal of Honor, the highest decoration awarded by the United States Government, was posthumously awarded in 1919.

As stated in another column of the News play on the new fields will begin Sunday afternoon, July 15th.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**
Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.
9:00 A. M.—Morning service in charge of the Protestant Clergy of Columbus.
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School, Lieut. Custer in charge.
6:00 P. M. — Evening Song, Mrs. Cooper in charge.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL**
Block 7, Hall avenue.
8:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon.
10:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon. No Sunday School during the summer months.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY**
Sunday
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Services.
5:00 P. M.—Evening Services.

**JEWISH.**
Sunday 5:45 P. M. in the Catholic Chapel.

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Like many other things it's beginning was unpretentious. At its inception it was a part of the once famous Department of Research and

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**Wonders if the shell holes in the parking space at the Post Ex. are relics of the war.**


### A SUMMARY COURT AT FORT BENNING

### CHIEF OF INFANTRY'S OFFICE REORGANIZED

**New Organization Was Effective July 1st.**

The office of the Chief of Infantry has been reorganized, following the plan of organization effective with the War Department General Staff.

The new organization calls for five sections as follows:

1st Section, Personnel; 2nd Section, Military Intelligence; 3rd Section, Military Training; 4th Section, Equipment and Finance; 5th Section, War Plans.

The 1st Section will handle matters pertaining to personnel which will include such items as assignments and orders and classifications, and matters relating to the National Guard, the Organized Reserve and the R. O. T. C. This section will also make recommendation with regard to transfers, detail of officers as students at the Service Schools or other institutions, appointments, retirements, and similar matters.

The 2nd Section will maintain a general information bureau for the Chief of Infantry's office. In addition to this the section will conduct the correspondence schools for officers of the Reserve Corps and have supervision over the publication of the Infantry Journal.

The 3rd Section is responsible for training at the Infantry School and the Tank School and also is charged with the training activities of the Infantry of all components of the Army of the United States.

The 4th Section prepares tables of basic allowances of Infantry equipment and keeps in touch with G-4, General Staff, in connections with matters pertaining to finance, equipment, construction, (animals). It is

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### BRIEF HISTORY SEVENTH INFANTRY

**"Volens et Potens"**

The Seventh United States Infantry was organized under an act of Congress in July, 1790. The First engagement was at Tippecanoe, near the present town of Lafayette, Ind., where the Indians were routed with great slaughter.

The next engagement was fought at Fort Harrison, O., now Terre Haute, Ind., in September, 1812. Here the Indians attacked and set fire to the block houses held by the 7th and commanded by Captain Zachary Taylor, later President of the United States. This engagement was followed by one at Villere's Plantation, La., with the British, in December, 1814. Here the regiment was conspicious for its bravery and highly complimented for its conduct under fire.

The battle of New Orleans, La., was fought in January, 1815, and was the decisive land victory for the Americans in the War of 1812. The British army was composed of veteran regiments which had fought under the Duke of Wellington. It was here that the 7th Infantry was compelled to use bales of cotton for intrenchments, and was the only regular army regiment in action.

In 1815 the regiment was ordered to Georgia and then to Fort Gibson, Ark., where it remained until the Florida War, then being fiercely waged by Chief Oseola of the Seminole Indians. The important battles fought here were at Fort King, Fort Drane, Martin's Point, Point Hammock and Wahoo Sump, all in 1840.

In 1846 difficulties with the republic of Mexico found the 7th Infantry ordered to Corpus Christi, Tex., In March of the same year it was moved

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Program for the Week Ending July 28, 1923—Opening Hours for the**

24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, July 22.**
"Hearts Aflame," 9 reels, Keenan. "Nut Sundae" 2 reels.

**Monday, July 23.**
"You Can't Fool Your Wife," 8 reels, Special Cast. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, July 24.**
"Fools and Riches," 5 reels, Rawlinson. "Dig Up," 2 reels, Pollard.

**Wednesday, July 25.**
"What a Wife Learned," 7 reels, All Star. Torchy and Orange Blossoms, 2 reels.

**Thursday, July 26.**
"Face on the Barroom Floor," 6 reels, Walthal. "Rainbow Island," 1 reel, Harold Lloyd. Fox News, 1 reel

**Friday, July 27.**
"Crinoline and Romance," 6 reels, Dana. Pathe Review, 1 reel. Roach Comedy.

**Saturday, July 28.**
"Fog Bound," 7 reels, Dorothy Dalton. "Fighting Blood No. 11" 2 reels.

### A CORRECTION.

In last week's issue the News reported the celebration by Col. and Mrs. Kent of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. More recent information on this subject reveals the fact that this was the twenty-fourth anniversary and not the twenty-fifth. Apologies are extended herewith.

### IT SOMETIMES HAPPENS TO THE BEST OF US

In his old, worn out flivver Gray Squirrel bounced to C'lumbus town,
Just to get a breath of fresh air and quietly drive aroun'.
All at once a speed cop got him and Gray Squirrel suddenly came alive,
When next day he plead "Not Guilty" but the Judge said. "Twenty Five."

## BRIEF HISTORY SEVENTH INFANTRY

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to the Rio Grande opposite Matanorns, Mexico. Here Fort Brown was established and became the object of terrific bombardment by the Mexicans which was gallantly and successfully defended by the regiment. Immediately after this siege the regiment proceeded to Monterey and participated in the Battle of Monterey, Mex. in September, 1846. Leaving Monterey the regiment arrived in Tempico, Mex., and embarked in February, 1847, for Vera Cruz, where it joined in the siege of the city and Castle of San Juan.

The 7th Infantry then took up the line of march toward the interior and arrived in April, 1847, at Cerro Gordo where the Mexicans were found to be strongly intrenched. The regiment was ordered to storm the heights of Cerro Gordo, which feat was performed with brilliant success. A Sergeant of the 7th Infantry, with his own hands, hauled down the national standard of Mexico from the fort. After this vicinity the regiment continued to Jalata and went into camp. In August, 1847, the regiment captured Contreras and Churabusco. In September of this same year the regiment attacked the works of Chapultopec and on the 14th of the month with colors proudly flying it marched into the City of Mexico where it remained until February, 1848.

Returning to Florida until June, 1850, the regiment was ordered to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., thence to Fort Leavenworth, Kan., returning to Jefferson Barracks, in 1850, which was the rendevous for service in Utah against the Normona. In April, 1860, it took station in New Mexico, arriving at Santa Fe in August of that year.

### Ordered to Mobolize.

In 1861, the war having commenced between the North and South, the 7th Infantry was ordered to concentrate at Fort Fillmore, New Mexico, while at the same time the Confederate were concentrating at Fort Bliss, Tex. A part of the regiment while proceeding to Mesilla was defeated and captured by the Confederates. The remainder of the regiment concentrated at Fort Craig and in February, 1862, gallantly survived the severe battle of Valverde, New Mexico.

In October, 1862, the regiment joined a regular division known as "Sykes Regulars" in the Army of the Potomac and December of that year fought the bloody battle of Fredericksburg. In December, 1862, the battle of Murfreesborough, Tenn.

The regiment participated in the battle of Chancellorsville where a corporal was awarded the Medal of Honor for his gallantry in jerking up and carrying the colors after the color bearer had been shot down. Then the battle of Hoover's Gap, Tenn., was added to the colors. The next battle was fought at Gettysburg in May, 1863 where the regiment lost over 50 per cent.

In September of 1863 the battle of Chicamauga, Ga., was fought, and following that the siege of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Missionary Ridge, Tenn., efforts of the regiment.

In May, 1864, the battles of Ressea, Ga., and New Hope Church, Ga., were fought and during the remainder of the year the engagements at Kenesaw Mountain, Ga., Neal Dora Station, Ga., the operations about Atlanta, Ga., and actions at Utoy Creek, Peach Tree Creek, and Jonesboro, Ga., brought to a close the active war service of the regiment and it was ordered to New York City to assist in quelling the draft riots, where it remained until May, 1865, when ordered to Florida. The following spring the regiment went to Fort Shaw, Mont., where it remained for a number of years operating against the hostile Indians. While in this locality the 7th assisted General Custer. In July, 1877, near Fort Hiscoula, Mont., a large party of hostile Nos Force Indians under Chief Joseph were active in the Lolo Trail.

### Fight Indians.

The 7th was ordered to attack and at Big Hole Basin took the Indians by surprise in a night attack. Hemming in Montana until September, 1878, the regiment took station at Fort Snelling, Minn., and in October, 1889 to Fort Logan, Colo. The regiment participated in the Sioux Campaign, 1890-91. In April, 1893, the war department began the concentration of the army for the war with Spain. On April 20th the regiment left Fort Logan and proceeded to Chicamauga Park, Ga., and then to Tampa, Fla., at which place it arrixed on May 14th.

As a part of the 5th Corps formed of the 3rd Brigade, 2nd Division, commanded by Generals Chaffee and Lawton, the 7th sailed for Cuba and arrived at Santiago, June 20th, landing at Daiquiri. On July 1, 1898, the Battle of El Caney was fought. The 7th led the attack against the deadly Spanish fire and with the assistance of the artillery drove the enemy from the fort. Leaving El Caney on the morning of July 3, the regiment took position on the right of General Wheeler's division on San Juan Heights where the 7th took part in the formal ceremony of the surrender of the Spanish Army.

The war with Spain practically over, the 7th sailed for the U. S. landing at Montauk Point, Long Island, on August 27, 1898. The regiment was then scattered throughout the United States, occupying vacated posts. In 1899 to 1900 various detachments from the regiment saw service in Alaska. In 1901 four companies were sent to Northern Luzon, Phillipine Islands, and later to the Island of Sumar. In 1902 the entire regiment assembled at the depot of recruit instruction at Presidio of San Francisco, Cal., and on October 1, 1903, sailed for the Phillipine Islands on the transport Sherman, arriving at Manila on October 23. While here the regiment was scattered over the Caville Province for field duty against the Ladrones. On November 15, 1905, the regiment sailed from Marivales for the United States on the transport Thomas arriving at San Francisco, December 13.

The regiment took station with the 1st Battalion at Fort Assiniboine, the 2nd Battalion at Fort Missoula and Headquarters and 3rd Battalion at Fort William H. Harrison. In october 1906, the stations of the regiment were changed to Fort Wayne and Fort Brady, Mich. On May 5, 1909, the regiment sailed from San Francisco for the Philippine Islands, arriving at Manila on June 4.

During this tour the regiment was stationed in Manila, Fort McKinley, Rizal and Camp Eldridge, Laguna. The regiment returned to the United States in January, 1912, and took station at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

### Prepare For Mexico.

With the prospects for another Mexican campaign the 7th found itself ordered to Galveston, Tex., in February, 1913, where the regiment embarked for Vera Cruz in April. An active part was taken in patrol and outpost in and around Vera Cruz until November, 1914, when the regiment returned to the United States via Galveston and El Paso, Tex., during the next year, border trouble held the 7th at Douglas, Ariz., and Nogales, Ariz., and back to El Paso in December, 1915.

In June, 1917, soon after the opening of the World War, the 7th was ordered to Gettysburg, Pa., where the regiment had fought years before, but this time they were there for a different purpose, i. e., to recruit and prepare for service in France.

November, 1917, found the 7th in Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C., where with other units it became part of the 3rd United States Division. After a winter which can be remembered only as a nightmare the 7th got fitted out and ready for overseas duty. Embarking at Hoboken, N. J., the 6th of April, 1918, the regiment arrived in Brest, France, on the 15th. Participating in the three major offensives and many defensives of the World War, namely the Ainse Defensive, Chateau Thierry sector, Champagne-Marne defensive, the Aisne-Marne Offensive and the Meuse-Argonne, the 7th upheld the old traditions of the regular army. After serving in the American Army of Occupation in Germany the 7th Infantry, in August, 1919, returned to the United States via Camp Merritt and took station at Camp Pike, Ark.

The reorganization of the army in August, 1921, sent the 7th Infantry to Camp Lewis, where it remained about a year, changing station in September, 1922, to Vancouver Barracks, Washington.

The 7th is now commanded by Colonel T. M. Anderson, who has had 16 years service with the regiment, from subaltern to commander. Leading the regiment in action in France, Colonel Anderson realized the ambition of every soldier—to command his own regiment on the field of battle.

### Distinguished Officers of the Seventh Infantry.

Captain Zachary Taylor, 7th Infantry, President of the United States 1849-1850.

Captain Charles S. Farnsworth, 7th Infantry, present Major General, Chief of Infantry.

Lieutenant Robert Alexander, 7th Infantry, now Brigadier General, 3rd Field Artillery Brigade, was Major General, Commanding 77th division in World War.

## CHIEF OF INFANTRY OFFICE REORGANIZE

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by this section that recommendations covering the adoption of equipment for Infantry are made to higher authority.

The 5th Section has the preparation of mobilization plans together with annexes to certain specific war plans, It prepares and revives Tables of Organization, and makes studies of subjects not proper subjects for handling by the fore-going sections.

## THE BOOK SHOP

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had for its location the upper floor of the School Library. During the first year of existence, the bulk of the Book Shop business consisted in the sale of Army Correspondence Course material, one of its raison's d'etre.

Its mission then as today, however, was the dissemination of Infantry School doctrine to members of the Army of the United States. This task is accomplished by means of the Paid Mailing List, consisting of selected instructional matter, the Free Distribution List, consisting of all instructional matter in mimeographed form and distributed to certain organizations and individuals by direction of the Chief of Infantry, and the Army Correspondence Courses.

The growth of the business in the past two years made reorganization necessary. In 1922 the Book Shop moved to its present palatial home in the rear of the Catholic Chapel. During the same year it was removed from the Department of Research and placed directly under the Assistant Commandant. It is rapidly becoming a Department itself, the Extension Department of the school.

Incidental to carrying out its mission as the School extension department the Book Shop has during the past year specialized in the sale of Student Supplies (anything from a lunch box to a lead pencil) and standard military works by well-known authors. The small stock is carefully selected. Indeed only the elite are entitled to places on its shelves but be it said here and now with consistrable emphasis, the Book Shop will procure for its patrons any book in print—Zane Grey, Sinclair Lewis—or the pyschoanalytic horror of any other writer, one or all the Book Shop will order upon request. The Book Shop exists to serve the Infantry School and the Infantry.

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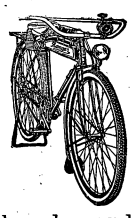

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# Social Notes

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A few days ago six gilt-edged Second Lieutenants breezed into the Artillery Headquarters, and reported for duty. All of them snappy young fellows and the cream of their class at West Point for the Artillery. The acme of their ambition is to show the Doughboy Officers who will attend the future sessions of the Infantry School, during their sojourn at Fort Benning, how the Artillerymen go to war and use their weapons.

It is with open arms that we welcome them to Fort Benning and hope that their stay here will be both a pleasure to themselves and of some benefit.

**VISIT ATLANTA.**

Last Saturday Colonel and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey motored to Atlanta. The trip through the country was without event and the visit in the city was pleasant. A picnic lunch was carried both on the trip from here and returning, a fact which made the journey the more enjoyable.

**83rd ARTILLERY STAGES PARTY**

The 83rd Field Artillery had a get-together and get-acquainted last Tuesday night for the Artillery Officers and friends visting them. The affair was given by the new battery officers and consisted of a Buffet Supper, Dancing and Midnight Swimming. The party was staged in the bachelor officer's quarters after which the party repaired to the Post Swimming Pool.

**MRS. RYCROFT ENTERTAINS.**

Recently Mrs. Rycroft, wife of Lieut. Jack Rycroft, entertained a number of guests at a "Neighborhood Bridge" in her home in Block 40. Among those resent for play were Mrs. Dibrell, Mrs. Brothers, Mrs. Peach, Mrs. Francis Green, Mrs. Hahn, Mrs. Lattin, and Mrs. Fisk. The tea guests consisted of Mrs. C. A. Smith, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Guth, and Mrs. J. B. Smith.

**LT. ADAMS ON LEAVE.**

Lieut. Ranald T. Adams, accompanied by Mrs. Adams, is on leave, Macon, Ga., the home of Mrs. Adams, will be among the places visited during the leave.

**CAPT. AND MRS. KAUL ENTERTAIN.**

On last Wednesday evening Captain and Mrs. G. E. Kraul entertained Lieut. and Mrs. Crump Garvin informally at bridge in Capt. Kraul's quarters in Block 23.

**LT. HOY ON LEAVE.**

Lieut. Thomas A. Hoy, accompanied by Mrs. Hoy and the twins, are away on leave.

**LT. LISTON ASSISTANT ADJUTANT.**

Lieut. Howard J. Liston, 38th Infantry, has been appointed acting assistant Post Adjutant during the absence on leave of Lieut. Lavin. Lieut. Liston was a student at the Infantry School last year and will be remembered as having been a member of the 'varsity football squad.

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

**The Dance Wednesday Night.**

Last Wednesday night's dance was the usual enjoyable affair. On account of the fact that part of the 29th Infantry Orchestra was in Atlanta this phase of the evening's entertainment was not quite up to standard, but those musicians who were present supplied the best possible music under adverse conditions. The new transportation arrangements have not quite settled themselves but efforts are being made to remedy the defects and the present system rounded out so as to be entirely satisfactory to everybody concerned.

**No Dances During August.**

Because of the excessive heat here during August and on the recommendation of the Dance Committee, which has gotten the opinion of the usual attendants at the regular Wednesday evening dances, the weekly dances will be discontinued for the month of August. This means that the last dance for July will be held on the 25th of this month after which the next dance will be given September 5th. Everybody who dances is requested to attend the dance next Wednesday night.

**Visitor At Service Club.**

Staying at the Service Club is a very charming bride of a week. Mr. E. E. Thiele is the fortunate owner of same. The wedding was hastened on account of the fact that the groom was obliged to undergo a serious operation. Both "ordeals" have been successfully consummated.

**Service Club A Cool Place.**

All electric fans installed in the Service Club have been thoroughly overhauled and put in a good state of repairs. As a result the Service Club is now "one breezy spot."

**Coach for "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick" Arrives.**

On last Thursday evening the coach for the comedy, "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick," which will be presented by the personnel of the Post, their wives and sweethearts, met the prospective players and discussed matters pertaining to the play. Miss Virginia Street, who will coach the players, is now at the Service Club.

**Service Club Flower Bed.**

Has anybody noticed the beautiful zinnias in the Service Club flower garden lately? They are worth looking at but are not to be picked without the consent of the hostess, Miss Roe.

**Pool Table Kept Going.**

The pool tables at the Service Club are kept going these days. All tables have been put in first class condition and the nominal charge provides funds for their being kept in good shape. No material decrease in the number of players has been noted on account of the small charge and some close games are going on nightly.

**Miss Street at Club.**

Miss Virginia Street arrived at the Service Club last Wednesday and will be there until after the play "Mrs. and Mr. Polly Tick" has been presented. The indications are that, though the able assistance of Miss Street and the able efforts of the players, this play is going to be a howling success. Reserve Saturday night, July 28th, for this play. It will be given without admission charge after the motion pictures at the Post Theater. If you have not laughed in a long time you will this time. The company putting on the play expects to put on a number more from time to time.

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## NEWS OF INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM

The tryouts for the Infantry Rifle Team squad started at 8:00 A. M., Wednesday, July 11th. The tryouts will consist of firing the National Match course over seven times at the rate of forty shots per day. The first day's firing consisted of 10 shots 200 yards, offhand, 10 shots rapid fire at 200 yards, 10 shots rapid fire at 300 yards and 10 shots at 600 yards. The scores turned in were excellent and the entire squad with few exceptions are closely bunched. As an indication of the standing of the first fifty, 10 points separate the first ten and eight points the 10th and 50th man. There are 98 men actually firing. The firing for the week was completed Friday noon when the course had been fired over twice.

The weather conditions have been excellent although it is getting warmer every day.

Last Saturday a number of the enlisted men of the squad fired the regular qualification course, there were nineteen men firing and the high man, Sergt. Stanley Smith made a score of 338 and the average of the entire squad was 329. This gives an indication of the calibre of the men attending the tryouts this year. This score was made in spite of the fact the weather conditions were not ideal.

The team made a visit to the Niagara Wall Paper Company's plant last Saturday and were shown the very interesting process of paper manufacturing. This Saturday the team will visit the famous Shredded Wheat Plant and the following Saturday will take in the Carborundum Company. These trips are proving of great interest and add a great deal to the entertainment of the team.

A very interesting discovery was made during the past week when upon obtaining data of former National Guardsmen, it was found that there were thirty seven on the squad representing twenty eight different states. Of this number thirty four were officers and three enlisted men. This speaks very well for the training of the National Guard.

On Monday afternoon, General Gourand of the French Army paid the post a visit and met the members of the team. After the reception he made a very interesting talk to the team stressing the great impartance of the rifle in battle. In the evening a party consisting of Major Ramee Major Bowen, Captain Kneuble, Captain Pearson and Lieut. Hinds attended the dinner given General Gourand by the Army and Navy Club of Buffalo. After the dinner the party was taken through the splendid 17th Infantry Armory in Buffalo.

A snapshooters Team has been organized and the trophy this year instead of the fur lined cuspidor has been made a rubber barrelled rifle with a hair trigger. The team Captain, Major P. E. Bowen was elected and with only two day's firing there are a number of strong contestants for the prize. Daily Bulletins are published showing the standing of various competitors and also acting as a means of telling the team of local events, both serious and otherwise.

Weather permitting, the tryouts start again on Monday and will last according to the present indications until the 24th. Daily bulletins are being sent all organizations in the service and this paper will endeavor to keep their readers posted on the results as soon as obtained.

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## GOOD RECORD OF ENGINEERS.

### Qualify 98.61 Pe rCent. of Company.

Company "A" 7th Engineers finished record practice 1922 with a percentage of 96.4 per cent qualified and a fixed determination on the part of every member of the command to do even better the next year. Due to the nature of the work required of this organization it was found necessary to fire in three groups. This system proved helpful in allowing a greater amount of personal instruction on the part of the company officers and noncommissioned officers.

On the 26th of February, 1923, the 1st group began preliminary practice. Record firing was completed on the 15th of March. This group qualified every man with 10 experts, 7 sharpshooters and 2 marksmen.

A week later the second group began its preliminary practice and on the 23rd of April it emulated the example of the first group by qualifying 100 per cent. This group qualified 4 experts, 11 sharpshooters and 14 marksmen. A fishtail wind made the first day's firing very difficult.

Due to the maneuvers the firing of the 3rd group was postponed till the 18th of June. Preliminary and record practice was completed on July 7th, 1923, with a qualification of 96.96 per cent. This group furnished 5 experts, 6 sharpshooters and 12 marksmen.

As a summary the company qualified 98.61 per cent with 19 experts, 24 sharpshooters and 28 marksmen. Out of 72 men that fired only one did not qualify. The average score per man was 280. The excellent and thorough going instruction provided in 1922 proved of great assistance throughout the season.

## ANOTHER PLACE TO SPEND THE WEEK-END

About 35 miles from here is a small town called Warm Srings. At Warm Springs is a hotel and swimming pool. The hotel caters to Army folk and offers the advantages of the average Summer Resort.

During these hot days a visit to the Warm Springs Hotel is worth while. The country is high—the hotel is on a small mountain, in fact—and therefore cooler than the lower altitudes.

In order to reach Warm Springs go out Hamilton Avenue from Columbus and follow the Hamilton Road. It is understood that the road from Durand, Ga., is good now, although inquiry on the way may develop a better route.

## GOOD DRESSMAKER LOCATED

Within the last week several ladies of the Post have been very much pleased with the quality of sewing being done by Mrs. H. G. Roberts of Columbus.

Of course the News feels that there may be other dressmakers in Columbus as capable as Mrs. Roberts but she is the one we have had recommended and the message is passed on to News readers.

Mrs. Roberts lives at 1427, 19th St. and her telephone number is 1158-L 3.

## EXPERIMENTAL RANGE.

To avoid accident occuring on the area now known as the Experimental Range and at the same time to permit members of the command to visit the range for operation purposes, the experimental department are constructing a barbed wire fence around that area in which most of the experimental firing is done.

The only entrance to this area will be over the dam at the head of the reservoir. A gate will be placed over this dam and people will be permitted to enter this area only when this gate is open.

It is contemplated to keep this gate closed only during such time as actual firing is taking place.

## PREPARATIONS FOR FLIGHT AROUND WORLD

### U. S. Army Fliers to Make Attempt

First Lieutenants Clifford Nutt and Clarence E. Crumrine, of the Army Air Service, have been selected to proceed on a "Path-finding Trip" for the purpose of gathering data in conection with a proposed flight around the world. Both of these officers are experienced cross-country pilots and both were members of the flying expedition from New York to Nome, Alaska, and return, in the year 1920, headed by Captain St. Clair Street

The itinerary of Lieut. Crumrine, who is now stationed at the Air Service Engineering Division at McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, is as follows:

From the United States to the British Isles, thence to Greenland, thence to the British Isles, thence to Ireland, thence to the British Isles, thence to the Faroe Islands and return to the British Isles, thence to France, Italy and return, through France and the British Isles to Canada, thence to the United States.

Lieut. Nutt, who is now serving a tour of duty in the Philippine Islands will proceed from there to Japan, thence to the Kurile Islands, to the Aloutian Islands, to Alaska, returning over the same route.

These two officers will gather data for a report on landing facilities, weather conditions, and other pertinent data in the various countries visited. It is believed that the path-finding trip will not be completed until the end of the summer, after which consideration will be given to definite plans for the proposed flight around the world.

## INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM NOTES

### All Aspirants Working Hard

The Infantry Rifle Team has entered on the fourth week of training with a complete personnel and with a determination to surpass the excellent records turned in for the first three weeks. On July 3rd there will be a regimental team match for the purpose of putting a spirit of competition into the work and also as a kind of a field day prior to the Fourth. There are thirty-one teams entered of three men each, this includes one unofficial team composed of the team coaches, Captain Kneuble and Captain Tupper with Sergeant Stanley Smith making the third member. It would be a very difficult matter to determine the winner as the teams are very evenly matched. Results of the match will be published in the coming week's issue of the paper.

On Saturday the team were the guests of the Niagara Power Company and were shown through the big hydraulic power plant located at Niagara Falls. The trip was enjoyed by about forty members of the squad and it is planned on making a trip of this nature every Saturday morning.

The actual tryouts for the team start on July 11th and will last until the 24th, weather permitting. Every indication points to a very close competition and as the training period is drawing to a close all are anxious for the tryouts to start. Team Headquarters will furnish all organizations that are represented with a daily bulletin showing the standing of the various candidates and in this way, interest will be kept up throughout the service. As soon as the tryouts are over, the team squad as selected by the result of the tryout will be published in these columns for the information of our readers.

## LODGE NOTICES

**Darley Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons**
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## Hints on Etiquette
**By Ima Lyer**

**WEDDINGS—(Continued from last week.)**

"The girl or woman who is about to be married can always get helpful advice from her friends who have been married." Quite right. While from a moral standpoint it is desirable to adhere closely to the line of veracity at the same time when giving advice about weddings and marriage it is the custom—based on ancient tradition, no doubt—to paint things in rosy tints. In this instance it is better taste not to be too moral. If the donor of matrimonial advice it is good form to cover up all the shortcomings of the donors' matrimonial venture just as a second-hand automobile dealer calls attention to the good paint when the derned motor will not run. Even though the donor of this advice be a divorced lady or gentleman a ready reason, such as incompatibility, finances, brutality, or similar trifling things, should be ready for the bridge-to-be when she comes around begging for advice—as they all do.

The following wedding anniversaries should be fittingly observed:

**First Anniversary, the paper wedding.** If the bride of a year smokes a dainty gift would be a package of cigarette papers. One's photograph on such papers is always appreciated. Enough wall paper to cover the boudior is appropriate especially if this paper contain a frieze showing kewpies, Dutch kiddies, storks and other birds. Paper drinking cups, paper dishes, paper carving knives and paper dolls are all appropriate. Something recently adopted by the socially elect is to chew up a large supply of spit balls made out of blotting paper to throw at the bride's other half.

**Fifth Anniversary, the wooden wedding.** No such anniversary is complete without a rolling pin. There is probably no implement so readily adapted to household use. It may be used for any purpose from rolling out noodles to "mopping up" the house of male inhabitants. Brooms may also be used for this purpose and are appropriate gifts for the fifth anniversary. Among other suitable presents are wooden shoes, wooden stockings, wooden dresses, and similar articles made of wood.

**Tenth Anniversary, the tin wedding.** There is a greater variety of articles to choose from for this anniversary. By this time all the bride's Havelin china has been broken, either legitimately or in combat, and she will appreciate tin plates, tin forks, tin screw drivers, younsters shoes half-soled with tin, tinned goods in cans, tin lizzies, and in fact everything made of tin that goes to make up kitchen and household equipment. If you know her quite well, or even casually, you will make no mistake in presenting her with a goodly check representing "tin."

**Twelfth Anniversary, the leather wedding.** By this time things have quited down somewhat and any present made out of leather is proper. Saddles, bridles, boots, leather aprons, chair seats, leather tooth picks, and similar articles are always acceptible.

**Fifteenth Anniversary, the Crystal wedding.** Again we must conform to the spirit of the occasion by the presentation of appropriate gifts. Crystalized fruit, snow crystals, glass crystals, iodine and other medical crystals, and in fact anything which may be considered crystal is appropriate.

**Twentieth Anniversary, the china wedding.** Twenty years is considered a long time for two people to live together and for this reason the gifts of china for this anniversary should be of such type as to denote stabilitty. The fragile and dainty china with which young married couple start, in their inexperience, their married career is replaced at the twentieth anniversary with heavy, non-breakable articles similar to those seen in Greek restaurants and similar places. Such gifts serve more than one purpose and are considered good form.

**Twenty-fifth Anniversary, the silver wedding.** Everything pertaining to this anniversary conforms to the general color scheme of silver. Even the invitations should be printed in siver and the decorations in the home should be silver. Some families go so far as to have the automobile painted silver and the couple who are financially influential enough to give their home a coat of silver paint for the occasion are well within the customs of good taste. Such gifts as silver dollars, silver rings, Community Silver, table jewelry, and the like are appropriate. The bride should always be complimented on the silver condition of her hair as this has a tendency to make her feel at ease.

**Thirtieth Anniversary, the ivory wedding.** As gifts for this anniversary each guest should present the bride and groom with a cake of Ivory Soap. Such an anniversary is considered to be a home-like affair and the gift carries out the idea. In contrast to the remark made to the bride at the Silver Wedding at the Ivory Wedding it is the groom to whom an appropriate remark should be made apropos of the remarkable resemblance to ivory of his dome. Such remarks are especially appropriate at this anniversary if the groom is posessed of a halo of hair surmounted by a white, gleaming expanse of bare cuticle.

**The Fortieth Anniversary, the woolen wedding.** Just why the wedding gifts should be of less value at this anniversary than at the twenty-fifth or thirtieth anniversary tradition does not explain. However, the condition exists and must be made the most of by persons contemplating celebrating their woolen wedding. The woolen idea should predominate at such anniversaries. Guests should wear woolen clothing throughout down to and to include the shoes and socks—or stockings. The bride is ordinarily complimented by gifts of woolen blankets while the gifts for the groom are never complte without a suit of red woolen underwear. Such a personal gift is not considered bad form at this stage of the matrimonial game.

**Forty-fifth Anniversary, the silk wedding.** As good silk never splits the presentation of silk gifts emphasizes the fact that the bride and groom of the silk wedding have lived together for forty-five years without a split. Such articles a silk pin-cushion for the bride and a silk hat for the groom are appropriate. Silk vests and silk ties of vivacious tint are the proper things for the groom, also. The bride will appreciate sheer silk hose, silk dancing slippers, silk evening dresses and the like.

**Fiftieth Anniversary, the golden wedding.** There is something romantic and sentimental in the celebration of the Golden Wedding. For two people whose faces are now turned to the West of Life and who have been of mutual support to each other for a span of fifty years, a period of time longer than the average life of Man, the Golden Wedding is the crowning event of two lives so closely interwoven during this long period of sorrows, joys and hopes, as to become but one life and for two people to become truly the "One" pronounced them to be by the clergymen a half century before.

The recompense of the celebration of the Golden Wedding lies in the mutual enjoyment of the greatest gift life has had to offer and for such reason the gifts to the bride and groom are symbolic, being of solid gold.

Whether or not the two who have achieved the crowning event of their lives by the celebration of their Golden Wedding have attained wealth and power, fame and fortune, they have attained the most sought-after and evasive thing, happiness, and, realizing that but a short extension of time remains to them over the allowance of "three score years and ten," the sentiment in the minds of both is—

In the Sunset of Life ,when our faces
turn West,
If we leave Earth together we will be
thrice blessed,
And I'll stand in The Presence and
make known my plea,
In behalf of the Person that Thou gavest me.

## PEOPLE WE ADMIRE

The bird who stops in front of your house and honks for you to come out.

The guy who chews hard candy at a bridge party.

The gink who punctuates his conversation by pawing you.

The gazabo who knows his talk is boring you but who gets a firm hold of your coat or Sam Browne belt and swings on.

The road hog who passes you at fifty per and then stays just in front of you.

The individual who believes his business to be more important than your own and butts in while you are engaged in the transaction of a piece of business with a third party.

The lounge lizard who breaks in at a dance just after you have broken in with the girl you have been trying to get a dance with all evening.

The fellow who tells you, gratis, how to run your business.

The middle-aged woman who tries to dress and act like a flapper.

The fat woman who indulges in baby talk.

The individuals who bootlick their superiors and patronize their inferiors

The witty devil who tries to be funny at a picture show.

The wise guy who points out to you the weak points of your private mount.

The male automobile guest who sits in the car and asks you how you are getting along while you are changing a tire on a hot day.

The man who ranks you out of your quarters just after you have then fixed up like you want them. Also the man who ranks you out of your mount. In fact, any kind of "ranker-out."

The fellow who tells you what a pull he has "higher up."

The man who crooks your mallet in a polo game.

The bird who takes credit when things break right and passes the buck in a crisis.

The fellow who knocks the other officers in his regiment especially his battalion commander and the regimental adjutant.

The female newcomer into the service who knows everything about the customs thereof and puts them into effect.

The fellow who puts down four aces when you have two kings and a pair of jacks.

The oldtimer who always dwells on the glories of the "Old Army."

The bridge partner who trumps your trick. Also the one who tells you how your hand should have been played. Also the one who hands you a growl if you don't play your hand to suit her.

Garage owners when they present a repair bill.

The man who knocks the make of car you own.

The smoker who borrows your matches and puts them in his pocket.

The fellow who hands you a panning for something for which you are not responsible and thinks your explanation an alibi.

The fellow who has caught you pulling a boner and tells you about it with the explanation as to how it could have been avoided.

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**Slogan of Infantry School News: To cost the reader nothing and to be worth all it costs.**

JULY 20, 1923.

## THE MOTION PICTURE SERVICE

A large number of the theater patrons at this Post were disappointed last Friday evening when they arrived at the various theaters and found that the picture "The Rustle of Silk," was exhibited instead of "The Ne'er Do Well," featuring Thomas Meighan.

The unannounced change of program came about in this manner. "The Ne'er Do Well" failed to arrive on Friday afternoon but "The Rustle of Silk," which was scheduled for Saturday night did arrive and consequently, in order to have a show, the latter picture was exhibited with the hope that the Friday night's picture could be exhibited Saturday night. Unfortunately the picture did not arrive and another disappointment took place Saturday night when the theatres were closed.

Such occurances will sometime happen to the best organized system. In this case it is probably that the film, "The Ne'er Do Well," was ordered shipped to Columbus on a certain date. The distributor failed to comply with his shipping instructions in this instance with the foregoing results.

The theaters at this station are considered of primary importance for a number of reasons. One of the most important reason is that they are the means of furnishing recreation to all members of the command at a nominal price. Another reason is that this station participates, in a small way, in the profits of the theaters thereby procuring funds which may be used for general recreational purposes. Such funds are necessary since the discontinuance of appropriations for this purpose.

So much importance is placed on the showing of good pictures every night that an effort was made by the officer in charge of the three theaters to get an airplane last Saturday afternon for the purpose of going to Atlanta and getting a suitable film to fill in during the emergency. Unfortunately a plane was not available and the picture could not be secured. This fact is cited to show the members of the garrison that their interests in this connection are kept in mind.

## ANOTHER COUNTRY HEARD FROM

The following letter is printed more or less for the benefit of our advertisers than anybody else but other readers of the News are not barred from reading it:

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Editor Fort Benning News,
Fort Benning, Ga.
Sir:

Unless you have some orders prohibiting the "broadcasting" of your very interesting little paper, I would appreciate receiving the "News" during my stay in the islands. I will mail check covering subscription upon receipt of bill. Please print the attached ad twice and mail me bill for same. Thank you.

In view of the fact that the writer of the above letter did not give us permission to use his name we have left it off. Just the same, it is a bona fide letter and we can prove it. Appropriate remarks by these of our admirers relative to our value as a news and advertising medium, which remarks we, being possessed of an innate modesty which we can not overcome, cannot make, are in order. Advertisers will please note that the above advertiser uses the word "broadcast" which proves that our circulation is abroad.

A great deal could be written about how this advertiser entrusted his advertising message to the News instead of the Saturday Evening Post or some other good paper but we believe our friends should say this for us.

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Last week we had to put new king bolt bushings in our old bus. We read proof at our printer's place of business every Wednesday afternoon and on Thursdays. Wonder what part we will have to replace in the old hack this week!

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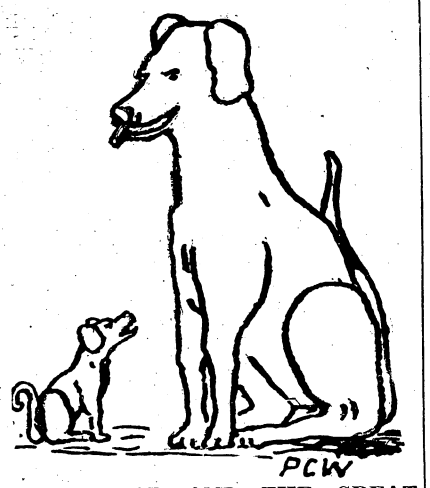
Now that the kids have begun making Gray Squirrel rimes it might be a good thing to put on a contest, with permission for the News to use the best ones.




## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE

The Great Dane was weeping. He had a grievance and wanted to tell it to a friend. "Calculator," he quivered, "I am a law abiding Dane, I try to obey all laws of man and the Commanding Officer, but I seem to get the worst of it." Calculator, the Wise One picked up a hospital bath towel, (hospital bath towels are found almost anywhere on the post, and off of it too, so you must believe this. Ed.) and wiped the tears and grime from the his friend's face. "Now tell me all about it, and make it snappy," he said. The Danish dog gulped and finally said, "Tell me, Old Dot and Carry One, i fthe post speed regulation is fifteen miles per hour and I am riding over the Velvet Kind of roads this post has and Major Sweatshop's second cousin passes me at twenty-five miles, splashes me and my boy's flivver with mud, and laughs at me for driving slow, and (GRRRRRR) then I look at her, (SNIF and GULP) is it discourteous? (OWOOOOOO) You see it is and I did and she did and I did and she said, "The Ugly Brute" and I was only trying to observe Post Regulations and keep out of the mud. (ORUUUUUU) "Wuff," said Calculator the Sympathetic Cuss, "Don't feel so bad. She isn't so beautiful herself. And anyway there is no real reason why you should turn out to let her go by, for if you do you are aiding and abetting and compounding a felony and everything like that, and besides, if you let her by she may be picked up for speeding." And they made another unsuccessful and useless trip to visit the fat butcher who was never known to give any poor dog a bone.

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## NEWS ADVERTISERS, TAKE NOTICE!

**In the issue of the News of Friday, August 31st, the News will celebrate its first birthday. All advertisers under contract on that date will be allowed for that issue, only, double the space called for by the contract with no increase in price. The News for this issue will be twenty four pages, or more if necessary. Due to the additional work of getting out an edition of this size the co-operation of the advertiser is requested and with this end in view advertising patrons are urged to have their copy for the increased advertising ready for the News advertising manager not later than Tuesday morning, Aug. 28.**

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Have you been over the Columbus-Fort Benning road lately. If not, don't.

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By the way, that Cusseta-Columbus paved road is making haste slowly.

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**Patronize the Advertisers in The News.**

## ANOTHER CORRECTION.

### If We Do Pull Bones We Correct Them

In a recent issue of the News the statement was made that quarters at The Infantry Schol would be assigned to student officers according to rank and that about thirty field officers would be able to get quarters on the Post.

The statement was also made that the lowest ranking major to be assigned quarters had the promotion number of 809.

Within a few days here came a letter from an interested officer in Washington, D. C., who wanted to know, in substance, how in the deuce anybody could tell anything about the matter when the promotion list was changing daily. The News reckoned that it had been caught with the goods so the source of the original information was sought with the plea to please set things right. This informant advised that any bonehead ought to know that the number he meant was the RELATIVE number and not the PROMOTION number and we told him we thought he meant what he said and that he could be depended on for the straight "dope," etc., etc., and then he told us to get out, with appropriate remarks, and we did and that's all to that.

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FOR SALE—Florence oil stove, two burner with oven; one electric heater; two oil heaters. All in good condition. Phone Capt. F. P. Chamberlain, 379 Post. Quarters 232533.

FOR SALE—One portable Victrola in first class condition. See Sgt. T. Morrow, Co. "A," 29th Infantry. Phone 14, 29th Infantry.

FOR SALE—Nash, 6 cylinder, 5 passenger; run 17,000 miles; Gabriel snubbers; Front and rear bumpers; Automatic windshield wiper; Green sun and storm shield; six tires, all good, four practically new; two extra rims; steering wheel lock; tool box; spot light; six extra spark plugs, new; numerous other accessories; Ice box, bed, etc., for camping. Engine and entire car in excellent condition. Price $750.00 or $650.00 without extra equipment.

Captain A. A. Roby,
Executive officer, Station Hospital,
Office phone 144, Quarters 373.

FOR SALE—One pool table in good condition. See Commanding Officer, Co. "G" 29th Infantry.

"LOST between commissary 24th Infantry and Block 18 last Thursday night one ladies grey silk elbow glove for right hand. If found please return to Post A. & R. Officer, Post Gymnasium.

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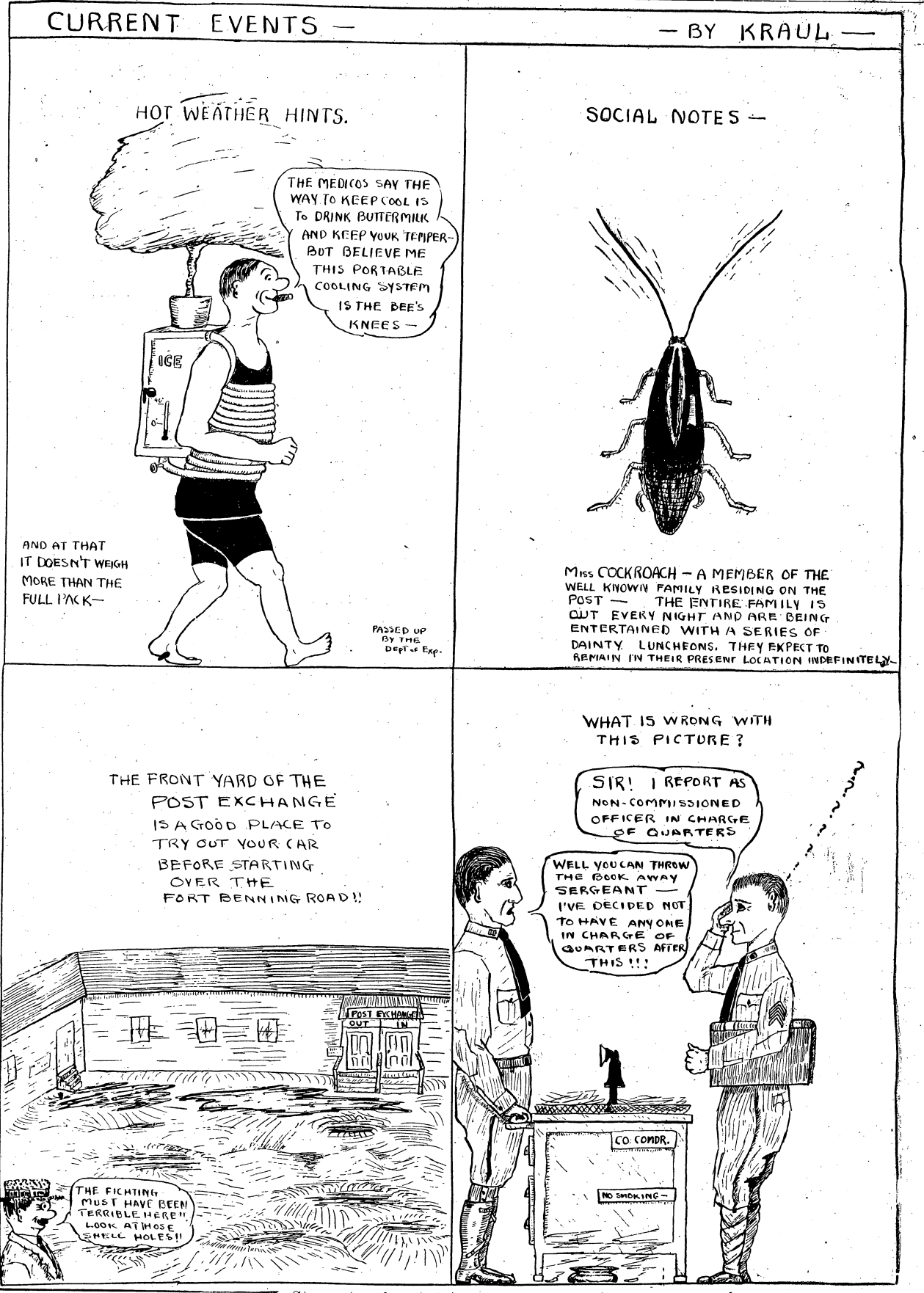



## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### Oh!

Little Johnnie walked up to a rather sourfaced man who was his near neighbor and said:

"Say, Mr. Blank, I did not know you were a musician."

"I'm not. I don't know anything about music."

"Well, the neighbors say you play second fiddle to your wife."

### Dry and Wet.

Teacher — Johnnie, where is the Sahara Desert?

Johnnie—It's in Mobile Bay.

### He Knew Johnny.

Teacher—"Now, Willie, if Johnny Stone (a classmate) should tell you that he killed three rabbits yesterday and five the day before, how many rabbits would he have killed in both days?"

Willie—"Oh, about one or two."

Teacher—"One or two? Why Willie three and five make eight."

Willie—"Yes'm, but I know Johnny's habits."

### A Handicap Both Ways.

Two Irishmen were philosophizing. Said Pat to Mike, "Did yes iver shtop to think that wan-half the world don't know how the ither half gits along?"

"You're right," said Mike; "and neither does the other half."

### Then the Fun Began.

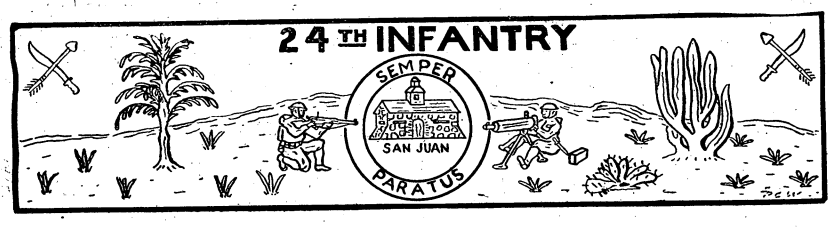
A dignified statesman some time ago, while traveling in the north of England, sat down hurriedly next to a little girl in shawl and clogs. Happening to glance at her a moment or two afterward, he saw that she was regarding him with no great favor. It dawned upon him that he was sitting on her newspaper. "Here, my dear, he said, pulling the paper from under him and handing it to her. "I'm sorry."

The little girl did not look quite satisfied, but she said nothing until a few minutes later, the train drew up at a station. "Please sir, she then inquired weakly, "May I have my Limburger cheese. It was in the paper."

### Saying and Doing.

Mother-in-law — "My dear Maud, any woman would be satisfied with the money John says he gives you."

Young wife—"Hm! so would I."




**Service Company.**

Out of the group of 62 men of the 24th Infantry firing the Rifle Marksmanship course Tuesday, July 17, 1923, 9 of them belonged to the Service Co., all qualifying as Marksman or better. Pvt. Oliver, Service Co., lead the group for points scoring 303. The Service Co. is doing all that there is in it to make every man a qualified shot. A detailed report of the target season will be made as soon as the season is over and the correct data obtained.

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Flash-Light Boyd, the cream of the 24th Infantry when it comes to pugilism, showed remarkable ability as a fighter when he went the limit in a 15 round bout with Young George Dixon of Savannah, Ga., on the 16th of July, 1923, after having his right wrist badly sprained in the 7th round. Boyd and Dixon met once before on the 15th of June last, and Boyd K. O'd Dixon in the 6th round, and every one that witnessed the affair of the 16th inst. have just cause to believe that Boyd would have been the victor had he not injured his right hand. Dixon got the judges decision over Boyd.

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Look out Co. "K", the Service Co. has blood in her eyes for you when she meets you on the 18th on the square diamond.

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Cpl. Jones, O., Pvt. Oliver, D., says can you see that sotter on target No. 8? Pvt. W. A. Walker says he is too sorry, Cpl. Jones, that his hat was not sufficient for your "alibis."

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If Cpl. Jones had concentrated his fire on target No. 8, instead of distributing it up and down the range, he would have qualified as Expert where he made Ss. Cpl., we like your spirit of charity, but the Range Officer will disqualify the other man's score when there are too many hits on his target.

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Sgt. Manlove, the Acting Top Kicker, set such a pace for his Pal, T. G. on the range until poor Tom forgot which way Manlove went.

**Company "A"**

Pvt. Davis, Company "A", 24th Inf. will be discharged early next month. This soldier came to Co. "K", 24th Inf., 9th August, 1920. Since that time he has equipt himself as a man and a soldier. He has never been reprimanded, never missed a call, never gave insubordinance to anyone who was set in authority over him, no matter how things went, hard or soft, he never grumbled. Now fellow soldiers, you know to grumble is second nature to the soldier, but this is one soldier I can say who has served three years without a murmer. He is very apt, takes any task set before him seriously, goes at it with vim, never drags around when the command "fall in" is given. You never had to tell Pvt. Davis twice. This soldier will complete his first enlistment without a mark of any sort against him, he will re-enlist, but if he goes out he can always be proud of the record he left behind, and to go out he would be a good soldier that had foolishly thrown away time that will count greatly at some later date.

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Enlisted strength of Company "A" is 20 men, of these 19 have fired and qualified as follows: Experts, 8; Sharpshooters, 6; Marksman, 5. We are still holding our own, and when the firing is completed we expect to be second to none.

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**Company "B"**

Some people live to get married; but say, listen, did you ever hear of anyone marrying to live? They most generally get murdered instead of married, but we won't argue on the subject. Let's wait a few days and see what happens to "Loving Sam, the Shiek of Alabam," who happens to be Sam Hall of this Company.

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Monday, June 16, was a great day for some people, including Pvt. William Brown, who for a few days has decided to change the Pvt. to Mr. It was reported that as soon as he was discharged all the taxis in town began to cry for they knew that they were ein for a good working. Well we are not going to worry about him, for he won't be gone long. You know it takes two to make a couple and with the chaueffer throwed in it won't be long before he will be back after the old 75 and then. Then what? Them red hot three years of course.

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Lost, on Saturday, June 14th, between 11 and 12 o'clock, at the Post Finance office, one Pvt. by the name of Myral Davis. When last seen he was headed for the station in Columbus, Georgia, with but one thought on his mind, Youngstown, Ohio, and then a square meal for the first time in three years. Not much credit to the mess Serg. of Co. "L" and the old Army of the USA. No not much I'll say.

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**Company "C"**

Well here we are again after quite an absence. And the reason is that we didn't have time to let the outside world know that we were still a part of the Army; but you can bet all that you are worth the Treasury Department will, when they commence paying for qualification in small arms firing. Also ask any member of Company "A" they know we lead the First Battalion, our summary will appear in this column next week.

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**Company "D"**

This company has just completed its Record Target Practice, qualifying 100 per cent. the following is a summary of qualification:

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| Expert Gunners | 20 |
| 1st Class Gunners | 19 |
| 2nd Class Gunners | 1 |
| Total Firing | 40 |

The company admits that the above is very poor results, but due to the fact that 18 of the men firing were from Company "M," which no doubt had never seen a Machine Gun heretofore, thereby making it impossible to qualify a greater number of Experts, with such meager training.

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Private Willie Felder led the range with a score of 810, Corporal Givens standing second with 783, both scores ranking among the Army's highest.

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The company has just purchased a new Brunswick Phonograph, so that Corporal DeWitt and Andrews can learn to "Walk like Billy."

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Private Booker isn't a shoemaker, but a tack he drives and a sole he cuts. He was cutting a pair of half soles a few days ago, and upon completion of the job, discovered that he had cut both soles for the same shoe.

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**Company "H."**

Private 1st Class Earl Smith (Bugler) has severed his service ties to become a member of the Salvation Army. I do feel that he carries the good wishes of the entire regiment with him, as he is sure to be missed b ythe boys in drab if for the absence of his Jazzy "Call to Quarters" only.

Well, Smith, if you blow as well with the Salvation Army as you blew with dear old Uncle Sam you will surely get by.

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Private 1st Class David L. Mann has been discharged and reenlisted for the organization. He is a very desirable addition to any command. His soldierly conduct, as well as his technical knowledge of machine gunnery has been demonstrated and his many friends give him a hearty welcome.

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**Company "I"**

Private Curtis Green left Monday for Birmingham, Ala., to take up the position of First Sacker for the Black Baron, baseball club. We wish you very much luck old boy. When the Wolf starts howling around the old door just reach up and grab three more.

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Private Ambrosia Haskins left us this weeg for the wild and woly west,

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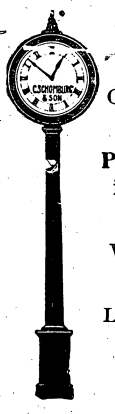
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## Inf. School Detachment Notes

After picking up the News for July 12, 1923, and not seeing anything regarding the intimate life at the Infantry School Detachment (Which is supposed to be the root of the entire camp) I felt that it was time for some one to take up the burden of letting the rest of the camp know that we really do exist, so I am going to attempt to write a few unexplanatory things which may (or may not) be of interest.

Well! we see our old friend Staff Sergeant Cream still trying to beautify the surroundings, and from what has been accomplished, the grounds surrounding the detachment are the prettiest in the camp (barring the home of our most esteemed Master Sergeant Kindervater whose home scenery cannot be beat) and if anyone thinks we are prevaricating, just let him try and trample on a few of our most abundant (2) flowers.

Sergeant Kaylor goes to town every evening in civilian clothes, and we are wondering as to what the attraction is. Better keep out of the restricted area as the Military Police Platoon (Corporal Jimmie O'Hara) will be on the lookout for you.

We don't hear from Jimmie any more. Must be he is fully occupied with his duties as he has no use for civilian life. We hope he drops around once in a while and calls on the many friends that he has in the outfit.

Corporal Crowson has moved his possessions (begging the pardon of the Supply Sergeant) and belongings to the incinerator. No, we do not mean that he has got rid of them. He simply has moved over there as he claims that the atmosphere is more homey than around the barracks. We wonder how his bedding smells after he has put it out for its weekly (!!!) airing We sure do miss our old chubby.

We wonder whether our Commanding Officer will allow us to put our feet on the floor when we go into our recreation room. It is about the best room in the United States Army, at home and abroad. If any Company, Battalion, Detachment or Regimental Commander wishes to fix up a recreation room that will be liked by the enlisted men under their command they can call on our most efficient Detachment Commander for the necessary information. One look at our "Grand and Glorious" Recreation Room will convince them that the best thing they can do is to copy and be satisfied with a job one-half as good. Here's thanking the enlisted men who helped make this room what it is. Visitors are more than welcome.

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Here's hoping taht he doesn't push us out of the chow line before next pay day.

At last, at last, Sergeant Handy has whipped poor robin clean, he started last Monday and fairly made the Target cry for mercy. He says from this on out Sergt. Joe Anderson will have to clean his rifle.

Look out Company "L" somebody will drop a baseball in the company street and then you will tell people that you all can play ball, nuff sed.

Wel the time is here, Sergt. Steger has changedhis diet. Instead of greens he has started on cucumbers. Always look in his pocket; you will see one or more.

Look out! Noisy, you are pulling off Ruff Stuff, taking so many week end passes.

### Company "K"

"Eternal hammering is the price of success" Whoever wrote that phrase must have been thinking about target season, and we don't mean maybe, What say, Sergt. Belser?

Not that we are curious, but who was it that passed in Review on last Sunday night? asked J. W. J. (He Vamp.)

Private Wheeler, claims to have the only rifle in captivity that has an elevation of 250 yards at 500 yard range, and to think he tried to prove it by Bob-cat, an old timer.

### Company "L"

Ha! Ha! Private Stubbs (Fronia) We are very sorry you had hard luck. Two days and one night. It looks to the Company as if you won't give full details of your absence, but Oh! Fronia, The New Company Commander will investigate your case from front to rear. Be careful and watch your step.

When you talk about going down from high standing with the Company, Private Douglas, Private George Gorley (Sergt.) and other members of Company had a hard down fall from beds being proped high to beds being proped L O W. Just ask those boys what the word "L O W" means.

Sergeant Sessions (Shady Rest) made a flying trip in South Georgia, where he and wife visited relatives and had a swell time.

Corporal Decatur the high sharpshooter was discharged few days ago. Hope he will return in time to catch the three year limited. Don't rush old boy, more room in than out.

Corporal Hal D. Green, we ask of you to explain to us as to why you check the Company every night a 12 o'clock nearly two weeks. No alibis are considered Corporal.

Attention men! We have a new Company Clerk, and to make less work for him cut your bills, such as taxi tickets, canteen books, Ringside Boxing tickets. Bet a nickel it will be appreciated both by Company Commander and Company Clerk.

Attention to other Companies! About two marksmen, the rest Experts and Sharpshooter, look out 100 per cent. Company "L" will gobble you right up.

Look! Stop and Listen! An expert Rifleman was made a Non-commissioned Officer. Watch your step boys, show him regulations or we will have to chain this Non-commissioned officer down and cut his hair where it should be. Look out newly made Corporal (E. D.) you are sitting on the top of our front sight.

### Company "M"

Private Bob Betts wish to find out how letters addressed to Fort Benning, Ga., work their way to Columbus, Ga. We know that they must either go by Junction, Fla., Halifax or San Francisco and, we have the same pardonable curiosity as to wheither they travel the Eastern or Western route.

Private Lommie Jones can stand on his head. If you don't believe it ask (200) Jolly good fellows who saw him do it when he tried to do the black bottom at a dance a few days past.

Sergt. Hill is noted for his famous reveille sermon, His text for the morning past was, "Never let no one girl give you a pain, because when you think you have her all by yourself you are just a monkey man."

Private Collins W. Slaton aplied for three (3) more years and, succeeded in getting his application filled. He is now making great progress as 1st Class Pot Washer.

Private Eliga Lewis (Slick Hair Daddy) Hold up all hands and feet and, the penalty received for same was three (3) years. He has been promoted to Buckboard Driver.

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## New Arrivals and Removals

The following named officers have been assigned quarters on the Post since July 10 to July 18, 1923:

Harris, F. M., 2nd Lieut. Inf., Quarters 15-17, no phone.

Floyd, John M., Warrant Officer, Quarters 16-21, Phone 217.

Pollin, G. A., Capt. 83rd F. A., Quarters 232521-D, Phone 369.

Kyle, James G., Capt. Inf., Quarters 212509-7 & 9, Phone 328.

Hall, Chas. P., Major Inf., Quarters 23-E, Phone 192.

Grady, Henry W., Major Med. Corps, Quarters 15-338, Phone 398.

Schmidt, R. G., 1st Lieut. Q. M. C., Quarters 40-7, Phone 293.

The following typographical errors appeared in the last issue of the News:

Chase, J. A., Capt. Inf., Quarters 20-I, should read 20-1. Phone 238.

Philpot, S. B., Major Inf., Quarters 19-A, should read 191717.

Rathbone, Walter A., Capt. Inf., Quarters 191717, should read 19-A.

### STARTED SOMETHING.

Editor of the Infantry School News:

We noticed in the last issue of the News, an article entitled "Old Timer Leaving," which had to deal with departing from Fort Benning of Mr. Frank Salfinger, who has been a permanent fixture on the reservation since 1919. While we are content to give to Mr. Salfinger the credit for his long period of service at Fort Benning, and willingly admit him to the ranks of the Old Timers, yet however, there are in the Infantry School Detachment some twelve or fifteen of us who have Mr. Salfinger's services as an old timer topped. We have the distinction of being among those who pulled the cotton and pitched the first tents in the temporary camp in Wynnton in October 1918. Some of us have been members of the Infantry School Detachment and the Infantry School since its reorganization at Fort Sill Oklahoma in 1915. Among the ranks of us who were the first to blaze the trail to Fort Benning, Sergts. Kindervater, Grinstead, and Stewart who are still plugging away at the old stand came here as commissioned officers, Capt. Kindervater being in command of the Detachment with Lieut. Stewart as his assistant, while Lieut. Grinstead was Range Officer.

Edward P. Lamb.
Sergt. Infantry School Detachment.

Editor's Note—Let's hear from some other old timers.

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### A MAN-TRAP, ALL BAITED UP

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### MAHOMMET AND GENERAL GOETHELS

Mahommet said to the mountain: "Come to me." The mountain refused, so after a bit of oriental thinking, Mahomet went to the mountain and fulfilled his command in that way.

General Goethals said to the mountain, "Get out of my way." The mountain in its scornful majesty refused. Then said Colonel Goethals, "We will make you!" And with doctors, dynamite, engineers and laborers faithful to their task despite every handicap—the united brain of American toilers under the direction of General Goethels removed the mountain that stood in the way and the ships now sail where the mountain stood.

General Goethals seemed a laughably small pigmy beside the towering mountain, but he thought, he toiled, he conquered and civilization has received the benefit. How different, too, was such conquest from those of Alexander, Caesar and Napoleon.

True, many of these industrial soldiers gave their lives in this Herculean task, but not merely to gratify the whim and personal vanity of a leader—they died to serve humanity.

Pearl Lillian Truman.

### COLONEL WILLIAMS HEADS GENERAL SUBJECTS

**Relieves Col. James G. Hannah, Trais-ferred.**

Col. Gideon H. Williams has been announced as Director of the Department of General Subjects for the next school year.

Last year Col. Williams was Chief of the Second Section, Department of Military Art.

The Department of General Subjects is responsible for such subjects as Military History, Equitation, and Physical Training. Next year it is rumored that this department will have supervision over local recreational activities which activities include three theaters, two swimming pools, thirteen tennis courts, an athletic field, the enlisted men's club, the Post Gymnasium, local athletic programs, and the Post Library. Incidentally, the News is included.

Colonel Williams has assumed his new duties.


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OUR POWER FOR PEACE—Seattle Post Intelligencer—A conference of religious and welfare workers has protested to the secretary of war against any policy of pacifism and unpreparedness in the United States. A defenseless nation is without influence among the nations of the world today. To make America's power for peace felt abroad, America must be upright, sovereign and ready to defend her uprightness and sovereignty. That is the line of argument suggested by the religious and welfare workers in their communications to the secretary. It is no idealistic presentation. It is real, practical and undeniable. The whole course of world politics as it passes before our eyes today confirms it. It is the power to prevent disorder in a city or nation that preserves domestic peace. It is the power to win a war in this humisphere that has saved the United States from many a war in the Americas. It has the power of the battleship fleet that the president of the United States sent around the world years ago that maintained the peace between this country and Japan. Today it is the lack of power in Germany that is responsible for the war on peace that is waging, along the Rhine. These are a few vagrant examples. Every country provides others to fortify the argument. Even Russia teaches a lesson. She would have no peace today if her power did not prevent other nations from again invading her. The surest way to destroy this country's power for peace in the councils of the nations, the surest way to tempt the suggestions of some envious or militaristic rival, is a policy of simple trust in the peaceful intentions of the world when those intentions do not exist, a policy of weakness, defenselessness, unpreparedness and non-resistance on the part of the United States. That truth is written in letters of fire across the whole face of history. Not only for the safety of ourselves, but for the good of the world, it has got to be recognized by this nation, or the United States, and with it the rest of the nations, will suffer the very thing that we all seek most urgently to avoid. Only by maintaining an adequate army and navy can the United States be a power for peace among the nations. A century hence it may be different, but not in the lifetime of living man.—Seattle Post Intelligencer.

### They'll All Boast But Pershing

The General (General Gouraud) was especially interested in the Woolworth Building, and amazed to learn that the outstanding structure of Manhattan was built by nickels an ddimes. As he journeys about the country, local guides will make a point of demonstrating the big scale on which we run things over here. Then he'll go to Washington and hear still more nickel-and-dime talk. Pershing will tell him how the cheeseparers of Congress, after authorizing a piddling force of 290,000 troops, have so cut army budgets that another year will leave less than 100,000 regulars to command. Secretary Weeks, for all his canvassing, can't sell the Capitol a national life insurance policy. Later, though, we'll buy it at a permium that shall again stagger history.—Washington Times.

### Desire For Peace Should Not Blind Us To What Other Countries Are Doing

It is interesting to contrast the solicitious attitude of the British statesmen toward their country's defenses with the attitude of our own statesmen toward defensive forces of the United States. We reiterate, we don't want war, but a national desire for peace and good will does not justify us in putting our country at the mercy of other powers which may not have such a horror of war.—San Francisco Chronicle.

### On the Altar of Mars

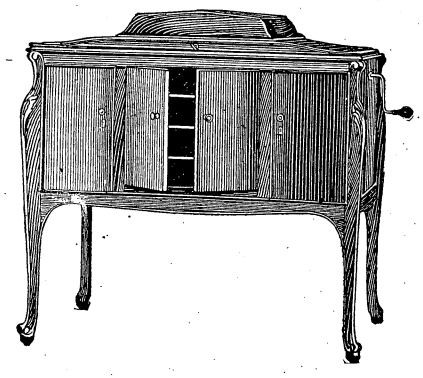
More recently we have learned of a new American invention, a gun, a rapid-firing weapon capable of firing one and one quarter-pound shells at the rate of one hundred and twenty a minute. From the air above us, from the earth beneath us, from the surface and from the depths of the seas, from the vials, retorts the tubes of the laboratories are to come the horrid agents of destruction and death in the coming great war. Human genius pays lowly obeisance to the altars of Mars! Cincinnati Enquirer.

### A New Army Rifle

Automatic riflemen from a part of every infantry company under the present army organization. Their arm is clumsy and heavy compared with the standard shoulder rifle for infantry use. Adoption of the Garand rifle as the infantry arm would do away with the necessity for special automatic rifles. It would make every rifle bearing member of an infantry company an automatic rifleman, and at the same time his weapon would compare favorably in accuracy and portability with the Springfield. Everything that pertains to the infantryman in army field equipment is of the utmost importance, from his shoes to his head covering. Every detail of that equipment repays the most painstaking attention. Ill fitting packs, bad shoes, clumsy cartridge carriers, taken in bulk are just as important as an error in plans made at general headquarters. And so the matter of selecting a new rifle for the infantry, which remains the backbone of every army, is one which demands the most serious consideration by those in authority.—New York Herald.

### The Menace of Militarism

The subordination of the military to the civil in our Government is hailed by all thoughtful Americans as one of the dearest principles that are traditionally American. It was high time for the country to hear this warning from Secretary Weeks. A fanatical minority liberally advertised and highly organized is now clamoring for the use of the Army and the Navy to enforce the Volstead law. Their clamor is a militaristic threat. Such action, short of the complete exhaustiton of every reasonable effort by the civil police power to enforce this law, would confront free America with the menace of militarism in its most obnoxious form. And the astounding fact appears to be that this militaristic demand emanates not only from an organized minority of Christian laymen. It is echoed by pacifists of the pulpit who are seemingly entirely content that our Army and our Navy shall be rendered impotent to protect the lives and property of our nationals, maintain our national rights and safeguard our national honor only that our armed forces may be utilized to enforce a domestic law in violation of the fundamental principle involved in the superiority of the civil to the military in our form of government.—Boston Transcrpt.

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## BOXING TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD; PLANS NOW UNDER WAY

Within the past week the Post A & R Officer has received a number of suggestions relative to the desirability of holding an amateur boxing tournament during the latter part of August or the early part of September.

Such a tournament would be of interest and, incidentally, would begin laying the foundations for a boxing team to represent this station in Corps tournaments.

For the past two years this station has won the 4th Corps boxing and wrestling tournament. This fact in the past has been comparatively easy. Next year, however, or some time this fall, there are at least two stations in the Corps area who will make a special effort to win the tournament and Fort Benning because if her past record, is going to have the combined force of these stations directed against her. The competition will be friendly and sportsmanlike but nevertheless vigorius. In other words Fort Bragg and Fort Screven are out after Corps Area puglistic honors and it is up to us to defeat these two stations in this nefarious purpose.

The best way for an organization or station to get enlistments is through its athletic record, Notwithstanding the fact that Fort Benning has won every Corps tournament, except polo, held in the past two years in this Corps area, Fort Benning has the reputation of being a hard station at which to serve. The winning of the Corps tournament this year will help to dispel this impression an ! the one sure way to win the tournament is to begin preparing for it now. All of which leads up to the local boxing tournamnet now being planned.

The plans are to have each Battalion and Detachment enter a boxing team to consist of one man, each, in the various weights. Contestants must be amateurs, which means men who have never received a purse for a boxing contest. Records of both teams and individual contestants will be kept and the team winning the highest number of points will be given a suitable trophy to be contested for each year by other teams but which will become the permanent property of any organization whose team wins it three years successively.

At the time of organization of the Post Boxing Team the individual winners in the coming tournament have the privilege of challenging the members of last years' boxing team who are Post Champions in their respective weights at this time.

The assistance of all Unit and Detachment Commanders is being solicited toward the end of making the coming tournament a success.

## NO POLO GAME LAST SUNDAY

### "News" Passes Buck Herewith.

The following was published to the command in bulletin form last Saturday:

"Announcement in the Fort Benning News of the polo game July 15th should be July 22, at which time the 29th Infantry will meet the 83rd Field Artillery for the opening game of the summer season."

In the issue of the News of July 13th the following announcement of a Polo game to be played Sunday, July 15th appeared:

"The new polo field which has just been completed will be formally opened up next Sunday, July 15th, by a game between two composite teams of the Post."

The News reporter responsible for the above received his infirmation from tht oficer at that time acting as Post Polo Representative and for this reason the story was believed to be authentic. The News apologizes to its readers for having published the above misinformation but such action was followed in good faith.

The News does not ask that its readers believe everything they see in the paper because such faith might lead the individual to be placed in an embarassing situation. In its feeble attempts to be funny the News at times prints matter which the reader has to accept with a cerain amount of mental reservation. In matters pertaining to happenings, data, etc., however, the News makes every effort to remain within the bounds of strict accuracy and it is for this reason that the News makes the foregoing explanation.

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## MEMPHIS RED SOX DIVIDE HONORS

### In Two Game Series iWth 24th Inf.

Last Wednesday and Thursday the 24th Infantry team played the Memphis Red Sox on the local diamond, defeating them in the second game after losing the first on an error in the last of the ninth.

A review of the results of numerous games played with member teams of the Colored Southern League shows the 24th Infantry nine to have a high standing in that "League." While the soldiers in no sense aspire to professionalism, they have been matched with several teams of the Southern League and have beaten them all at least as often as they were bested. Among the league teams are Memphis, Nashville, Birmingham, New Orleans, Chattanooga and Hot Springs. The 24th Infantry has played the three former clubs.

**First Game.**

This game showed that the best mettle of both teams was on tap thruout the game. No game is won until the last man is out, but a high regard is always held for the team which has a game won but slips on a stray banana peel in the ninth. A costly error made at a critical time makes heroes of contestants that otherwise have failed to produce winning ball-playing. The score:

| | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis .....000 102 005 | 8 | 9 | 1 |
| 24th Inf. .....011 000 040 | 6 | 10 | 7 |

Batteries: Memphis, Glass, Brown; 24th Inf. Haywood, Gilchrist.

3 home runs, 1-3 base hit, 1-2 base hit; Struck out by Brown 13, by Haywood 5.

**Second Game.**

The second game was played under pressure of time and only five innings were completed. In this time there was opportunity for a full fledged ball game to be made into history. A surprise attack netted five runs for the soldiers in the first inning, and it was not until the last inning when the score was tied, but with fateful last half of the inning remaining for the soldiers to stage a counter attack which was successfully launchtd. The score:

| | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis .....000 32 | 5 | 11 | 1 |
| 24th Inf. .....500 02 | 7 | 9 | 2 |

Batteries: Memphis, Moore, Brown. 24th Inf. Leonard, Gilchrist.

1 home run, 1 double play, 2-3 base hits, 2-2 base hits, Struck out by Moore 3, by Leonard 0.

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## THE BOUTS LAST MONDAY NIGHT

### 24th Infantry Stages Some More.

The fights held in the Post Gymnaisum last Monday night by the 24th Infantry were a success financially and from the standpoint of interest to the crowd. The curtain raiser was between the two stand-bys, Kid Dynamite and Young Carbolic Acid. In the confusion of the crowd after this go there was a doubt as to who won. Both of these youthful gladiators, who weighed in at 85 pounds, were in fine shape. Carbolic Acid had it on the other fellow by wearing red, white and blue tights, but Dynamite came back strong after the first gong and both of them mixed things up for four rounds. We think this was a draw but are not sure. Both fellows claimed the fight in the dressing room after the battle and the efforts of several men were required to keep them apart.

The first preliminary was a six round go between Akers of the 29th Infantry and Pomerantz of the Veterinary Detachment. Both men mixed things from the sound of the gong and the crowd was kept on its feet. The men were middleweights and certain spectators were ready to take oath that they saw sparks fly when the men hit each other, which was frequently, although Akers had an edge on Pomerantz, who was wild. The judges decision in favor of Akers met with the approval of the crowd.

The second preliminary was a slow affair between Branner of the I. S. D. and Langmier of the 29th Inf. The referee had to warn the men to mix things repeatedly and in one round the crowd hissed the fighters for stalling. This fight slowly drew to an end with Langmier getting the decision.

The semi-final was between "Tiger" Moore of Savannah and Saunders of the 24th Infantry. The scrap was full of pep from start to finish. Saunders seemed to be the better boxer of the two while Moore had more steam in his punches. Moore floored Saunders eight time during the bout but he came up for more before the referee could begin the count. The bout was declared a draw with the crowd divided in its opinion.

Both men put up a stirring slugfest and kept the crowd yelling.

The last frame of the evening was between "Flashlight" Boyd, the 24th Infantry featherweight and Young Dixon who claimed the Southern championship title in this class. Boyd and Dixon met once before and Boyd knocked Dixon out in the eighth round. In the fight last Monday night both men put up a good fight but Dixon seemed to have the edge on the other fellow and after fifteen rounds of hard fighting the referee held up Dixon's hand.

Throughout this bout Dixon led the fighting. Boyd put up a splendid defensive fight but lacked the punch to put Dixon away by the kayo route. One of the features of the fight, and something which got the crowd behind Dixon, was in the eleventh round when Dixon knocked Boyd almost through the ropes and prevented him from falling to the floor by grasping both his arms around the waist. Most of the fight was boxing with an occasional strong punch mixed in for good measure with the exception of the fourth and seventh rounds which developed into slugging matches. In this game Dixon seemed to have more steam than Boyd.

The card last Monday evening was one of the best which has been put on the 24th Infantry.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**
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9:00 A. M.—Morning service in charge of the Protestant Clergy of Columbus.

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School, Lieut. Custer in charge.

6:00 P. M. — Evening Song, Mrs. Cooper in charge.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL**
Block 7, Hall avenue.

8:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon.

10:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon. No Sunday School during the summer months.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY**
Sunday

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Services.

5:00 P. M.—Evening Services.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 P. M. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on Duty:**

Protestant — Stephen R. Wood; Alexander W. Thomas, Telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, Telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 13248-W., Post 74.

## INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM NEWS.

The second week of the tryouts have just been completed and the scores turned in have been excellent. Lieut. M. L. Broderick started the first time over in first place and has never been headed although Lieut. S. R. Hinds is pushing him closely. Up to today, Friday July 20th, the National Match course has been fired over five times, the first three times the scores standing as made and the 4th and 5th times the scores made were multiplied by one and a half, thus giving the candidates that got off to a bad start, a chance to come back.

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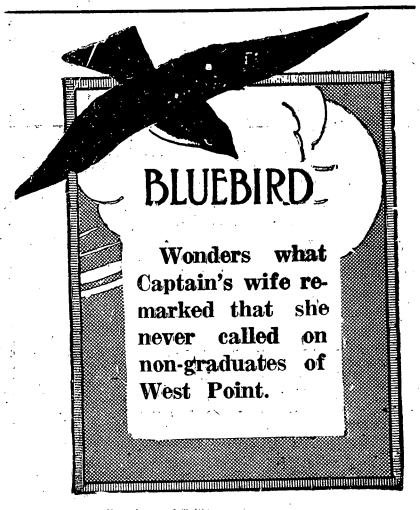

15th TANK BATTALION SWIMMING TEAM. THEY CHALLENGE ALL COMERS.

## THE 17th U. S. INFANTRY.

### Short Synopsis of Regiment Since Date of Organization.

During the second war with England from January 11, 1812 to May 17, 1815, the 17th Infantry had a brief but honorable existence.

Early in the Civil War, May 4, 1861, by direction of the President the regiment was again constituted to remain until the present day.

In all the period above referred to, the personnel of the regiment feels a pardonable pride. The exigencies of the service have often held these doughboys to patient plodding service in camp and on guard when they would have preferred to be at the front, nevertheless they can face their record without shame.

Upon the Regimental Colors today there are streamers of loyal service at Bull Run, Gettsburg, Fredericksburg, Yorktown, The Wilderness and ma y others. Every one of these streamers call to mind some scene of daring and fortitude. The stone wall at Fredericksburg is emplazoned on the present regimental crest to represent the stolid tenacity with which the men remained before that wall thru-out an entire day.

The period of reconstruction began at the close of the Civil War and these duties led the regiment from the northern Atlantic Seaboard thru many states of the east and south, as far west as Texas.

From 1870 to 1886 the regiment was engaged in building up the great west and north-west of our republic. The present generation little realize the debt owed to these men and their comrades in arms. Practically all the transcontinental railroads and the

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## HOT DOG!

### Columbus-Cusseta-Benning Road To Be Paved.

In the Enquirer-Sun's issue of Tuesday morning, July 24th, tidings of great joy were disseminated at Fort Benning by the following headlines:

**"BENNING ROAD TO BE PAVED TO THE FORT"**

Reading further it was learned that Federal aid would be forthcoming in the future for the purpose of connecting Columbus and Fort Benning with a passible thoroughfare, the necessary funds coming from either the 1923 or 1924 appropriations. Although the route to be followed in the paving project increases the distance between Columbus and Fort Benning, such route being necessary on account of existing local laws on the subject, this is a minor detail and is considerably offset by the increased time saving made possible by the new highway.

The Enquirer-Sun says:

With the assistance of federal aid totaling approximately $150,000, the paving of the Fort Benning road, will be made a continuous project, and the road will be paved to the bridge at the entrance of Fort Benning, was the information given out by R. H. Barnes, clerk to the county commissioners, after a called meeting of the county officials late yesterday afternoon.

This brings to a successful termination the efforts of the county commissioners over a period of two years to pave the road to Fort Benning with as little expense to the tax payers as possible, according to the statement of Mr. Barnes.

When C. M. Woolfolk, chairman of

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## PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning July 29, 1923 and Ending August 4, 1923.**

24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, July 29, 1923.**
"Driven" 6 reels, C. Mack. Consol. "Stung" 2 reels, Jones. Pathe.

**Monday, July 30, 1923**
"The Man Next Door" 7 reels, James Morrison. Vitagraph. Fox News 1 reel.

**Tuesday, July 31, 1923**
"Grumpy" 7 reels, Theadore Roberts. Famous. "The Dude" 1 reel.

**Wednesday, August 1, 1923**
"The Isle of Lost Ships" 7 reels, Milton Sills. 1st National. "The Barnyard" 2 reels, Larry Semon.

**Thursday, August 2, 1923**
"Great Night" 5 reels, Russell, Fox "Young and Dumb" 2 reels, Al St. John Fox. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, August 3, 1923**
"Your Friend and Mine" 7 reels, W. Mack, Metro. Pathe Review, 1 Reel, Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, August 4, 1923**
"Woman with Four Faces, 7 reels, Compson, Famous. "Saturday Morning" 2 reels, Our Gang.

## PICTURES TONIGHT AND TOMORROW NIGHT

**"CRINOLINE AND ROMANCE"**
**6 Reels**

**"FOG BOUND"**
**7 Reels**

**Old Gray Squirrel, with a Summer's grouch, went to the Ice Plant one day,**
**He got aboard on ice wagon just starting on its way.**
**A customer's card called for fifty pounds; he got just forty five.**
**Said old G. S., "The customer gets 'gyped,' as sure as I'm alive."**

## THE INFANTRY SCHOOL LIBRARY

"Every addition to true knowledge is an addition to human power." Horace Mann, lectures and reports on Education.

Some time ago an officer asked, "Where is the School Library?" This remark leads to the following article on the School Library and its mission of service to the School and the Post.

The Library building at present is located directly in rear of the Assistant Commandant's Office. The lower floor is devoted to the Book collection and the upper floor to a reading and writing room for those who care to take advantage of the privilege. One antique typewriter, Model of 1776, is provided for those desiring to practice the touch system (on the typewriter only.) In the reading room will be found military journals and publications as well as the latest copies of the New York Times.

The growth of the School Library has been little short of phenomenal. It's origin dates from the establishment of the School when a room was set apart in the Department of Experiment and designated the School Library. Here, at this time, were gathered the few volumes which then made up the book collection. From that date to the present it has grown. New books have been acquired by purchase, while other valuable works have been donated by officers interested in the institution. At present the Library contains approximately nine thousand (9000) volumes on technical and professional subjects. This number is only about three thousand (3000) short of the total number of books in the Columbus Public Library established long before the Infantry School was thought or dreamed of.

Naturally, the greater portion of the books in the Library relate to military subjects but other technical and scientific fields are well covered. There are books of pyschology, biology, chemistry, medicine and kindred sugjects on the shelves. There are also many interesting volumes on travel and biography.

No description of the library would be complete without reference to the library's collection of rare and valuable books which should be of special interest to the student of early United States history. In this catergory are such volumes as "Stedman's History of the American War" (London 1794), "Gordon's American War" (New York 1789), "Steuben's Exercises (the first U. S. Drill Reg. 1779), "Burgoynes Narrative of the Expedition from Canada" (London 1780), Narrative of Sir William Howe (London 1781) and Forces American Archives (Washington 1844). Few libraries in the South can claim a better list of American than that represented by the foregoing items.

Recently the Doughboy of the Classes of 1922-23 has added one hundred and forty five valuable books to the library's collection.

A library is the depository of knowledge and knowledge, if not power as Bacon claimed, is certainly the stable foundation of Wisdom which is power. Furthermore the knowledge of the officer of today must consist of something more than mere professional learning if he is to fulfill adequately the duties expected of him under the new system of National Defense. Any book that stimuates thought (not idle dreaming) is of value to the military student for accurate thinking stands for success. Keep On Learning—Utilize the knowledge waiting for you in the library. If the reference book you desire is not on the shelves inform the librarian or Assistant Librarian in order that they may recommend its purchase. The mission of the library is to meet your needs in the way of information or bibliographical service.

## THE 17th U. S. INFANTRY

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national trails owe their existence to these hardy men who worked with their muskets at their sides or guarded others while the work went on. It was in such historical incidents as Coxie's Army, The Raids of Texas Cattlemen, The Yellowstone Expeditions, The Black Hills and others that the regiment participated with credit to itself and to the service.

The Spanish-American from the opening gun until long after its close commanded the most heroic service of the 17th Infantry. It was among the first to get into Cuba and was twice stationed in the Philippines during this period. In fact of the entire sixty-five years of the regiment's existence, forty-two years have been spent in active service against the enemies of the Republic, in actual warfare, Indian and frontier troubles and in quelling civil disturbances.

The question, "Who won the War" is often asked. During the World War the 17th Infantry was assigned the task of guarding German Prisoners, Shipyards, Munion Plants, etc. The first record of commendation in the earliest days of the regiment's history was for "Obedience to Orders."

Nearly all the officers and experienced enlisted men were transferred at different times to act as a nucleus for new outfits which were sent overseas, yet the few old men who remained and the new recruits who came in were imbued with the spirit of the first duty of the soldier, "To obey strictly," etc.

The regiment is now stationed at Forts Omaha and Crook, Nebraska, staitons about 20 miles apart.

During the past winter the National Rifle Association conducted their Annual Military Company Championship Match, in which the Regimental Team of the 17th Infantry won first place and three company teams won the first three honors. In addition to the above the regiment has a large number of trophies, both Regimental, Company and individual, which have been won by superior services.

## NEW POST EXCHANGE OFFICER APPOINTED

### Will Take Charge After July 31st

Orders are out announcing the appointment of Major Charles K. Nulsen, 24th Infantry, as Post Exchange Officer, vice Capt. Charles H. Moore, Jr., relieved.

Major Nulsen takes over the duties of Post Exchange Officer on July 31st with Lieut. Rudolph Broedlaw as his assistant.

A News reporter interviewed Capt. Moore for the purpose of finding out why he was quitting. Capt. Moore intimated that with the Bluebird and the News cartoonist making wise cracks about the shell holes in front of the Post Exchange he did not feel that his efforts were properly appreciated and that he did not care to be mixed up in anything of this nature. For these reasons he considered it best to dispose of his interest in the Post Exchange and go back to soldiering, a line of work for which he felt he was better equipped.

Since taking over the Post Exchange Capt. Moore has made a host of friends in Columbus and Fort Benning. The Post Exchange has materially prospered and become a money-making investment under the able management of Capt. Moore and the members of the garrison hope for him such success in other duties to which he may be assigned.

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## HOT DOG!

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the board of county commissioners, appeared at the called meeting of the board yesterday he announced that W. R. Neal, chief road engineer for the Georgia highway department, had called him over long distance telephone, with the information that both the War Department and the Secretary of Agriculture had finally agreed to make the Fort Benning road a federal aid project: and that it was possible that the necessary funds would be available from the 1923 apropriations, but if not they will be available from the 1924 general appropriations. Formal application for federal aid was made at once by Clerk Barnes thru the regular channels.

## LODGE NOTICES

**Darley Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons**
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# Social Notes

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### CAPT. LEGGE AND MRS. LEGGE LEAVE.

On last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Legge, the mother of Capt. B. R. Legge, left for her home in Charleston, S. C., where she will remain for a short time before joining Captain Legge who left Thursday for Paris, France, by way of Baltimore and New York City.

The many friends of Captain and Mrs. Legge regret to see them leave Fort Benning. The Blue Polo Team, especially, is the heaviest loser, Mrs. Legge having acted for so long as mentor and sponsor for that outfit.

Captain "Barney" reported to the News just before leaving that he was broke" but happy. He explained that his happiness was due to the fact that soon he would be in "Gay Paree" and that while he regretted leaving his Fort Benning friends he could not help but feel that his new station was a little more desirable.

Capt. Legge sails from New York on August 4th. The good wishes of the garrison follow both Mrs. Legge and himself. Capt. Legge will be at the Ecole de Guerre, the French Military Academy, for the next two years after which time he expects to be returned to the Infantry School as an instructor.

### COL. AND MRS. SCHOEFFEL ENTERTAIN.

On last Saturday evening at the Country Club in Columbus Colonel and Mrs. Schoffel entertained at dinner. Among those present were:

Miss Peggy Kent. Miss Helen Peyton, Miss Ansure, sister of Mrs. Callahan of Fort Benning, Miss Helen Schoeffel, Miss Ruth Schoeffel, and Mrs. Carter. The gentlemen were Maj. Marsburn, Lieut. Carter, Lieut. Foelsing, Lieut. Zeigler, Lieut. Honnen, and Lieut. Pahlke.

### NEW ATHLETIC DIRECTOR ARRIVES.

On last Sunday the new assistant to the Post A & R Officer arrived on the Post. To determine whether or not he was in proper trim he had his weight taken at the Station Hospital. This was found to be eight and three quarter pounds. The new director, whose name is John William Elkins, Third, gave briefly to a News reporter an outline of the work he expected to carry on during the coming school year. Among other things he stated that he attributed his past success to plenty of bunk fatigue and wholesome food. Mr. Elkins refused to discuss the Fort Benning road and other political questions but stated that he was pleased with local conditions on the Post.

Miss Jessie Crichton, the Postmistress, is expecting to leave August 11th for a vacation of two weeks at Atlantic Beach Hotel, Atlantic Beach, Fla. During her absence the stamp and parcel post window which she serves until Six P. M. will be closed at the usual closing time which is 4:30 P. M. Mr. Albert S. Norris, the Registry Clerk will be in charge until her return.

### WENT PICNICING LAST SUNDAY.

On last Sunday the 20 Mile Post on the Buena Vista Road was the scene of an enjoyable little picnic party consisting of Col. and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey, Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Ellis, and Capt. and Mrs. G. E. Kraul.

In the procession going out it is reported that there were a Buick, a Dodge, and a Ford. The mechanical action of the first two named cars was perfect but the last named didn't do so well. Either something or other was not connected up right or else there was an attack of temperament on the part of Liz—at any rate it is reported tha the situation called for serious thought.

When Liz did run, however, the party arrived at their destination and were immediately attacked by ants who appeared to be also having a picnic and resented the invasion by foreign forces. This attack was a failure and the defenders were repulsed with heavy losses.

The picnic party when engaged in a simultaneus attack on a huge, iced watermelon with satisfying results to the members of the party but disastrous results to the melon.

The picnic was a decided success and the party returned home "in the cool of the afternoon.".

### BIG SOCIAL EVENTS EXPECTED

The entire command is looking forward with much pleasurable anticipation to next Wednesday, August 1st, and the attendant festivities during the ensuing week. A number of brilliant although exceedingly informal events have already been planned, although owing to the necessity of excluding a certain very undesirable class of the Fort Benning personnel, who are usually conspicuous by black brassards with crimson lettering, the plans have not as yet been fully matured but all the guests will receive notice in ample time as to the dates and places and it is believed that the coming monh will rar eclipse in gayety any of the summer months up to this time, due in a large measure to the number of men who are expected to return from furlough with from two to three months pay. Out of deference to the wishes of those who will probably act as hosts on these occasions, it is announced that no guest is expected to bring his own cards. In fact such a procedure is considered, in the best circles, as a distinct breach of etiquette, and any guest so offending will be looked upon with an eye of suspicion, and may suffer some loss of popularity in consequence. A novel feature of these events is the fact that no one knows just who the guest of honor is until after they have each "departed for their respective homes" and have compared notes with each other. It may howver be considered a safe rule that those who have been so honored are usually the first to draw canteen checks, and can in this manner be easily identified.

### PEOPLE WE ADMIRE

The bird who asks you for a ride to town and then wipes his feet all over the back of the front seat.

The Gink who asks you to call him up on his phone.

The fellow who takes on gas at the filling station and then holds up the line while he cleans his spark plugs.

The champ who tells you something confidentially after he has told the same thing to a dozen other people.

The dumbell who tries to be funny at a party by being sarcastic to his wife.

The man who parks his car so close to yours that he dents your fender getting out.

The bird who tells you how much he paid for everything.

The fellow who tells you how important he was at his last station.

The bird who ask you where you stand on the promotion list.

The fellow who is afraid he'll salute a Junior first.

The wise guy who disagrees with everything you say just for the sake of argument.


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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

**N. T. R.**

## Inf. School Detachment Notes

Well, here we are back on the job again, since the editor was so generous in giving us so much space in the last issue.

No doubt all the members of the detachment have read the new orders on the Bulletin Board this last week, and the one in particular, which caused so much comment, dealt with the reduction of three non-commissioned officers and a private first-class, specialist first-class to the grade of private at nineteen-twenty-five ($19.-25) per. It is truly sad that men work hard to accomplish such fine ratings and then thru their own misconduct lose that which they have rightfully earned. We hope that this will not only be a lesson to those concerned but to all the members of the detachment who are so apt to imbibe too freely in that non-colored liquid impersonification of the devil, termed "Kawn". Question! Why Take A Chance?

Again the detachment baseball team has copped the old bunting with a clean slate of all victorys and defeats. Now comes the little worlds series between the 29th Infantry and our own undefeated champions. Let's all get out and root for our boys. If you don't know how to root, drop into our mess hall and see Sabo, who can give you all the information on shouting without getting a "colt" or a little "horse."

We have been wondering if our mess sergeant received an inspiration from the new song hit that we have on the victrola, viz, (Yes, we have no banana for the following two mornings our eyes beheld that elongated fruit with the yellow wrapper which is not known in Georgia as an enlisted man. Well, keep it up old timer and the boys will all re-up.

No doubt some of the old timers will recollect an old friend who has been strolling around the camp the last few days and talking over old times. This was none other than Billy Watts, and those who haven't seen him will be glad to know that he looks like a retired bootlegger.

Wonder when Bennefield is going to get hitched up? He has been after "Hot Papa" for quite a while trying to make him change bunks with him. It is an old saying that anyone sleeping alongside the side door on the left hand side going in will not be left when it comes to getting into the double harness. Benny, you had better hurry up or some "Aalbama Sam" will be copping her before you make up your mind, or does she live in Atlanta.

Wonder why the K. P.'s go on a strike just at the time the hard-working boys from Headquarters sit down to devour their beans. What do you say Sergeant Stewart? How about a little real army service at the tables instead of the usual civilian restaurant service which all the men try to get away from by enlisting in the army.

Another good man gone wrong, we have just learned that Private Engle, our hustling K. P. has taken onto himself a blushing bride. Well we wish U Luck.

## New Arrivals and Removals

Scales, Howard N., Capt. Inf., Quarters 42-2, Phone 205, 7-30-23.

Vinson, Wilbur H., 1st Lt. Inf. Quarters 232515-B Phone 355, 8-1-23.

Harrison, A. S., Capt. Q. M. C. Quarters 232507-A Phone 286, 7-30-23.

Twaddle, H. L., Major Inf., Quarters 15-352 Phone 118, 7-26-23.

Wilson, Roger M., Capt. Inf. Quarters 42-4, Phone 77, 7-27-23.

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Sutherland, S. J., Major Inf. living with Major X. F. Blauvelt, Quarters 40-41 temporary.

### AMERICAN LEGION HEAD COMING

**Big Meeting That Night At Club.**

State Commander Edgar B. Dunlap and State Adjutant H. C. Hosch, of the American Legion, with headquarters at Gainesville, will be guests of the Charles S. Harrison post Saturday, a telegram last night definitely advising the local Legion officials of the visit.

A big meeting of the members will be held at the American Legion club, 117 Twelfth street, at 7:30 o'clock sharp and will come to a close before 9:30 o'clock, at which hour the state commander and adjutant, together with Commander M. S. Eddy, state executive committeeman, and the adjutant, who is district executive committeeman, will leave for Macon where a state executive committee meeting will be held the next day.

Evry member of the post is urged to be present at the meeting. In addition to inspiring addresses by the state commander and adjutant, Mayor J. Homer Dimon and H. R. McClatchey, president of the Chamber of Commerce, will deliver addresses which will add greatly to the occasion.

Music will be provided and immediately after the meeting refreshments will be served. A first class orchestra will furnish the music.

The two state officials will arrive a tthe noon hour and will confer with the post officials and the executive committee on Legion matters. The visit of the officials is an important one and is a distinct honor to the local post, being the first visit to a post by the officials of the administration elected at the state convenion in Athens last month.

In addiion to the large number of local Legionaires who will greet the officials, several veterans from Meriwether county ,a post being reorganized at Greenville last Friday night, will be present at the meeting.

### Would You Tell A Lie if—

You were asked by your wife or finance if you made the acquaintance of any mademoiselles overseas?

You were telling the home folks how you got in the brig?

You were asked by your pastor the meaning of S. O. L.?

You were asked by some sweet little thing what the small white tent at the end of the company street was?

You were telling your best girl how your rival got to be made corporal?

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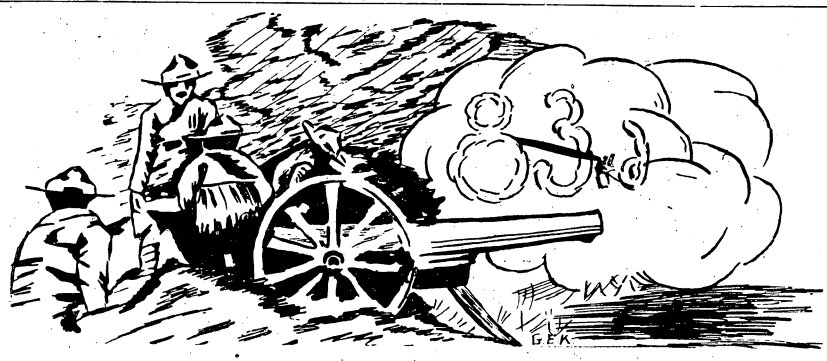

Having made our debut as a peppy battery, we shall keep up that spirit. Watch our smoke and excuse our dust!

Ricard is a little fellow; bu it isn't because he is afraid that he feeds the boys well—he's just getting the "low-down" on his new job. Keep up the good work Shorty.

The first few minutes of our mornings are taken up with The Koehler method of physical training. It sure is hard, back-breaking, muscle-straining dope—"Extend the legs to the rear and then—work, you soldiers work!! Anyhow, its all for our good so why not put all we's got into it.

We've fixed the spring on the Brunswick. Come over. You tankers, you 29th, and pay us a visit. There is a good selection of records and magazines. You are invited. Drop around.

The paved road to Columbus!!! Where have we heard that before?

## 29th Infantry News Notes

### Company "D"

With the exception of the expert test, Company "D" 29th Infantry, U. S. A., Captain George C. Pilkington, commanding, completed its record practice June 5th, 1923. The rifleman of the organization completed their record practice June 1st, 1923, and the Pistol record practice was completed April 7th, 1923. The results attained were fair considering that all of the record practice took place during numerous Infantry School demonstrations and the annual maneuver.

Thruout the Infantry School season Company "D" is used as a machine gun unit for demonstration purposes.

Results With Machine Guns: Total fired, 107, Qualified 100 per cent. Qualified Sharpshooters: 87 per cent. High score, 693.

Results with Rifle: Total fired, 25. Total Authorized to fire Machine Gun Company 27. Qualified, 100 per cent. Experts 3, Sharpshooters 8, Marksmen 15.

Results With Pistol: Total fired 122 Qualified 73.7 per cent. Experts 13, Sharpshooters 30, Marksmen 47, Unqualified 32.

Company "D" fired Pistol, Rifle and Machine Gun practice whenever the opportunity offered between demonstrations and inclement weather. There were few consecutive days on the range. The officers of the organization are: Captain G. C. Pilkington, 1st Lieut. Charles F. Hudson, 1st Lieut. Richard F. Lussier, and Second Lieut. John B. Medaris.

### WHAT CAN BE DONE

An interesting article, written from the Recruiting Officer's standpoint, by an officer of the 20th Infantry, showing the possibilities of a young man enlisting in the Army, making it his life professon, and by the time he retires from the service having a snug little fortune, has been made public through the headquarters of the 20th.

Taking as its hero Mr. Average (Young) Mann, the story shows that he joined the army at the age of 18. His pay was $21 a month, which as he was furnished all of his living, made his income equivalent to $140 to $150 a month. He found he could save actually half of his pay.

Working hard, he was promoted to Private 1st Class at the end of the first 6 months, and was able to put away $15 of his $30 every month. Faithful service was rewarded at the end of the 2nd year by his promotion to Corporal at $42 a month. Already he had managed to save $333.00. He now managed to get $21 a month into his savings.

At the end of his first three-year enlistment, he took a three months' vacation at full pay, and re-enlisted for another three years. At the end of his 4th year, now a seasoned veteran, Mann was made a Sergeant, at $54 a month, and got his first raise of 5 per cent. in pay for length of service. This lifted him from the "job" class, and placed him in the position class, with an income equal to $175 to $200 a month in civil life.

Early in his 5th year A. Y. Mann found that his saving, together with the 4 per cent. interest it had drawn in the hands of the regimental finance officer had given him a bank account of $1,000,000. With this much ready money he found opportunity for investment in his home town real estate which gave him returns of from 10 per cent. to 20 per cent. annually. He now was a man of consequence in his home town, his company, and his regiment.

Thereafter his promotions came more slowly, but at the end of his 8th year he was made 1st Sergeant at $88.20 a month, which soon increased to $92.40 a month, and his savings jumped to $554.40 a year. Gradual increases brought his pay as 1st Sergeant up to $105 a month. When the time came for his retirement a generous army custom gave him a final boost to Master Sergeant for purposes of retirement, with a monthly income of $133.88 for the rest of his life.

Figuring up his assests, Sergt. Mann was amazed to find that his savings and investments has accumulated to $65,350.00. His retired pay, he found, was equivalent to the income from $26,776.00 at 6 per cent. Thus he found himself enjoying the income from $92,125.00.

More than that, his 30 years of active service had taken him all over the United States, to Alaska, he had helped guard the Panama Canal, assisted in pacifying the Philippines, freeing Cuba, fortifying the Hawaiian Islands, and in winning the greatest war the world had ever known—and he had enjoyed it all. At the age of 48 he was a rich man, and had seen the world, all in the pay of the United States Government.

This statement of fact, while based upon the experience of no particular individual, has a numbre of parallels in the service—it was said at Headquarters of the 20th. Not long ago a sergeant was retired from that regiment with between $35,000 and $40,000.00 in cash in his possession. Instances where men have accumulated more than $60,000.00 are not rare, while the number retiring with $10,000.00 or more is large.—"San Antonio Express."

## WITH THE EXCHANGES

### Army And Navy In Prohibition

Public sentiment must be reckoned with in such matters. The popularity of the army and navy would not be enhanced by the employment advocated in circles fanatically committed to Volsteadism. Besides, there are other and simpler steps yet to be taken if congress is sincere in its desire to give the country what the president calls universal and complete prohibition.—Chicago News.

### New Infantry Rifle

The adoption of the weapon would have a profound influence on military tactics, for the infantry is the backbone of the army. The equipment of the individual soldier with a machine gun would permit the delivery of approximately three times its present maximum volume of fire and would eliminate the necessity of special companies carrying the automatics now in use. Regardless of the new weapon's performance, it is likely to encounter a certain degree of objection from army experts, who frown on the rapid firer on the ground that it encourages inaccurate, haphazard firing with a tremendous waste of ammunition. This increases the difficulty of maintaining the ammunition supply in the front lines. The advantage of the new type rifle would be most pronounced in an emergency where the additional volume of fire would be a prominent factor in determining the result. The majority of experts agree that the light automatic rifle is the coming weapon for the world's infantry.—Indianapolis Star.

### Not a Military Job

In his address at the War College commencement, Secretary Weeks laid stress on the American principle of subordination of the military to the civil power. The army would be miscast if mobilized against liquor smugglers and bootleggers. That is not a branch of government service for which military science is adapted or in which military aptitudes are needed. New York Tribune.

### $100,000 For A Peace Plan

The development and progress of the contest for Mr. Bok's prize will be watched with the greatest interest, not only in the United States, but throughout the world. It will at least help to stimulate thought and discussion upon a subject which already ought to engage the best intellectural efforts of every man having the welfare of the human race at heart. We hope that it will result in something more than academic success. But it is apparent that unless the successful contestant carries his project beyond the sphere of mere intellectual discussion into that of practical politics, nothing at all will come of it. And he may be very sure indeed that the practical politician in the hostile camp is already waiting to deal to what ever proposition he may put forth a stagge ing blow.—Christian Science Moniter.

### The French Challenge In the Air

The British have at last recognized the necessity of extending their national defense to the air. Whether they can compete with the French in building planes designed solely for military use we do not know, but it is recognized the United States cannot. A peace time armament on the French scale would not stand a show in congress. But the commercial development of aviation in such a way as to be available for military use when needed ought to enlist the government's interest. If there is to be a race for air supremacy America is concerned both from a commercial and defensive point of view and should not lag.—Kansas City Times.

### Economy In Feeding the Army

Soldiers of the United States were well fed last year for 27 cents a day. That same sum would buy us civilians a ham sandwich and a cup o fcoffee. The soldier is better fed than before the war, yet his daily ration costs only 3.7 cents more. There is much justifiable criticism of government wastefulness, but somehow it doesn't apply to the cost of feeding the army. It is only to be regretted the same authorities who get the soldiers their three good meals a day can't do the same for the rest of us.—El Paso Herald.

### The Bok Prize.

Mr. Bok's offer of a prize of $100,000 for the best plan offered by an American for American co-operation in the maintenance of world peace will be an incentive to deeper thought on the subject. Our policy was entangled in a Gordian knot by what happened in 1919 and 1920. Shall that knot be unraveled, or shall it be cut. How can America best contribute to a permanent peace concert! This is a problem not for statesmen alone but for all those who long for world security and for world progress untroubled by the clash of arms.—New York Tribune.

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## MR. BOK AND THE PLAN FOR MAINTAINING THE WORLD'S PEACE.

**"A Severe War Lurks Under the Shadow of Peace."—Claudianus.**

Now comes Mr. Bok of Lady's Home Journal fame with his offer of one hundred thousand dollars for the citizen of the U. S. who shall devise the most practical plan for the U. S. acting in co-operation with other nations to maintain World Peace." There is nothing new about the apparent desire back of Mr. Bok's offer. The longing for universal peace goes back into antiquity, The only novelty to Mr. Bok's offer is to be found in its dressing. One hundred thousand dollars even in this age of large figures, is still a lot of money. For this sum many ideas should sprout even as the green bay tree, but—will they be prcatical and possible of achievement? Our guess is that they will not.

Some three thousand years ago Aknaton, King of the Upper and Lower Lands, Pharoh of all Egypt, abolished by edict the ancient gods of his land, substituting in their stead the worship of one God. As a theological thinker he was far in advance of his times but as a ruler he was a hopeless failure. Lost in the Pacific mysteries of his religion he allowed province after province of his empire to revolt or be conquered. He nearly ruined the empire and he destroyed his dynasty. Thre is a time for peace but alas there is also a time for War. Aknaton is the first pacifist of history; as a practical man he is one of its first failures.

Doubtless, the "Lion and the Lamb" shall some day lie down together and peace supernal shall reign upon earth. But the day is not yet. To the skeptically inclined, blassed with some knowledge of history and human nature War is an evil that must be endured for many years to come. Indeed, the same skeptic, must believe that if the frisky herbivora mentioned above ever does lie down with the same large feline, the resting place of the former is quite likely to be the stomach of the latter. Yes, and there is doubt if the digestive processes of the lion will be distributed by any qualms of conscious over his criminal act.

A plan to abolish War, to maintain World peace must be practical and how can practicability be obtained, to borrow from Herbert Spencer, while human nature remains human nature for in that quality itself lies the fruitful source of all conflict.

Wars have been fought over questions of politics, of religious creed, of race, and a multitude of other trivial pretexts. But back of every war, somewhere there was the desire to fight for whose final adjustment armed force was necessary. How, are we going to keep men or nations from differing in opinion (a condition far from desirable if progress is to continue? If the disagreement be deep enough and the conflict of interest sufficiently fundamental the supreme law of nature must be appealed to. And that law, all system of ethics to the contrary, is Force. It may be the force of public opinion, it may be the force of armed might but in the last analysis in an animal world physical force will prove a necessity. War is not, as certain erudite Germans, late of the Great General Staff, were prone to maintain a biological necessity but it is a biological fact, taking biology to include all the varied phenomena which go to make up life. As such a fact, taken in consideration with other biological factors, its continued existence seems probable; its abolition by legislation, treaty, or propaganda against, improbable.

Possible some day scientist will create a serum which will destroy the combative instinct and make all men think alike on the vital things of life, (although we must confess that such a state of affairs does not seem too desirable if the progress of the race is to continue.)

But until that day arrives, we hold with Washington that "To be prepared for War is one of the most effective means of preserving Peace."
—J. H. G.

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Now that the Fort Benning Road is to be paved ALL the way out, car owners breathe a sigh of relief while garage owners gnash their teeth.

## TO OUR UNKNOWN FRIEND

When we returned to our sanctum sanitorium Wednesday morning we found on our desk an unsigned manuscropt entitle "Mind Your Business." This contribution was unusually good and the only reason it is not being published in this issue is because it sounds good enough to come from the versatile pen—or typewriter—of our friend Walt Mason, Walt, on account of being forced to make his living in this way, is jealous of having his efforts published without due credit being given him and such is his mercenary spirit that this credit must be in the form of a scrap of paper having printed on its face the words "Pay To The Order Of." The News does not want to give the impression that it believes "Mind Your Business" to be the child of Walt Mason's brain and in order that this literary effort may be published the author is requested to give the News his name—which will be held in confidence, of course—so that the News will be properly protected.

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If the first hundred years are the hardest and nobody weakens during this period where do all good A & R Officers go when they die? (Note: Answers of unit athletic officers will not be printed.)

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The Business Manager has a new heir which fact may account for a number of shortcomings in this sheet this week. It is hoped that he will come down to earth by next week.

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Has anybody noticed the new coat of paint on the Print Shop? The News expects to carry a story about this next week.

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Headquarters building also looks good; the Post Theater has a new roof and has quit leaking. Surely things are "looking up."

## With Our Advertisers

### WHEN A FELLOW NEEDS A FRIEND

It being the 20th of the month and we being in our usual state of financial decrepitude at this time of the month, we drifted into the First National Bank for the purpose of determining the attitude of this institution toward making us a small loan. We approached the proper official with our knees shaking and holding a deposit book in our hand—this being a bluff—where it could be readily seen. After asking this gentlemen his state of health and that of his family and taking on other irrelevant subjects we managed to stammer out our needs. He reached in a drawer, took therefrom and filled in a note for the desired amount, said "Sign here," and sent us on our way rejoicing, just like that.

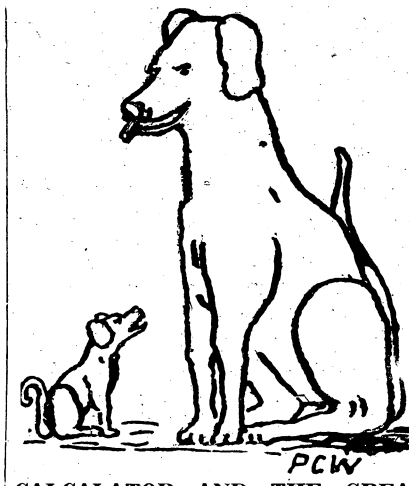
The "White Bank" keeps your few dollars safely for you and if you get in a "tight" they help you out. They do not refuse large deposits either.

We like those fellows.

### THE ANNUAL MONOGRAPH

We did not do this ourselves but we know the officer who did. He had to write a monograph and he did not have time to pick it out on a typewriter. Consequently he wrote his notes out, paid a little visit to Mrs. Pearl Truman at the Ralston Hotel, dictated his monograph to her, received it the next day and as a result of its neat appearance and the correction of grammatical errors by Mrs. Truman he got 97.943 per cent.

Mrs. Truman, incidentally, is the congenial author of our "Jist of Life" Kolyum and her efforts are cordially received by News readers.




## CALCALATOR AND THE GREAT DANE.

Calculator lay panting in the shade in front of the Officers Club when along came the Dane with his head drooping wearily toward the ground. "What Ho" said Calculator, "You seem to feel the heat."

"You bet your bum leg I do" exclaimed the Dane, as he sank down alongside of the little fellow, "this is hard weather on everyone, especially if a person has the usual amount of nerves. But the point I was thinking of was this here closing up proposition at the Post Exchange soda fountain. The other night some of us had been to the 7:30 show which lets out about 9:30 P. M. and decided we would go get a cool drink. It was a good idea and we had the checks already but when we got to the soda fountain in the Service Club the fellow with the apron on had just closed the door and we went home without our "Coke."

"Tis too bad" said Calculator "because so many of the boys would stop in if they would keep open until 10 o'clock, but I suppose those soda poppers have to get some rest."

"That's all true enough," replied the Dane, "but it's an accomodation and some arrangements should be made to keep us from going home 'Cokeless' from the show."

"Right you are Roger" broke in Calculator, "however lets go over to the 'News' office and see how many buckets they use to catch the water that leaks through the Gymnasium roof when it rains.

I also want to ask the Editor what has become of the social news Column they used to run sometime ago.

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The genial Recruiting Officer has a Masonic joke he is distributing, gratis Ask him about it.

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Thirsty days hath September,
April, June and November,
All the rest are thirsty too,
Unless you make your own home brew
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FOR SALE—One pool table in good condition. See Commanding Officer, Co. "G" 29th Infantry.

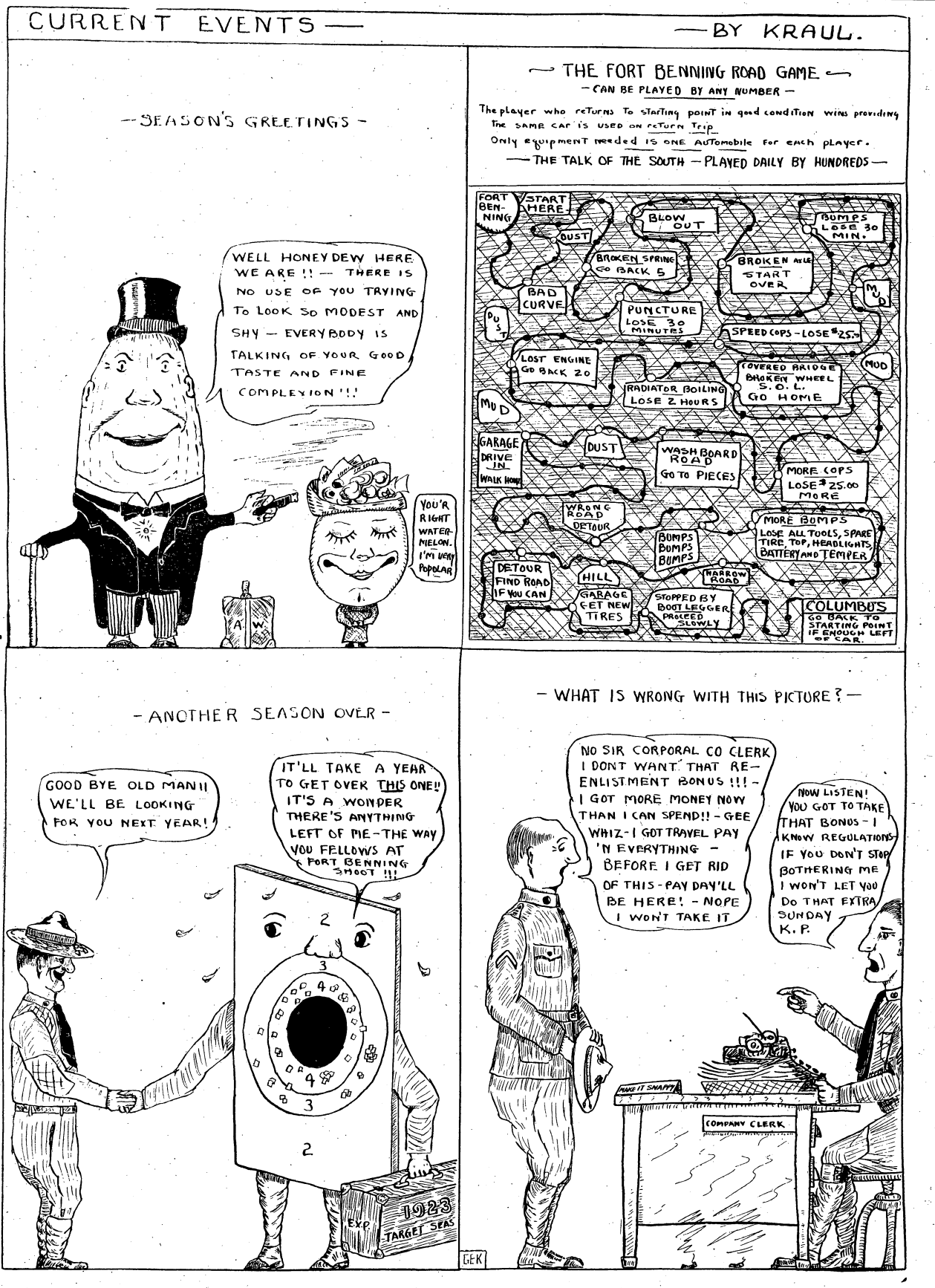
"LOST between commissary 24th Infantry and Block 18 last Thursday night one ladies grey silk elbow glove for right hand. If found please return to Post A. & R. Officer, Post Gymnasium.

### THAT "NE'ER DO WELL"

The following letter has been received from the manager of the agency responsible for supplying this station with motion picture film service and is published because of the fact that it bears out the prognostication made in last week's issue of the News that the fault of the non-receipt of this film lay with no government agency.

"I have received your letter of July 16th relative to a miss out of "Ne'er Do Well." We had investigated this matter in response to your wire and found that this picture was routed to you from Orangeburg, S. C. The Famous Players Lasky Corporation are unable to determine why the picture was not received by you in time in trying to secure other films and has for showing.

"This office appreciates your efforts also taken steps to remedy the situation that you complain of in the matter of cuts and advertising."




## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### THE JIST OF LIFE.

**A Timely Tale.**

Two rookies of the A. E. F. met in Queenstown, Ireland. Just as they had interchanged a mutual "Howdy, Buddy," A Ford passed closely followed by another.

Said one: "What time of day if it when one Ford chases another Ford?"

"Give it up! what's the answer?"

"Tin after tin."

**'Lasses.**

When George came home from school, he joined his brethren at dinner in the old cabin on the plantation. Near the end of the meal. Rastus, a pickaninny of about eight years, said: "Daddy gimme some 'lasses." Gearge said reprovingly, "Rastus, why don't you learn to speak more correctly? You should say 'molasses."

"But, I ain't had none yit," remonstrated Rastus.

**Liberality?**

Mamma: "Did you do as you were told, Louis and give your little brother the best part of the apple?"

Louis: "Yess'm, I gave him the seeds and he can plant 'm and have a whole orchard for himself."

**Grammatical.**

A modern teacher was instructing a class of southern negroes in grammar and she painstakingly explained the conjugation of verbs.

She said, "Now class, the form of these verbs changes in this way: 'I am not going, you are not going, he is not going, we are not going, you are not going, they are not going.' Now do you understand?"

"Yess'um, responded a bright faced urchin."

"Well, let's hear you say it."

"Nobuddy ain't gwine," responded the pupil.

**And to Transformer.**

Mutt—"Say, Nut, can you tell me why a woman is like a street car?"

Nut—"Give up."

Mutt—"Because it takes a man to controller."

**Up to the Minute.**

Jack—"My watch is the smartest around here."

Lou—"Perhaps, but it won't last long."

Jack—"How so?"

Lou—"Why I can tell from the face of it that its hours are numbered!"

# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## FAST EXHIBITION WON BY 29th INF.—SCORE 3-2

### Big Crowd Witnesses Hard Fought Game at Fort Benning — Burns Pitches in Great Style.

By SERGT. EDW. P. LAMB.

In the presence of one of the largest crowds of baseball enthusiasts ever gathered on the post athletic field this year, the seating capacity being entirely taken up and many softly nestling on Mother Earth, the Twenty-ninth Infantry baseball team, under the piloting of Lieut. Hussing, took the champions of the American league (the Infantry School Detachment) into camp and copped the first game of the post season with the score of three to two.

The game was one of the hardest fought and prettiest played games one could ask to see, and even the backers of the I. S. D.. some of whom are a few dollars poorer than they were before the game was played, have no fault to find. It was simply a case of where the best team on this occasion won. It was easily seen from the beginning of the game that with Bolo Burns, Lieut. Hussing's mound artist, pitching superb ball, and all the breaks of the game coming the Twenty-ninth's way, that nothing short of a miracle could save the I. S. D. from defeat. Aside from winning the opener of the annual series to this said Mr. Burns goes the credit of being the first soldier pitcher to administer defeat to the I. S. D. this season.

**Superb Pitching**

While Burns was pitching masterful ball, the brand which the big leaguers hand out, he was also receiving iron-clad support from his teammates. McNutt, the underhand artist, selected by Lieut. Buracher to carry the burden for the I. S. D., also pitched his usual good brand of ball, and like Burns, his team mates were piling up iron-clad support behind him, although it appeared to the official scorer that the left fielder of the I. S. D. had overrated the Twenty-ninth sluggers and was playing his position too deep. McNutt had one bad inning in which all the damage was done that cost the I. S. D. the game, when he allowed three hits in succession and hit the next succeeding batter, all of which netted two runs. After the fifth inning McNutt settled down and held his opponents hitless and runless. Probably what was the most boneheaded play of the entire game was when Kgelstrom hit a pretty single and in his anxiety to make it count for all it was worth endeavored to stretch it into a three-bagger, and when he arrived at the third sack he found Goodwin with McCarthy's peg in his hand, waiting for him, and Kelly's running was over. The Twenty-ninth Infantry rooters went wild when Kgelstrom came to bat in the third inning and sent a smashing drive out to left field for the circuit. The I. S. D. drew the first blood when Suby, who had reached first on a single and sacrificed to second by McCarthy and taken third on a fielder's choice came tearing home on Payne's passed ball.

**Caught at Plate**

Never again did an I. S. D. runner cross the platter until the ninth inning when McCarthy scored when Franz played Wheeler at first. On the other hand, however, two I. S. D. runners were caught at the plate. The wonderful work of Johnson, the left gardner, of the Twenty-ninth, and Heckert, the second sacker, and Hylan the short gardner of the I. S. D., was excellent and received the favorable comments of many fans. In their workout prior to the game, Payne, the backstop of the Twenty-ninth, had some difficulty of getting his pegs to second. The I. S. D. evidently chose to take advantage of this and played the stealing base game and many runners were caught in the attempt. All in all this was a Twenty-ninth Infantry day. The entire regiment of the Twenty-ninth marched to the ball grounds behind their band. At promptly three o'clock the post season series was ushered in when General Gordan, the Post Commander, tossed the first ball over the back stop onto the grounds. The second game of the series will be played at the Post Athletic Field Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. No admission is charged and a cordial invitation is extended to all to the baseball fans of Columbus to attend the game. The Twenty-ninth is coming back with the intention of repeating, while the I. S. D. are determined that this is the only game Lieut. Hussing's men will have to their credit.

The box score:

| Twenty-Ninth Inf. | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kgelstrom, 3b. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Davis, cf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brown, rf. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Johnson, lf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Franz, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| Morrison, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Willis, 2b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Payne, c. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Burns, p. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 3 | 7 | 27 | 11 | 2 |

| I. S. D. | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Heckert, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 0 |
| Suby, 1b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarthy, c. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Waller, lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Wheeler, rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwin, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hodges, cf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hylan, ss. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| McNutt, p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 3 | 6 | 27 | 12 | 1 |

| Score by innings: | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 29th Infantry | 002 010 00—3 | 7 | 2 |
| I. S. D. | 000 000 101—2 | 6 | 1 |

Summary: Thret-base hits, Davis. Home runs, Kgelstrom. Base on balls, off McNutt, 1. Struck out by McNutt 5, Burns 6. Hit by pitched ball, Goodwin by Burns, Johnson by McNutt. Left on bases, I. S. D., 4; Twenty-ninth Infantry 4. Earned runs, I. S. D. 1, Twenty-ninth Infantry, 3. Sacrifice hits, Franz, Willis, Burns, McCarthy, Waller. Stolen bases, Goodwin, Hylan 2. Umpires, Hansen, Nonnen.

## We Do Not Vouch For This—

Here's one on General Castner, clipped from the Washington Times:

Brig. Gen. J. C. Castner, U. S. A., and well known in this city, having been at one time assigned by the War Department as Adjutant General of the District of Columbia Militia, appeared in Paris one day after a trip from the front with the Fifth Division.

The General has had wide experience in the army, having received many difficult and trying assignments, some of them in the wilds of Alaska, and he is noted for his frankness.

Shortly after he arrived in the French capital, wearing the bright sliver star of a brigadier general on his shoulder, he met General Pershing, Commander of the American Expeditionary Forces. After heart greetings General Pershing said to General Castner, looking with surprise at his stars:

"Whoever had the nerve to recommend you to be a brigadier general Castner."

"Oh, I don't know," responded Castner, in his straight-from-the-shoulder manner. "I suppose some old foss who didn't know what he was doing.

That ended it for the time, and the two laughingly parted. But when the war was over and General Castner returned to Washington he found that he had been made a brigadier general on the highest recommendation of General Pershing himself—Red Diamond.

## AMATEUR BOXING TOURNAMENT

The Boxing fever has taken hold of the post in the past few weeks. Every day the Gymnasium is crowded with amatuer aspirants to boxing fame. The tournament to be held some time in September will bring out some very fine young talent and from the looks of things some of the Corps Area Champions will have to look to their laurels when the winners in the various classes of the Amateur Tournament are announced. Their training stunts are all on the lines of the old professional boxer and their enthusiasm is of the highest order. The temperature at the Gymnasium is just right for men training with the view of taking off weight and conditioning themselves for a hard struggle and these amateurs work with a will that can only bring success. It is hoped that this tournament will bring out the necessary material to enable Fort Benning to again reign supreme in the Corps Area but the struggle to hold our Boxing Championship this year will meet with greater competition from the other Posts in the Area, than it has in the past few years. It is up to our amateurs to work hard to be able, when the Gong sounds for the Corps Area Boxing Champsionship, to bring the Championship again back to Fort Benning. With this end in view let us get behind these men who are eager and willing to train for their respective bouts, encourage them and help them to train faithfully; then we will have the satisfaction of feeling that if we are beaten we at least made the other Posts fight and fight hard to gain even one Championship from Benning.

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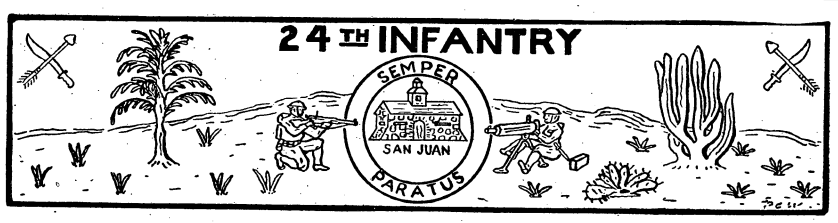


**Service Company.**

Private Robert Thaddieus after serving three years in the 9th Cavalry, and Private Eugene Jackson after serving three years at the West Point Military Academy, have just returned to the 24th Infantry, and have been assigned to Service Company. These men are good men and valuable soldiers. They were both formerly of the 24th Infantry and are as proud of their return as we are to have them return.

**Company "A"**

Say; have you heard the news? "A" Company has completed shooting for this year, and just as we expected, not a man unqualified. Our poorest shot made 241 as a score. This is how we stand 9 er, 6 ss, 5 mm with the Service Rifle, with the "Automatic Pistol," 4ss with the last named weapon we are proud to know that we have past the mark we heretofore made. With the season of next year we expect to do far better than we have done this year. Every man in Co. "A" likes to shoot, and besides he knows he has got to shoot to keep the ones that can shoot from crawling on his neck for not shooting and following the instruction as given him. Thanks to good instruction!

Private Cooper left Monday for the world. He stole away. I wonder is he going to steal back here. Of course if he thinks he can better his condition he is right for leaving, but if he just went to make his word true while his heart and soul is in the Army, he is foolish. He left a Private 1st Class. I am telling you if he returns one hour after the time he should have re-enlisted, he will be a "Buck Private" Then he will see what foolishness does for a wise man who don't think off his nose.

**Company "C"**

Attention! "C" Company, Stop! Look and take particular notice that we have a new Shiek, in our midst. If you don't believe it ask the Shebas. Say Mays old dear, what have you that lures them? It is a puzzle to us, but you certainly showed plenty of speed Sunday.

Private first class Washington, was discharged Saturday, July 21st with character "Excellent" and we can truthfully say that he was well deserving of the character given. Mr. Washington, expects to make his future home at Harrisburg, Penn.

Pudding, you certainly are in hard luck; but perhaps it will change by September. Watch your step old boy.

**Company "D"**

Sergt. N. G. Jones, known as "Grundy" should be one of the Army's best pistol shots, due to the fact that he has been on the Pistol Range since May 1st. In adding his total score made from May 1st to date we find that he has about 40 per cent. He has worn out two pair of service shoes walking from the supply room to the pistol range, which is about 250 yards. Cheer up "Grundy" we notice that you are getting better, for the last string you fired at 50 yds. you were getting good dust at 25 yards.

Corporal Murrell and Brookshire were discharged on the 15th inst., reenlisted on the 16th and are very happy with their new three-years. Three cheers for "Pap" and "Pea Head," this is proving that the kind policy of our Company Commander (Capt. E. E. Walker) is very much appreciated.

"Chubby" one of the company's oldest veterans has put the company in grief by talking of re-enlisting for Company "H" after serving in this company since 1914. Cheer up, "Chubby" old boy, we know that you were unfortunate and had a terrible fall, but be a Man, cover the ground upon which you stand, face your difficulties with a smile and you will find that the C. O. will always make two steps toward you, your chance is always bright in "D" Co.

**Company "E"**

Sergeant Fisher is so interested in the shooting of the new Soldiers that he goes to sleep. He will be telling them in his sleep that it is good for you have the right elevation. Carry it on, trooper.

Majors, has been promoted from Machine. I am sure you are glad. Stand up for the troops, "Funny Paper."

Private 1st Class Vanhook, is in favor of shooting Corporal Eb. Dawson off the target this season. If he does we will give him a prize for the first time. Don't worry Neiwtt he is arar-ing.

**Company "G"**

**We've heard it said!**

That the annual target season will be completed on or before July 31, 1923. All men that have fired the record course in rifle marksmanship have qualified. At present we have ten men who are to finish the record course by July 31st, including 1st Lt. James A. Murphey, our present company commander, who is leading the way for the above ten men. We feel sure that when the last bark from the old famous 30-30 has been heard, the last target pulled, the value of the shot registered, "G" Company will be classed 100 per cent.

That the "Medical Staff" will be greatly increased before the next monthly physical inspection of this command.

That the new quarters for the 24th Infantry will soon be under way of construction. That the baseball season will soon be over. That football season will take its place. That the helment used in last year's football games will be discarded. The new type which they have on the market and are expected to use is the suction-type.

That the Regimental Pool Hall, under the supervision of its efficient managers are coining a nice sum for the Regimental Fund each month.

That machinery for a National Negro Political Organization was set in motion today at a meeting of negro leaders from eighteen states. More than two hundred delegates met at Fitzgerald Auditorium to draw up a platform demanding equal political equality within the Republican Party.

That 2,410,906 visitors visited the Bronx Zoo in the past year. That the 37th annual report of the New York Zoological Society disclosed the fact that visitors to the zoo during the past year totaled 2,410,906, while the Aquarium numbered 2,121,996, both institutions reported as being in a prosperous condition.

**Company "H"**

Corporal Earl Clowers was discharged Saturday. He was so anxious to return to the service that he made a call upon the Recruiting Officer (by appointment) on Sunday, notwithstanding the fact that heretofore, it has often been considered that contracts entered into on Sunday were considered void. However, it seems that Uncle Sam will go the limit for the right kind of man, and to show that our Dear Old Uncle meant to be within the law this man was required to report on Monday afternoon for completion of his enlistment.

Private 1st Class Joe C. McCloud was discharged on Sunday and re-enlisted on Monday. Nevertheless, he has regularly attended our mess formation. Well, old boy, there's no reason why you should use money which comes but every three years to purchase what is prepared and given you just for being there to get it. We do know that you were able to make private purchases had you desired to do so.

Well, boys, we intend to serve you cordially for the next three years, so don't call it a long time. A move not only would give us a nice little soldierly railway trip and change of scenery, but transportation upon our next separation from the service.

**Company "I"**

SERGEANT STEGER'S DREAM

Tent No. 8 was sleeping—even the flies on the mosquito netting over Doc Williams water-melon had all but droned themselves to sleep. Cook Collin's youngest mocking bird, the runt, was stuffing himself to sleep. Poor old Mike (Reuben's dog) lay asleep outside tent No. 8. The oldest Mocking bird had slipped out of his cage and was lying with one foot and wing stretched lazily in the shade. Collins himself slept, his chair tilted against the wall. His gray mustache was streaked with "terbacker" juice around the edges, and was dust coated. His fat paunch billowing and falling with the same breath that escaped in whistling, wheezeing, tank-like snores.

Into this sleeping, sweltering tent, slouched the giant, loose-hinged Maltese Cat of Liff Johnson, with a clown like face. He started investigations. First one saucer of water for Collin's pets, which cause a movement of his tongue on dusty lips. The noise waked the mocking bird and Mike, but Collins was sleeping the sleep of 4 o'clock Reveille and did not awaken. Sweet Peaches! The bird in his fluttering attracted the cat's attention. Naturally Mike got interested. The bird flew for his cage, the cat jumped for the bird, Mike ran for the cat, and Private Rueben Woods right after Mike and in doing so his left foot struck the back leg of Collin's chair. The chair jerked forward—a siren whistle, a chocking wheeze, a final bellow and Collins sat upright, rubbing his head, blinking red watery eyes at the destruc-

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## Hints on Etiquette
**By Ima Lyer**

**Outfitting The Bride:**

Having gone through the various wedding anniversaries from the fifth to the fifteenth we remembered that we overlooked mentioning the bride's trousseau in our anxiety to get her safely married and celebrating her anniversaries.

The groom-elect should see that his bride-to-be is fittingly equipped for both her wedding and for a period of at least one year afterward. Such custom arises from the fact that after a year the bride finds it increasingly difficult to even get a new hat and she has learned through the ages to get things while the getting is good. Who does the equipping is a matter ordinarily requiring arbitration. If the groom feels that his future bride may run up bills for him to pay after the wedding he ordinarily takes things in hand himself and makes such purchases as he sees fit and believes to be required.

To attempt to list in this limited space the articles required by a bride would be futile. In the first place the articles are too personal in their nature and, in the second place, different people have different tastes and what might be considered the proper thing by this writer might meet with disapproval by other people. In the interest of pacifism a complete list will not be made but such things as aprons, dust caps, manicure sets, shaving mugs, and the like should always be included.

The bridal veil should be long and voluminous so large, in fact, as to almost wholly conceal the bride. Again we have an old tradition establishing this custom coming down from the days of our illustrations forefather, Adam, who got his bride while he was asleep, didn't know what he was getting, and the daughters of Eve ever since have kept the man in doubt. Consequently the veil for concealment.

The bride's bouquet is of primary importance because of the fact that it must be thrown at somebody. The custom of throwing articles at the bride and groom is said to be based on the fact that the party who is hit by the bouquet of the bride craves vengeance and, gathering his or her loyal supporters, things suitable for throwing purposes are gathered together and heaved brideward. To get back to the bouquet itself, this should be of almost any attractive flower. Roses, only, are about the only flower excepted. Bearing as they do such close relation to funerals they should not be used for the bouquet even though certain cynics-usually men who have been married a long time or bachelors—express certain opinions relative to the sameness of marriages and funerals. Such remarks are, of course facetious.

In the next issue important advice will be given with regard to funerals.

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A young Italian, accredited with a mythical fortune, was perpetually being pestered with greetings from a Black Hand Society. To these he turned a disinterested ear. Much angered by this disregard these Angels of Mercy sent the young Italian this note:

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tion of his menegarie, asking, had he been asleep? Woods told him "no, he was trying to make a watch." Now Collins and Liff Johnson had started a zoo.

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Private Clarence Moore, lately discovered by Owen Hill as one of the seven wonders, wants to see if there is anybody that can tell him whether one of Moore's legs was too long or the other too short.

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Sgt. Campbell wants to know why a motor car with only one horn can toss a man farther than a cow with two.

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**Company "K"**

Now that Sgt. Powell has been placed in charge of the Company baseball team, we are going to clean up all of the other teams of the Regt.

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Sgt. Garrett (Tailor-made) erstwhile expert ink-spilled, field clerk, official dopester of Company "K" completed 3 more years service and sworn to do 3 years more is back on the job again.

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Cpl. Overstreet (Slim Jim) after completing 3 years enlistment, one big night, and a little white dog, has taken on 3more. "ALL IS WELL THAT ENDS WELL."

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Look out Mearchant and Green. Watch your steps, or somebody will loud talk you when some one comes back home.

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Last Tuesday "K" Company received back one of her lost sheep. No, he wasn't "hungry" or "ragged" for he could only stay away from his beans about two weeks. He confidentially informed the Top Kick that "they ain't much work in the section where I went to." Well Claude, you din't make a wrong landing if it is work—and chow you are looking for. You are now an old soldier with an "R" in front of your serial number.

Note—(Recruiting officer please post above on your Bulletin Board.)

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**Company "L"**

Sgt. H. Session (Shady Rest) the members of your company would like to know why it takes you one (1) solid hour to drive from Big City to the Fort. Something is wrong Bob you will have to come with a better tale than that for our change. Enough said.

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Pvt. Purvis Cole (Chaplain) The War Department wishes you much success in your new surroundings (Started to go out and re-upped.

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Pvt. Walter Bennett (Lawyer) was seen at the lower part of the Company street with push cart load.

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Steady Private King don't get rocky on your new road you have 3 MILES to travel yet.

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Private Robert Davis (Small Fish) says he cleaned his rifle and (Pop) Sergeant Jennings looked it over and found a small thread at the heel of his rifle. Davis says he did, Pop says he didn't. They both got justice when the Company Commander got his eyes on things. Real, honest to Jerry Justice too. Be careful small fish and have everything in tip top shape.

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The said Company Commander told the said Private that it looked to him he hadn't dug a ditch in so long he figured he had better dig one before long, and let it extend from front to rear. Who could that have been Pvt. W. A. Bennett.

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**Company "M"**

Pvt. Alsea Dawson is all in now since he received a letter from some one up in Ohio. We know it is one of the best letters a soldier ever received, but we are in doubt to know whether it was a Final Statement or those Seventy-five squids, anyway it was a card of thanks.

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We had our first chance to see a miracle Saturday, last, when "I" and "M" Companies played ball. The other team gave us a shut out after boiling up all the way. It was a miracle how the team kept off the restricted list.

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Pvt. Laster Thomas, the Co. Barber is back on the job now after spending three week's furlough on the target range. It seems that he is trying to go from sharpshooter on the range to expert in the shop. He succeeded in producing a bald head with one hair out.

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Corporal Jennings was a picture of Industry yesterday when making out a new Company Regulation, working his typewriter so fast that he had to have a bucket of water to throw on it when he machine got heated up. He used the well known H and F system, same as you and I.

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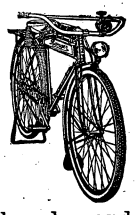

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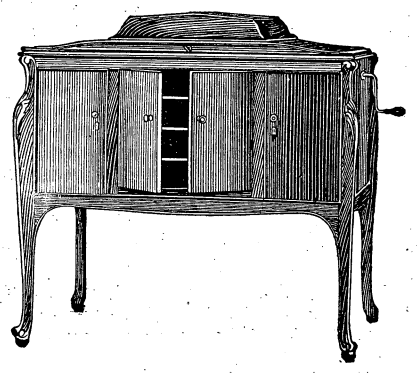

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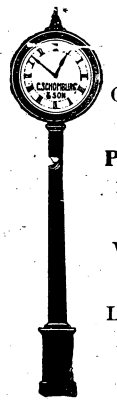

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## THE PICTURES NEXT MONTH.

### Nightly Programs Are Good.

That Fort Benning will receive during August pictures which compare favorably with any program being exhibited by the city theatres is shown by reading over the following program.

Such pictures as "The Isle of Lost Ships," "Mightly Like A Rose," "Children of Jazz," "The Flirt," and "The Face on the Barroom Floor," make this program above the average.

The program follows:

**July 29.**

Driven, 6, C. Mack, Consol. Stung 2, Jones, Pathe.

**July 30.**

The Man Next Door, 7, James Morrison, Vitagraph. Fox News, 1.

**July 31.**

Grumpy, 7, Theodore Roberts, Famous. The Dude, 1, Cameo, Edu.

**August 1.**

Isle of Lost Ships, 7, Milton Sills, 1st Natl. The Barnyard, 2, Larry Seamon, Vitagraph.

**August 2.**

Great Night, 5, Russell, Fox. Young and Dumb, 2, Al St. John, Fox. Fox News, 1.

**August 3.**

Your Friend and Mine, 7, W. Mack, Metro. Pathe Review, 1. Roach Comedy.

**August 4.**

Woman With Four Faces, 7, Compson, Famous. Staurday Morning, 2, Our Gang, Pathe.

**August 5.**

Mighty Lak A Rose, 8, D. Mackall, 1st Natl. Fresh Fish, 2.

**August 6.**

Dr. Jack, 5, Harold Lloyd, Pathe. Thrills and Spills, 2, Novelty, Fox. Fox News.

**August 7.**

The Exciters, 7, Bebe Daniels, Famous. Torchy's Feud, 2.

**August 8.**

Scars of Jealousy, 7, F. Keenan, 1st Natl. Non Stop Kid, 1, Harold Lloyd.

**August 9.**

What Wives Want, 5, Special Cast, Consol. A Fresh Heir, 2, Sunshine. Fox News.

**August 10.**

Forgotten Law, 6, Milton Sills, Metro. Pathe Review, 1. Roach Comedy.

**August 11.**

Law of the Lawless, 7, Dalton, Famaus. Fighting Blood, 2.

**August 12.**

Town that Forgot God, 7, Special, Fox. California or Bust, 2, Pollard, Pathe.

**August 13.**

My Wild Iirish Rose, 7, D. Mackall, Vitagraph. Fox News, 1.

**August 14.**

Children of Jazz, 7, Btbe Daniels, Famous. Story of Ice, 1.

**August 15.**

Money, Money, Money, 5, McDonald, 1st National. Detective, 2, Aubrey.

**August 16.**

Catch My Smoke, 5, Tom Mix, Fox. The Salesman, 2, Al St. John, Fox. Fox News, 1.

**August 17.**

Woman of Bronze, 7, Younge, Metro. Pathe Review, 1. Roach Comedy, 1.

**August 18.**

Sixty Cents An Hour, 6, Walter Hiers, Famous. Rambling Romeo, 2.

**August 19.**

The Flirt, 8, Special Cast, Consol. Giants vs. Yanks, 2, Our Gang.

**August 20.**

Ninety and Nine, 7, Special Cast, Vitagraph. Fox News, 1.

**August 21.**

Remembrance, 6, Special Cast, Goldwyn. Pair of Sixes, 2.

**August 22.**

Daddy, 6, Jackie Coogan, 1st Natl. Flirts, 1, H. Lloyd.

**August 23.**

Boss of Camp 14, 5, Jomes, Fox. PoPor Fish, 2, Sunshine. Fox News, 1.

**August 24.**

Town Scandal, 5, Walton, Consol. Pathe Review, 1. Roach Comedy.

**August 25.**

Tents of Allah, 5, Blue, Pathe. Torchy's Holdup, 2.

**August 26.**

Masters of Men, 7, Williams, Vitagraph. Number PPlease, 2, H. Lloyd, athe.

**August 27.**

Face on the Barroom Floor, 6, Walthall, Fox. Ancient Rome, 1, Novelty. Fox News, 1.

**August 28.**

Burning Words, 5, Frank Mayo, Consol. Pure and Simple, 2.

**August 29.**

Sunshine Trial, 6, Douglas McClain, 1st Natl. Doggone Torchy, 2.

**August 30.**

Clouded Name, 6, Special Cast, Pathe. Double Trouble, 2, Lee Kids. Fox News, 1.

**August 31.**

Famous Mrs. Fair, 8, Niblo, Metro. Pathe Review, 1. Roach Comedy,

**September 1.**

The Bright Shawl, 7, Dorothy Gish, 1st Natl. Sad Sea Waves, 1, H. Lloyd, Pathe.

## CAMP KNOX ESTABLISHES RECORD

### Many High Ranking Officers Make Visit

Either there is something wrong at Camp Knox or it is one of the most popular stations in the Army at this time. The News is of the opinion that the latter is the case.

Within the past week Camp Knox has been visited by general officers in large numbers as is shown by the following list:

General Pershing, Major General McRae, Major General Tyndall, 38th Division, Brigadier General Denhardt, 75th Infantry Brigade, Brigadier Ellerbe Carter, 76th Artillery Brigade, Brigadier General Harold W. Bush, 62nd Ohio Artillery Brigade, Brigadier General L. R. Gignilliat, Culver Military Academy, Brigadier General H. J. Reilly, O. R. C., General Jackson Morris, Adjutant General of Kentucky, General C. R. Charnock, Adjutant General of West Virginia.

Brigadier General Dwight E. Aultman is in command at Camp Knox, a total of eleven general officers of the Regular Army, National Guard, and Officers Reserve Corps present at the station during the week.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## BIG POLO TOURNAMENT TO BE PLAYED.

### British Polo Team To Play Army.

Representative polo teams of the British and American Armies will meet at the Meadow Brook Club, Long Island, N. Y., the first week in September in the first of an annual series of polo championship matches, marking a departure in international polo events. The Polo Association of New York was instrumental in arranging the event. The match will be decided by the best two out of three games.

Acceptance by the British Army of the Association's invitation was due principally to General Pershing, who communicated to General, the Earl of Cavan, Chief of the General Staff of the British Army, the hope that such events would lead not only to the development of polo in the respective armies, but would tend to foster and extend the pleasant relations between nations.

A remarkable growth of enthuisiasm for polo in the American Army, coupled with the success of its team in winning the junior polo cup last year, led it to arrange the international contest which will be played alternately in England and the United States.

The Army has acquired a number of fine polo mounts for use of its more than 1,000 players and it is probable that a preliminary tourney will be held by the Army some time in August to determine the personnel of the American team—Recruiting News.

## I. S. D. WINS ANOTHER ONE

### Cannoneers Are Victims This Time. By Sergt. J. M. Wheeler

The I. S. D. playing like champions, defeated the Artillery in the last game of the American League by the one-sided score of 9 to 1. It was more of a practice game than anything else, as Lt. Buracker used Bennett, Lindsey and Swantic in the box. All three of the hurlers looked good.

The Artillery was held scoreless until the ninth, when Samolvich took second on a wild heave by Bill, went to third on a sacrifice and scored a moment later on a wild pitch.

The hitting stars were Johnny Hyland, who connected with a home run and a single, while Dickson got three singles out of four trips.

This was the last game of the Detachment until the series Wednesday with the 29th. This afternoon they will go through with a light workout, which will consist mostyl of batting practice. The score by innings of yesterday's game follows:

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|---|---|---|---|
| I. S. D. | 110 002 | 23—9 | 13 4 |
| Artillery | 000 000 001—1 | | 5 4 |

Bennett, Lindsey, Swantic and McCarthy; Bruno and Wycoff.

Umpires, Big Jim and Red Austin.

## INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM

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Weather conditions have been ideal. The firing has started daily at 8:00 A. M. without fail. Exceptional scores are being made at 200 yards offhand under the new conditions of firing without the sling but the rapid fire at 200 and 300 yards at the "A" target is proving quite a stumbing block for many. The standing of the first fifty men indicates that in the next two times over, in which scores will be doubled, every man has a chance to finish among the first nineteen, the number composing the final infantry team squad.

In addition to the excellent work with the rifle, Captain Hedden, coach of the pistol team reports splendid scores. Candidates for the pistol squad fire the National Match Course over several times each afternoon. Among those who are showing exceptional ability in work with the pistol are Major Newgarden, Captain Hedden, Lieut. Hinds, Lieut. Vermette and Sgt. Velenage. About thirty candidates are out for the pistol squad. Under supervision of Captain Hedden the pistol range has been reconstructed and placed in excellent shape. Upon completion of the rifle tryouts, the pistol tryouts will be held the results of which will be published in these columns.

Last Saturday the team visited the Shredded Wheat Company in Niagara Falls and had a very interesting trip. This Saturday a party of about forty will visit the Carborundum Company where the famous Carborundum stones are made. These trips have been very successful and have given those who attended a splendid idea of the manufacturing section that is near Fort Niagara. In addition to the trips the squad enjoy the band concerts of the 28th Infantry band and as the bathing season is open quite a number visit the nearby beach for a plunge.

The morale of the team is excellent. Considering the strain of competition, the steady hard grind of daily firing, the team officals are highly pleased with the spirit that is being shown by every man on the squad. Splendid team spirit is in evidence thruout the squad, the low men pulling for those who are making a strong fight to win out and the high men hoping the low ones will pull up. The daily routine has not changed during the tryout, the morning being started off with the setting up exercises at 6:30 The afernoon periods are allowed for and the firing starts promptly at 8:00. Relaxation consists of checking up equipment or individual dummy drill by those who desire it.

Lieut. L. J. Harrant, captain of the 1922 pistol team has received the silver medal awarded by the National Rifle Association as winner of the 50 yard small bore pistol championship.

The candidates for the fur lined cuspidor and rubber barreled rifle trophy are increasing daily. Captain W. A. Hedden has succeeded Major Hicks, editor of the 1922 Snapshooters Bulletin, as editor of the 1923 edition and is proving a worthy successor. Another addition to the publication of the squad is a daily bulletin which contains not only frivolous facts but more or less serious matter that is of interest to the squad. Through the mediums of the daily bulletin and the snapshooters bulletin, great fun is had at the expense of those who are unfortunate to derive such publicity.

### Record Tryout.

The following scores for the first five candidates for the Infantry Rifle Team were made on July 16th and 17th, 1923, the third time over the course. Target "A" user for all rapid fire with regular time allowance.

| No. | Name, Rank and Organization | S.F. 200 | R.F. 200 | R.F. 300 | S.F. 600 | S.F. 1000 | Prior Total | Aggregate Total | gate |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Broderick, M. L. 1st. Lt. 11 Inf. | 47 | 50 | 49 | 47 | 97 | 290 | 574 | 864 |
| 2. | Hinds, S. R. 2nd Lt. 3 Inf. | 48 | 50 | 48 | 49 | 90 | 285 | 572 | 857 |
| 3. | Bartow, D. M., Capt. Inf. | 47 | 47 | 47 | 47 | 94 | 282 | 568 | 850 |
| 4. | Mollerstrom, P. S., 1st Sergt. 17 Inf. | 46 | 48 | 48 | 48 | 92 | 282 | 565 | 847 |
| 5. | Mapes, P. W. Capt. 9 Inf. | 46 | 46 | 49 | 48 | 87 | 276 | 566 | 842 |

**July 17th and 18th.**

| No. | Name, Rank and Org'zat'n | S.F. 200 | R.F. 200 | R.F. 300 | S.F. 600 | S.F. 1000 | Total | Prior add | Aggregate Total | gate |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Broderick, M. L. 1st Lt. 11 Inf. | 46 | 48 | 48 | 48 | 95 | 284 | 142 | 864 | 1290 |
| 2. | Hinds, S. R. 2nd Lt. 3 Inf. (a) | 44 | 48 | 48 | 47 | 93 | 280 | 140 | 857 | 1277 |
| 3. | Mollerstrom, P. S. 1st Sgt. 17 Inf. | 44 | 49 | 50 | 49 | 93 | 285 | 142 | 847 | 1274 |
| 4. | Bartow, D. M. Capt. Inf. | 44 | 47 | 45 | 47 | 95 | 278 | 139 | 850 | 1267 |
| 5. | Mapes, P. W. Capt. 9 Inf. | 45 | 48 | 49 | 48 | 92 | 282 | 141 | 842 | 1265 |

**July 19th and 20th**

| No. | Name, Rank and Org'zat'n | S.F. 200 | R.F. 200 | R.F. 300 | S.F. 600 | S.F. 1000 | Total | Prior add | Aggregate Total | gate |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Broderick, M. L. 1st Lt. 11 Inf. | 43 | 47 | 47 | 48 | 96 | 281 | 140 | 1290 | 1711 |
| 2. | Hinds, S. R. 2nd Lt. 3 Inf. (a) | 48 | 49 | 49 | 47 | 91 | 284 | 140 | 1277 | 1703 |
| 3. | Mollerstrom, P. F. 1st Sgt. 17 Inf. | 45 | 49 | 48 | 46 | 96 | 284 | 142 | 1274 | 1700 |
| 4. | Brian, A. R. Capt. 42 Inf. | 44 | 48 | 49 | 49 | 94 | 284 | 142 | 1261 | 1687 |
| 5. | Mapes, P. W. Capt. 9 Inf. | 47 | 50 | 46 | 47 | 91 | 281 | 140 | 1265 | 1686 |

## COPY OF 11th INFANTRY COAT-OF-ARMS RECEIVED

The News is in receipt of a copy of the 11th Infantry Coat-of-Arms. The design is very attractive. The following description of the Coat-of-Arms is taken from orders issued on the subject by that regiment:

"The present Eleventh Infantry was organized in 1869 by the consolidation of the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth regiments. The Twenty-fourth Infantry was originally the Second Battalion, Fifteenth Infantry, being organized in 1861, and during the greater part of the Civil War was in the First Division, Fourteenth Army Corps, which had a red acorn as the badge. The Twenty-ninth Infantry was originally the Third Battalion, Eleventh Infantry, also organized in 1861 and serving in the Second Division, Fifth Army Corps, with a white maltese cross as the badge. In the World War the regiment was in the Fifth Division with a red lozenge as the badge. The combination of these three badges forms the crest.

"The shield is blue, the Infantry color, and carrying (1) the castle from the arms of Spain for the Spanish War. (2) Satanta's "arrow" to show Indian Wars. The most important Indian campaign of this regiment was against the Kiowas, Comanches and Cheyenne in 1874. Santanta was a noted Kiowa chief who died just previous to this campaign. His "arrow" was really a spear with feathers on the end and a handle. (3) Crossed kampilan and bolo to show engagements against the Moros of Mindanao and the Filipinos of the Visayas respectively. (4) A chief of honorable augmentation to commemorate the World War, bearing the cross of the ancient Lords of Dun, to commemorate the crossing of the Heuse at Dun, the great achievement of the Fifth Division in that War. (5) The embattled partition represents the siege of a fortified place, in this case, the siege of Chattanooga in 1863, the first engagement of this regiment (Second Battalion,) Fifteenth Infantry"

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.

9:00 A. M.—Morning service in charge of the Protestant Clergy of Columbus.

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School, Lieut. Custer in charge.

6:00 P. M. — Evening Song, Mrs. Cooper in charge.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL**

Block 7, Hall avenue.

8:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon.

10:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon. No Sunday School during the summer months.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY**

Sunday

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Services.

5:00 P. M.—Evening Services.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 P. M. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on Duty:**

Protestant — Stephen R. Wood; Alexander W. Thomas, Telephone 100.

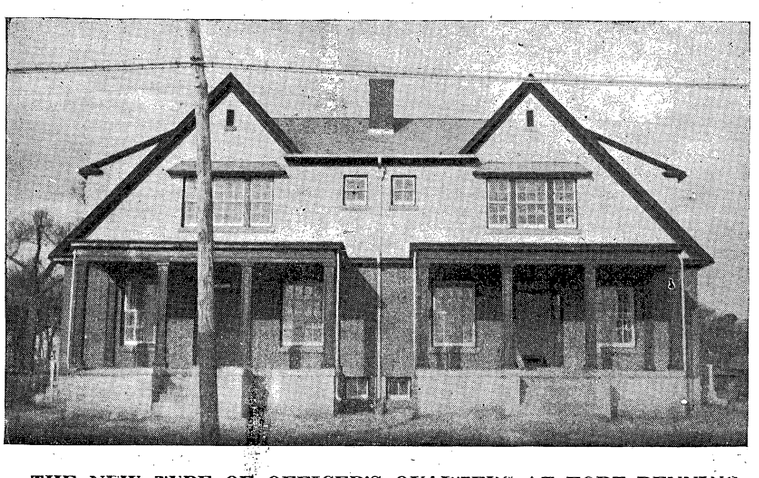
Catholic—T. J. Lennan, Telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 13248-W., Post 74.

### ATTENTION POLO PLAYERS.

**The Blue Polo Team, an aggregation heretofore composed of bolsheviks, freebooters, growlers, and everybody but bootleggers needs players from next year's classes. Only one pleyer is left at Fort Benning from last year's Blue Team. He's weakening. The Blue team has certain traditions to uphold. The chief of these is the virtue of hard riding, sportsmanlike playing, and being good losers.' Incoming Polo players are requested to list their names with the Recreation Officer, Fort Benning, Ga.**

**NOTE: Bootleggers applying for positions this year must conceal their identity.**



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### FIFTH INFANTRY RANGE SEASON

**Makes Good Record Under Difficulties**

The Fifth Infantry moved from its permanent station at Portland Harbor, Maine, on May 7 and the same week all of the rifle companies of the regiment went into Camp at the Cranberry Pond Rifle Range, three miles from the center of Camp Devens, Mass., with the exception of "I" and "K" Companies. These companies remained on the range for one month or until June 8, when they returned to Camp Devens and "I" and "K" Companies, together with those men of Headquarters and Service Companies armed with the rifle, moved to the camp. The latter organizations completed record on June 30.

On account of climatic conditions at Portland Harbor, practically all preliminary instruction was carried on indoors; the rifles throughout the regiment were very old and had seen excessive use in Germany in demonstrations and maneuvers; the ammunition, of the 1918 model, was distrusted by many and, altogether, the outlook for a successful record seemed doubtful, to say the least. To add to the difficulties already enumerated, much time was lost on the range by reason of smoke from forest fires in Maine and Canada, it being impossible at times to fire the longer ranges on account of it.

To offset these unfavorable conditions there was, throughout the regiment, the spirit of determination to make a creditable showing for the target season. The entire personnel of the regiment, from the Commanding Officer to the youngest recruit, of which the regiment has some two hundred, was imbued with a determination to do his part and more, if possible, to maintain the high standard of the regiment.

When the last target was marked

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### BIG CONTROVERSY STARTED

**Fat Butcher Denies Statement of Great Dane**

In a recent issue of the News the Great Dane, in an argument with Calculator, stated that the Fat Butcher at the Sales Commissary was never known to give a hungry dawg a bone. During the conversation Calc seemed non-committal having misgivings, no doubt, about the internal capacity of the Great Dane and realizing that a little dawg did not stand much of a show against a big dawg when it came to the matter of bones.

Now comes the Fat Butcher at the Sales Commissary who says, "I am putting out nice bones daily to Calculator. Old Calc shops like anyone else and gives me a growl occasionally. The Great Dane is A. W. O. L. from the Commissary. No doubt this fact accounts for his recent complaint to Calculator about never receiving any bones."

As soon as the above statement arrived at the News office the Office Dawg was dispatched to find both Calculator and the Great Dane for the purpose of investigating the matter of the stinginess of the Fat Butcher and, if the allegation of the Fat Butcher that the Great Dane was A. W. O. L. was a fact, to have the Great Dane make amends or qualify his former statement. The Office Dawg reached Calc just as he was getting aboard the afternoon train for Columbus. As soon as old Calc found what the News Office Dawg wanted he remarked that he was not going to spoil a good thing and that further than this he cared to make no other statement. He did say, however, that the Fat Butcher was not as bad as he was painted and that while the bones under discussion were sometimes rather bare of meat at the same time "bones are bones" and the Fat Butcher sometimes does come across if a fellow gives him the

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**Beginning August 5, 1923 and Ending August 11, 1923.**

24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday, August 5, 1923**

"Mighty Lak'A Rose" 8 reels, D. Mackall. "Fresh Fish" 2 reels.

**Monday, August 6, 1923**

"Dr. Jack" 5 reels, Harold Lloyd. (This is a scream, you can't afford to miss it) "Thrills and Spills" 1 reel, Novelty. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, August 7, 1923.**

"The Exciters" 7 reels, Bebe Daniels (If you want thrills and lots of excitement, you'll find it in this picture; if you have nerve trouble, don't come as we won't have time to carry you out.) "Torchy's Fued" 2 reels, Torchy

**Wednesday, August 8, 1923**

"Scars of Jealousy" 7 reels, F. Keenan. "Non-Stop Kid" 1 reel, H. Lloyd.

**Thursday, August 9, 1923**

"What Wives Want," 5 reels, Special Cast. (Attention married men, leave your wives at home) "A fresh Heir" 2 reels, Sunshine. Fox News 1 reel.

**Friday, August 9, 1923**

"Forgotten Law" 6 reels, Milton Sills, Pathe Review, 1 reel, Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, August 11, 1923**

"Law of the Lawless," 7 reels, Dorothy Dalton, "Fighting Blood 12" 2 reels.

**PICTURES TONIGHT**

"Your Friend and Mine"

**SATURDAY NIGHT**

"The Woman With Four Faces"

**Grey Squirrel lived in a tall oak tree,**
**He fitted up his home just as cozy as could be.**
**Then came Black Squirrel. "This place I'll rank," said he.**
**So Gray Squirrel had to move to a sour apple tree.**

## SCHOOL LIBRARY.

### Synoptic Reviews of Important New Books

'The Life and Times of Akhnaton, Pharaoh of Egypt," by Arthur E. P. Weigall, G. P. Putnam's Sons. New York, 1923.

For those interested in the recent discoveries of the Tomb of Tut Ankh-Amen, this reprint of Mr. Weigall's book, "The Life and Times of Akhnaton" will be timely. The former was the son-in-law of the latter Pharaoh, who is, in many respects, one of the most unique figures in all ancient history.

From 1375 B. C. to 1358 B. C., Akhnaton ruled the Upper and Lower lands as Pharaoh of all Egypt. During that time, "all things he did not well" as subsequent events were to prove; but he followed the dictates of his conscience and hewed according to the fine principles which were his. But, alas, fine principles, to be of lasting good, must be acceptable principles, also, above and beyond all else, they must be practical principles. For, reformers, and idealists to the contrary, life is a practical thing, largely occupied with the business of eating, sleeping, and reproducing one's kind.

From the beginning of his brief reign Akhnaton exhibited a strong religious tendency. Probably his physical condition largely influenced his outlook upon life, and his conceptions of what life should be, here and hereafter, for "his skull was misshapen, and he must have been subject to occasional epileptic fits." (a derangement sometimes accompanying genius —vide Caesar) "One might imagine, continues his biographer, "the Pharaoh as a pale, sickly youth whose eyes were eloquent of dreams."

These dreams of religious significance early engaged the major portion of the boy ruler's time. They led to a revolution of religious thought and the establishment of a beautiful monotheistic system of religion quite out of keeping with the somber beliefs in vogue. But custom is hard to conquer, and Akhnaton's religion was doomed to perish with its founder.

The age was one of mental restlessness, and speculation was rife. Three conquering Pharoahs had preceded Akhnaton, and Egypt still felt the influences of their wars. If ever a practical man was needed to guide the destines of the empire, this was the time. Religious injunctions may do well in stirring up a war, but they are ill indeed for quelling a revolution, turning back an invastion. This, Akhnaton, like all dreamers of his kind, soon discovered. "Akhnaton's Policy in Syria," says his biographer. "when considered from the point of view of an ordinary man, was of the weakest. Ideals cannot govern an empire won by the sword (How else are they won? Blood and iron had much to do with the building of the United States) and those, who would apply the doctrine of 'peace and good will' to turbulent races, endanger the very principles they would teach. While the young Pharaoh was chanting his psalms to the Aton in his growing capital, the princes of Syria were singing the revolutionary songs which were presently to ring in the ears of the isolated Egyptian garrisons.

Is there not a lesson for a portion of our citizens today in the foregoing? Surely we must avoid making "dreams our masters" or the turbulent peoples of the present will serve us as Akhnaton was served over three thousand years ago. Here, certainly, is an argument for the man opposed to a too hasty fulfillment of the scriptural injunction which consigns the tools of a soldier to the uses of the farm. The time for beating our swords into plowshares is not yet.

## BIG CONTRORVERSY STARTED

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right line of talk and acts decent about the matter.

The train started about this time so th[illegible]ice Dawg, not having a ticket an[illegible] Calculator's "pull," got off to find the Great Dane. He found him making a social call in Block 20 and broached the subject of his being A. W. O. L. from the Sales Commissary. The Great Dane stated that while he had been absent for several days it was unavoidable due to the stress of official duties but that he still maintained that the Fat Butcher held out on him on several occasions when he was around. The Office Dawg then quoted Calculator in connection with the Fat Butcher being a good fellow if he was handled right which seemed to get the Great Dane riled up. He stated in part. "That little three legged cuss always gets what's coming to him and usually the biggest part of what is due somebody else. If he wants to go to town all he has to do is stand in the road and some fine automobile will stop for him. If he gets in town he can go down to the Howard Bus Station or stand in the street at the corner of 11th and Broad and he always gets a ride back to Benning. If he decides to ride the train either way all he has to do is get on and the conductor does the rest. If he decides to go out with a class over the narrow-gage the whole train will stop for him. If he goes to somebody's front door he is received with open arms and taken to the kitchen and fed a good meal and then if he decides to spend the night a nice, soft pillow is put on the davenport for him and he takes life easy. I don't see how he gets away with it and I'm here to tell the world I don't think it is fair."

The Office Dawg returned to the News office and reported his two conversations. He gave as his opinion that Calc had a wonderful gift of gab and could work people for what he wanted while the Great Dane, being of a more aggressive nature, was inclined to bring force to bear on people for what he wanted and that this fact sometime led to his failure to accomplish his mission.

At any rate it seems as if the Fat Butcher has been avenged.

### Got There Just the Same.

American troops in France received a more careful and prolonged training than could possibly be given most of the regiments hurriedly raised during the Civil War. General Pershing tells the story of a volunteer battalion of rough backwoodmen that once joined General Grant. He admired their fine physique, but distrusted the capacity of their uncouth commander to handle troops promptly and efficiently in the field, so he said:

"Colonel, I want to see your men at work; call them to attention, and order them to march with shouldered arms in close column to the left flank."

Without a moment's hesitation the colonel yelled to his fellow ruffians: "Boys, look wild thar! Make ready to thicken and go left endways! Tote yer guns! Git!"

The maneuver proved a brilliant success and the self-elected colonel was forthwith officially commissioned.

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## FIFTH INFANTRY RANGE SEASON

(Continued from page one.)

and the last score totaled up it was found that out of 593 men firing 558 had qualified as marksman or better, or 94.1 per cent. 121 qualified as experts, 161 as sharpshooter and 276 as marksmen. "C" Co., with 61 firing, had a perfect score; several companies had only one man fail. The figures include officers.

From the standpoint of percentage on paper this is far from being a record, but from the standpoint of successful achievement under adverse conditions it is a record of which the regiment is justly proud.

## LODGE NOTICES

**Darley Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons**
Meets first and third Monday of each month at Masonic Temple.
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E. P. COULTER, Sec'y.

Columbian Lodge No. 7 F. & A. M., meets first and third Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple.
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**NOTICE**
Knights of Columbus Bishop Gross Council No. 1019 meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcomed. Cor. 13th nnd Broad

### The Trimmings

The occupants of the parlor car of the limited were startled by the abrupt entrance of two masked bandits. "Trow up yer hands," commanded the bigger of the two. "We're gonna rob all the gents and kiss all the gals."

"No, pardner," responded the smaller one gallantly. "We'll rob all the gents but we'll leave the ladies alone."

"Mind your own business, young fellow," snapped a female passenger of uncertain age. "The big man's robbing this train."—Whiz Bang.


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# Social Notes

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### FUTURE MAJOR GENERAL ARRIVES.

On Thursday, July 26th, a future Major General of the United States Army, by name George L. Potter, Jr., arrived at Fort Benning.

General Potter consented to an interview and stated in the course of his remarks that he was very glad that Federal aid had been secured for the paving of the Fort Benning road. This embryonic officer, who is the son of Lieut. and Mrs. George L. Potter, states that his health has never been better than it has since his arrival here and that he finds the sleeping most salubrious. He expects to make an inspection of the Post at an early date.

### SWIMMING PARTY

On Thursday of last week Lieut. L. W. Bassett and Lieut. I. H. Joffee entertained about eighty guests at a swimming party at the Post Swimming Pool.

The moon was full and the music was good. The guests reported that the water felt fine. In addition to this hot dogs and iced watermelon was served all of which combined to make the evening a pleasant one.

These moon-lit swimming parties are becoming more and more popular at Fort Benning and the party Thursday night was one of the most pleasant yet given.

### DELIGHTFUL PICNIC LUNCH

One of the most pleasant and novel affairs given on the Post recently was the picnic lunch given at the Polo Club house last Sunday by Col. and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey. The original plans were to have had the lunch in the woods but the threatening weather during the early part of the day made it appear advisable to go to the Polo Club instead.

Table cloths were spread on the floor of the broad north porch and the guests assembled to do justice to the ample spread, picnic style. The guests were seated on the floor on blankets, cushions and such other things as happened to be available at hand and the entire lack of formality gave to the affair the picnic atmosphere.

Among those present were Col. and Mrs. Hocker, Col. and Mrs. Peyton, Col. and Mrs. Kent, Col. and Mrs. Schoeffel, Major and Mrs. Hall, Major and Mrs. Elliott, Col. and Mrs. Arthur S. Pendleton, Major and Mrs. Dinsmore, Major and Mrs. Grady, Col. and Mrs. Alfonte, Major and Mrs. Goldthwaite, Col. and Mrs. Hansell, Capt. and Mrs. Roby, Major and Mrs. Green, American Red Cross, Major and Mrs. Cooper, Col. and Mrs. Harry Pendleton, Lieut. J. W. Elkins, the host and hostess.

### COLONEL FASSETT RETURNS

Colonel Fassett, the Assistant Commandant, has returned to the Post after having spent a month's leave in Peterboro, N. H.

### ENTERTAINED AT LUNCHEON

On last Tuesday Col. Fassett, Major Sutherland, Major Stokely, and Major Waite were entertained at luncheon by Col. and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey.

### QUARTERED IN BLOCK 15

Major S. J. Sutherland, who recently arrived at Fort Benning and who has been staying with Major X. F. Blauvelt, is now quartered in Block 15 in the quarters originally occupied by Capt. Roger Wilson.

Mrs. Sutherland is expected to arrive about October 1st. Major Stokey, who has just arrived, is staying with Major Sutherland at present.

### ASSISTANT CASHIER ARRIVED RECENTLY

Miss Ouida Marie Hughes, the petite daughter of Private and Mrs. Lem B. Hughes, arrived at Fort Benning on July 14th. She stated in an interview that her father, who is Cashier of the 29th Infantry Theater, had expressed himself as being overworked around pay day when the crowd rushed into the theater to see the pictures and that on account of this it was her intention of acting as his assistant during these rush hours. She also stated that, on account of her weight of four and one half pounds she was not handicapped with an excess burden and as a consequence she believed she could move quickly enough to relieve the situation considerably. Miss Hughes is now visiting relatives away from Fort Benning.

### LIEUT. COL. AND MRS. PENDLETON ARRIVE

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Arthur S. Pendleton arrived at Fort Benning last week having come from Fitsimmons General Hospital. Prior to receiving treatment at Fitsimmons Hospital Col. Pendleton was stationed in the Phillipine Department. Col. Pendleton has been a signed temporary quarters in Block 19.

### FUTURE DEBUTANTE ARRIVES

On January 25th at Hendersonville, N. C., where Lieut. and Mrs. William R. Brewster are visiting Miss Mildred Lucile Brewster arrived on this mortal sphere and immediately assumed the responsibilities of living. Due to the distance between Hendersonville and Fort Benning it was impossible for a News reporter to interview Miss Brewster but her message implied that she intended going in for athletics in view of the fact that her weight upon arrival was eight pounds and she was physically fit. Fort Benning awaits the arrival of Miss Brewster with interest and she will be accorded a welcome into the fold of the younger set.

### BORN

To Sgt. and Mrs. Wolf, I. S. D., a son at the Station Hospital.

To Sgt. and Mrs. Tweed, I. S. D., a son; weight ten pounds, two ounces.

He has been named Erwin Glenn Tweed.

To Capt. and Mrs. J. S. White, a son, not yet named.

To Capt. and Mrs. Roland Shugg, a daughter, not yet named.

### PEOPLE WE ADMIRE

The fellow who passes your car when you slow down for the bridge.

The fellow who is too busy to attend his organization's ball game.

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The Sunday paper boy with the foghorn voice.

The cookie-duster who cuts in at the Friday night hops.

The guy who talks shop at the bridge party.

The fellow who empties the cake plate before he passes it to you.

The supply sergeant who gets his clothes before the issue is made.

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## New Arrivals and Removals

The following assignments of quarters have been made on the Post from July 25, to August 1, 1923, effective on the date set opposite their names:

Cook, Lloyd H., Capt. Inf. Quraters, 232531-D. Phone 184 7-30-23.

Lenow, Columbus B., 1st Lt., Inf. Quarters 16-39 Phone 271 7-30-23.

Sutherland, S. J., Major Inf., Quarters 15-346 Phone 248 7-27-23.

*Fountain, J. R., Capt. Inf., Quarters 191729 Phone 254 8-1-23.

Lambert, Kent C., Capt. Cav., Quarters 232531-B. Phone 378 8-1-23.

Nichols, J. A., 1st Lt. Inf., Quarters 15-26 7-30-23.

Buracker, S. L., 1st Lt. Inf., Quarters 19-B. Phone 264 7-30-23.

Griswald, S. F., Capt. Inf., Quarters 232507-D. Phone 342 7-30-23.

*Pendleton, A. S., Lt. Col. M. C., Quarters 191721 Phone 176 7-28-23.

Barber, Frank E., Capt., Inf. Quarters 232503-A. Phone 345 8-1-23.

Brown, Lloyd D., Capt. Inf., Quarters 232505-D. Phone 340 8-1-23.

*Temporary.

## THE LADIES; GOD BLESS 'EM

### Memorial To Women of World War

There are few men in the Army today who are not influenced by some woman. During the World War the same condition existed. In order to erect a permanent memorial to "The sacrifices and services of the women of the United States of America and the World War" funds are required. During the last session of the Congress a bill was unanimously passed authorizing the appropriation of $150,000 for this purpose provided the American Red Cross raise by public subscription $150,000 more. Due to tardiness in engrossing the bill could not be signed by the President but will no doubt be passed again this year and become an act.

The cost of the memorial has been estimated to be $500,000 making the amount of $350,000 to be raised by contribution. The public at large will contribute to this fund but as it has been suggested that the Regular Army be represented in the raising of the funds an opportunity is being offered to members of the Army to contribute, officers in the amount of ten cents each and enlisted men five cents each.

The Army as a whole and Fort Benning in particular can not let this opportunity pass without taking advantage of it to show its appreciation of the part played by the women of the country—with stress eon the wome nof the Army—during the World War. This station should qualify 100 per cent in the matter of contributions.

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## "MIND YOUR BUSINESS"

In days of old, the doughty knight, bedight in boiler plate went rambling o'er the country side upon a piebald skate. His snickersnee upon his thigh, his head within a pot, he sought miscreants busily, and smote them fierce, God wot! He'd travel thru his bailiwick searching for a scrap and when he found a tough guy, he'd punch him in the map. Betimes some luckless maid would tell the name of her deceiver—he'd gaily round the varlet up and stroke him with his cleaver. O, nothing pleased this fighting fool quite like a foeman's clutch; the while he joyously exclaimed: "Gadzooks," "Odsfish" and such.

Now, tho this gent was full of pep, and vim and high endeavor, he spent his time in arguing, so really was not clever. And while he spent his days and nights in sundry kinds of strife, the neighbors, whom he left at home, were flirting with his wife. And while he roamed the country-side, slaying giants and dragons, they spent their time in merriment a'draining of his flagons—they drank his mead and Burgundy and guzzled down his ale—they ate his fatted calf each day, and borrowed all his kale, and argued much among themselves that nothing but a sap would spend his time in fighting and chasing o'er the map. And so they spent his substance, and didn't give a hoot—'twas simple justice, so they said, to such a brainless coot.

Now when the miscreants all had flown and there were none to strafe, the knight, full weary, said: "By heck, Democracy is safe! I'll hie me homeward once again, and lead the simple life. I'll spend my time homebrewing, and I'll have no more of strife." The knight was battered hip and thigh, and he had wounds galore, he had warts and corns and bunions, and chilblains by the score. And so for all his scrapping, he had gathered naught but pain, and had nothing but his bruises as he started home again. "But tho," he said, "I have no coin, I've honor, sure, and fame—the populace will loudly cheer if they but hear my name, and after all my venturing I'll gladly take mine ease—my wife with joy will welcome me—home cooking sure will please." But when he reached his home again, alas, slack-a-day! he found his daughter toddling in a down town cabaret. His son was playing put and take, his wife was shooting craps, and spent her time cavorting with a bunch of useless yaps. His coffers, they were empty—his bank account was nil, and he hadn't any jitney with which to pay a bill. Flopping in his cushioned chair, his feet on top a shelf, he gave himself to musings on the loss of all his pelf. And loading up his corn cob pipe, between the puffs he'd grunt: "'Tis better far to stay at home, not leave to trouble hunt, twere better had I staid at home and kept the fires bright than rambled thru the bally land to others' battles fight."

### She Didn't Oblige

He was a professional conjuror.

"Now ladies and gentlemen," he said, with a wave of the hand, "this is a magic cabinet. I invite any lady in the audience to enter this cabinet. I will then close the door, and when it is opened again the lady will have disappeared."

There was an impressive silence until an under-sized man in the second row turned to an enormous woman who sat beside him and breathed eagerly:

"Marie, dear. won't you oblige the gentleman?"

—Fifth Corps News.

## SERVICE COMPANY GIVES SMOKER

### Big Time Last Monday Evening

On last Monday evening at the Post Gymnasium the Service Company, 29th Infantry held a get-together meeting and smoker. The evening was started by a short talk by General Gordan during which he briefly described the Service Company as an organization that gave service. He stressed the importance of the bringing of the personnel together on occasion due to the nature of the duties of this personnel being such as to require that they be ordinarily separated. General Gordan's talk was followed by a short talk by the Commanding Officer, 29th Infantry, in the course of which he made reference to compliments paid the Service Company by student officers during the last manouvers. Colonel Kerth mentioned the fact that without the Service Company the combat companies would be helpless in action due to lack of ammunition and supplies. The 29th infantry baseball team, which was a guest of the Service Company for the evening, was referred to by Colonel Kerth as having "delivered the goods" during the recent championship series and he stated that the 29th Infantry, including especially the Service Company. would continue to deliver the goods.

The following program was then followed out:

1. Selection by 29th Infantry Band.
2. 4 round bout; Giddens Vs. Mashbern, result, draw.
3. Band selection.
4. Selections by Peerless Quartette 24th Infantry.
5. Band Selection.
6. 6 round bout; Otalvaro Vs. Langmier; result, Otalvaro kayoed in 6th round.
7. Band selection.
8. Mess Call, Firm Roberts, caterer; seconds and thirds served.
9. Band selection.
10. Bout; Batholomew Vs. Baldwin Batholomew kayoed in 2nd round.
11. Selection by Peerless Quartette 24th Infantry.
12. Bout; Santiago Vs. Shoemaker; result, Santiago won decision.
13. Band selection.
14. Vaudeville act by colored troupe from Columbus.
15. Band selection.
16. Bout; "Kid" Roberts, 24th Inf. Vs. "Battling" Hicks, 24th Inf. result; Roberts tried to fake kayoe three times, was saved by bell each time, and finally took off gloves. Referee announced "No contract."
17. Vaudeville.

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## LETTER FROM STUDENT OFFICER

**They Must Be Reading The News**

The following extract from a letter received a few days ago shows that, from an advertising standpoint, the News is of value to Columbus business people. It may be stated here, parenthetically, that the News is now going to all officers ordered to the Infantry School next year for whom orders have been received at this station. In a number of cases these officers change their address for a short period of time before reporting to the school, either because they are on leave or else probably on duty with the summer R. O. T. C. camps.

Th eextracts follow:

"Please send my copy of the News to the address below.

I certainly enjoy your paper very much.

**I am learning a great deal about the Post and also the city of Columbus from each copy."**

Columbus, Ga.
July 29, 1923.

The other evening, when Valerie was getting her afternoon scrubbing, she said: Don't forget to wash my little cows." It took a bit of time to figure out that the child meant her calves.

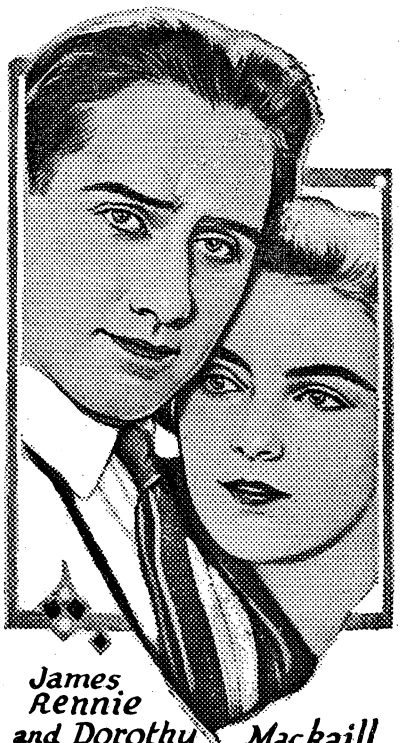
Valerie, after a long stay in the South in towns where no street cars are in service and where transportation is practically limited to automobiles, went on a visit to Louisville, Kentucky. She thought it quite stylish to get into the great long city car, especially as she observed her mamma deposit money to pay for the ride. She then took a seat in the front of the car and when the car turned at a corner, she looked up and said: "Mamma shall I signal?"

She is now eight years of age and recently when in a car driven by her auntie, she reached over and pulled the collapsible seat into position because, she informed those present, "it interfers with the emergency." All being duly set, her auntie vainly tried to start the car. Then she asked, "Is your ignition on?" It was not, and her auntie duly "squelched." turned it on before again attempting to get the car to go. At this rate should she not manufacture a tin-lizzie by the time she is ten?

**"Just of Life" Editor Has Trouble too.**

I wanted to go from the Ralston to Broad street in a hurry so I went in a Buick. My first stunt was to bang into the back of a Ford and smash my fender. When I got into a traffic jam on Broad street, the horn would not toot, so I had to go up to Fifteenth street instead of down to Eleventh where I sarted to go. When I finally got the horn to tooting, after doing everything imaginable except kicking it, I proceeded majestically down Broad street only to find the stores closed and I wanted to make a purchase at the ten cen tstore. I went to a garage and it cost me a dollar to get the fender pounded back into position, and then I did not want to tell on myself that I had had a smash-up, but the man who fixed the fender left his pesky mallet on the fender of the car, so of course it was a dead give-away. A few days later I had to drive back to the garage to return the mallet because the men who worked at the garage did not want to come to the Ralston without geting pretty first as they wear their overalls when at work. The man who owned the Buick was chauffeur this time and when I got back to the garage and told them my troubles, they all laughed at me.

Incidentally after stopping at a store, I attempted to start the car without unlocking it. I am some chauffeur!



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## SLUMPIN' MORALE

It's amusin' to one who has thought on
it much,
This slumpin' morale in the Army,
But there is a reason, though speakin' o' such
Will do it no good or real harm, eh?

Those youngsters who served with the
Line quite a spell,
Ere World War, when morale was
highest,
Received some stiff jolts when their
heads seemed to swell,
So they held deep respect for their
nighest.

Today there is many a kid in some
job
Requirin' of judgment the keenest,
Who ever commanded a combatant
mob
Where duty was irksome and meanest.

This bein' the case, 'tis quite natural
then,
For a youth who's assigned to some
duty
Which carries control over much older
men
To conceive he's the pure tutti-frutti.

Of course, the old fellows whose judgment is square
Enjoy this control by staff youthful,
There's never occasion when seniors
need swear,
Oh, never, but is this quite truthful?
Morale is a thing wherein Justice
holds sway.
It blooms 'neath the hand o' fair
dealin',
But, God, how it withers and fades
plumb away
When Injustice's rough hand it is
feelin'.

—A. & M. Journal.

## VAUDEVILLE BOOKINGS FOR BENNING?

**Listens Good If It Materializes**

The following news item was carried in the Army and Navy Journal of July 28th:

"Plans will soon be completed for a vaudeville circuit taking in the Army posts exclusively. Thomas H. Martell, director of bookings for the War Department theaters and attached to The Adjutant General's office, Washington, D. C., has announced that it would be only a short time until the men in camp would be enabled to see the best Broadway attractions. It is planned to reach at least twenty-five posts and camps, and the circuit will be permanent, bookings being so arranged that one show will be given at least once a week in the smaller posts with two or more in the larger ones. The clearing house for all shows and pictures is in the U. S. Army Building in Whitehall street, New York.

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**AUGUST 3, 1923.**


## THE BIRTHDAY NUMBER

On August 31st the News will celebrate its first birthday anniversary. A special number will be published at this time which will consist of about twenty four pages.

Since the date of organization the News has had its trials, troubles, and tribulations just as any other new concern. Interesting reading matter has at times been hard to get; advertising was at first hard to get and required the constant efforts of everybody concerned; changes in personnel created a certain amount of confusion. At this time, however, the News is beginning to "see the light of day." Advertising patrons are beginning to realize the value of the paper as an advertising medium. Prospective advertisers are calling up over telephone and requesting that a representative to the News call for an advertising contract. The paper is being read and more or less being commented upon by other stations which latter fact increases the advertising value of the publication.

The most important thing now beginning to be in evidence is the matter of contributions being made by readers. Every week some reader sends in a contribution—usually something funny—which makes good reading matter. Also very helpful suggestions are being received with regard to the printing of certain types of reading matter that will be of interest to other readers. All of this is helping to make the way of the News staff, both editorial and business, easier and at the same time improving the value of the paper. All of this leads up to the matter of the Birthday Number. Because of the fact that the News goes to every Army station, both at home and abroad, to all regimental commanders, and to the various chiefs of branches and heads of departments in Washington we can not afford to let the Birthday Number be anything but a representative issue. In other words, the thing must be put across with a bang. For this reason the News is very anxious to get contributions for this issue. These contributions may be a piece of verse, a snappy cartoon—the News cartoonist does not object to this—a funny story, or any other similar contribution which will give the paper more "pep."

The interest of everybody who reads the paper is invited toward the end of making the Birthday Number the best issue published yet. Judging from past experience the editor expects to receive a considerable supply of good reading matter.

## GETS D. S. C.

Rastus, ever since coming back from the war, was proudest of the proud because of the empty O. D. sleeve that hung limply at his side. To all who asked and to some who didn't he explained that he had lost his arm charging a "sheen gun nest."

"How cum yo' so disregardless of yo' health yo' chahge dat sheen gun nest?" inquired an envious friend.

"Humph!" grunted Rastus. "Dey pointed volunters an' I wuz one of dem."—Fifth Corps News.

## INCONSISTENCY

Speaking of the inconsistency of woman, have you met the dame who paints her mug till it's as red as a barn and powders her nose till it's as white as a sheet and then pretends that poor old Mother Nature is responsible for the whole job?

## Proof of the Pudding

Irate Diner: "Look here, waitress—there's not a particle of turtle in this turtle soup."

Waitress: "Well, what of it? We have Cabinet pudding, but you wouldn't expect to find Hoover in it, would you?"—Judge.

## THE A. & R. TRUCK

A. & R. Officer: "Corporal, this truck seems to have almost twice as much speed as it had when we got it."

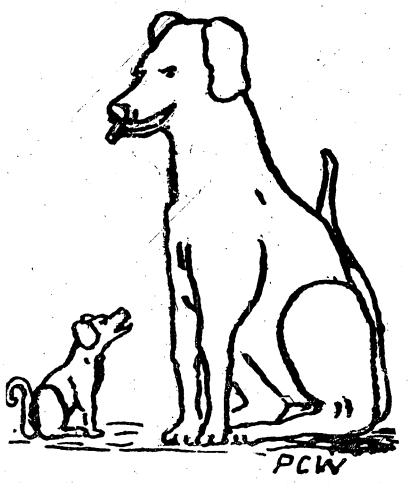
Driver: "Yes, sir, it has. The motor was holding it back so I took it out."

## Correct!

There are meters of voice
And meters of tone;
But the best of all meters
Is meet 'er alone!

Electrician's Wife (to incoming spouse): "Watt's the meter? Wire you insulate?"

Electrician: "Sh! Couple 'a camperes, m'dear."—Wag Jag.




## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE

The Grey Dane sat on the Service Club steps wiping his reading glasses with the end of his tail. As he wiped he sighed and as he sighed he wiped. And so as he sighed and wiped he attracted the attention of Calculator who was coming out of the soda stand wiping the remnants of an ice cream cone from his mouth. Calculator is very fond of ice cream cones. He sat himself down by the side of his big chum and for several minutes they wiped in silence. Finally the deep sighs which came rumbling up from the depths of the Dane attracted the attention of Calculator and he begged his friend to unburden himself.

"It's a shame," began the Dane," and I have been silent for a long time. But now on this rainy day I must speak of it because I had looked forward to spending an injoyable afternoon reading some good books in the library. So I started at the "A's" and went to the end of each shelf, from top to bottom, back and forward but, alas, I was unable to find anything that had been published since the war. The old famous library books were these of course but good adventure and mystery stories there were none. Now this is a soldier's library and while the reference books may be pawed over now and then what we need is some late books, lots of them—full of adventure and pep—the kind you won't put down until the last page is finished and then grumble because there is no more. These old musty love stories where the ardent lover doesn't even dare to tell her he loves her are all right for the old ladies' home but not the kind for a bunch of hard riding soldiers full of pep and jazz. So I gave it up and came out here to wipe my glasses and put them away as I never will use them."

"You spoke a parable that time," replied Calculator," and something should be done about it. The librarian told me the Fourth Corps our traveling library comes here once a month and stays for a week or so bringing a dozen or more pretty fair books but that only makes the others seem worse than ever. Oh! my! what to do eh? It looks like we could get some help some place. Let's go and see if the quartermaster has any appropriations left over that we can use?"

They found the Q. M. office filled with records and clerks. But at the first mention of "appropriation" they were seized bodily by the entire office force and thrown out near the ash cans where a passing truck picked them up and dropped them at the salvage warehouse for repairs.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Dive into the Chattahoochee with a weight around your neck.

Let a boxer knock you cold.

Have the union suit sewed at the lower extremeties and pack with ice from the neck.

Climb Mount Matterhorn.

Take a ninety day leave in Iceland.

Take a trip to Hades; everybody has heard the remark, "It's cold as H——"

### WISE CHILD

Mamma: Georgia, dear, come kiss your new governess.

Georgia: No; I don't dare to, I'm afraid.

Mamma: Why dearie?

Georgie: Dad kissed her yesterday, an' she slapped his face.—Fifth Corps News.

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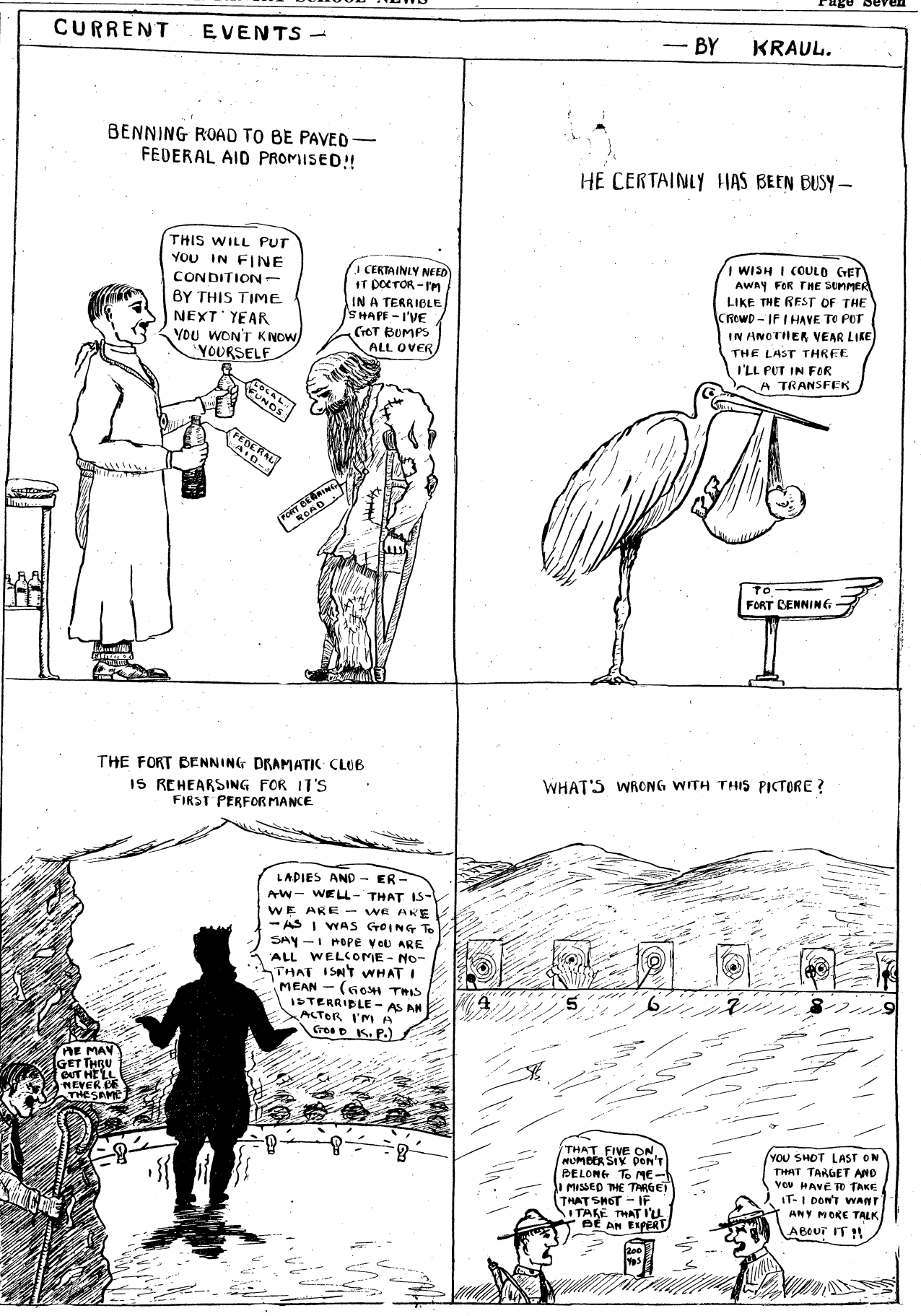


## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

### A Big Ache.

We were out driving recently and Evelyn was looking at the moon. There were two dark shadows across the middle of the moon and she called our attention to them by saying: "O look, the moon's got the stomach ache." She thought the "man" was holding his "tummy."

### Preparedness.

Little Raymond, aged five, had formed the habit of sleeping almost o nthe rail of his bed. His mother told him he would be much more comfortable if he would sleep in the middle of it. He said: "Well, I may as well get used to it. I'll have to sleep on the side when I'm married."

### Fairy Information Bureau.

A little fairy who says she is "most five" came bounding in with the glad tidings that Mrs. Miller next door had a new baby and she had it for a boy. "How wonderful!" said her mother. "When was he born?" The fairy replied, "I din't think he's been born yet. He only came last night."

Mrs. Richleigh—"Why is it, doctor, that the weather has a more depressing effect upon me than on most people?"

Doctor—"Because, madam, you have more time to think about it."

### Giddap.

A Chink by the name of Ching Ling,
Fell of a street-car, bing-bing,
The con turned his head, to a passenger said,
"The car's lost a washer," ding ding!

She—Forgive me for walking on your feet."

He—"Oh, don't mention it! I walk on them myself, you know."

### Anatonically Important.

Lawyer—"Madam you lost your thumb in the trolley accident; but how can you prove it was worth $3,000 which you have sued the company for?

Lady Plaintiff—"It was the thumb I kept my husband under."

## THOSE SPECIAL DUTY MEN

Dutch Rehor is the top kick
Of Combat Train, 3rd F. A.
He fell them in for roll call—
It was here the other day.

He called the roll and faced about
And reported to the B. C.—
This is all that's left, sir,
Three N. C. O's and me.

Where are allthe men. sergeant,
The B. C. asked with a grin?
It seems that we should have at least eight,
Or, maybe, nine or ten.

The sergeant said "Here's the list,
And you can plainly see,
That all the men are on duty,
Except these three and me.

I can't see, said the B. C.
Where all the men have gone;
Explain to me, sergeant,
Just what duty they are on.

Well, there's Lackey at the golf links
Working on the greens,
McGuire's at the stables
Taking care of the teams.

O'Mare is Provost Sergeant—
He is working down the line;
If he is not dragging roads
He is putting up more signs.

LeShelle is Supply Sergeant,
And is issuing out the jung,
Palko is a dog robber,
And is lying on his bunk.

Gibson, he is Mess Sergeant,
And figures day and night,
To try and make the grub curve,
Come out exactly right.

There are five men on post fatigue,
What they do I sur edon't know
But they say the work is very hard
And they are alwyas on the go.

Lone is in charge of quarters.
Giving out the mail,
Bosdyk is room orderly
And Lane has gone to jail.

Private Woller is another striker;
I don't know where he goes,
McKay is in the hospital
Minus a couple of toes.

Vandegrift is at the Radio,
Listening at some other nut,
Southam is in the basement
Eating fruit and nuts.

Matney's at the cook's school
Trying to learn a trade.
Peter's is going to shave himself
If he can bum a razor blade.

There is Robinson and Sibbits
Just back from a little trip.
Sibbits has a big black eye—
He said his foot just slipped.

Brown is in the office;
His hair is getting gray.
Trying to figure (Man Hours)
In his simple little way.

There is Page on special duty.
Ruana is in the shop.
Zdrojewski is in the dining room
Helping Dubey mop.

Now that is how we stand, sir.
As you can plainly see,
And I don't know what to do.
With just three men and me.

The B. C. said, "Well Sergeant,
I'll tell you what we'll do
We'll find a job for every man
Excepting me and you.

Put one man at the stable work
And one man with a broom,
To sweep out all thequarters
And the recreation room.

So all the men are working.

## American Legion Notes

**From American Legion News Service**

Madison, Wis.—Governor John J. Blaine of Wisconsin, backed by the American Legion, is endeavoring to start an investigation into the mental and physical condition of veterans of the world war in all federal and state penitentiaries, following the recent investigation of the physical condition of 290 former service men in three Wisconsin state penal institutions.

Sixty per cent. of the ex-soldier inmates of Wisconsin prisons were mentally abnormal, of which number more than twenty per cent. were suffering from disabilities traceable to their military service. Experts who conducted the investigaton recommended that ex-service men found suffering frim mental diseases should be transferred to suitable institutions for treatment, that those having curable ailments should be given immediate treatment, and that efforts should be made to give vocational training commensurate with the mental ability. The American Legion commended the survey and urged similar action in all state and federal institutions at the last meeting of its executive committee in Indianapolis.

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Manila, P. I.—A resolution indorsing the administration of Governor General Leonard Wood of the Philippines was passed recently by the Manila post of the American Legion. The resolution was in answer to a recent attack on the governor general by Congressman James A. Frear of Wisconsin.

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Indianapolis—Federal recognitition in rank has been extended to Robert H. Tyndall, national treasurer of the American Legion, who holds the grade of major general in command of the 38th, division of the national guard. During the world war General Tyndall commanded the 150th Field Artillery of the 42nd division.

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Casper, Wyo.—Chiles P. Plumer, national vice commander of the American Legion, has offered a cup to be awarded to the Wyoming post that makes the greatest membership gain between state conventions of the legion.

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Indianapolis—In seventeen states and territories of the U. S. and in six foreign countries, contributions to the American Legion Overseas Graves Endowment Fund have exceeded the amount set by national officers, according to reports of Robert H. Tyndall, national treasurer.

The states and territories are Rhode Island, Delaware, West Virginia, Maryland, Vermont, New Mexico, Connecticut, South Carolina, District of Columbia, Wyoming, Arizona, Washington, New Jersey, Georgia, Arkansas, Hawaii, and the Philippine Islands. The foreign countries are Japan, Canada, Mexico, Argentine, Brazil, and Cuba. These figures are based on amounts set on per capita membership in the legion.

Approximately five-eights of the fund necessary for decoration in perpetuity of graves of American world war dead has been subscribed thru the legion. Pennsylvania leads in the total amount collected, though Ohio is second by but a few hundreds of dollars. Subscriptions to the fund will be held open until reports are complete from all departments of the organization.

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Let's hope they don't break their backs
And you an dI now, Sergtant,
Will figure our income tax,
JAME E. LACKEY,
1st Sergt., 3rd F. A.

### WOMEN'S EXCHANGE

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### Service Company.

The Target season is over, and the Service Company has 13 Experts and quite a few sharpshooters and one Expert Bolo-man (Who is he?) lookout Stf. W. W. Sept. will sure get you.

Staff Sergeant Harris we sure admired your Photo in the Social Register.

Who is the Toddling Top? Look out Spud. What is the matter Silk Shirt Guess? You seem to be hanging around the Company here of late. Oh, Ho! T. G.

"Bap" has a Motorcycle now and it takes all of his time trying to learn to stop it with the breaks instead of dragging his feet on the ground. Wake up Pap and learn a little about Mechanics.

The Service Co. defeated Co. "I" in the Ball game on the 28th, score 9-6, I guess we can have a little peace now, Co. "I."

### Company "A"

Private 1st Class George Bell will be discharged some time soon. He says that he is through with the Army. Of course Private Bell must know what he is talking about and he should know what he wants to do. It is all right to go out and face that cold cruel world with your mind made up and a pocket full of money and a head full of nonsense. But in my estimation it is essential that you first look before you leap. It appears to you while you are here and listening to what other fellows say that you are losing something and that the outside is flourishing with easy pickings, but you are wrong. Watch the men who go, how long do they stay? If they don't come back here they go to the 25th or some other detachment.

I know that some things don't go as you or I think they should, but when you look at it in the right light, we are duty bound. Remember after you have been gone about a week or two, that longing for the Bugle you now hate to call you to "Chow" will be very frequent. Of course there will be no 1st Sergeant to make you hit the line for Reveille and therefore you will miss your "Chow." You seem to think you are working hard but ask the fellow that says he makes $40 or $45 a week. What kind of work is he doing? Nine out of ten will tell you at the steel works. Take it from me if you are not a skilled laborer your end is a whole lot smaller out there than it is here. It is with us second nature to grumble and that is because we know nothing else to do and we have got to say something knowif we don't mean it. If you go I know you're coming back, so while you are here a Private 1st Class you had better stay. It will save you from coming back a "Buck Private" and Oh, Boy! ain't winter hard on loafers.

### Company "B"

Oh! Mighty and powerful Shiek, please have us beheaded if it be thy wish. We thought those ancient days of Shiekdom had passed, but, had any one outside of myself been on the trail of Shiek Ben Frager and followed him to his mighty castle in the desert, they would have turned green with envy, for those are the very words that were being said. Now thats the way with the Shieks, always wanting to get rid of the fair damsels after tiring of them, instead of giving them to some of us poor lonely ones who are not able to be shieks. Wake up Ben and get on the job, its day time but you're asleep.

Privates Hall and Brown are to be discharged soon, and are thinking of trying the world out for a while. They say there is nothing to keep them from making it out there as they have a black cats bone and there is no way for them to come back to Uncle Sam, but let me give you a little advice. Your black cats bone is a waste of time. What you need is a whole cat—and then some, for when that bear out there gets after you it's a hard propostion to keep from running to Old Uncle for protection.

Yield not to temptation, for yielding is sinning. This applies to you alone, Private Freeman. You were not satisfied with twos and threes, you thought you would like to try a nice "miss" once. Well you did, didn't you? Well I guess you see where it got you. Now the best thing for you to do is yield again, that is if you see a cow or pony or bicycle or anything that moves, yield once more and buy it and supplementary season seem so long about getting over.

### Company "C"

Sergeant Jackson is suffering from a nervous breakdown, Private Pudding after diagnosing the case states his condition may prove serious. Well Jack, old boy you shouldn't worry because you know the hand of destiny rules supreme.

Our Supply Sergeant keeps our Mechanic quite busy now-a-days counting out cleaning patches for members of the company to clean their rifles with. We wonder if our supply sergeant is aware of the fact, that what the Government issues for use in the public service is for that purpose.

Do you know that:
Nothing hurts a duck but his bill.
Everybody's business is nobody's business.
To crush the weak shows that you are not very strong yourself.
There is such a thing as being to exact.

"A" Company is still trying to find 500 yards of firing line so as to catch up with "C" Company in qualifying expert riflemen.

### Company "D"

Here is this 100 per cent. Company again, about to put something over on you. This time we are qualifying 100 per cent. in Pistol Marksmanship. 99 per cent. qualified, one man on the range, he is as good as qualified and that smashes the Army's record. Beginning next issue this writer will have a little "Pistol Dope" in this column, it may help you next season.

Private Finch lead the Range with 84.87 per cent. and "Hard Luck McGaffey" made 79.99 per cent.

The only thing that's wrong with the men of this company, is that the "Peep" in their eyes are too small. While men in other companies can see all of the target, "D" Co. can see only the "Bulls Eye."

### Company "E"

Sergeant Francis, F. L. one of the oldest veterans of Co. "E" 24th Inf. papers for retirement has returned and the Company wishes him a great success in civilian life.

Co. "E" fired 19 men and qualified 100 per cent.:

Experts—1st Sergt. Hart, Sergt. Rollins, Corporal Haywood, Corporal Harris, Private 1st Class H. Brown, Private 1st Class J. G. Majors, Private S. Jackson, Private H. Hogan.

Sharpshooters—Sergt. C. Fisher, Private 1st Class J. Harrison, Private F. D. Jackson, Private T. Baugh, Corpl. N. Gilchrist, Bentley C. Cook.

Marksmen—Sergt. F. L. Francis, Sergt. H. E. Thomas, Corpl. Eb Dawson, Private D. Clemons, Private R. Brice.

Vanhook, where, where were you? Tell the truth and stay in church. Vanhook, that great day of "Raft" is coming.

The boys from the cactus bush are still on time. We are now looking for the four leaf clover, dear old big "G" and the little "A" which stands "Georgia."

### Company "F"

The old battery has three on the range to fire for record to make the total number of experts 14. Don't fool us Coulter, Knight and Fletcher.

We are thinking of Corporal Alexander, the poor boy will soon have three new years, in civil life it takes twelve men to give you three years but on the 28th of July he is going to let one man give him three.

Well all men in the company can rest at night, Why? Because Sergt. Anderson, made marksman.

### Company "G"

During the month ending July 31, 1923, the following named enlisted men were discharged—Private 1st Class Arthur Connor, King Davis, Fred C. Wright. Privates Davis and Wright have re-enlisted to fill their own vacancies. Private Connor, taken his discharge leaving this organization for San Antonio, Texas, where he contemplates re-enlisting for the 25th Infantry.

Mrs. Sand Jones, wife or 1st Sergt. Walter Jones was called to the bedside of her sick mother who resides in Oakland, Calif. Mrs. Jones arrived last Monday.

We hear it said:
You can't always tell by their faces
How people are feeling within,
For pain doesn't always leave traces
Nor joys always show a grin.
You find that each life has its leaven.
Of things that go ill or go well
We each have our own little heaven
We each have our own little hell.

If every man told you his story
His inmost secrets and hopes
His moments of uttermost glory,

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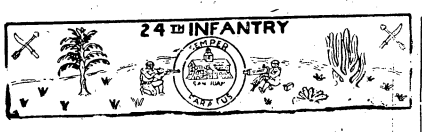


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The depths in which blindly he gropes;
You'd find were he seventy-seven
Or still in youth glamorous spell,
He lives in his own little heaven
He wishes in his own little hell.

It may be that sometime hereatfer
We'll come to a final reward,
A paradise thrilling with laughter,
A hades of tortures abhored;
But anyhow, life has it leaven
Of sorrows and bliss as well;
We each have our own little heaven
We each have our own little hell.

### Company "H"

Now that the regular target practice season is at an end and everything is fast settling to "normalcy," it is feared that the instruction and effort required to meet with the commendable record accomplished in he high percentage of qualification will be relegated to the usual scrap heap, only to be polished and renovated at the next regular period (1924). It is the hope of all concerned that such will not be the case, but that everyone often ponder *over this subject* in order that it be fresh in the memory when it becomes necessary for reference.

The company feels a deep regret at the loss of Sergeant Frank L. Francis, Company E, whose well earned retirement after 30 years deprives the regiment of a noncommissioned officer who has the deep respect and high regard of every member thereof. However, it is only a just reward after long and faithful service. It is felt that we are losing a very desirable comrade, but in losing him the world at large is gaining a noble and good citizen. Therefore, considering the latter we are very pleased to see him go, and bid him Good Bye.

### Company "I"

Sgt. Steger, (hard-boiled), halted outside the orderly room, within you could hear Cpl. Reeves (Noisy), speaking over the phone:

"My Gal Sal, can you forget, you gave me your heart, I am all alone, I ain't got nobody, some sunny day, yes, tomorrow, my honey's loving arms, save a little dram for me, it ain't nobody's business if I do, sleep baby sleep." Sgt. Steger came in saying "oh I got your name, that phone was put there for the purpose of government, not for love making, I shall put your name on the Captain's desk," Corpl. Reeves, said, "just tell him Sgt. I was only ordering a few records for the victrola."

Can you imagine Sgt. Seger, not eating any greens. Corpl. Williams not bragging about his Velie, Sgt. Walker not having anything to say, Sgt. Handy not talking about being expert, Sgt. Moore not charging you twice for the twice, Cook Collins not having a chew of terbaccer in his mouth, Sgt. Butler not talking about retirement, Woods not eating up Mike's chow, Thomas Charley not visiting people when they are not at home. Liff Johnson not nursing his cats, Hill Owen not clowning, Willie Campbell not going on pass. George Lawson ot poroing his hair.

Private Woods, says that Burchett never will be able to buy any more cigarettes now as he has to supply Columbus, Ga., with sandwiches

Well Dog Days are here. The only way we can tell we see a certain fellow that is staying around camp for fear he will go mad.

### Company "K"

Now that the target season is over, experts' gang around. Sharpshooters' get together. Marksmen go hide.

Look out J. W. I heard the butchers talking, a few days ago, so watch your steps.

To those that failed to go for record; that's alright, your time will come as the saying is, "every dog has his day."

Say N. T. L.: What about all those 47s-48s-49s and possibles! I know you made expert.

Who can drive a car as straight as the crow flies while looking back? ask the Kaiser.

### Company "L"

1. The Mess Sergeant gave his boys a big surprise last Sunday when he gave the command to put chains and Yale locks on the spoons when we had excellent ice cream for desert. We had to lose most of our desert by using forks. Be careful Company L. you will lose your cream next time.

2. If there be any alibis for the men who shot record Monday and Tuesday from Company L, the Captain will pay strict attention to your story, while Pvt. King (Rism) will drive you and your alibis to the salvage dump with a Liberty Truck.

3. Pvt. Bishop Hill (Baby) what became of those possibles you made preliminary record? You told the gang you had two (2) possibles in reserve. Looked liked you had 'bout twenty from the way you were scuffling for marksmen.

4. Corporal Rogers (Bolt Manipulator) we would like to know which of the three you choose, Expert preliminary, Sharpshooter or marksman, well! well. If you choose Expert, what in the Sam Hill you doing with a marksman score? nuff sed.

5. Pvt. Perry Chairs is his name now, but, we can't say at the present time what his name will be or what he will even look like after the Company Commander gets through with him for bringing him 240. Look out Old Timer be sure you don't miss Pvt. King with that load of alibis.

6. Company attention! At ease. The following named enlisted men will report to the O. D. for 6 months, 6, 8, 10 and 12 because of misdemeanor and failure to obey War Department Order No. 2, Q. Z. M.: Pvt. Chairs, Perry (Old Timer) Pvt. Sam C. Jones (Big Lips) and (Sodt Head) Pvt. Haward Fountain (Dirt Dobber) Pvt. John Boltoh (Boob). The War Department says you must qualify and the above men failed to comply with the order. Please inform these men. There will be a Kangaroo court held in tent No. 14 for the purpose of qualifying all unqualified soldiers "Enough Said."

7. Private Carter Smyre (3 Year Now) had a flying trip to Macon for the purpose of making the first payment on his new shanty for Bride and Groom. Steady Kid don't you think you had better take the second thought.

### Company "M"

Pvt. Archie Liddell says he is the greatest sport in Fort Benning, of course alley Golf will make any one a sport when those little golf balls throw a series of three's and twelve's.

Pvt. Claiborne known as the famous kitchen mechanic and stew expert served oat meal the other day and we had to let it set for a few hours to see whether it was Goodyear Rubber or Portland Cement.

Pvt. Atkins known as the P. H. D. D. L. D. said there are three follies of men. The first is climbing a tree to shake the fruit down, when if they would wait the fruit would fall off it's own weight.

The second is going to War to kill each other, when if they would only wait they would die na urally.

The third is what they run after women when if they would only sustain from it, the women are sure to run after them.

Pvt. Sylvester Thurman known as the ladies' administrator have succeeded in breaking the world's speed record. Some one gave him a tip that Pvt. James White was journeying to the city in a Hudson Speedster to see his little honey and knowing that it was the only way to get there before J. W. was to run like——and he did it.

It was recommended to Sgt. Russel that an instant relief for his sore feet was to walk on his hands.

Yes, Earl C. Crawford the most reliable letter is "E," for it was the beginning and the last of Eve, the beginning of Eternity, the end of time, and space the beginning of every End and will always stick to Loraine, Marie, Florence to a finish. It is also the most unpopular letter for it is never in Cash, always in Debt, everlasting in misery never out of Danger and always in Rent—ell. and Near Beer.


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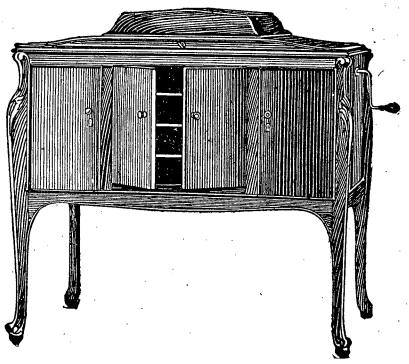

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## WE APOLOGIZE

Last week the News mentioned the fact that a contribution, "Mind Your Business," had been received and a plea was made for the name of the author. Here is the reply to our plea. Thanks, kind sir.

DEAR EDITOR.
YOU honor me.
FAR beyond my just deserts.
AND I bow to you.
MOST gratefully.
IN humble acknowledgement of
YOUR kindly words of praise.
BUT still me thinks.
THRU all your courteous words.
THERE runs.
AN undercurrent of doubt and satire.
AND a princely strain.
OF egotism.
FOR surely.
IT is taking.
A great deal for granted.
TO presume.
THAT your paper should ever.
SAVE by merest chance.
COME to Walt's attention.
EVEN your ever growing list.
OF interested readers.
COULD hardly warrant that.
AND while I understand.
MOST thoroly.
YOUR point of view.
AND realize.
YOUR need for self protection.
I sent that stuff.
WHICH you referred to.
THRU your regular correspondent.
WHO is a commissioned officer.
AND therefore.
UDOUBTEDLY.
KNOWS right from wrong.
AND I did not sign my name.
BECAUSE I sought no advertising.
OR fame or glory.
THRO the medium of
THE FORT BENNING NEWS.
BUT!
I will say this.
BY way of explanation.
WHEN I was younger.
AND life still seemed to be.
AN irridescent rainbow.
WHICH I might chase to its shimmering end.
AND then.
STRETCH forth my hand.
AND pluck from its hiding place.
THE fabulous pot of gold.
I suffered much.
FROM the joys of youth.
AND all of youth's illusions.
AND one thing in particular.
WHICH I have since suppressed most zealously.
WAS frequent attacks.
OF alleged poesy.
WHEREIN I attempted to set forth.
MY views on life.
AND things in general.
IN so called rhyme.
AND such.
AND a short time ago.
I was smitten with a recurrent.
THO very mild.
ATTACK.
OF this same ailment.
FROM which I suffered frequently.
IN the halcyon days.
OF my dear.
AND long departed.
YOUTH.
AND so.
TO fill in an empty hour.
I dashed off a few lines.
OF bunk.
OF purest ray serene.
AND then.
FORGOT it.
BUT finally I dug it up.
AND sent it in.
AS I said before.
AND so.
THAT'S all there is to that.
I THANK YOU.

### The Sentimental Sip

He sipped the nectar from her lips
As 'neath the moon they sat
And wondered if another guy e'er drank
From a mug as sweet as that!

## STANDARD PHYSICAL EFFICIENCY TESTS

### High Record Made By Militray Academy.

In connection with the physical efficiency tests, recommended to the War Department by the National Amateur Athletic Federation of America and adopted for Army use in Bulletin No. 3, War Department, March 17, 1923, the first two reports of the conduct of these tests to reach the War Department came from he High Schools of Beatrice, Nebraska, and from the United States Military Academy.

As was to be expected, the records made by the Corps of Cadets may be termed as "remarkable" and serve as a wonderful example of what may be accomplished by systematized and supervised participation in athletics. The cadets, of course, are all of approximately college age and might reasonably be expected to obtain at least a college standard of "Fair." As a matter of fact, with about eleven hundred men competing from a total enrollment of 1,200 a grand average of 81 7-10 per cent for all four events was reached. This gives the entire student body at the Military Academy a rating of "College" standard "Excellent." It is interesting to note that the grand average for the entire student body for the four events was 326 or seven points higher than the grand average of the fourth class, which, of course, had the advantage of but one year's training under the intramural system of athletics carried on at West Point. The cadets from Idaho all achieved the enviable standard under the tests, of the "Varsity Athlete," and naturally with a percentage of over 90 stand at the head of all the States. Connecticut, with a percentage of only 70, is at the other end of the line. In general, the States along the northern border of the country had reached a higher percentage than was reached by representatives from southern localities.

Turning from the results accomplished at the United States Military Academy, we find equally interesting data supplied by the statement of the High Schools at Beatrice, Neb. The tests for these units were carried out by Lieut. William L. Hughes, Officers' Reserve Corps, Athletic Director and Coach for the schools in question. Every boy in the Junior and Senior High Schools who was pronounced as "physically fit" as a result of a medical examination, was required to take the tests. The grade reached by the Junior High School students was only 44 per cent. slightly above "Fair," while the Senior High School students all reached the "Senior High School" standard, with a rating almost "Excellent," 69 3-10 per cent. A very interesting study is furnished by the data from the Beatrice High Schools wherein systematized athletic training is required of all members of the Senior High School, but is not required for students in the Junior High School. An examination of the figures showed that between the seventh and eighth grades in the Junior High School, there was a difference in results obtained of but about two per cent. whereas between the results accomplished by the eighth grade in the Junior High School and the freshman grade in the Senior High School, thert is a difference of about twenty per cent. which speaks for itself as to the value of only one year's work under systematized participation in athletics.

The reports from the two schools in question have been forwarded to the American Physical Education Association, which organization is carrying on during the present year for the National Amateur Athletic Federation of America, studies to the end that the physical efficiency tests for 1924 may be amended in line of the experience gained in the conduct of the tests during the present year.


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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## SIDE LIGHTS ON THE FORT BENNING SERIES

(By Sergt. Edw. P. Lamb)

The Twenty Ninth Infantry has accomplished the wonderful feat of tramping on the I. S. D. four straight.

The lineup of the I. S. D. of Sunday was their best of the entire series.

The work of Willis on the Twenty Ninth second sack was the best seen in a long time. The way he handled himself and made play after play (some of which looked impossible) made him look like a big leaguer. Next to Johnson was the star of the series.

General Gordon was an interested spectator of Friday's game which was played in the rain. The General remained all through the rain until the final curtain was drawn.

Bell the backstop of the Columbus Manufacturing Company team of the Industrial League, formerly backstop of the Twenty Ninth Infantry was present to witness Sunday's game at which he was cordially greeted by his former teammates, and was given a seat of honor on the Twenty Ninth bench.

A seat on the Twenty Ninth bench had been reserved for Williams also of the Columbus Manufacturing Company and a former member of the Twenty Ninth Pitching staff, but Williams failed to arrive.

McCarthy, the I. S. D. backstop performed wonderful work behind the the bat, while his pegs to second were perfect. Mc is surely one of the most valuable members of the I. S. D. squad.

Hedgecock of the I. S. D. who hit like a house a fire in last year's series playing his first game Sunday in this year's series failed to obtain a safe bingle.

We having scored some of the games near the Twenty Ninth bench we could not but admire the work of Lieut. Hussing as pilot of the doughboys. John McGraw could not have handled his men with any more precision then was this team handled. He made it plain to his men that he was the pilot and not them. When any of the players started growling among themselves over some misplay the Lieutenant immediately informed them that he would do all the growling, that they were out there to play ball, and play ball they did.

Hyland of the I. S. D. is the leading hitter of the series, while Brown received the most number of hits.

Kgelstrom and Harrison of the Twenty Ninth Infantry secured the most runs in the series three each.

Duff of the I. S. D. and Harkey of the 29th, allowed the least number of hits, each following but four bingles.

To those who have gained the impression that Old Man Duff's days a ball tosser were over and that he should join the ranks of the "Has Beens" changed their mind after Sunday's game.

McGaha of the Twenty Ninth was the luckiest man in the entire series in reaching first base. In the one game in which he participated he was five times at the bat out of which he received one single, walked twice and got on twice through errors; if this record has been equaled in Fort Benning or Columbus this season we have not heard of it.

### STATISTICS OF SERIES

Batting

| Player | Team | AB. | E. | H. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bauch | Inf. School De. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1000 |
| Hyland | Inf. School De. | 13 | 0 | 5 | 385 |
| Brown | 29th Infantry | 17 | 1 | 6 | 352 |
| McGaha | 29th Infantry | 3 | 1 | 1 | 333 |
| Willis | 29th Infantry | 13 | 2 | 5 | 307 |
| Kgelstrom | 29th Inf. | 15 | 3 | 4 | 267 |
| Harkey | 29th Inf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 250 |
| Johnson | 29th Inf. | 16 | 1 | 4 | 250 |
| Harrison | 29th Inf. | 16 | 3 | 4 | 250 |
| Heckert | Inf. School De. | 14 | 2 | 3 | 214 |
| Suby | Inf. School De. | 14 | 2 | 3 | 214 |
| Waller | Inf. School De. | 15 | 0 | 3 | 200 |
| Davis | 29th Inf. | 16 | 2 | 3 | 187 |
| McNutt | Inf. School De. | 6 | 0 | 1 | 167 |
| Hodges | Inf. School De. | 7 | 0 | 1 | 143 |
| McCarthy | Inf. S. De. | 14 | 2 | 2 | 143 |
| Payne | 29th Inf. | 15 | 2 | 2 | 134 |
| Wheeler | Inf. School De. | 12 | 0 | 1 | 084 |
| Goodwin | Inf. School De. | 13 | 0 | 1 | 077 |
| Samolovicu | Inf. S. De. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Duff | Inf. School De. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Lindsey | Inf. School De. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Hedgecock | Inf. S. De. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Burns | 29th Inf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 000 |
| Franz | 29th Inf. | 13 | 1 | 0 | 000 |

Fielding

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Payne 29th Inf. | 20 | 5 | 0 | 1000 |
| Kgelstrom 29th Inf. | 10 | 7 | 0 | 1000 |
| Johnson 29th Inf. | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Waller Inf. School De. | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| Wheeler Inf. S. De. | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Lindsey Inf. School De. | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1000 |
| McGaha 29th Inf. | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1000 |
| Harkey 29th Inf. | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1000 |
| Hodges Inf. School De. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Duff Inf. School De. | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Davis 29th Inf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1000 |
| Burns 29th Inf. | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1000 |
| Hedgecock Inf. S. De. | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| McNutt Inf. School De. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Crane 29th Inf. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Tole 29th Inf. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Suby Inf. School De. | 42 | 1 | 3 | 979 |
| Willis 29th Inf. | 7 | 17 | 1 | 960 |
| McCarthy Inf. S. De. | 22 | 1 | 1 | 958 |
| Harrison 29th Inf. | 50 | 0 | 2 | 922 |
| Heckert Inf. S. De. | 8 | 12 | 2 | 909 |
| Hyland Inf. S. De. | 6 | 17 | 3 | 884 |
| Brown 29th Inf. | 6 | 0 | 1 | 858 |
| Goodwin Inf. School De. | 4 | 7 | 6 | 687 |
| Swantic Inf. School De. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 667 |
| Franz 29th Inf. | 5 | 6 | 6 | 648 |
| Samolovich Inf. S. De. | 0 | 1 | 1 | 500 |

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## STRIBLING VS. M'AULIFF

And now comes the news that on Labor Day the city of Columbus will be once more favored, this time with a bout for the light heavy-weight championship of the world. Incidentally, a former Columbus youngster, one "Young" Stribling, will meet the present champion and if the challenger does nothing else he will learn something.

This affair is something of a "home" affair, as far as Fort Benning and Columbus are concerned, to the extent that in this affair, as in similar affairs of the past, Fort Benning personnel has co-operated closely with the officials of the American Legion to make the occasion a success. Of course the Legion could have managed to worry along somehow without the assistance rendered by members of the garrison but at the same time the fact that both parties co-operated with each other draws them closer together and for this reason alone because we are interested in Columbus affairs—this sports scribe makes the following suggestion:

For the Stribling-McAuliff bout have two judges officiating both of whom are thoroughly familiar with every phase of the boxing game.

As we said before, being as how this is a family affair, this scribe is going to "speak right out in meeting" and say that in the past the judging of fistic encounters in Columbus has at times been somewhat open to criticism not because the judges were biased in their decisions but because of a lack of the thorough understanding of boxing principles. This is especially noticeable in the judging of "in-fighting" than which there is nothing on which any judge can more easily be led astray in his decisions. Too boxers who are well versed in this phase of the game can land blows which the layman, unless he is familiar with the various punches, misses. The demand is for the slugging, mixing kind of bout and it is quite true that such bouts are exhilarating from the standpoint of the spectator. But the writer of this article can assure any one who does not know—this assurance being based on personal experience—that an experienced "in-fighter" can do more damage in fifteen seconds at close range than the slugger can do in an entire round.

The fisticuff on Labor Day is going to be a national affair. Columbus and Fort Benning cannot afford to take any chances on the rest of the country thinking an outside fighter cannot get a "square deal" in Columbus. Experienced officials are essential for this scrap.

How about the fight itself? We had just about overlooked that phase of the matter in our concern over the fair names of Columbus and Fort Benning being besmirched before the rest of the world but as we picked the winners in the Dempsey-Gibbons and Firpo-Willard bouts we hereby take a chance on the Stribling-McAuliff go. The bout will go the limit with McAuliff getting the decision. We make this statement in cold blood with the hope that our reputation as a picker will be shot to pieces and that Stribling knocks the tar out of his opponent.

### Straightway!

Colored Bootlegger (three jumps ahead of the officers):

"Gimme a ticket on the speedin'est train what runs. I craves distance—an' ne' mind where to."

Ticket man: "But the fast train has just gone."

C. B.: "Ne' mind. Jes' show me the track it left on."—Life.

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that the bus leaving the city at midnight which before has been a schedule bus will after Sunday night Aug. 5th be operated as an "extra" and will go only if there are a sufficient number of passengers wanting to go to the camp to at least pay expenses.

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## 29th INFANTRY WINS RAG FIRST TIME I. S. D. HAS LOST SERIES

(By Sergt. Edw. P. Lamb)

For the first time since the establishment of Fort Benning, the Post Championship has passed from the Infantry School Detachment to the Twenty-Ninth Infantry. The Orderly room of the Infantry School has been adorned year after year with trophies won as champions of the different sports in which they have participated. All have been justly won because every fan on the post as well as those in a number of surrounding cities who have seen defeat administered to their clubs by this I. S. D. bunch have been compelled to admit that this ball clu one which was hard to defeat. year however the Twenty Ninth fantry set out early in the season pruning a team with the sole purpose in view of bringing the post championship to their corner of the reservation, and in this purpose they have been successful. Four of the prettiest and hard fought games which one could desire have been staged in this serits, and with the season closed there is no fault to be found all have done their best, and we of the I. S. D. can only say that we were this year from the first game of the series hopelessly outclassed, we doubt if there is a club for miles around which could administer defeat to this Twenty Ninth bunch. They have for weeks and months been working out under an efficient coach and all the fine points of the game have been impressed upon them and they have put them into effect and have won. There is no doubt but what this Twenty Ninth club of 1923 under the coaching of Lieut. Hussing is the greatest ball team which has been seen on Fort Benning in many a day. When a team can come in their part of the ninth inning with two men and after having been held to a one to nothing whitewash all through the game and then come through with enough runs to win the game who can hope to defeat a team of this class. But nevertheless all have enjoyed themselves and everyone is content that the best team has won and the I. S. D. backers are only anxious for the next season to arrive when they will once again back their team to bring the Old banner back to its former place in the Infantry School Detachment. While without a double many new faces wil lbe seen in the next year's line-ups however another great series will be anticipated as the Twenty Ninth will do all the power to D. just as determined to again bring it hold the championship with the I. S. back home. With the Fort Benning series over we are now in hopes that a series will be arranged between the Fort Bnning Champions and the Champions of the Industrial League of Columbus.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**
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9:00 A. M.—Morning service in charge of the Protestant Clergy of Columbus.

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School, Lieut. Custer in charge.

6:00 P. M. — Evening Song, Mrs. Cooper in charge.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL**
Block 7, Hall avenue.

8:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon.

10:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon. No Sunday School during the summer months.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY**
Sunday

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Services.

5:00 P. M.—Evening Services.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 P. M. in the Catholic Chapel.

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Catholic—T. J. Lennan, Telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 13248-W., Post 74.

### GEN. GOURAUD IN COLUMBUS

Gen. Gouraud stopped his train to greet the people of Columbus, and to say a few words in praise of Georgia's sons. General Gordon went aboard to pay his respects. A picked platoon of the 29th under the command of Lieut. Perwein, acted as guard of honor to the one-armed French general. As the train pulled in, the guard smacked a smart 'Present Arms.' The city of Columbus showed its appreciation of this visit by turning out 1500 strong to greet the general. Our distinguished visitor was visibly touched

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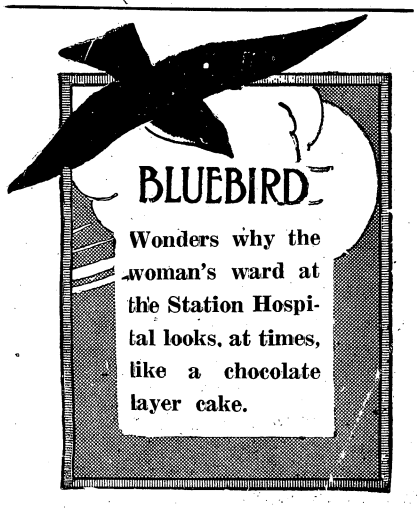


**NAY, but as when one layeth**
**His worn-out robes away,**
**And, taking new ones, sayeth,**
**"These will I wear today!"**
**So putteth by the spirit**
**Lightly its garb of flesh,**
**And passeth to inherit**
**A residence afresh.—Hindu.**

### 26TH INFANTRY HOLDS NOVEL TEAM SHOOT

**Celebrates Regimental Organization Day**

The 26th Infantry, Col. C. D. Roberts, Commanding, recently held a novel rifle, pistol, and machine gun contest as part of that regiment's Organization Day exercises.

The following rules governed the contest. The rifle and machine gun teams consisted of one squad of rifleman from each rifle company, including Headquarters and Service companies, and one squad of machine gunners from each machine gun company. Pistol teams consisted of three men, each, from every company in the regiment.

**Event No. 1—Rifle Firing.**

(a) All company rifle teams will be reported to the Range Officer at the 500 yard firing line by the non-commissioned officer in charge of the team.

(b) Only one team will fire at a time. The position to be taken will be prone without sand bag with 5 pace intervals between men.

(c) The Range Officer will instruct teams when he is ready to have them take their positions on the firing line.

(d) After teams are given twenty rounds of ammunition per man, each man will take the prone position, and the command for loading will be given by the Range Officer.

(e) The program for firing will consist of two classes of firing as follows:

First, 5 "B" targets will appear for 30 seconds at various points in the pit during which time **any man diring may fire at any target.** At the end of 30 seconds, the first set of targets will disappear, and immediately after-

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### STATE OF WAR EXISTS.

**Instructors Mobilizing For Student Officers.**

Instructors in the Department of Military Art assembled in force last week to discuss plans covering next year's courses, to refresh themselves in existing plans covering the best methods of making student officers "put out" and to advise schemes of mental torture not yet tried out.

With expressions of grim determination on their faces these instructors gave the impression of being ready to deal out quick and complete annihilation to the student who so far forgets himself as to fail to prepare for the day's task on the night before.

All of which foregoing remarks are intended to convey the idea that the refresher course for instructors is under way.

On account of the next year's student body not being in position to mobilize against the instructors the latter now have the advantage. Whether the disadvantage of the student body can be overcome by the in-coming classes is problematical and a matter involving serious thought. In the past experience has taught that no student officer, nor body of student officers, has yet gained a decisive victory over an instructor and until some Napoleonic genius appears at the Infantry School it is doubtful if such will ever happen.

There is a reason for this. Instructors "know the stuff" and, what's more, they know that they know it. Student officers, some of them, having "fit, bled, and died" overseas have ingrowing ideas about certain things but it sometimes happens that these ideas cover but one phase of a situa-

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**For The Week Ending August 18, 1923**
**Sunday, August 12.**

24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

"Town That Forgot God" 7 reels, Special Cast. "California or Bust" 2 reels, Pollard.

**Monday, August 13.**
"My Wild Irish Rose" 7 reels, Dorothy Mackaill, Fox News 1 reel.

**Tuesday, August 14.**
"Children of Jazz" 7 reels Bebe Daniels, "Story of Ice" 1 reel.

**Wednesday, August 15.**
"Money, Money, Money," 5 reels, McDonald. "Detective" 2 reels, Aubrey.

**Thursday, August 16.**
"Catch my Smoke" 5 reels, Tom Mix "The Salesman" 2 reels, St. John. Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, August 17.**
"Woman of Bronze" 7 reels, Yonge. Pathe Review, 1 reel. Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, August 18.**
"Sixty Cents an Hour" 6 reels, Walter Hiers. "Rambling Romeo," 2 reels.

**There will be no pictures at any of the theatres on the post this evening on account of the funeral of President Harding.**

**Old Gray Squirrel heard the laundry whistle sound for twelve o'clock, noon.**

**In just three minutes the fire department siren started up its tune.**

**Old Gray Squirrel thought a moment and then began to grin.**

**"I'll bet two bits neither one's right; heretofore they never have been."**

## 26TH INFANTRY HOLDS NOVEL TEAM SHOOT

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ward a set of 5 Silhouette targets will appear, which will move in view across the range for 30 seconds.

(f) At the end of the 30 seconds, the silhouette targets will go down and after all targets are marked, pasted and disked, the number and value of hits will be telephoned to the firing point, where a record will be posted on a black-board for the information of teams and spectators.

(g) The value of hits on the targets will be:

(1) For each "B" target struck.....5 points

(2) For each hole in "B" target.....The value awarded in Record Target Practice.

(3) For each silhouette hit.....10 points

(4) For each individual hit on silhouette.....5 points

(h) In case of jams or malfunctions of the gun, firers will be compelled to corect the fault and resume firing if possible, without leaving the firing line. In case the trouble cannot be corrected, the firer cannot use any other gun, his score is necessarily ended where he left off. The team securing the greatest number of points will rceive a cash prize of $3.00 per man.

(i) Ammunition will be furnished at the range.

**Event No. II.—Pistol Firing.**

(a) Immediately after the completion of the rifle firing, all Company Pistol Teams will report to the Pistol Range.

(b) Only one team will fire at a time; the 25 yard firing point is selected as the firing line.

(c) The Range Officer will direct teams then to go on the firing line, when to load, and issue ammunition to them.

(d) Teams will receive 14 rounds of ammunition per man and after loading, two targets will appear in the rear of the Pistol Butts. Any man can fire at either target. The first two targes will be exposed for 20 seconds, ten seconds will be allowed for reloading, and at the end of the 10 seconds two silhouette targets will appear, which will move in view across the range for 20 seconds.

(e) The value of hits on targets will be:

(1) For each silhoutte target hit.....5 points

(2) For each hole in silhoutte target.....1 point

(f) In case of jams, or malfunctions

(2) For each hole in silhouette target, 1 point.

(f) In case of jams, or malfunctions of the pistols, firers will be compelled to correct the fault and resume firing if possible, without leaving the firing line. In case the trouble cannot be corrected, the firer cannot fire any remaining rounds with another pistol; his score is necessarily ended where he left off. The team scoring the greatest number of points will receive a cash prize of $3 per man.

(g) Ammunition will be furnished at the range.

**Event No. III—Machine Gun Firing**

Contestants—One squad from each of Companies "D," "H" and "M," composed of 1 corporal and six privates.

Equipment—Men: Light packs, pistol belts, magazine pockets, pistol holster.

Gun: One gun cart (only) for each squad, equipment will be packed on carts with paulin folded over top of ammunition and water boxes. All straps will be properly buckled with ends of straps in keepers; gun boxes will be closed and latched, gun covers not to be carried.

Ammunition—Each squad will bring to the range three hundred (300) rounds of ammunition loaded in belts; tracer ammunition in proportion of one in five (1-5) may be used if desired. Belts can be loaded either in one belt of two hundred and fifty, (250) and one of fifty (50), or in three (3) belts of one hundred (100) each according to the desire of the gunner.

**Conditions of Competition**

Targets—Targets will represent:

(a) Squad column consisting of eight (8) figures placed directly in rear of each other.

(b) Lineof skirmishers consisting of eight (8) figures at one yard interval.

(c) Two (2) figures to represent a machine gun nest, placed at one yard interval.

A full set of each of the above (a)-(b)-(c), will appear for each squad. These targets will be exposed in any way the officer in charge of firing decides, not necessarily in order as named above.

Arrangement — Firing will begin promptly when ordered at the 1,000 yard firing line. Prior to that time corporals will draw lots for choice of position. When positions are drawn, each squad will be posted 50 yards in rear of its emplacement, and faced so that men and animals are turned away from the target butts; the corporals will then place themselves in observation on or at their squad emplacement, and as soon as the first target is exposed, they will give the command "action;" the squads will then go into action off carts, mounting their guns on their respective places and open fire on the target.

Ranges of Targets—The ranges at which the targets appear, will not be announced, nor will the squads be allowed to receive any assistance from any person not a member of the squad in the determination of the rang.e. It squad leader will give his gunner the is a part of the competition that each range he thinks the target is, and the gunner so correct his initial strike as to bring the burst on the target.

Any method of range determination known to the squad leader, can be used; any method of range correction known to the gunner can also be used by him.

Appearance of Targets—(a) The first target will be exposed as soon as the squads are properly placed by the corporals and the latter have taken their positions at their alloted emplacements. It will remain exposed for three minutes, during this time the guns must be taken from the carts, mounted on the emplacement, laid and fire delivered on the target.

(b) The second target will be exposed three minutes after the first target has gone up, and will remain exposed for two minutes after its appearance. Upon its exposure, the corporal will cause the fire of his gun to be switched to the second target.

(c) The third target will appear two minutes after the exposure of the second target, and will remain exposed for two minutes, after which it will be withdrawn. Upon exposure of the third target, the corporal will cause his gun to be switched from the second target to the third.

(d) Upon the third disappearing, all machine gun fire will cease, guns will be unloaded and taken from their emplacements.

Counting of Hits—Each figure hit shall count as follows:

(a) Machine gun nest.....3 points.
(b) Skirmish line..... 2 points.
(c) Squad column ..... 1 point.

(d) Where there is more than one hit on any figure, each additional hit shall count one point, without regard to the group upon which the hit was obtained.

(e) Not more than 50 hits will be allowed on any squad target of each group.

(f) Fire must be delivered by each squad on its three targets in succession during the time each is exposed.

(g) A deliberate attempt on the part of any squad to with-hold fire when its target is exposed, will cause the elimination of that squad from the competition.

(h) No time out will be allowed in case of stoppage.

**Programme For Organization Day**

9:00 a. m. Parade, 26th Infantry.

9:30 a. m. Assembly of regiment for exercises.

Invocation—Chaplain J. Burt Webster.

Regimental March (Semper Fidelis.) 26th Inf. Band.

Address—Major A. M. Wilson.

Reading Citations—Adjutant, 26th Inf.

Marseillaisse—26th Infantry Band.

Presentation of the colors—Colonel C. D. Roberts.

Address—Major Gen. C. S. Farnsworth Chief of Infantry.

Star Spangled Banner, 26th Infantry Band.

1:30 p. m. Rifle, pistol and machine gun contest on rifle range for cash prizes.

3:45 p. m. Baseball game.

Saranc Lake vs. 26th Inf.

7:00 p. m.—Band concert at service club.

8:00 p. m. Movies free.

Thomas Meehan and Betty Compson in "The Miracle Man."

10:00 p. m. Fireworks on parade ground.

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tion and the instructor has to point out the other phase. As a result when the instructor finishes with the student the latter is in full retreat paying but scant attention to any rear guard protection.

As has been said before, the instructors are mobilizing. Student officers should come here with the terms of an armistice in their shirt pocket.

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# Social Notes

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**CAPT. TAYLOR MARRIED**

On last Wednesday afternoon at St. Luke Methodist Church in Columbus Miss Easter Miller, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Miller of Columbus, was married to Capt. James Taylor, 15th Tank Battalion.

Proceeding the ceremony Mrs. Walter Drane, accompanied by Mrs. Jake Burrus at the organ, sang the selection "Beloved, It Is Dawn." Lohengrins Wedding March was played for the bridal party.

The groomsmen were officers of the Post and consisted of Capt. Roscius H. Back, Capt. Ernest A. Higgins, Lieut. Lawrence C. Jaynes, Lieut. Harry E. Reed, Lieut. Peter Tarringa, Lieut. Gaylord L. Phipps.

Lieut. Harry F. Hanson, 15th Tank Battalion, was best man.

Immediately after the ceremony Capt. and Mrs. Taylor left on their honeymoon for New York City and other Eastern points. Fort Benning society will welcome Mrs. Taylor upon her return to the Post.

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General Gordon is at Washington on a 15-day leave. He is one of nine men who have been appointed by State Commander Edgar B. Dunlap to represent the American Legion at the funeral services to be held for President Harding.

Colonel Fassett is in command during the general's absence.

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Major and Mrs. Watson returned last week from a two month's leave in New York. The trip was made by automobile.

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A farewell supper party was given in honor of Colonel and Mrs. Graham. The hosts were Major and Mrs. Watson. Those present were: Col. and Mrs. Graham, Col. and Mrs. Peyton, Col. and Mrs. Fassett, Majors Sutherland and Stokely. We are sorry to say farewell to Col. and Mrs. Graham.

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Mrs. Kraul, wife of Captain George E. Kraul, left early Sunday morning for San Francisco where her father is seriously ill. Dorothy Ann accompanied here on the trip. They expect to be away several months.

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Mrs. Robert A. McClure and son are visiting with Captain McClure's parents at Madison, Indiana. They will return in about two months.

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Capt. and Mrs. Daugherty have moved to the city and will be located at 1118 30th street.

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Major E. P. King, F. A., recently arrived on the post. Mrs. King will follow in the near future.

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Mrs. W. H. Williams, and her young daughter of Norfolk, Virginia, are visiting her son, Lieut. Wm. D. Williams.

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Lieut. and Mrs. C. W. Reed, F. A., have returned from a pleasant motor trip to North Carolina, and Washington, D. C.

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## Service Club No. 1 Notes

Last Friday night the final dress rehearsal of the famous "Mr. & Mrs. Polly Tickk" was held at the Post Gym and it was a tired bunch of boys and girls that crept to their trundle beds just before Father Sun announced the birth of a new day, but all feel well compensated for their efforts to please the personnel of Fort Benning, by the number of men and women that was gathered together to witness the initial performance of the Fort Benning Musical Comedy Company Saturday night. The play was well put over and extra good, especially the prologue and chorus (composed mostly of blushing young boys)

Mr. & Mrs. Polly Tickk should be considered an eye-opener as it gave the young men in the audience an in-sight of what to expect in the future, say about 1975.

The children taking part in the play deserves much praise for the efficient way they carried out their part.

Miss Virginia Street, the directress has worked very hard with the caste and it was only through her untiring efforts and full cooperation of the entire post that the personnel of Fort Benning was able to witness such a splendid performance as they did last Saturday night.

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Private Nelson, who for the past six or eights months has been on special duty at the Service Club, has just returned from a thirty days furlough spent in Winston-Salem, N. C. among friends and relatives. Nelson, when interviewed by the scribe, intimated that a very charming young lady of Winston-Salem had just changed her name for the more oppropriate one of Nelson—the Service Club extends its heartiest congratulations and may your future married life be as happy as your past singe blessedness has been.

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Miss Roe, the hostess, spent Tuesday afternoon in Columbus.

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All the boys that remember Mrs. Stevenson, Miss Roe's sister, will be glad to know that a letter has just been received from her and she has fully recovered from a case of Flue that she has been suffering with for some time, and wishes to be remembered to all the boys of the post.

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A letter has just been received from Corporal Mann, who will be remembered as an active member of the Service Club Committee, and he states that Camp McClellan is an ideal place for a—Hermit to live. After all Fort Benning is not so bad.

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An informal country dance will soon be held at the Service Club—scan the News closely for the announcement.

**THINGS TO TRY ONCE.**

Jumping off a moving automobile backwards.

Playing a polo game after having been off a horse for three months.

Sucking on the gas line feed pipe of your car to clean it.

Holding a match over the gas tank to see if you have gas enough.

Getting a garage man to guarantee his work.

Getting a garage man to give you an estimate of the cost of a job and then staying within the estimate.

Raising triplets.

Keeping your watch in time with the eight o'clock whistle.

"Beating" a Summary Court.

Paying your Sales Commissary bill by check.

Making complimentary remarks about certain roads in this vicinity.

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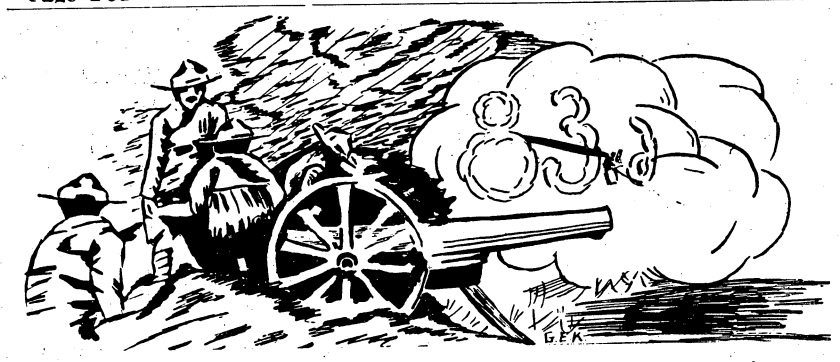

### Major King Arrived.

For the past three months the helm of the First Battalion, 83rd Field Artillery, has been entrusted to a number of hands. Although the rudder was well under control, varying winds have caused, at times, a slightly wandering course. But now our much looked for Commander has at last arrived ending all feverish anticipation. We welcome Major King to Fort Benning and with the same breath, pledge our hearty support and cooperation.

In hailing the newcomers with the gladsome hand, it is very often necessary to waive someone else a regretful farewell. Such is the case with the 83rd F. A. at this time. We feel the loss of Major Rumbough keenly. Having been with the organization four years he gradually became known by us as he should be known. From the beginning of the march from Camp Knox, Ky., until he left this Post, he was the zealous guardian of the best interests of the organization, and brought it from the chaos of arriving in a new and incomplete camp—to the present high standard. It is the hope of the Battalion that good fortune will continue to follow him in the future.

### Battery "B"

The greatest thinkers tell us that the secret of happiness is to keep busy—work, for then the mind does not bother about growls. The Field Artillery knows this secret: therefore we are happy, See!

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Ask Private Kelly what is the best way for a little fat man to reduce. Corporal Piazza's team won the medicine ball race of the battery. Hurrah for Italy!

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So long, the battery swims this afternoon.

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With the coming of the cold fall months, things will become hot for the Artillery. Well, doughboys—we're both in the same boat.

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Misery loves company.

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Congratulations 29th, You deserved to win.

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Private Isbell is gone. He should have taken the sick-book as a souvenir.

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Master Sergt. Stevens has taken a well-earned furlough. We hope we will thoroughly enjoy his vacation, and that the auto trip will be a pleasant one.

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### Et Tu, Brute.

Crossing the parade ground, after guard mount, the second lieutenant happened to meet the colonel, who was evidently not in the best of humor.

"Is that the proper way to salute?" snapped the colonel.

The second lieutenant apologized and went on. A little further on he met the major.

"Lieutenant your uniform is a disgrace. Don't appear before me in that condition again," shouted the major.

Shortly afterwards he met his captain.

"Brace up," roared the captain, "and try to maintain a soldierly appearance."

A dirty little fox terrier came trotting down the street. When he saw the lieutenant he stopped, showed his teeth, and growled.

The lieutenant, turning around slowly, drawled out: "Well, how did YOU know I was a second lieutenant?"

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### Heroes of The Air.

It has been said in criticism that army and navy aviation has been of late terribly costly in human life, while the postal flyers proceed in safety. The departmental reply would be that postal aviators are merely applying known devices on familiar coursse, while the war services must experiment, must develop, must test the new. In any event, those precious young lives are not wholly wasted that set to their contemporaries high examples of devotion to duty and courage in the face of death.—New York World (Independent Democrat.)

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## LODGE NOTICES

Regular communication of Mt. Hermon Lodge No. 304 F. & A. M. meets every 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings every month 8 o'clock sharp, all brothers in good standing are extended a cordial welcome.

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Layman, Walter G., Capt. Inf., quarters 40-41 phone 388 8-9-23.

Burt, Wm. G., 1st Lieut. 29th Inf., quarters 40-40-B phone 68 8-8-23.

Grant, Joseph H., Capt., Inf., quarters 14-402. 8-8-23.

Stewart, J. M. Capt. Inf., Temporary quarters 40-3 phone 297 8-7-23.

Garber, Max B., Major Inf., temporary quarters 15-15. 7-30-23.


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We were surprised to find that the bumps on the Fort Benning road were hardly as rough as when riding in a light car and we found the personnel operating the bus very courteous and accommodating. As an example of the latter a little girl got on at the bus station. She had a large bundle and a doll. The genleman who collected the fares saw that she was comfortably seated on the bus before starting and he kept her amused during the trip at such times as he was not busy collecting fares.

Riding out the thought occurred to us that we had no other method of transportation between Columbus than taxis, the morning train, and the Howard Bus Line. The taxi charge is prohibitive, the morning train does not run regularly enough, and it's a long walk. I talso occurred to us that the Howard Bus Line is the only concern who to date have been willing to run a regular schedule between the two points. We have been informed that many trips are made at a loss but the bus still runs. We became convinced that the Howard Bus Line was doing a piece of real work for Fort Benning and that they should have the support of everybody on the reservation.

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We walked in a hardware store and asked to see some Hygeia bottles. We were advised that while such an article was a little out of the regular line of articles carried by hardware stores but that they would get me one. Sure enough in just a few minutes here came a messenger boy in the front door with the required article. It was sold to us at no increase in price. We asked how this concern could afford to do business in this manner. The reply was that the Hubbard Hardware Company operated in the principle that the mere selling of dependable goods was not the object of the concern; that they constantly endeavored to give their customers a service in return for the customer's good will.

Shortly after this incident we had occasion to purchase a machine which could not be secured nearer than Cincinnati. We made known our trouble to the Hubbard folks and we got the machine at the exact cost they paid for it, plus freight and drayage. We saw the original invoice, being from Missouri, so to speak, and we decided we would do more business at the same place. We had occasion to buy a comparatively large quantity of athletic equipment and as Hubbard sells this too we bought from him. Prices were right and the goods—the Rawlings line—are durable. We recommend Hubbards.

## American Legion Notes

From American Legion News Service

Topeka, Kan.—The average amount of state bonus claimed by the first ten thousand Kansas veterans of the World War is $408.60, according to information received by the American Legion. A staff of more than fifty persons is busily engaged in the house of representative where bonus headquarters have been established, checking over the claims and getting everything in readiness for the actual beginning of payments.

Washington—Pledging their support to the ideals of the American Legion, representatives of a number of religious and fraternal organizations at a recent meeting in Washington adopted a resolution approving the preamble to the legion's constitution in which the purpose sof the veteran's organization are outline.

The conference was called by Father William P. O'Connor, of Cincinnati legion national chaplain, to unify action of the various denominations and creeds toward a common goal of patriotism and higher citizenship. It was addressed by Alvin Owsley, legion national commander.

The resolution was presented by Conrad V. Dykeman, of Brooklyn, imperial potentate of the Nobles of the Mystec Shrine. It was adopted by representatives of the Knights of Columbus, Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, Salvation Army, American Red Cross; National Catholic Welfare Council and Young Men's Christian Association.

The preamble to the legion's constitution is as follows:

"For God and Country, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:

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**AUGUST 10, 1923.**

## A Tribute

On this day of national mourning the Nation is saddened by the fact that the former President of the United States, Warren G. Harding, is being laid to rest at Marion, Ohio.

The Army is observing in a befitting manner the death of its former commander-in-chief.

President Harding's period of service to his country was one filled with happenings of importance to the Naton. One of his greatest acts was the bringing togther of representatives of the leading governments of the world in a conference the object of which was the limitation of armaments. Whether or not this conference will have the effect of eventually leading to a basis for the establishment of world peace remains to be seen. Even though no such results take place the fact will go down in history that President Harding was instrumental in bringing before the eyes of the world the necessity for the discontinuance of the international competition in the matter of armaments—a competition which has almost invariably resulted in wars in the past.

It has been said that had President Harding not been forced to put forth almost superhuman efforts in order that the affairs of the Nation might not be neglected it is probable that he would have resisted successfully his last illness. This being true, he just as surely gave his life for his country as has any soldier on the field of battle. For this we salute him.

Military men are not prone to express their feelings in speech or writing. For this reason it is not possible to write an appropriate eulogy. The Army regrets the loss of a friend and extends its sympathy to the one who most closely supported our dead Commander-in-Chief in all of his activities, the wife of the President, Mrs. Harding.

## BUMPY POST ROADS

To destroy or tear down, is savagery
To construct or build up, is civilization.

By the same token, destructive criticism is undesirable, unless accompanied by a constructive remedy.

True, the roads in camp are bad; true too, that the life of a car is shortened when traveling on bumpy roads. Here is a remedy.

It is axiomatic that with every privilege there comes a corresponding responsibility. The civilian who owns a car, pays for the pleasure of driving it by paying for the upkeep of the roads. Why not the officer?

We need—money. An easy solution, you say, if you can get it? Few of us realize that approximately one thousand cars were owned and operated on the post last school year.

Poor post roads damage my car to a far greater extent than one dollar per month.

Suppose then, that each car owner turned in to a Fort Benning Auto Association one dollar per month to be used under the direction of the Quartermaster for the upkeep of the roads. None of us would be hurt by the dollar and all of us would feel we could growl because we were paying.

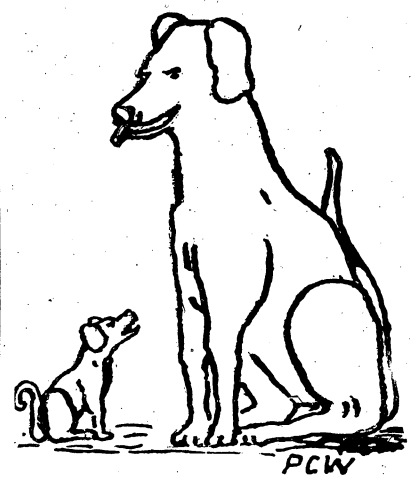
With one thousand dollars per month—or even half that, the Q. M. could do wonders with the present roads. Tractors could be operated, gas, oil, upkeep and repair, road implements, scrapers, rollers repaired and kept in good order; and volunteer labor details after bad weather could be paid extra.

Think this over and tell us what you think.

## THOSE NEW SHIRTS

They tell us that in Columbus at 1517 First Avenue there lives a lady who is an expert at making well fitting shirts. This lady is Mrs. Stella Paschal. A number have recommended her. This information is passed on to those who may be contemplating having "tailor-made" shirts in the near future.

Editorial Note—In the last issue of the News the name "McAuliff" appeared in several instances in the prognostication of the outcome of the bout between Stribling and McTigue on labor day. Just how this name slipped in instead of the name McTigue still remains a mystery—but the rest of the story stands "as is."




## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE.

Calculator arose as the reveille gun boomed out over the parade ground lake and shook the heavy beads of dew from his hairy coat. Having missed his usual invitation to sleep in some kind person's quarters he had stretched out on the grassy lot between the Service Club and the school block. He had gone to sleep with the star-spattered sky as his covering. He felt rather tough upon awakening and hoped painfully down to the new Recruit Center for his breakfast, alas he remarked later to the Dane, he should have known better.

Later in the morning as he and the Dane were talking it over the Gray one asked why there were not more people using the new park. "You can't see them," replied Calculator, "because they have to lie around on the grass." If some kind hearted person would walk thru there in the evening he couldn't help but realize that by putting a dozen or more benches here and there in that nice grassy park it would help out these warm nights about as much as anything.

"Sure enough," growled the Great Dane, "but with the chaplains gone no one will ever know about it and we might as well give it up and go down and demand an apology from the Fat Butcher at the Commissary."

"Yes, I guess so," said Calculator. "If there had been a bench there last night I wouldn't have had to sleep on the ground and get my pants all out of shape. I can hardly draw a decent breath without feeling baggy all over. I feel mean enough to sue that Fat Butcher for libel and—" (Here they started down the road and the remainder of their remarks were not reported as the Office Dawg had to get his copy in before noon.)

To the Editor:

Have you ever heard of the 'Parade of the Wooden Soldiers?' The parade between the Club and the Service Club answers the purpose.

Have you ever been around the Service Club these hot nights? The little grass in the post is centered here and on the parade in front thereof. Dozens of soldiers with no place to go, are lounging around here on the grass. Couldn't that nice green parade be arranged with convenient walks—park effect — with benches where your buddy and mine might chat with you and me in pleasant surroundings, or where they might sit on the grass without being arrested for violation of orders or arrested in another vicinity by sand burrs?

Our daily life in tents contains lots that is drab and murky—let us have a little of the sweet and clean. Remember we haven't the city parks here in Benning that most posts adjacent to cities have.

Thank you.

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## DOG OWNERS TAKE NOTICE

### Let The Veterinarian Give The Dog A Shot

Orders are out requiring that all dogs on the Post be given the immunization treatment against rabies by the Post Veterinarian.

Due to the fact that a case of rabies has recently developed on the Post it is essential that every precaution be taken to prevent an epidemic. The immunization treatment against rabies will produce the desired effect.

The cost of the treatment varies according to the size of the dog, the price ranging from $2.00 to $7.00. The method of proceedure is as follows:

1. Take your dog to the Veterinarian and have him "shot."
2. Get a certificate from the Veterinarian.
3. Present the certificate to the Provost Marshal.
4. Get a dog tag from the Provost Marshal.
5. Put the tag on the dog.
6. Watch the dog to see that he does not lose or give away his tag.

All tags which have been previously issued by the Provost Marshal must be turned at once but the dog owners who present certificates showing that their dog has been immunized within a year will have a new tag issued to them in exchange for the old one.

Most people think enough of their pets to want to safeguard their health by having the anti-rabies treatment given the dog. There are, unfortunately, a number who do not think as much of their dog and as a consequence this class of dog owner must be protected against his carelessness—in addition to protecting the rest of the garrison. For this reason something is going to happen to dogs caught without tags. This "something" involves the impoundage of the dog and his destruction after forty-eight hours if not called for before then. Before the dog is released he will be immunized and his owner reported to headquarters. The owner will be charged twenty-five cents a day to cover the cost of feeding the dog and the Lord only knows what headquarters will do to him.

After thinking the matter over it appears the part of wisdom to have the "ol' houn'" immunized at once and then forget about it. The Veterinary Hospital is located at the extreme West end of the Post near the quartermaster corrals.

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### PEOPLE WE ADMIRE

The guy who is all puffed up because he married the daughter of an alderman, or somebody else equally as prominent.

The guy who talks you into starting something new and then leaves you with the bag to hold.

The funny bird who yells "Break" when the hero and heroine go into a clinch in the fade-out at the end of the picture.

The egotistical cuss who is satisfied with himself and the manner in which he is doing his work.

The assistant who has to be told what to do and how to do it.

The fellow who criticizes your old regiment.

The gink who insists in telling you about some of his experience overseas when you are trying to tell him about your own.

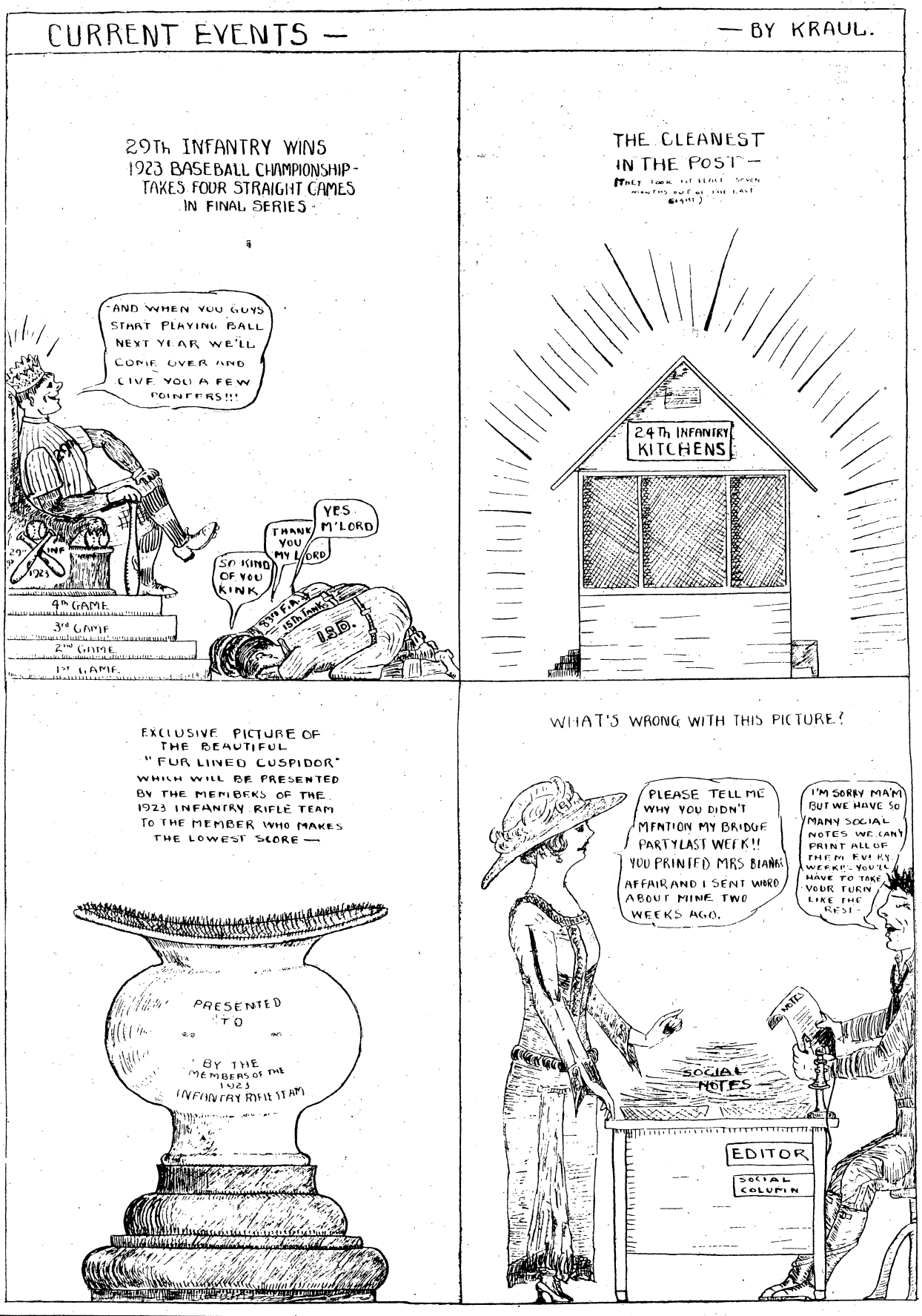
The player who tells you how to play your position on any athletic team when he is not playing his own position correctly.

The driver who will not dim his lights at night.

The female who backs her car into your own and then merrily drives off without finding out whether she has done any damage or not.

### The Naval Arms Treaty.

Washington professes to be greatly pleased at the fact that the French Chamber of Deputies has ratified the naval armament limitation treaty adopted with such eclat at the much heralded conference for he limitation of naval armament. But the belief that there was anything of substantial value in the agreement reached at that conference has long since been abandoned in many minds. —Raleigh News & Observer (Dem.)




## The Jist o' Life

**(Pearl Lillian Truman.)**

Prospective Buyer—"Have you any late trains out here?"

Suburban Land Dealer—"Sure all our trains are generally late."

Buyer—"That was not just what I meant but since you take it that way, are there any pretty girls near the station?"

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Lucy—"He put his arm around me five times last night."

Dolly—"Some arm."

### Consolation.

Aged Criminal, (who has just been sentenced to life improsonment)—"Oh, yer honor."

Judge— (soothingly)—"Never mind"

Prisoner—"I shall never live to do it."

Judge—"Do as much of it as you can."

### Stock Speculation.

Switch Tender—"And what was the terrible fight about down at the freight yards this morning?"

Track Walker—"Sure now it was all over a young elephant what a circus man wanted to ship to Saint Louey. Murphy said it was nursery stock, O'Briend claimed it should go at trunk rates and Dugan swore they should bill it as a baby grand!"

### Willie Knew.

Teacher—"Don't you know that punctuation means that you must pause?"

Willie—"Course I do. An auto driver punctured his tire right in front of our house Sunday and he paused for half an hour.

### A Natural Question.

"Pa," asked the inquisitive child, was Job a dictor?"

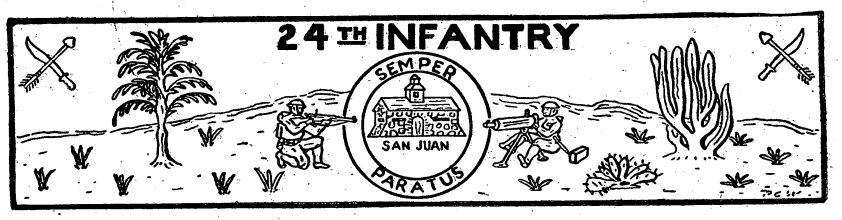
"Not that I know of."

"Then why do people have so much to say about the patients of Job."

### Some Test.

"Remember, son, Garfield drove mules on a tow-path an dLincoln split rails."

"I know, dad; but say, did any of those Presidents ever crank a cold motor in a blizzard for half an hour before he discovered he did not have any gasoline?"




## YE OLDE KNAPSACK

A story of romance of "the olden days."

An old copy of Orders has been found in the files of the 24th Infantry is reproduced for the readers of the News which reminds us that there was a time when romance and adventure was to be expected in line of duty with the Colors most everywhere.

Hdqrs. 24th Infantry,
Ft. Bayard, New Mexico,
November 12, 1889.

Orders No. 56.

It is with great pleasure that the Colonel Commanding publishes to the Regiment the following extract from the report of Major J. W. Wham, Paymaster U. S. Army, upon the fight between his escort and robbers, near Cedar Springs, Ariz. on May 11, 1889.

Tucson, Ariz.
August 29, 1889.

To The Secretary of War,
Washington, D. C.,

(Through Headquarters Dept. of Ariz., Los Angeles, Cal.)

Sir:

Referring to the fact that while enroute from Fort Grant to Fort Thomas May 11th last, making payment on the April muster, my party was amuushed and fired into by a number of armed brigands, since estimated by U. S. Marshal Meads at from twelve to fifteen, but to myself and entire escort, two non-commissioned officers and nine privates, from fifteen to twenty.

A large boulder weighing several tons and apparently, as is often the case, rolled into the road and stopped. My ambulance had almost reached this boulder when it slowly came to a halt, and to my question "What's the matter, Sergeant?" came the immediate response from the box, "a boulder in the road, sir." The Sergeant and escort, which was in a wagon in rear were almost before the vehicles stopped, passing armed down the gorge to the front to clear the way, they were nearly all at the boulder when a signal shot was fired from the ledge of rocks about fifty feet above to the right, which was instantly followed by a volley, believed by myself and entire party to be fifteen or twenty shots.

A sharp, short fight lasting something over htirty minutes ensued, during which time the following non-commissioned officers and privates eight of whom were wounded, two being shot twice, behaved in the most courageous and heroic manner.

Benjamin Brown, Sergeant Co. "C," 24th Infantry.

Isaiah Mays, Corporal Co. "B" 24th Infantry.

George Arrington, Private Co. "C," 24th Infantry.

Benjamin Burge, Private Co. "E," 24th Infantry.

Julius Harrison, Private Co. "B," 24th Infantry.

Squire Williams, Private Co. "K," 24th Infantry.

James Young, Private Co. "K," 24th Infantry.

Hamilton Lewis, Private Co. "B," 24th Infantry.

Inviting attention to the following statement, I have the honor to recommend him to the President for the honors provided by paragraphs 175 and 176, Army Regulations.

Sergeant Brown, though shot through the abdomen, did not quit the field until again wounded, this time through the arm.

Private Burge, who was to my immediate right, received a bad wound in the hand, but gallantly held his post, resting his rifle on his forearm and continuing to fire with much coolness, until shot through the thigh and twice through the hat.

Private Arrington was shot through the shoulder while fighting from this same position.

Privates x x and Harrison were also wounded to my immediate left, while bravely doing their duty under a murderous cross fire.

Private Williams was shot through the leg near my ambulance, at the first volley, but crawling to cover, continued to fire.

Private Lewis, my ambulance driver, was shot through the stomach, but the noble fellow was undaunted, and while the blood gushed from his terrible wound, he insisted that my clerk, W. T. Gibbon, should allow him to take wounded Wheeler's gun instead of using it himself, and buckling on a belt, heroically continued to fight until all present were wounded except myself and Corporal Mays, then without my knowledge walked and crawled two miles to Cottonwood Ranch, and gave the alarm to Barney Norton, who at that distance had distinctly heard the firing, and estimated the first volley at from fifeen to twenty shots.

* * *

The brigands fought from six well constructed stone forts, * * * while my men were forced to fight from such poor cover as could be instantly found. The Sergeant, who in the melee, became detached with privates Young and Short, made his entire fight from open ground; however, the position which I occupied with the main party was but little better, being enfiladed by both the robber flanks, but it was the only unoccupied cover. Yet with all this against us, the men behaved as previously stated.

The lowest estimate placed on the number of brigands by the U. S. Marshal is twelve. A cartridge belt worn by one of the robbers and from which there was apparently forty rounds fired, brings the probable number of shots from the robbers position to 480.

I was a soldier in Grant's old regiment during the entire war; it was justly proud of its record of sixteen battles, and of the reflected glory of it's old Colonel, "The Great Commander," but I never witnessed greater courage nor better fighting than shown by these colored soldiers on May 11th 1889, as the bullet marks on the robbers position today abundantly attests.

I am, sir,
Very respectfully,
(Signed) JOS. W. WHAM.
Paymaster, U. S. A.

The Colonel commanding desires to express to the above named men of the twenty-fourth Infantry, comprising the escort of Major Wham, (all of whom except Corporal Mays and private Young were wounded, Sergeant Brown and Private Burge being each shot twice,) his high appreciation of their gallant conduct, and to inform them that he has requested that a Medal of Honor, or Certificate of Merit for extraordinary gallantry in the presence of the enemy be awarded to each of them.

By order of Colonel Bliss:
(Signed) J. J. BRERETON,
1st Lieut. and Adjutant
24th Infantry.

## SERVICE COMPANY

The Service Co. finished its Target Practice on July 31 with credit to its self and the Regiment. Out of 56 men firing the Record course 53 qualified, which is about 94.64 per cent. The 24th Inf. Band, which is of the Serv. Co. qualified 33 men out of 34, firing the pistol qualifications of the men are as follows:

Expert riflemen 14, sharpshooters 18 and marksmen 21. Unqualified 3.

**Pistol Qualification**

Expert 3, sharpshooters 9, marksmen 21 and unqualified.

Service Co. base ball team still stands 1000. in the regimental League, and promises to stay there, if you don't believe it, just watch how we trim the 1st and 2nd Bn. team Wed. the 8th.

### Company "A"

Now that we have completed our target practice with an excellent percentage, we are having the misfortune of having all our best shots discharged during this month. Of course, Pvt. Davis will be discharged on the 10th he has decided to re-enlist.

Pvt. Bell has a staunch mind to go back to civil life, his forethought has failed him and he has lost all presence of mind, but if he does go, we hope when he comes back he will be as good a man and a soldier as when he left us.

Pvt. Carr will be discharged in the near future. He states he is not going to re-enlist. Sorry he too has such a feeling, and fails to see the chance he has before him as a young man in Company "A." The idea of going out to come back is just a waste of time, it should always be remembered that it is written, that a rolling stone gathers no moss, so don't be a rolling stone.

### Company "C"

Pvt. Worsham, has taken on three more years with the colors. It is certainly pleasing to have the old members of the company remain with us.

Sgt. Williams is visiting relatives and friends at Savannah, Ga. We hope he has an enjoyable time.

Do you know that:

It isn't what you know that gets you anywhere in life, but its who you know.

It's best to realize at this day and time you cannot jump at conclusions and be successful.

To be considerate shows the other fellow you are interested in his welfare.

### Company "E"

Look out Vanhook, September is coming and I am sure you don't want to see the 15th of September so soon because you haven't rested up long enough, but we are still in favor of you being one of the best in the company as we know that you're the best cook in the regiment.

Bugler Jackson is still looking for a cactus bush in the red hills of Georgia but it can't be found, so beware unto the cactus and find you a hill near by and just imagine that is the twin peak New Mexico looking over in Old Mexico at the "Paloma Lake."

Pvt. Johnson has rejoined his company after taking a furlough a few years ago. Now he is back to stay with us until he retires. The company is glad to have you back.

### Company "F"

The target range work is over and we all are glad to the work of the company. We qualified twelve (12) experts, six (6) sharpshooters and five (5) marksmen out of one (1) officer and twenty-two (22) enlisted men firing.

Every one in the company was sorry to see Pvt. Elbert Coulter leave the company and enter civil life. We all hope he will make good in civil life, as he was an excellent soldier and men liked him are missed in the service.

Pvt. George Todd, is back home again from his short vacation in camp. He says, "never again."

We are all sorry to know of Pvt. David Brown, being in the hospital, he is a good soldier and an expert rifle and pistol shot. We are looking for his early return to duty.

### Company "G"

The reception given in honor of Sergeant Jack L. Francis, Company "E" 24th Infantry, in the dining room of Company "M" was an enjoyable affair. A regimental Review was tendered Sergeant Francis, the day before in honor of his long and faithful service of more than thirty years in the service of hi scompany. Sergeant Francis, was well known throughout the service; diligent in the performance of duty and loyal to his superiors since entering the service in 1899.

The reception was largely attended by the Officers, non-commissioned officers and families of the regiment. Refreshments of various kinds were served all of which was enjoyed by those present.

Sergeant James Gill, since the completion of target practice, is engaged in the instruction of the new recruits joining the regiment. Sergeant Gill is an excellent instructor and is capable of putting a recruit on his first legs upon entering the service.

On August 4th, 9:30 a. m. all officers and enlisted men of the regiment marched and assembled on the Post Parade Ground with all other troops of the post to hear the reading of the order announcing the death of our late President Warren G. Harding, President of the United States, and Commander in chief of the United States Army and Navy. The ceremonies were brief, music for the occasion was rendered by the 24th Infantry band.

### Company "I"

World's peace:

"I stand for peace," says old Johnnie Bull;
Then builds more ships 'till his navy is full.
"I stand for peace" says war-ridden France,
"But I'll keep a big army and not take a chance,
"I stand for peace" says shrewd Italy,
"But I'd best keep prepared for my own safety,"
"I stand for peace" says foxy Japan,

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(Continued from previous page)

But I'm ready for war to the last fighting man."

"I stand for peace," says our Uncle Sam,

"But if war they'll have, I don't give a D——.

—STW.

Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Bull-Slingers Club will be held at its office (Service club steps). at 5:30 p. m. the 13th day of August, at which time there will be submitted for the consideration of the stock holders the following proposition; That Staff Sergeant W. Washington be donated a Silver Cup, the said Sgt. Washington being so free hearted as to get on a firing point and donated so many shots to other targets that he forgot his own. Report to Sgts. Joe Anderson and Rim Ellis.

Dave Howard (War Dept.) has made the sporting portion of the recreation tent look like the swimming pool of the 24th Infantry. They now teem with interesting news, careful reviews, and thoughtful and frank criticisms on men that get week-end passes.

Hill Owen (Slim), says he is going out in the cruel world to see how old that hog is everybody been talking about, he says if he can't find out in one day he'll never know, because he will be back just as soon as the recruiting office open the next morning.

### Company "K"

To the members of company "K"; R'member what the Company Commander said after the parade last Wednesday? "Lets Go."

Alright, Stack-O-$, you've had your Disch, Finals, and a big nite, now for the (Nuff Sed.)

Just for the sake of future reference, we wish that somebody who is versed in zoology to tell us what is it that Sgt. Carrett has. We are not sure, bu tit has the car-marks of an automobile.

One of the new additions to the staff of Co. "K" is Sgt. Russell, (poor boy) welcome to our city "BOB" but remember, "No Breaks."

### Company "M"

Pvt. Willie Gallamore was in tough luck the other day contracted for a Flivver by agreeing to hand the owner $250 belogs on the arrival of his final statements, but was surprised to find that the finals barely escaped ($179) belogs tough luck old boy never count your chickens before they are hatched.

There was a Head Versus Coca Cola Bottle and Gallamore defeated the Head. We don't know who introduced the battle, but twelve dingling bottles were rushed up on his bean and we rushed out just in time to find that they were all destroyed at the landing place.

Why does Cpl. Jones prefer strong cigars?

Because any other kind would break in his pocket.

Sgt. Hill (King) left the Company the other day on a five days pass, he was asked by some of the boys, "where are you going, King? His answer was, "to the queen."

The next day King was the first man to be seen in the Company Street, he looked as if he was in a world of trouble. We all were very much surprised to see the King in such an attitude as that. The boys began to ask what is the trouble with King? His answer was "When a King takes a queen he needs a lots of jack to support her." What are you holding.

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### "WHITIE"

HE'S JUST an ordinary cur.
OF MORE than doubtful antecedants.
HIS MOTHER evidently was not.
ALL SHE should have been.
AND HIS father much given to associating.
WITH LOOSE characters.
A TRAIT which he also most strongly shows.
HE HAS no pride of ancestry.
AND DOESN'T seem to care a hoot.
FOR HIS posterity.
AND FOR all practical purposes.
HE IS absolutely.
NULL AND void.
HE HAS neither the nose or the speed of the hound.
THE ARISTOCRATIC beauty of the Collie.
OR THE pep and go of the Airedale.
IN FACT he isn't worth a dam.
AND I can't think of one redeeming virtue.
TO OFFSET his utter worthlessness.
BUT AT night when call to quarters blows.
AND ALL the lights are out.
HE GOES to one or the other of the squad rooms.
AND GOES to sleep.
LIKE ANY other soldier.
AND HE gets up at First Call.
BUT IN a quiet and gentlemanly way.
BEFITTING ONE of his length of service.
AND NOT like the mutton browed recruit.
WHO GREETS the morn witb many bleatings.
AND MUCH disturbance of his mates.
HE ANSWERS Reveille and chow call.
AND-DRILL and fatigue call too.
HE KNOWS the clatter of the Artillery tractors.
AND THE hum of the Artillery trucks.
AND HE'S always faithful.
AND ON the job.
AND INTO it all he puts the proper spirit of a soldier.
FOR HE goes forth with much joyous barking.
AND RETURNS sedately with proudly wagging tail.
AND A consciousness of duty well performed.
AND HE looks at you out of his big brown eyes.
WITH A spirit of comradeship.
AND AS man should look at man.
AND HIS sympathies are all with the enlisted men.
FOR HE oft\ times barks at those who wear boots and spurs.
AND FOR these things and many others.
THE MEN all love him.
AND WOE betide the man who should so far forget himself as to kick.
THIS CUR of low degree.
BUT I have noticed that of late.
HE DOES not present "that well groomed appearance."
HIS SKIN is not one that you would love to touch.
AND SO I'm going down and wash him.
AND I know that the wagging of his tail.
AND THE straightforward friendliness of his gaze.
WILL MORE than repay me for my trouble.
I THANK YOU.

### AMERICAN LEGIONNARIES VISIT STOCKADE

The Post Stockade was visited last Sunday afternoon by a delegation of prominent members of the American Legion. Among them was the State Chaplain of the Legion, the Reverend Edward McKinley of Washington, Ga.

Chaplain McKinley has been visiting and inspecting jails, penitentiaries and prisons in many parts of the state. His duties with hte Legion have taken him through practically every section of Georgia and he is well qualified to express an opinion on the sanitation and administration of penal institutions.

The Legionaries were shown every part of the Post Stockade and were interested spectators in all they saw. At the conclusion of heir visit, they expressed themselves in most enthusiastic terms regarding the perfect discipline of the prisoners, the excellent sanitation and police of the grounds, barracks and mess, and the efficient administration of the stockade. Chaplain McKinley was particularly well pleased. He stated that, after having seen hundreds of such institutions, he reguarded the Fort Benning Stockade as a model establishment of its kind, worthy of emulation by jails and prisons throughout the state.

Among the legionaries of the delegation were all the members of the Georgia State Publicity Committee of the American Legion. The legion of the state is engaged in collecting material for the publication of a pamphlet advertising the cities, towns, activities and advantages of Georgia.

Each Disrict Committeeman obtains from the cities and towns of his district the information about them which the pamphlet is to contain. Columbus and Fort Benning are well represened by the chairman of the publicity committee, Legionaire Fitzpatrick of the Columbus Enquirer-Sun. Mr. Fitzpatrick a journalist by profession, is a publicity expert and is assuring himself that all essential information about this Post and our neighboring city will appear in the pamphlet.

The committee consists of chairman Fitzpatrick of Columbus and Legionaires Cobb of Atlanta, Pueter of Savannah, McDonald of Macon and West of Albany.

The delegation was escorted to the Post and through the Stockade by Captain Manton S. Eddy, Inf., the Commander of Charles S. Harrison Post of Columbus and John Paul Jones, formerly Major, U. S. A. and Constructing quartermaster, of Fort Benning, now a citizen of Columbus and a member of Charles S. Harrison Post.

A correspondent of the News had the pleasure of accompanying the delegation on their visit and assures every member of the command that he can feel keenly and justly proud of being a member of a garrison that, in spite of heavy handicaps and serious difficulties, has produced an institution that can command such praise as our stockade has received.

### 3000 C. M. T. C. TRAINEES ARRIVE AT McCLELLAN

#### Big Athletic Program Being Planned

Captain E. M. Yon and his corps of assistants are planning a big athletic program for the men of the C. M. T. C. The Athletic Staff will be assisted by Battalion and Company athletic officers.

Compulsory athletics will be indulged in each Wednesday afternoon from 1 to 3 p. m. All students may elect what form of sport they wish to take up during this compulsory period, with the exception of swimming which will be elected only by those who cannot swim. One of the big purposes of the Athletic Staff is to make every trainee a swimmer before the close of the camp. Men who make no selection will be given games designated by the athletic officers.

In addition to the above there will be a mass of free time sports such as swimming, boxing, tennis, track and field, and baseball. A heavy baseball schedule is being arranged and much good talent is expected to be uncovered among the various C. M. T. C. organizations.

Suitable awards will be made for competitions to be announced later in the following:

Track and field; Swimming; Individual Drill and Soldierly Qualities; Tennis; Boxing; Rifle and Pistol Marksmanshp; Machine Gun Marksmanship; Efficiency Test.

The date for the big C. M. T. C. Track and Field meet has been set for August 28th, and it is expected will be a gala event.—Camp McClellan Messenger.

### HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED

What becomes of all of the last year's model cars that are still unsold when the new models come out?

What your callers talk about when they leave your quarters?

Where the breeze come from when you turn on your electric fan?

What becomes of a letter when you send it to the file clerk?

When Andy Gump is going to find out who donated the daily $500?

If some automobile mechanics do not do something to the "innards" of your motor to necessitate the car being carried back for repairs in about a month?

Where the month's pay goes?

Why women kiss each other when deadly enemies?

Who you might have been had you had other parents?

How it feels to be a General Officer?

If you are a shave-tail what you would do with a lieutenant colonels pay?

What makes roads bumpy?

Why garage owners and highwaymen are classed separately?

How many men it takes to catch a bootlegger?

Why some of us have to remain dubs while others achieve greatness?

If the guy who wrote this had nothing better to do?

### The Future In The Air.

France announces that it is now and will remain supreme in the air, and appropriates $50,000,000 to back its boast. Great Britain replies with announcement of plans to add thirty-four air squadrons to its military air force, at a cost of $26,000,000. At the same time a French official refers with more or less justified contempt to America's lack of progress in this feature of warfare. The latter charge is too true for comfort.—Chicago Tribune.


# A BLIND NOVELTY

A genuine treat is guaranteed.

Wood's Jubilee Singers, consisting of 8 blind colored people, will entertain patrons of the Post Theatre with a variety, songs, chores, quartettes, solos and playlets. This is in addition to the regular movie program.

Time: Saturday Night, August 11th.

Additional price—25 cents.

## Hints on Etiquette
### By Ima Lyer

**Servants:**

The Butler.

This gentleman is ordinarily the boss of the entire works. He has the knack of making the newly rich feel like dirt beneath the feet while in some of the best families there is a standing reward for the person who can make the butler relax into a smile. The principle duties of all good butlers are to greet unknown visitors with a stony stare and make christians out of the rest of the hired help. The dress of the butler should include a stiff shirt, high collar, black bow tie, "open face" coat, black pants, and mutton chop whiskers. In order that the butler may at all times be properly attired the most efficient ones sleep in this garb using a silver clad tray for a pillow. Because of the Sphinx like expression of most good butlers they easily adapt themselves to the great American indoor sport commonly known as "Stud." Among one of the things to try once is shaking hands with the butler and calling him "Old Top" when he meets you at the door.

The Chaffeur.

The chauffeur and the garage man are ordinarily in the same class as the highwayman. All of them hold you up. Most chauffeurs are experts in the matter of getting out of work and eloping with their employer's daughter. Motors very conveniently refuse to run at times and many a worthy automobile manufacturer's product has been condemned to perdition by the chaffeur. Ordinarily, the chaffeur and some garage man belong to the same secret society and work together in the same brotherly spirit of extracting simoleons from the full jeans of the chaffeurs employer in the matter of repair bills. Verily these bills was large while the two split "fifty-fifty." Well dressed chaffeurs are always distinguished by their waxed mustaches and leather leggins.

The Valet.

One of the principle duties of the valet is to wear his master's clothes in the absence of the latter. Incidental to this he ordinarily flirts with the lady's maid. Valets have a better chance for graft than butlers because of the former's close proximity at all times with the master's right hand trousers pockets. It is a generally accepted rule that what remains in the pockets is the valet's by right of discovery. In the old days when the master came home "loaded" both with regard to pockets and otherwise, valets prospered and grew greatly. In the present time of clear heads and economical living the valet is oftimes hard put to own his car.

Lady's Maid.

"Full many a flower is born to blush unseen,
And waste its fragrance on the desert air."

And many an otherwise piece of poor material for feminine beauty owes its prestige to the efficient hands of a lady's maid. Many a female descendent of some ancestor who took passage in the steerage of the Mayflower now occupies a high seat in the circle of the socially elect because of the pleasing illusion created by the deft hands of her maid. Beside caring for the wardrobe of her mistress, drawing her bath, sewing. dressing her hair, fastening up the buttons-or-hooks in the back, manicuring her nails, massaging her face, and giving her lessons in etiquette, the ladys maid is ordinarily expected to do no more. A good lady's maid may hold the destiny of her mistriss at her finger tips, so to speak.

The Cook.

Here is the lady who takes no back talk from anybody if she knows her business. She is the most sought after of individuals. She never has to hunt a job as there are always many jobs seeking her. He realm is the kitchen into which even the mistress of the house goes with fear without invitation. The cook may decide to take a vacation at any time and get by with it. Often she gets her vacation with full pay. The master, the mistress, the butler, the chauffeur, everybody, makes way for the cook. For her to go on strike or quit means mealless days and full well does she realize her powers. A good cook has many friends, she has great power, and many seek for her service. Verily her price is above rubies.

## DRESS UP!

### Officers Urged To Present Military Appearance

Within the past week a letter has been addressed to all officers on duty at Fort Benning bearing on the desirability of all officers at the Infantry School presenting a military appearance at all times, something to be accomplished largely by the manner in which the officer dresses.

Among the items mentioned in the letter are:

1. The possession of a "Pershing" cap. The commisisoned personnel must supply themselves with one of these caps not later than October 1st, 1923. The grommet will be worn with the cap.

2. Each officer will own at least two good hats. The issue hat is "verboten." The hat will be worn with the leather strip.

3. Hooks for supporting the Sam Browne belt will be installed on all blouses except the cotton and the white coat. Woolen coats will have the collar ornaments sewed on.

4. Officers will own two belts as near the same color of the footwear as possibile. Belts and brasses will be polished daily.

5. Tailored shirts are considered a desirable item of the officer's personal equipment.

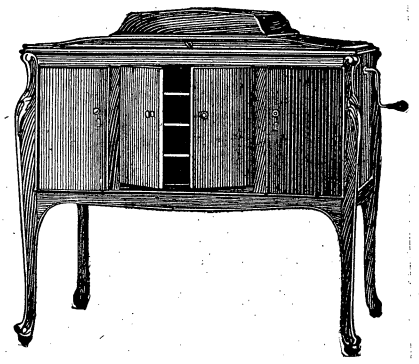
6. The wearing of well fitting "ice cream" breeches is encouraged.

7. Leggins and shoes must be of the same color and kept in the same condition of police as the belt.

8. The wearing of well fitting tailor made boots is encouraged.

A certain amount of carelessness in the matter of wearing the uniform has been noticeable at the Infantry School in the past. This is due to the fact that student officers who attend the school become busily engaged in the various courses, are roughing it in the open a great deal of the time, and as a consequence do not dress as carefully as when with troops. The permanent personnel catches the disease from the student personnel and as a result the general impression gained by a visitor of the personal appearance of officers stationed here is not always of the best.

The Infantry School is representative of the Infantry. No officer stationed here can afford to let his personal appearance cast a reflection on the Infantry branch. Consequently, [illegible] heading to this little story.

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## AND NOW THE DAYS OF THE PIG SKIN DRAW NIGH

### Infantry School Will Have A Strong Team Again

Higher authority has stated that the Infantry School will receive no students next year whose primary purpose in attending the school is the playing of the great national game where certain individuals take great pleasure in rubbing certain other individuals' noses in the dirt, trampling upon their prostrate bodies, and otherwise treating them rough. And this is as it should be. The Infantry School goes into every athletic contest with the intention of winning but when engaged with amateurs who have to develop the material at hand for their various athletic teams it is not a matter of good sportmanship, possibly, to hand-pick players from the Army at large.

The Infantry School has the material at hand for a football team which would fill the average college coach with joy. Incidentally the coaches are on hand to whip this material into shape.

Has anybody ever noticed the way Donnelly, of the Cannoneers, stands "like a stone wall" when his opponents try to rush him off his feet? Has anybody in this vicinity ever noticed Swantic, of the "Treat-'Em-Rough" outfit, hit a line and go on through for a good gain? How about Romploski, of the Doughboy outfit, when it comes to calling signals and handling his team? There are many more such as Baltzell, Lee, Davis, Lindsey, Elils, Brown, Sharpe, Parrish, Daniels, Swall, Smith and Parker, who because of their past experience will help to form the nucleus of a football team which will give any of the colleges in this section an exciting time.

All of the men who have played on their organization teams can play on the Infantry School team and at the same time hold down their berths on their organization team. The advantage which they will gain by the training in the hands of the experienced coaches who will develop them can not but strengthen them individually and as an attendant result strengthen their organizaion team.

Anoher advantage to be gained by the organization football player getting the advantage of the Infantry School team coaching is the lessening of the work of the organization coach in getting his men whipped into shape. His players who are members of the Infantry School squad will be in position to give him material assistance in coaching ends, backs, and the line by merely applying what they have been taught by the Infantry School team coaches.

It is now time for the individual players who expect to try out for the 'varsity team to get into physical condition. The college players are beginning to do this and it is essential that we do the same if we expect to make any kind of a showing next Fall. The facilities for proper training are available on the Post. Almost daily the new Post Gymnasium has quite a number of men "working out" in order that they may be physically fit. Some of them are boxers, some of them are men who are training for no particular contest but who realize that it is to their own interests to keep in good physical trim. The gymnasium is kept open practically during all of the daylight hours and there are no restrictions against its being used by members of the command at night when it is not being used by some organization for a social function, smoker, or similar entertainment.

The 'varsity coach advises that the first practice will be called about September 3rd. The football fever is getting in the air. Let's go!

## BIG BOXING TOURNAMENT IN FALL

### Organization Teams Busy Getting Into Shape.

The boxing tournament mentioned in one of the recent issues of the News has been decided upon and will be held some time during the latter part of September or the early part of October.

At a recent meeting of the various unit athletic officers of the Post it was decided that eams would be entered on the basis of the battalion. For the purpose of entering a team the detachments would be considered as a battalion and be entitled to enter one team consisting of not less than four men in any four of he boxing weights.

As a result of this meeting it seems that there will be six teams entered. The 29th Infantry will enter three, the 83rd Artillery will enter one, and one each will be entered from the Infantry School Detachment and the 15th Tank Battalion.

Post and Corps Area champions are barred from participation in the tournament. Such action was decided upon in order that the various teams might contest on a more equal footing. After the tournament has been completed, however, the individuals winning the highest number of points may challenge any Post champion at Fort Benning and the latter will have to defend his title.

Individual trophies will be awarded and a silk banner, similar to the ones now held by organization for baseball, football, and basket ball, will be awarded the team having the highest number of points. It is planned that this banner will be contested for each year until it has been won three years in succession by some organization at which time it becomes the permanent property of that organization.

A great deal of interest is being taken in the coming tournament. Contestants for places on the various boxing teams are training daily in the Post Gymnasium. One battalion—the name of which must be withheld for the present—is having the members of its team take the detailed training necessary for boxers and unless the other battalions expecting to enter teams get busy the battalion in question will have such an advantage in the tournament that the other teams entered will give this team only slight opposition rather than a stiff competition.

Fort Benning has the reputation throughout the Fourth Corps Area of being a boxing center. This is because of the fact that Fort Benning has won more points in the corps area boxing tournaments in the past than any other two stations in the corps area combined. We have all the belts at Fort Benning except the Light Heavyweight and the Welter Weight. Fort Benning will never be satisfied until these two belts are added to our list for at least one year. During the last tournament held at Fort McPherson we were accused of sending professional boxers to compete. The boxers from Fort Benning had just finished a month of clean living and hard training. They were within the required weight and in first class physical condition. The tournament this year is the first step toward participation in the Fourth Corps Area Tournament. The present champions at Fort Benning will have to train to hold their titles when they are challenged by the winners of the coming Post tournament. The contestants in the Post tournament will be trained. When the Post Boxing Team is organized to represent Fort Benning in the corps tournament every man will be trained to the minute and nothing will remain to be done but put on the finishing touches.

## THE FOOTBALL "SOIXANTE-QUINZE

Comparing the difference in temperatures, it would seem to be a far cry from the blistering days of August to the drizzly idea of November, yet cometh the day apace when the whistle of the Referee shall be heard in the land, and the plunging fullback shall arise in all his might and smite the opposing linesman upon his occiput. The circling back shall run afar, and then be brought to earth with much eclat by some fleet and vigilant end who shall tread upon his supine form with joy and disrespect.

In these piping days of peace and perspiration it severely pains the imagination to even contemplate the exertion necessary to the winning of a football game. Nevertheless, the coaches are beginning to take stock of their huskies, and to speculate upon possible plays and combinations to the deteriment and undoing of opposing teams. Light practice, with a view to obtaining a line on possible new material, will, no doubt commence in each organization at an early date. The Artillery coach, with this end in view, will probably have his charges out cavorting over the greensward about August Fifteen, and with the addition of several likely looking recruits, it is believed that this year we can put a real team upon the field. There seems to be, at this early date, as usual, a shortage of back-field material in the ranks of the wagon soldiers. We have, as yet, discovered no back who combines the power of an Artillery tractor with the speed of a flying "seventy-five," but still we dare to hope. If the Gods would only favor us with one experienced back, we would venture the prophecy here and now that the winner of the Post championship would have to take the measure of the Artillery team before lighting any bonfires. In this connection we would like to call attention to one very remarkable fact which, perhaps, is not generally known, and that fact is this: There has not been a first down scored through the line, exclusive of off tackle plays against the artillery team in four consecutive seasons—laugh that off, you tanks and dough-boys, and we suggest that you check up on this statement by starting some of your plays over Zuskoritz, Steelman or Donnelly, either one of whom will immediately cause you to realize that you have wasted your sweetness on the desert air.

However, getting back to the jolly old statistics, it is well known that as a line coach, Lieutenant Peckinpaugh of the Artillery, has no superior, if indeed, an equal in the Post. He, unfortunately, will not be with us this season, but like the widely known John Brown, his soul goes marching on, and in addition to the lessons which he has impressed upon the linesmen by his sweet and lovely disposition, and his kind and gentle words, we are fortunate in having secured as coaches a group of earnest and efficient young gentlemen who helped to make football history for several seasons at West Point, and who know their stuff.

To sum up the prospects on both the debit and credit sides, it amounts to this: we have the remnants of a good line, no back-field worth mentioning, but some promising material, and a coaching staff second to none. We have speed, brains and guts, which after all, in football, as in every other thing, are the essentials for winning—the only problem is to properly coordinate the three—and lastly, we have as the German put it: The will to victory.

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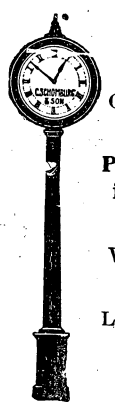

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## POLO.

A word about polo for the information of the command and incoming students.

Facilities:

Pike Field—Near Block 21, is the practice field ready for use.

Shannon Field—Near block 23, is to be used for tournament and match games only. As this is a sod field it will be used not more than once a week to prevent grass from being cut too badly.

Teams:

29th Infantry, Post Champions.

83rd Field Artillery, Runners up.

Blues (Permanent staff personnel students.)

Yellows (Students and permanent personnel)

24th Infantry (prospective)

Games:

Every Sunday. Flag on pole in front of Hospital on Post and one in front of M. P. Hdqrs. in Columbus denotes whether games will be played—

Blue flag—Game will be played.

Red flag—No game.

Watch the flags. All games will be evenly matched, with and without handicaps.

Spectators:

Ample facilities for parking about 400 cars and setting a large number of spectators on benches, have been provided. Officers, enlisted men and civilians are encouraged and cordially invited to attend. Unless especially announced and advertised no admission will be charged.

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Polo is the coming Infantry sport. It combines the best of all other sports and is essentially a military game, 50 per cent. of the organizations of an Infantry Regiment have amounts. All officers and a large numbre of enlisted men should be accomplished riders. Polo is conductive to good horsemanship, leadership, team-work, daring, pep, tactics, all of which are enlisted to a soldier.

If you do not play the game, watch it. Be able to talk intelligently on Polo. Know a good horse when you see one. You cannot help enthusing—it's a great sport. At the games any player will be glad to explain, to anyone desiring the information, the details of the play.

Next Game:

Sunday, August 12th 83rd Field Artillery with their new and strong lineup will meet the 29th Infantry with their revised lineup for six periods. Captain Betts will referee.

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## POLO TOURNAMENT HERE (?)

### Infantry School's Time To Entertain

Within the past week a movement has started to hold the next Corps Area Polo Tournament at Fort Benning. Last year the tournament was held at Fort Oglethorpe, the home of the 6th Cavalry. The year before Fort Bragg, the Artillery School entertained.

The Infantry School, being representative of the Infantry branch of the Service, can not afford to accept entertainment for its polo team from the other branches of the Service and not return the courtesy.

The playing of a polo series at any station involves considerable expenses. There is the entertainment of the players while here, the matter of freight on animals, care of animals after arrival, all of which is in addition to the usual expense of getting fields in shape for a tournament. However, the prorata expense to be borne by each officer at the Infantry School, if no other method of financing the tournament is considered practicable, should amount to not more than $5 per officer and this amount is exceedingly small to the individual. Incidentally, if every officer at the Infantry School donates this amount the school will realize sufficient funds to entertain the visiting teams in a manner befitting the dignity of the Infantry School.

The polo tournament will probably be held some time in November and it appears that teams will be entered from Fort Bragg, Fort Oglethorpe, the 8th Infantry, possibly the 22rd Infantry, and the Infantry School. The holding of the tournament here will be of decided value to the Infantry School and the Infantry as a branch.

## GEN. GOURAUD IN COLUMBUS

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at this reception; and delivered an address from the rear platform of his private car. He was all smiles and appreciation when, as a fitting close, the Daughters of American Revolution presented him with a bouquet of flowers. As the train started on its way, the guard of honor snapped out another salute which impressed the general. He stiffened to attention, saluted and the train moved off with General Gonraud still waving and smiling.

### France Ratifies.

At the same time the French senate took this action, so gratifying to the United States, there was circulated in the French chamber of deputies a report of the army commission for reorganization of the land forces of France. It contemplates an army of 660,000 men. It says: "We are preparing the army for war, which we are resolved to prevent."—Washington Star (Independent.)

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## INFANTRY RIFLE TEAM NEWS

### Received Too Late For Publication Last Week.

The tryouts for the Infantry Rifle Team Squad were completed on Wednesday, July 25th, with 1st Sergt. P. F. Mollerstrom, 17th Inf., high man with a score of 2816 out of a possible 3000. Lieut. M. L. Broderick, 11th Inf., was second with a score of 2807 and Lieut. S. R. Hinds 3rd Inf., was third with a score of 2805. The final tryouts indicated that in addition to the above mentioned men the following would compose the squad that is to represent the Infantry at the National Matches to be held at Camp Perry, Ohio, during September, the following are in order of scores:

Lieut. W. H. O'Mohundro, 25th Inf. 2801; 1st Sergt. J. Velenage, 13th Inf. 2796; Capt. J. L. Tupper, 7th Inf., 2789; Capt. J. W. McCormick, 4th Inf. 278 ; Capt. D. M. Bartow, Inf. 2787; Capt. S. S. MacLaughlin, Inf. 2786; Sgt. A. Kotlarczyk, 23rd Inf. 2785; Lieut. F. LaRue, 30th Inf. 2782; Lieut. W. C. Conover, 13th Inf. 2779; Lieut. H. B. Sheets, 17th Inf. 2775; Lieut. A. K. Robinson, 1st Inf. 2775; Lieut. L. V. Jones, 24th Inf. 2774; Warrant Officer H. Whitaker, 2773; Major G. W. Price, Inf. 2772; Lieut. H. W. Barrick, 15th Tank Bn. 2770; Sgt. W. F. Lay, 19th Inf. 2768; Capt. P. W. Mapes, 9th Inf. 2768.

The competition was very keen up to the last range as a comparison of the standing of the above mentioned men indicates. With few exceptions those who started off in the lead held their position and made it difficult for those lower down to displace them. Weather conditions, except for the last two days, were ideal and as the result the tryouts were completed on time. The remainden of the week was given the entire squad as a holiday and to enable all to enjoy a complete rest before starting in on the intensive training of the team.

Starting Monday the pistol tryouts will begin, the first two days will be devoted to preliminary instruction followed by record firing. As a result of this firing the personnel composing the pistol team will be selected. A record score was turned in by Lieut. Barrick on Friday when he made a score of 283 out of a possible score of 300, Warrant Officer Stardie ran him a close second with a 280. The pistol work is being handled by Capt. W. A. Hedden and under his supervision excellent scores are being submitted. There are forty six candidates out for the pistol squad which is composed of five members so there should be strong competition for these places.

The tryouts for the International Team will be held for this district at Fort Niagara, starting August 11 and ending the 15. Capt. E. G. Lindroth has been designated acting Executive Officer and will have charge of the tryouts. Quite a number of candidates who did not make the rifle squad are entered and there will also be entries from Buffalo and nearby cities. All arrangements have been completed stands built and the outcome of these matches will be published in these columns.

Major Ramee, Team Captain stated that in his entire experience with rifle teams, both as offifcial and member, he has never seen a tryout that was run off as smoothly and with less confusion as the past one. The work of the 28th Infantry in operating the targets, telephones and all details on the range was excellent and thru their efficient service there was not one delay during the entire tryouts. The splendid spirit of sportsmanship was evident to the very last day, the low men were fighting for places up to the last and when they lost out were the first to congratulate he winners.

Lieut. H. B. Sheets one of the successful candidates that made the squad suffered a broken ankle on Sunday which may prevent his accompanying the squad to Perry but all are hoping that he will be up and around in time.

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## CHAPEL NOTES

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.

9:00 A. M.—Morning service in charge of the Protestant Clergy of Columbus.

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School, Lieut. Custer in charge.

6:00 P. M. — Evening Song, Mrs. Cooper in charge.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL**

Block 7, Hall avenue.

8:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon.

10:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon. No Sunday School during the summer months.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY**

Sunday

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Services.

5:00 P. M.—Evening Services.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 P. M. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on Duty:**

Protestant — Stephen R. Wood; Alexander W. Thomas, Telephone 100.

Catholic—T. J. Lennan, Telephone 74.

Jewish—F. L. Rosenthal (O. R. C.) City 13248-W., Post 74.

### INFANTRY PISTOL TEAM.

**High Scores Mark Tryouts.**

The tryouts for the Infantry Pistol Team were completed on Friday with Lieut. S. R. Hinds, 3rd Inf. the high man with a score of 3905 followed closely by Major Per Ramee with a score of 3828. The next four men in order of standing are as follows, Major Paul W. Newgarden, 27th Inf. 3778, Lieut. H. W. Barrick, Tank Corps, 3770 Lieut. E. R. Vermette, 5th Inf. 3763 and Corporal J. R. P. Hill, 23rd Inf. 3701. Captain W. A. Hedden, Team Coach was in charge of the firing and did not compete al-

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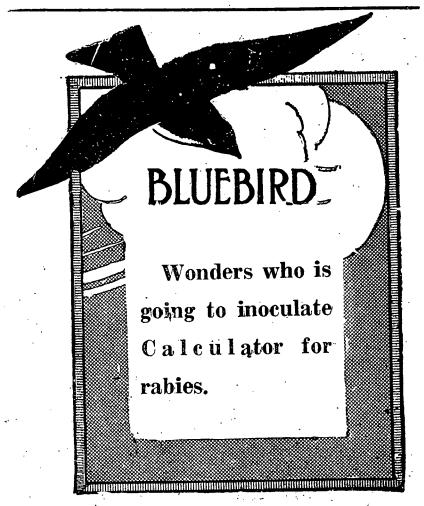


### 28TH REGULAR INFANTRY OBSERVES MONDAY NEXT AS "ORGANIZATION DAY"

**Noted Outfit that Has Battalion at Fort Niagara Credited with Being First Combat Outfit of American Forces to Arrive in France During World War—Record Fine.**

Commemorating the first organized offensive by the American Army in the World War the Twenty-Eighth Regular Infantry will on May 28th celebrate "Organization Day" at Forts Porter, Niagara and Ontario, the three battalion posts and regimental headquarters of the regiment. On May 28, 1918, the 28th Infantry, attacked and captured Cantigny, France, this being the first large scale battle of the American Expeditionary forces. From the entire AEF the Commander in Chief selected the 28th Infantry, which had been in France since June 26, 1917, to conduct the first big American offensive of the War. There are with the regiment today several officers and many enlisted men who fought in this first big battle by the American Army in the World War. Among them is Captain John L. Dunn, of Co. "B," who was the first American combat officer to land in France.

The 28th Infantry has the honor of being the first American combat regiment in the World War whose members landed on foreign soil, "K" Company being the first unit to disembark in France, on June 26, 1917. To this regiment also falls the honor of being the first American regiment to make the first American offensive the taking of Cantigny, on May 27-28, 1918, and the further honor of being the first American unit to conduct a laid against the enemy in which prisoners were taken, the raid being conducted on the night of March 28-29, 1918, on a German outpost in the Toul sector, four German prisoners being taken. For its successes at the battles of Cantigny and Soissons the 28th Infantry was decorated by the French government with the Fourragere in the colors of the Croix de Guerre, and today every member of the 28th Infantry, the first of the First, wears the coveted shoulder cord.

The total casualties of his regiment during the World War were 157 officers and 4,721 enlisted men, 39 of the officers being killed and 188 wounded, while of the enlisted personnel 895 were killed and 3,753 wounded, with 83 carried as "missing." At St. Mihiel, where the first American army made world history, it was the scout platoon of the 28th Infantry that effected the junction of the First Division with the troops from the opposite side of the salient and at the Meuse-Argonne the 26th Infantry gained a reputation for hard fighting in spite of opposition that would have meant disaster for less trained, less hardy, less spirited troops than veterans of the first class—Regulars.

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### HOMES FOR STUDENT OFFICERS

**List Furnished For Their Advanced Information**

Last year considerable difficulty was experienced on the part of officers arriving late in getting suitable homes in Columbus. The housing accommodations in the city were hardly adequate to meet the demand. This year, on account of the reduction in the number of officers ordered to the Infantry School and the construction of additional quarters on the Post, it does not appear that incoming officers will have difficulty in getting quickly located in Columbus.

Of the number of officers ordered to the Infantry School it appears that about thirty field officers will get quarters on the Post while the rest will have to live in Columbus. All captains, of course, should be interested in the following list of Columbus homes. Because of the number involved it was not possible for a representative of the News to visit the houses and apartments listed and the description has been furnished by the owners. The News has been assisted in getting the data for the following list by the Enquirer-Sun and the Columbus Ledger.

Five room, unfurnished bungalow; fully screened, tile bath, Arcola heating system, instantaneous hot water. Price, 12 months lease $57.50; 10 months lease $65. Myron S. Greentree, Columbus, Ga.

Three room apartment; bedroom, dining room, kitchenette, hot and cold water; free garage; private entrance to apartment; in new bungalow. Furnished or partly furnished. $40 per month completely furnished. J. B. Ingram, Jr., 124 Munro Ave., Wynnton. (Note: Wynnton is a suburb of Columbus and part of the city.)

Two rooms and sleeping porch. Can be arranged for cooking. Furnished except for linen, etc. Grate and furnace heat. $60 per month. Jas. B. Huff, 215 15th St.

Two rooms, large kitchen, tiled bath, sleeping porch, partially furnished. Price $70. No children. Miss Philips, 1400 3rd Ave.

Two rooms, upstairs, private bath; suitable for two couples; table board available; no price listed. Mrs. D. I. Blascow. 619 Broad St.

Upstairs apartment; three large furnished rooms; bath room, hall and garage; desires military lease (9 mo.) Price $65, with garage; $60 without garage. Mrs. L. B. McKee, 1413 4th Ave.

Six apartments; eight rooms, two baths, garage. Rent, 12 months, $65; 9 months, $80. Also one seven room house. Rent, 12 months $60; 9 months,

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### PROGRAM FOR THE POST THEATRES FOR THE WEEK

**WEEK ENDING AUG. 25, 1923**

24th Infantry Theatre....6:00 P. M.
29th Infanry Theatre....6:45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7:30 P. M.

**Sunday Aug. 19, 1923**

The Flirt, 8 reels, Special Cast; Giants vs. Yanks, 2 reels, Our Gang.

**Monday Aug. 20, 1923.**

The Ninety and Nine, 7 reels, Special Cast; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday, Aug. 21, 1923.**

Remembrance, 6 reels, Special Cast; Pair of Sixes, 2 reels.

**Wednesday, Aug. 22, 1923.**

Daddy, 6 reels, Jackie Coogan; Flirts, 1 reel, H. Lloyd.

**Thursday, Aug. 23, 1923.**

Boss of Camp "4," 5 reels, Jones; Poor Fish, 2 reels; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday, Aug. 24, 1923.**

Town Scandal, 5 reels, Walton; Pathe Review, 1 reel; Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday, Aug. 25, 1923.**

Tents of Allah, 5 reels, Blue; Torchy's Holdup, 2 reels.

### ARMY CHAMPIONS

In its July issue the Third Corps Area Gazette carried a very nice sketch of two football players, one being labeled "Army" and the other "Marines" Both players stand in front of an entrance marked "Championship Entrance." Old Gray Squirrel was heard to remark when looking at the picture, "How come the 3rd Corps Area football team represents the Army when they haven't mixed things with the Infantry School 'varsity?"

**CALCULATOR**

**Old Gray Squirrel had a dream: he dreamed that Calc had died,**
**And when old Gray Squirrel did awake, he cried and cried and cried.**
**"Of all the dog friends—they are very few—I've had upon this Post,**
**Poor little Calculator was the one that I have loved the most."**

## HOMES FOR STUDENT OFFICERS

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$65. P. J. Williams, 3015 Hamilton Ave.

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Two rooms and kitchenette; light water and gas; $45 per month. Mrs. Dan Huff, Forest Ave., Wynnton.

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Four room upstairs apartment with bath. Screened; front porch; hot water; portable heater; fire place; $85 per month, nine months. W. S. Gillis, 1544 2nd Ave.

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Furnished apartments; all conveniences; four rooms and garage; $50 per month for school year. V. A. Cox, 1503 18th St.

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Three room apartment suitable for housekeeping; gas, electricity, private bath, private entrance, front porch; partly furnished. $45 per month. Mrs. R. W. Ledsinger, 816 2nd Ave.

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Room for couple without children; table board; telephone and lights furnished; $100.00 per month for couple. Mrs. Mollie Lind, 2844 Beacon Ave.

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Six room bungalow, new, built for home. Three bedrooms, living room, dining room, butlers pantry, kitchen, reception hall, back hall, front and back porch screened, bath room with hot and cold water and several closets. Gas stove, connected, $25.00; refrigerator, $10.00. This property owned by former officer tenant. $60.00 per month, 12 months. Miss Estelle Collins, care J. A. Kirven's Department Store.

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Three room unfurnished upper apartment. Hall, kitchennette, bath with instaneous heater. Water, telephone, lights, gas included. $65.00 per month. Mrs. Carroll Scarborough, 1231 3rd Ave.

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Eight room house suitable for two apartments. Upper apartments has bed room, combined living room and dining room, kitchen, private bath, private entrance, hot water. $55.00. Lower apartment has five rooms; living room, bed rooms, dining room, kitchen, back porch and yard, private bath, $65.00. Apartments completely furnished. Mrs. Jas. Davis, 807 2nd Ave.

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Down stairs apartment, large porch with swings, reception hall, living room, dining room, bed room, bath, back porch, garage. Price $60.00.

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Upstairs apartment, private entrance. Combined living room and dining room, kitchen, one bed room. $40 per month. Both apartments, Mrs. Jas. Davis, 807 2nd Ave.

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Ground floor apartment. Living room, bedroom, dining room, kitchen, garage, gas, water, and light not furnished. Tenant to pay one half fuel costs for furnace. Furnished. All conveniences. Dr. George P. Gurr, 1933 17th Ave. Corner 20th St.

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Three large connecting rooms furnished. Privilege of living room, sun parlor, lights, water phone. Apartment can be divided and made suitable for two families. In new brick home. $90.00 per month; garage $5 per month. R. G. Parrish, Columbus Coca-Cola Bottling Co.

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Four room apartment. Reception hall and private bath. Front and back porches. Private entrances. Unfurnished at $40 per month. Can furnish one bed room. References exchanged. Mrs. J. S. Moore, 1125 4th Ave.

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Apartment consisting of reception room, two bed rooms, bath, kitchen and garage. Furnished complete except for linen and silver. $60 per month. Mrs. W. R. Hudson, 518 24th Street.

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Down Stairs front room completely furnished. Short distance from car and bus lines. $30 per month. Mrs. Fred Reich, 1024 2nd Ave.

Upstairs apartment; furnished, bed room, living room, kitchen, $45 per month. Mrs. John A. Lewis, 1133 5th Ave.

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Three large connecting rooms in Waverly Terrace. All conveniences. Price depends upon furnishings required. Mrs. Clark, 2837 Beacon Ave.

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Four rooms in private home; connecting bath, steam heat, phones, hot water, all conveniences. Rooms not furnished for housekeeping. Rooms with use of bath $30 per month. Mrs. L. R. Quincy, Wynnton Drive.

Three large rooms with kitchenette; sleeping porch, bath, private entrance, on ground floor; fully screened. Lights and gas on seperate meters. Children desired. $65 per month, Miss Lee, 838 2nd Ave.

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Three room apartment, large bed room, small dining room, kitchenette, adjoining bath. $45 per month. Also large furnished room without kitchen, $20 per month. Mrs. A. L. Affleck, 1413 2nd Ave.

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Three connecting rooms with front and rear entrance. All conveniences. Lights and water furnished. $37.50 per month. Mrs. H. V. Hargett, 1411 19th St.

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Six room bungalow practically new; water, gas, electric light connections; large yard and garage. $80 for nine months, $60 for one year, per month. Mrs. Marguerite Hermann, 1926 Talbot Ave.

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Small apartment; bed room, bath, breakfast room, kitchenette. Completely furnished except linen and china. Garage space if desired; lights, water and gas furnished. Young couple desired for company of son and daughter, 21 and 23. Price, $60. Mrs. J. W. Blackmon, Columbus, Ga.

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Three apartments, three to five rooms each. private entrance. Two apartments furnished. Third one can be furnished. $50 to $75 including heat, water, and in some cases light. Apartments have gas stoves and refrigerators. Mrs. Chas. H. Davis, Columbus, Ga.

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Apartment consisting of front bedroom, dining room, living room, garage, bath with instantaneous heater; everything furnished except heat. $50 per month. Mrs. T. H. Bergen, 1316 5th Ave.

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Apartment containing two large rooms, breakfast room, and kitchenette Private hall and bath; garage; veranda and lawns. $45 per month.

Apartment complete for housekeeping; two rooms, kitchenette, breakfast room, hall, bath. Large porches. Garage if desired. $60 per month.

Apartment, two rooms and kitchenette, porch screened, private bath, private entrance; separate from rest of house. $35 per month.

All apartments on first floor but in different parts of city. Mrs. J. E. Sharpe, 1926 Hamilton Ave.

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Five room furnished apartment on first floor; sun parlor, pantry, Price $75.00.

Four room apartment; private entrance and bath; verandas; second floor; $60 per month.

Two or three room apartment, first floor, furnished, garage.

All apartments for lease by Mrs. Ella Jenkins, 109 13th St.

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Two apartments, three large rooms and a smaller apartment; large apartment $45 per month, smaller one, $35 per month. Mrs. Sarah L. Clayton, 116 15th St.

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Four apartments, $25, $35, $50 one large apartment subject to enlargement and priced accordingly. House screened thruout, all furnished, running water in all apartments, water, lights, phone included. Linen not furnished. Mrs. T. D. Power, 1441 2nd Ave.

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Upstairs apartment, three rooms and kitchenette, private bath, hot and cold water, garage, light, water, and telephone. Furnished, $65; unfurnished, $40.

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Two connecting rooms; may be adapted for light housekeeping; bath, $30 per month, furnished or unfurnished, if desired as bed room and living room; $35 per month if used for light housekeeping and will furnish water and lights. Mrs. T. A. Williams, 1016 3rd Ave.

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Entire second floor, two bed rooms, living room, dining room, dressing room, kitchen and bath. $40 per month. Mr. Dozier Fuller, Chero-Cola Co., Columbus, Ga.

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Modern apartment consisting of living room, dining room, breakfast room kitchen, all downstairs; two bed rooms, sleeping porch, shower and tub bath upstairs. Garage, lawn, back yard. $900.00 per year. Georgia Paving and Construction Co., Columbus, Ga.

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Five room apartment, tile bath, sleeping porch; modern in every detail. Price $480.00 per year. Georgia Paving and Construction Co. Columbus, Ga.

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Apartment in newly built bungalow; bed room, living room, dining room, kitchen; furnished thruout. Bath and garage. Price $55 per month. Mrs. J. O. Taylor, 1327 17th St.

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Three room apartment completely furnished, living room, bed room, kitchen, breakfast room, connecting bath, $45 per month, lights and water furnished. Mrs. David G. Lewis, 1319 5th Ave.

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Bungalow, four rooms, breakfast room and bath, desirable location; $50 per month, E. R. McMichael, care J. L. Peacock Grocery Co., Columbus, Ga.

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Partly furnished apartment, all connecting rooms, bath room, kitchenette, gas stove, garage, coal house, lights, gas, coal not furnished. $50 per month. A. A. Williams, Sr., Wynnton, Columbus, Ga.

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Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, private family, lights, water, heat, gas furnished. $30 without garage; $35 with garage. Mr. S. R. Blythe, 1411 18th St.

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Two-story Dutch Colonial house. Living room, sun parlor, dining room, breakfast alcove, butlers pantry, kitchen, down stairs. Three bed rooms and bath upstairs. Hardwood floors down stairs; Arcola heating system and fire places; garage; lawns sodded; $70 per month. Mrs. T. R. King, 1513 16th Ave. Werecoba Heights.

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Four room apartment, ground floor. All conveniences and nicely furnished; lights, gas, phone, garage, furnished. $65 per month. Dr. J. W. Pierce, 1530 18th St.

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Four room, down stairs apartment; bedroom, dining room, kitchenette, private bath; heat and gas for cooking not furnished. $35 per month. A. Jessop, 1532 4th Ave.

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Eight rooms suitable for two or three apartments; kitchens; well located, prices range from $35 to $75; depending on agreement regarding lights, fuel, garages, etc. Mrs. M. L. Molder, 216 11th St.

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Three room apartment and kitchen; lights and water furnished; $37.50 per month. Mrs. Echols, 1520 2nd Ave.

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Three room apartment, kitchenette and breakfast room; light and gas meters; gas stove; steam heated, bath with hot and cold water; private entrance; $50 unfurnished or can be furnished at slight increase in rental price W. C. Pless, 2918 Beacon Ave., Waverly Terrace.

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House in Werecoba Heights, three bed rooms; living room; dining room; bath and hall; Arcola heating system; $70 per month. Mrs. R. C. Pulliam, 1431 16th St.

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Four room apartment completely furnished. Gas and modern conveniences. $65 per month. W. R. Cox, 1807 17th Ave.

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Small apartment. Bedroom, dressing room, kitchenette, private bath. $40 per month. Mrs. J. G. Biggers, 1512 4th Ave.

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Three connecting unfurnished rooms; hot and cold water; lights, private family. $30 per month. Miss Kimble 2012 Hamilton Ave.

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Large bed room, large dressing room, private shower bath. Conveniently located. $27.50 per month. Mrs. James J. Gilbert, 1221 2nd Ave.

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Unfurnished apartment. Two large rooms, closet, dining room and kitchen Garage, first floor. $40 with private bath installed. A. L. Baker, 809 Broad St.

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Apartment consisting of bed room sleeping porch, living room, dining room, kitchen, private bath with gas heater. Furnished except linen and silver. $50 per month. Mrs. George M. Gamble, 1044 17th St.

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Apartment consisting of sun parlor, living room, breakfast room, kitchen, bedroom, bath, Garage furnished. New bungalow. $50 per month by the year. Edward E. French, care Reo Columbus Co., 13th St.

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Five room bungalow desirably located. Modern conveniences and garage. $50 per month, by the year. Edward E. French, care Reo Columbus Co., 13th St.

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Completely furnished apartment; living room, bedroom with closet, tiled bath (tub and shower) kitchenette and breakfast room; rugs, draperies, new furniture; $60 per month by the year. Edward E. French, care Reo Columbus Co., 13th St.

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Apartment consisting of two bedrooms, living room, dining room, private entrance, kitchenette, bath, and rear entrance, furnished. $75 per month. Max Loeb. care Sol Loeb Co., Columbus, Ga.

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Five room cottage; all modern conveniences; screened, garage, trees, flowers; partially furnished; possession October 1st. $50 per month. Miss Jessie Owens, 1411 19th St.

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Eight room house with modern conveniences; front porch; newly painted; desirably located. $100 per month. Dr. J. T. Moncrief, Swift-Kyle Bldg.

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# Social Notes

**Miss Peggy Kent, Editor Call 20**

**LOST—TWO BACHELORS!**

On June 30, six smartly dressed young Artillery bachelors breezed into the post. On August 10, two of the six breezed out amidst congratulations and good wishes.

Get out your caissons, ye of the 83rd! Polish them up! For soon they will be need to welcome home our boys who have left behind their days of single blessedness.

But a brighter day is dawning. May God illuminate the way of the new road for them. Happy days, "Jake!" Good luck, "D. J.!"

**ZIEGLER-KNEELAND.**

Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Kneeland announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy Belle, to Lieut. Arthur Nicholas Ziegler on Wednesday, the eighth of August, nineteen-hundred and twenty-three at Battle Creek, Michigan. Lieut. and Mrs. Ziegler are spending their honeymoon in northern Michigan, and will return to Fort Benning about October 1.

**MRS. HOCKER LEAVES BENNING.**

Mrs. Woodson Hocker and her daughter, Theodosia, left on August 1 for Kansas City, Missouri, where they are visiting Col. Hocker's parents. Col. Hocker leaves about the first to join them for a month, when they will proceed to their new station.

**VISITING ON THE POST**

Miss Gladys Dasher, of Albany, Ga., spent last week-end with her brother, Capt. A. L. Dasher.

Misses Gladys Tennant, and Lera Grady who have been visiting Major and Mrs. H. W. Grady, returned to their home in Roanoke, Ala. last Tuesday.

Mr. Sidney Dasher is the guest of his brother, Capt. A. L. Dasher.

Mrs. S. M. Bowman of Louisville, Ky. is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Barlow.

Lt. Peckinpaugh came from Camp McClellan to say good-bye to the 83rd F. A. with which he has been since 1919. He leaves for Fort Sill on September 28th. The best wishes of the officers and men of the battalion go with him.

**MRS. ORR RETURNS.**

Mrs. Raymond Orr has returned to Ft. Benning after spending the summer with her parents, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Palmer, at Ft. Bliss, Tex.

**CAPT. AND MRS. PORTER ENTERTAIN.**

Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Porter entertained Capt. Mechling and his mother at dinner last Sunday.

**MRS. COOPER ENTERTAINS.**

Mrs. A. T. Cooper entertained last Saturday night with a lawn party under the tree at the side of her quarters. Japanese lanterns were strung between th houses, and the guests were seated at small tables under the tree. Those present wer Lt.-Col. and Mmes. McCaskey, Harris Pendleton, A. S. Pendleton and Hansell; Major and Mmes. Grady, Koehler, Tobias, Dinsmore, Goldthwaite and Cooper; Capts. and Mmes. Brownell, Clark, Sproul, Roby, P. P. Green, Sands, Lester, Turner, Arnest and Campbell, Lt. and Mrs. Dunphy and Lt. Joffee.

**BIRTHS.**

Born on August 14, 1923, at Ft. McPherson, Ga. to Capt. and Mrs. Floyd Hatfield, a son.

**RETURNED FROM LEAVE.**

Lieut. and Mrs. Edward C. Maling and their two children have returned from leave.

Capt. E. A. Mechling has returned from two months leave in Washington and Chicago. His mother accompanied him, and his father expects to join him later. Miss Arvilla Mechling has been ill in Walter Reed Hospital during the summer, but is rapidly improving and hopes to return to Benning about the first of September.

Lieut. and Mrs. R. A. Adams have returned from a delightful motor trip thru the north.

## Service Club No. 1 Notes

A number of the members of the Ft. Benning Musical Comedy Company gathered together last Sunday afternoon and evening for the purpose of again being with their much loved coach, Miss Virginia Street.

Miss Street is an excellent entertainer and sang and played games with the men all the evening.

Miss Street has promised to stop over for a few days on her return from Augusta, Ga., where she is putting over a play this week, and plans are being made by members of the Company to entertain her with a house-picnic.

A few days ago some kind officer dropped into the Service Club just long enough to leave an armful of piano rolls, which is very much appreciated by the hostess and men as well. If this kind officer will drop around by the Club some evening he will have the pleasure of seeing just how much the records are enjoyed.

A facinating little Angora kitten is the latest arrival among the guest now stopping at the Service Clbu, accompanied by its mistress, a lady who has attained fame by reason of that very fact.

Any evening this little ball of yellow fluff can be seen happily enjoying itself under the largest of the Sunflowers in the garden.

Mrs. Soto of Fort McPherson, Ga., is visiting her husband, Private Louis Soto of the Medical Detachment, and is stopping at the Service Club. Mrs. Soto is a close friend of Miss Roe, she having known her before her marriage o Private Soto.

The president of the Service Club Committee has at last been permitted to leave the wild and wooly realms of the quarantine camp, along with the rest of the 7th Engineers, and to mingle with civilization once more.

No doubt the Sergt. is a little lonely without the musical buzz of the friendly mosquitoes and gnats.

Pinochle players! Oh Pinochle players! Where art thou? Come forth and stand up for thy rights. There are a number of players at the Club who have the idea that they can clean-up on any other players in camp—come over and show them up.

Half of the post is learning to play Cribbage these days in order to be able to challenge one player whose name begins with "Y"—who has most extraordinary luck, not skill, of course.

Private Ziel, who has been on Special Duty at the Club for sometime, is away on a thirty days furnough.

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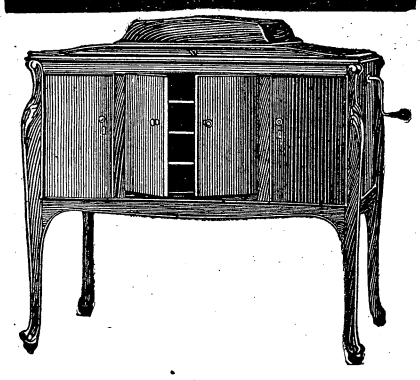

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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

No notice of Infantry Board activities has appeared in the News for the past five weeks. During this period the Board has completed its consideration and recommendations with regard to thirty projects and questions affecting the Infantry. Of these the following may deserve mention as being of general interest to the Infantry Service.

**Receiver Sights**

Receiver sights for service rifle. Test by Department of Experiment including the Lyman 48, Modified Lyman, Nash, Enfield Lock, Marine Corps, Hatchers, Harkom, Barrett and McDougal sights in comparison with the sight now issued. In this test more than 25,000 rounds were fired at different ranges and under varying conditions. The present Service sight gave very satisfactory results during this test. The substitution of a large aperture peep for the present battle sight is being considered.

**Telescopic Sights**

A very thorough study and report of test of telescopic sights for Model 1903 Rifle has been made by the Department of Experiment and considered by the Board. It should prove of great value in developing the best possible type of telescopic sight for sniping or other special purposes.

**Transmitter For Gas Mask**

A telescopic transmitter attachment for use in the gas mask has been developed by the Signal Corps and successfully met its test by the Department of Experiment. If this is adopted it will no longer be necessary to remove the gas mask for telephone conversations.

**Sub-caliber Tubes For 37 MM**

The subject of sub-caliber tubes for 37 mm guns has been gone into thoroughly by the Board. The Ordnance Department has developed two types—one of 11 mm and one of .22 caliber. The .22 caliber tube due to its low power and limited range is more suited for indoor work than the 11 mm tube. Reports of test have been forwarded to the Chief of Infantry.

**Fordson Tractor**

Test of Fordson Tractor with tracklaying and special wheel adapters of various types to improve performance on soft or rough ground. Six types of adapters were tested. Results indicated that the tractor can be made the equal of the old reliable four mule team in its ability to pull loaded escort wagons through deep sand and mud, up steep slopes and over rough trails. In economy of operation the advantage lies with the tractor and further tests is recommended to determine durability with a view to partially replacing the mule for both garrison and field service.

The Board has considered the development of a combination hand and rifle grenade and an improved discharger suitable for firing this grenade and pyrotechnics as well.

**Pack of Infantryman**

Some revision has been made in the tables of equipment previously submitted by the Infantry Board with a view to substantial reduction of the weight now carried by the Infantry soldier in the field.

**Revision and Co-ordination of Training Regulations.**

(a) Instruction with Hand Grenade and Rifle Grenade.

(b) Instruction with Bayonet.

(c) Marksmanship, Pistol, Dismounted-Cavalry.

(d) Browning Machine Gun, Cal. .30 Ordnance.

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A detail of distinguished marksmen (enlisted) to Fort Benning has been recommended so that they may be available for tests of small arms.

## Finance Detachment Notes

Here we are again wish the request that our names be removed from the delinquent list.

Things are humming in the Finance Office these days getting everything in tip-top shape to render prompt and efficient service to the new student personnel when it arrives next month.

Private Willis is spending a 15 day furlough with friends and relatives in Macon and Gay, Ga.

Captain Gralund spent a very pleasant week end in and around Anniston, Ala., last week. While in Anniston Captain Gralund called at the Finance Office in Camp McClellan and found everyone very busy there. From what can be learned from the Captain, that office is certainly putting out some excellent work—but why not! the majority of its personnel hail from Fort Benning.

Private Banda is enjoying a much earned furlough with his brother in Washington, D. C. Letters received from Banda indicate that he is having the time of his life with no desire to return to Fort Benning.

A recent letter from Corporal Short, who is undergoing treatment at Walter Read General Hospital for Chorioretinitis. indicate that he will soon be back with the detachmnet for duty.

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**Sweet Revenge.**

Waiter — "Porterhouse steak and make it small and tough."

Chef in surprise, "Why?"

Waiter—"The guy that ordered it used to be my Second Lieutenant."

## LODGE NOTICES

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## 29th Infantry News Notes

### Regimental Headquarters Company

The flies are getting scarce around the Company since the pioneer platoon under the skilled supervision of Sergeant Baldwin have bent their energy to building fly traps. Sergeant Baldwin and his platoon are death on flies.

Our Company is well represented on the champion Base Ball team of the Post, Sergeant Harrison the star first baseman of that team has helped win the pennant. Good Work, Joe.

The Company has lost a good radio bug since Private Bennett transferred to the Signal Corps. We wish him the best of success.

The Communication platoon is studying the deep and mysterious thing Electricity." Judging from what we hear they have made a success of it.

Our new recreation room has had new electrical fixtures installed and someone passed a remark that it looked like a Chinese tea garden. We boast the best in the Regiment.

Private Harrison is in the Communication Supply Room now, and he said that he wouldn't trade jobs with the 1st Sergeant because he don't have to stand reveille.

### Service Company

We hereby notice that any organization that thinks we are dead, are sadly mistaken, for we believe ourselves to be as lively a company as the U. S. A. has ever turned out.

Lt. R. L. Williamson is now in full swing of the company, and although he has been with us for a short time, a notable change can be seen. The men in the company are rapidly progressing in the art of handling a rifle, and using their heads for other purposes than hat-racks. From 7:30 until 9:00 o'clock each morning, instruction is given in the manual of arms, squad drill and, above all, in personal appearance.

There is no reason why the Service Company, although considered by some the labor company of the regiment, can not be the best in the Regiment in all things; and if the men will come halfway the company commander will have it so in a short time. Let's all do our utmost.

Capt. Humphries left the Company a short time ago and gave a brief talk before departing, urging the men to give the new Company Commander the same loyal support that they had given him.

Privates Schumacher and Gucfa were discharged recently and left for their homes. The best wishes of their buddies in this company go with them.

Sgt. Bradley the company Supply Sgt. is on a one month furlough in Columbus, Ga.

Pvt. William Ziegler being confined to the Hospital, Pvt. Lotz is now in charge of the Company Laundry and Mail.

Pvt. Lester Frazier returned last week from a two months furlough spent in Dixie.

Pvt. Hubbard has been granted a furlough and will visit relatives and Friends in Alabama.

Sgt. Harry Storm returned recently from a months furlough spent in Georgia.

Improvements are being made in the Company Recreation room.

### Headquarters Company

We've got a formidable quartet of K. O. Kings in training for the boxing tournament: Kid Gajtka, the Battling Turk; Strangler Lewis; Wildcat (Alabama) Wood; and Vander Meyden, the Flyin' Dutchman.

It wouldn't be right now to say that the orchestra of the 29th Infantry Theatre doesn't know any other pieces besides those they have played every night since the show first opened. They played "Yes, we have no bananas" once, the other evening.

Lots of things happened yesterday, the 13th Pvt. Lindsay transferred to Service Co. Pvt. Grant assigned to take his place. Abernathy rated Spec. 4 cl., Lesset and Powell rated spec. 5 cl., and Penland, Spec. 6 cl., Cpl. Quinley recommended for Sergeant, Pvt. Sterling, for Corporal, both these men being due for a pleasant surprise on return from furlough.

The month of August has seen the separation of five members of the Company from the service. Corporal Wadford re'd up, and it is expected that Sergeant Powell will repeat also.

Scenes from "The Flirt" at P ost Theaters Sunday Night.

### Company "E"

Co. "E" has the Demonstration Platoon again this year, We hope we can have the luck we had last year.

We are proud of our new Mess Sgt. Keep up the good feeding Towle; the short timers are talking of re-enlisting already.

Red Matthews thought he had a snap when they promoted him from K. P. to cook, but listen to him Squak when he has to go out and Drill.

What's the matter Spud-going Mad? Watch yourself Carpenter. Here comes another Dog.

Pvt. Kelly quit a job that was paying him $1.50 a day and up. (Up all night trying to make it.)

Men, before getting discharged, see Pvt. Napier in tent No. 35. He has opened a new recruiting Station.

Boots Anthony says he's got a terrible hay-maker waiting for you, Derose.

### Company "F"

Stick to it Derbyshire, you are doing fine with the chow. Haven't heard a single "kick" as yet.

Recently Sergeant Stephenson was mistaken for the Mayor of Girard, Ala. Someone said it was the check suit and the nose pinchers.

Sgts. Clarke and Werner are planning an auto trip to Palm Beach, Fla., at Xmas time. Clarke said it is going to cost $150 for the chow, some ration hounds I must say.

Private Perry has decided to go in the Taxi business on his next enlistment. what make car are you going to buy Francis.

This company has just completed its record practice with Machine Gun and Pistol. The company made an enviable record, qualifying one hundred per cent. all but one man making Sharpshooter, the other man making Marksman. One man made the highest score in the Army. We also have the three highest scores in the Regiment. We hope to qualify all of the Sharpshooters as Experts.

We have some new Non-commissioned officers in the Company now. Privates Ryles and Coop having been made Corporals and Corporal Cody a Sergeant. They have all worked hard, and deserve their promotion.

Someone in the company has brought one of those ten dollar automobiles around. We'd like to know who he is; if it happens to fall apart at any time we'll know who will have to pick up the junk.

### THE SIREN

When I was a child quite young and credulous,
I read fairy stories in a manner sedulous.
The brothers Grimm, and Anderson were once my chief delight,
And I believed the tales I read of wizards and their might—
I read of castles grim and dark and ladies wondrous fair,
Who were enslaved by giants and kept imprisoned there—
Of sorcerers and dragons, and the Princess that they harried,
Until Prince Charming slew them all, and then the Princess married.
And naught could shake my childish faith or cause me unbelief,
And when years brought the facts to light, they also brought me grief.
So later on when I reached my twentieth birthday,
I had become quite cynical and exceedingly blase.
Till I met a little siren, and she told a wondrous tale,
('Tho I know of folks who said far less, and then were placed in jail.)
She made me fall for all she said—she played me like a flute,
But all the time was kidding me and didn't care a hoot.
And so at twenty-one I was a disillusioned man,
Proclaiming loud to all the world: "Deceive me if you can!"
But recruiting posters met my eyes, most marvelous to see,
As they showed the joys of a soldier's life by land and on the sea—
I listened to the sergeant talk, and listened in surprise,
As he described in glowing words the Army Paradise.
So now I'm swabbing cosmolene, a sad and wiser man,
And, sure the greatest sucker since e'er the world began,
And I'm waiting for my discharge, some three years hence, or so,
And never again believe man or maid, unless by Heck I know!

### Aeroplanes In War.

Following the announcements regarding the completion of the greatest aeroplane in America it is noticed that Great Britain has quite recently launched the greatest submarine that ever sailed on or under the seas. Other nations are doing something in the way of preparation for the next war—but it does seem that a great many nations are also trying to avoid further tests of strength by physical combat.—Florida Times-Union.

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## People We Admire

The fellow who tells you that it can be done, but that he for one can't do it.

The man who knows not, and knows not that he knows not—pity him.

The bird who takes up your time gassing when you have so much work to do that twenty-four hour days are not long enough.

The gink who borrows your lead pencil and then sticks it in his pocket.

Buck passers.

The gazabo who rests on the laurels of his great, great granddaddy.

The bird who pulls his rank at a social function.

The perpetuallyy bored type of feminine humanity.

The fellow who drops the matter under discussion with you to take up a new matter with a newcomer.

People who posses our own weaknesses.

The bird who throws dust in our face when our bus is running wide open.

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### ENLISTED MEN AND THEIR WIVES LOOK

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All ladies who wish to form an afternoon dancing class please leave your names with Miss Roe.

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"He who feels the respect which is due his fellowman, cannot fail to inspire that same respect for himself" --General Schofield.

## INFANTRY.

"Mon Capitan, mes enfants—both of these terms represent the degree of intimacy existing between officer and his men in the French army. The French army officer calls his men, his boys, his children, and they occupy the same position in his heart. As a result of this mutual love between officer and men, the French soldier will go thru fire for his leader. Witness the fiery zeal of the French "Blue Devils" Can anyone point to a single instance of French cowardice? No, the ties are too strong; for the officer is ready to die for his boys, and they in turn went to die for him.

And thus, we have the origin of the word, Infantry, coming directly from 'mes enfants'. In the Infantry, as in no other branch of the Service, are the innate qualities of leadership in the officer called into greater play. The relations of the Infantry officer are closer to his men, for the 'man with the bayonet' is his only and chief concern. We have adopted the French name for this arm of our Service; but we have also incorporated the French spirit of the love of officers for his men. The Army is, then, a team, bound together by ties much stronger than any that money can buy. That's why we are here.

## TO ARMY WOMEN.

"God took the joyous gaiety of the sunbeams, the softness of the parrot's bosom, the sweetness of honey, the warmth of the fire, the cooing of the dove, the fidelity of the chakrowaka, and compounding all of these He made woman and gave her to man." He gave her to man to help him fight his battles; but in her own sweet, quiet way, woman is the braver creation. It is the spirit of Army women that the American army worships both in war and peace. In war, she is his bulwark and strength; in peace, his homemaker and consolation. Unselfishly, and yet how bravely, have our Army women sent their loved ones off to fight for right. The Revolution saw these partings as did the last war. And they, dear souls—remain at home, the silent leaders, courageously trusting in faith, in spite of deep anxiety. And then in peace, she makes the soldier's home. Home! What would that word mean to him without the tender sweetness of a woman to grace it. She is his ideal, his reason for living. Bravely she carries on, whatever the circumsances be—fixing up one nest; tearing it down and making another. Onwards thru life she goes, spreading sunshine and contentment—lending the tenderness of a mother's love to the rigors of Army life. Dear Army women—we salute you.

## "A-HEM!"

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Captain A. A. Roby,
Executive officer, Station Hospital,
Office phone 144, Quarters 373.

If the Captain had "something" in the ice box we might consider the purchase.

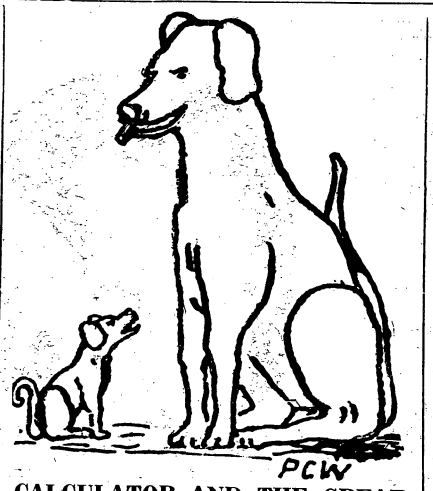
—Third Corps Area Gazette.

The Office Dawg awakens to remark that he has a strong hunch that the author of the foregoing remarks was not only a graduate of the Infantry School but that he has had an extensive experience in these parts.

## LOST—ONE HORSE.

Lost one horse, Gelding; bay; 15 hands, weight 1000 lbs.; age 7 years; hoof No. 97; also one training saddle and bridle with barrel snaffle bit. Horse and equipment were being used by personnel of Summer Training Camp. If found notify Captain Dosher, 18th Field Artillery.—Fort Sill Guidon.

"What became of the rider?"




## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE.

"Standing in the need of prayer,
Standing in the need of prayer."

These words, accompaneid by doleful howls struck the ears of the Great Dane as he came around the corner of the laundry on a cool morning's wanderings. "Strange" he muttered to himself, "Tis evidently some one in deep despair. How fortunate that I should pass by on my way to the boneyard." As he proceeded, in the directions from which the sounds came, they increased in sadness, affecting the poor Dane to such an extent that he put on an extra burst of speed and skidded gracefully into a pile of empty laundry baskets scattering them here and there and exposing to view our little friend Calculator, leaning against the building pouring forth his sorrowing sorrow to the accomplishment of heart-rendering sobs.

"Come, come, my dear comrade," pleaded the Dane, "Enough of this sadness—for every ill there is a remedy and together we'll find one for you" "Ow-oooh" replied Calculator, "Read this kind comforter, and help me out of this terrible situation if you can."

Whereupon he handed the Dane a copy of Circular 71. Headquarters Ft. Benning, August 2, 1923, entitled "Immunization of Dogs Against Rabies" which he had been officially presented with earlier in the day. The Dane read it over rapidly, then less rapidly and finally without any rapidness at all the completion of which he sank down thoughtfully beside Calculator.

"Indeed, It's a situation well worthy of thought," he mused, "Your very life is in danger. Now if the students were here it would be an easy matter, for they would buy you a dozen immunizations. But here it is August the 17th already and you are still alive. Evidently they intend to give you a chance to get your friends together. Now first you need a collar because you can't hang a tag on your ears or your tail. Then we must proceed to get a donation from each of your officer friends. Let's designate the A. & R. Officer to hold the stakes. We will see the Veterinarian who is a good scout, tho' he does get under one's skin, now and then. He can tell us what it will cost to save your career from being cut short in its prime—"Here he was interrupted by Calc who, amidst liquid gurgles, sobbed out that never more would he ride the "Seminole" to Columbus nor bark to his friends from the back of some kind person's automobile. "OWo-o-o-h!"

"Never mind," sympathized the Great Dane, "we'll have you shot tomorrow morning. Then we can talk the Provost Marshall out of a resignation tag and you'll be free from danger again."

So together they started for the A. & R. Office, Calculator leaning heavily on the shoulder of the Great Dane, stricken with grief that all his many friends none had voluntarily offered to pay for his innoculation. "It's enough to make me mad," he sobbed. At this the Great Dane increased his pace and they were soon pouring out their hearts to the Office Dawg who told the editor and that's how this came to be written.

## New Arrivals and Removals

The following named officers have been assigned quarters on the Post since August 8, to August 15, 1923, with the date assignment is effective opposite their names:

*Karlstead, S. H., Capt. Inf. Quarters 191706 Phone 257, 8-10-23.
Eddy, Manton S., Capt. Inf., Quarters 14-400, 8-10-23.
Forney, Leslie E., Capt. Inf., Quarters 232505-B, Phone 339, 8-15-23.
Martin, Thomas L., Capt. Inf., Quarters 14-404, 8-15-23.
Shugg, Roland P., Capt. 83rd F. A. Quarters 14-406, 8-15-23.
Evans, Mack, Warrant Officer, Quarters 16-50, Phone 382, 8-11-23.
Fountain, John R., Capt. Inf., Quarters 232517-B, Phone 111, 8-10-23.
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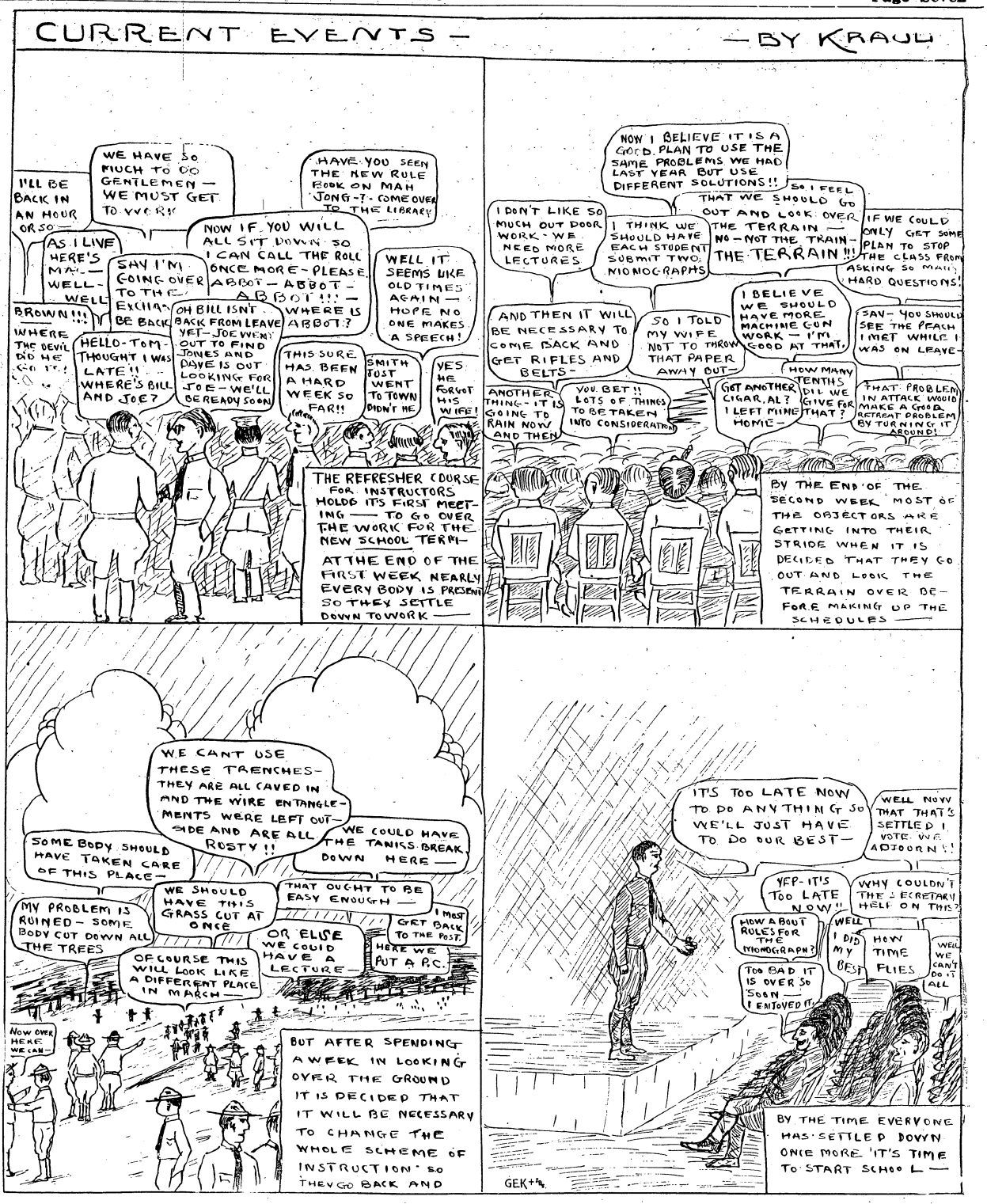


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"It is with the greatest reluctance and timidity that I approach this subject, the passing of our Commander-in-Chief, The President of the United States.

"It so happens that Ohio is my native State and that my home which is not far from Marion, Ohio gave me the great opportunity to know Warren G. Harding, first as Lieut. Gov. of Ohio and then as United States Senator from Ohio.

"He was a man's man, a lover of his fellow-man. Big, clean and majestic in his friendship. A lover of sports, a lover of dogs. A man any could approach before America made him its president and built about him that barrier America erects about its presidents.

"It is impossible for me to believe that today his eternity of rest begins. That today will mark the beginning of that sleep that will last forever and forever.

"Any one listening to him would have thought those ringing tones could never be hushed, that vigorous mind never be stilled.

"It appalls and mystifies me, America in its greatness sets a man upon the presidency and clothes him with a power so sublime that it feels that none can remove him but the people, so that when death's icy hand suddenly ignores them and clutches him away they stand appalled.

"This nation reached down and made him its servant and he served so well and so ardously that the nation he loved and which, loved him demanded of him his life before they knew what they were doing.

"Drommond, tells us that the greatest thing in the world is love. The greatest example that you and I know of love is the love that a mother bears her babe. Warren Harding loved this country as a mother loves her babe.

You and I must have the same love of our hills and our mountains; of our swamps and our deserts; of our woods and our plains and everything that's America's—just like the mother loves her babe or God help America.

"America, selected Warren G. Harding as her servant to you and I of the military profession he was our commander-in-chief. So it was as it should have been that—men of our profession gave him his guard of honor across the continent—men of our profession gave him his bearers—men of our profession manned his funeral caisson—men of our profession played his dirge, men of our profession will sound his taps and men of our profession will sentry his grave.

## 120 SHOTS PER MINUTE

The invention of a rapid-firing automatic cannon capable of shooting one and one-quarter pound shells at the rate of 120 a minute, has been perfected by John M. Browning, inventor of firearms. The cannon is designed for use in airplanes, as well as on land or sea, according to announcement made by Edward Browning, brother of the inventor. The barrel measures one and one-half inches in diameter weight 160 pounds when mounted on a tripod. The range is seven miles.—Third Corps Area Gazette.

## BRIG.-GEN. —. W. JOYES TO BE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF ORDNANCE

Brig.-Gen. J. W. Joyes has been appointed Assistant Chief of Ordnance, succeeding to the vacancy created by the death of the late Brig.-Gen. William S. Peirce.

## With the Exchanges

That Gen. Pershing, in his recent address at Bear Mountain, N. Y., to the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America, should have expressed opposition to the introduction of military training in the movement may be to some quite a surprise. His argument is really unanswerable, though it is simpliicty itself: "You are teaching boys to be good citizens, and any man who is a good citizen will make a good solder in time of peril."—Christian Science Monitor.

### What The World War Proved

Apprehension is expressed in some quarters because of the very serious program of airship construction undertaken by France. There are again men who are predicting that "the next war will be in the air. Strategy and invention, schemes, treachery, wealth and the weather have participated in campaigns and the victory has come to the greatest army. It is the soldier or sailor, or both, to whom the credit is due for winning a war. The arts and sciences take a hand but the individuals comprising the active forces win.—Florida Times-Union.

### Citizenship With Reservations

Aliens who seek American citizenship but are unwilling to fight for America will remain aliens, if all Federal judges are of the same mind as John M. Killits, holding court in Toledo. He has turned down applicants for naturalization who claimed exemption from service in the American Army during the World War on the ground of conscientious objections.—New York Tribune.

### A War Every 1 1-2 Years, U. S. Has Fought 164 Conflicts

We are far from being as mild and unwarlike as the pacifists make us out to be. The United States fights when she has to—and there is evidence enough that under the pressure of circumstances the nation has not lacked the aggressiveness to take the fight where the chances for being damaged are thickest.—Kansas City Star.

### Money For The Navy

We have been more or less niggardly with both our army and our navy in times of peace and over-generous to the point of wastefulness in time of war, there seems to be no good reason why, if we are to have a navy, we should not keep it fit.—San Antonio Light.

### An Army of the People

Under the new national defense act, this country is now undertaking to build up a citizen army, similar in many respects to that proposed by Washington. In large measure, Gen. Pershing declares, it is succeeding, because the people, actuated by a new public sentiment, born of the experience of the World War, have accepted the principle that the country cannot afford to go unprepared, and also because military service and training carry with them an awakened appreciation of civic obligations.—Rochester Herald.

### Poor Old Army

The army is a favorite target for congressional money-savers. Madden forgets the past very quickly.—Times-Picayune.

### "Prepare"

No one can fairly dispute the logic of the war's lesson—"prepare against unprovoked aggression."—Washington Star.

### A Little More Preparedness

Congress has left of the United States army but a skeleton. The more men who are trained in camps the more bones there will be in this skeleton on which to build a flesh-and-blood army if we ever are so unfortunate as to need one.—New York Tribune.

### France's New Army

Militarism, but a quite understandable determination to enjoy the blessings of peace, lies at the basis of French military plans. Had France been as ready to deal the first blow in 1914 as she is today, how many of her million and a half sons now dead, would never have been cut off in the full strength of young manhood!—Boston Transcript.

### Keeping An Army Employed

There, now, isn't that wonderful! At last golf courses are to be of some use other than affording recreation for invalids and keeping the "idle rich" from worrying about having nothing to do but spend money and keep down their avoirdupois by exercise that is not work. This newly-discovered use for golf courses is more than propitious. It will keep an army from going to seed! And, this is even more important—golf courses will be saved from destruction, provided the army "birds" get up early enough to catch the worms that are destroying a national asset.—Florida Times-Union.

## PIG TAILS WERE REGULATION IN 1800

(By Col. Laurence A. Curtis, U. S. A.)

"At the close of the revolution we find the regiment of infantry and two companies of artillery retained in the service, clothed in the accepted continental costume of dark blue coats, white small clothes, and cocked hats. The Infantry facings were white, the artillery scarlet. Two years later the Infantry wore scarlet facings.

In 1800 President Adams put the cavalry into green coats with white facings. Musicians had scarlet coats, which they continued to wear as late as 1857. The Marine Band turned out in red coats until 1917, and Marine field musicians wore red dress coats until the dress coat was discontinued a few years ago. Probably scarlet was associated with the blare of trumpets.

In 1800 a uniform order carrying sweeping changes met with much the same reception that uniform orders have received ever since, and was never carried out. An early example of reluctance to depart frfom the old order of things is shown in the accomplishment of the change from the queue to the cropped hair. It was urged that all men be turned out for parade with hair well greased and neatly braided, and through this end a given quantity of tallow and flour was issued for each hundred men, for dressing the hair. It was urged, also that all men be cleanly shaven. One aggressive commander ordered that soldiers appearing unshaven should be dry-shaven on parade. In 1822 orders issued from the War Department to the effect that long hair was unsightly and unsanitary, and that all hair would henceforth be cropped. This order was carried out with great unwillingness, and generally characterized as a French fad. One Lieut. Col. refused to cut his hair. He was finally brought before a Gen. court-martial, and sentenced to reprimand. He still continued to wear his queue, and a year later was to be court-martialed again, but was gathered to his fathers, and buried in his queue.

In 1810 the continental garb gave way to the single-breasted swallow-tailed coat and long trousers. The head dress was at first the bell-crowned plug hat of the time, replaced in 1812 by the tar bucket still woren for full dress by the corps of cadets. The West Point full dress, with its white cross belts and white trousers, is practically the uniform of this period. High collars were now in vogue, the collar reaching the tip of the ear.

Dark blue was the prescribed color except for the rifle regiments, which were in grey. As a matter of fact, owing to the embargo of 1807, the commercial non-intercourse Act of 1810, and the subsequent blockade, dark blue cloth was very scarce, and the army was mostly in grey. In honor of Lundy's Lane and other victories won by regiments in grey, the corps of cadets was put into grey in 1819. The voltiguer regiments in the Mexican War wore grey. At the outbreak of the Civil War, several northernstates sent out their troops in grey. After the Civil War grey was quite generally worn by National Guard organizations until the state troops went into the army uniform in the eighties."

## TWO NEW BRIGADERS TO BE DESIGNATED

The War Department announced that the two following Colonels in the regular army have been designated for promotion to the grade of Brigadier-General: Colonel John W. Jenkins, Cavalry, vice Brigadier-General Edmund Wittenmeyer, who retires August 9, 1923.

Colonel Thomas H. Slavens, Infantry, vice Brigadier-General Ira A. Haynes, who retires September 10, 1923.

## ARMY TESTS HEAVY RAPID FIRE GUN

Army ordnance experts are at work on a repeating gun for use in aircraft defense and against tanks. Experiments are being carried on at Watervleit Arsenal near Albany, N. Y.

The gun has a caliber of 37 millimeters, thus following the standard one-pounder infantry piece used during the World War. It is capable of firing high explosive or armor-piercing shells in bursts of five.—Third Corps Area Gazette.

## ONE WORLD PEACE PLAN

Plan calls for the preparation, printing, and free distribution to every member of the United States Senate, for as long a time as may be necessary, of a pocket-size leaflet history of the years 1917-18 in the United States —New York Post.

## SCRAPPING THE WARSHIPS

Great Britain has been making a clean sweep of vessels of all types that were not modern enough.—New York Times.

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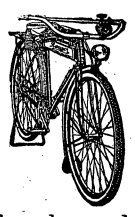

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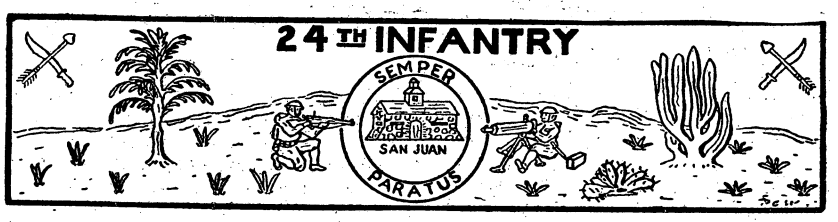


### Company "F"

Pvt. Perry Chairs previously of Co. L has reinlisted for Co. F. Three (3) new ones and all is well. Good luck to you Chairs.

### Company "G"

Our wondering boy—Pvt. Geo. Chester has returned to his organization on a duty status after a long absence of more than five months. All members of the organization welcome his return.

The Recruits of the Regiment are progressing nicely with the instruction they are receiving. Much credit is due the officers and non-commissioned officers of the regiment who are in charge of the instruction.

### Company "H"

Can any one tell why the Company Clerk plays on the New Victrola the piece "You Didn't Want me when you had me, so why do you want me now?" Yes, It is not him that is wanted, the Fairer Sex wants those extras that he is going to receive for the three (3) strings he has been given.

### Company "I"

Ten thirty or eleven o'clock in the evening should bring all noise (Banjos and victrolas) to a close, and only the goldbrickers and the restricted element keep up a racket at that time. Night is meant for rest and quiet; so beware of tent 7 because Sgt. Butler is getting tired of his dreams being interrupted.

On the Glade road automobilists are making traffic conditions easier; the larger cars gradually reducing the number of smaller cars by knocking them off the road.

Sergeant Handy, (Twi-light) Informed the gassers that a mosquito can fly ten miles. But it isn't the distance he flies, Sarge., that bothers us, it's what he does wh enhe stops.

Love is blind. Corporal Reeves is glad of it, because that is the only way he ever will succeed.

Wonder why the company barbers don't try their dope on themselves, Nothing like setting an example you know.

### Company "K"

Say Jess, let us load Girard and Phenix City, on your Ford and move it to Columbus, Ga.

Corporal Merchant, (Chester Gump) has been busy for the last few days collecting various articles that have been misplaced.

Look out Service Company, by the time you read this you will have taken your place by the side of the other victims who thought they knew the game of baseball.

### Service Company

The Service Company still holds first place in the Regimental baseball league and expects to hold it thru the season, we defeated the 1st and 2nd Bn team in the 8th to the tune of 8-7 and if you don't look out Company "M" we will give you a shut-out for yours on the 19th.

Flash-light Boyd, our short stop and the Regimental pugilist will be discharged on the 16th.

Pap (Huey) is getting along fine with his Motorcycle now, he uses the brakes to stop it instead of his feet dragging on the ground.

Oh, well, wake up Critic, (W. A. Walker) maybe you will win some day; just make sure you are right and then go ahead.

Heavy, (Sergt. Pride) has learned the way to Columbus at last and now you can't find him any more unless he is on some duty.

### Hdqrs. Company.

The Old Battery, is once again under the Command of Capt. C. H. Moore, Jr., after a long stay on Special Duty as Camp Exchange Officer.

Lieut. S. E. Whitesides, Jr., who has been in command of the Company during Capt. Moore's absence is now relieved. The Company is sorry to loose the Lieut, but glad to see the Capt. come back to the Company.

Private Gilbert, the Star ball player is discharged today and he will leave for his home in Kansas.

### Company "A"

Private Davis has reenlisted, and we are very glad to have this soldier return to us.

Private Carr I believe has changed his mind about going out, now that his best friend has reenlisted.

### Company "C"

Corporal Barnett stays rather close to his bunk. We wonder why? Cheer up Mex, all sickness isn't death.

Corporal DeWitt hopes to soon be among the foot hills of the Catskills, The Corporal needs a little rest, so is therefore planning a furlough.

### Company "D"

Corporal Andrews, our Company Clerk, is still undecided as to whether or not he will reenlist. Cheer up old boy, get your head together, the members of the company would love to see you stay, but if you must go we wish you the best of luck.

### Company "L"

Private Robert Stubbs (Hot Stuff) we are looking forward to the 21st of this month. Remember there are lots of vacancies in the Company for all good soldiers—think it over. I imagine I see you in the 400 the first of the cool, kind September.

Three cheers for our new Corporal. Is everybody acquainted with Corp'l Lloyd?

Private Bolton you had better hold on pretty tight. If you don't, something like a small article of War will smite you across your forehead and stare you in the face, and Corporal Lloyd will be delighted to pilot you safely up yonder road.

Private Christopher Green is really enjoying himself since he has right dressed on 3 years. Don't pull'em too often (Issue), you are a long, long timer.

### Company "M"

Sergt. Hill (King) was bound and tied by the ties and bindings of Holy matrimony August 13. Say King what is the Number of your residence.

Nevertheless, accept the Company's check for a thousand congratulations and we hope all your troubles be little ones.

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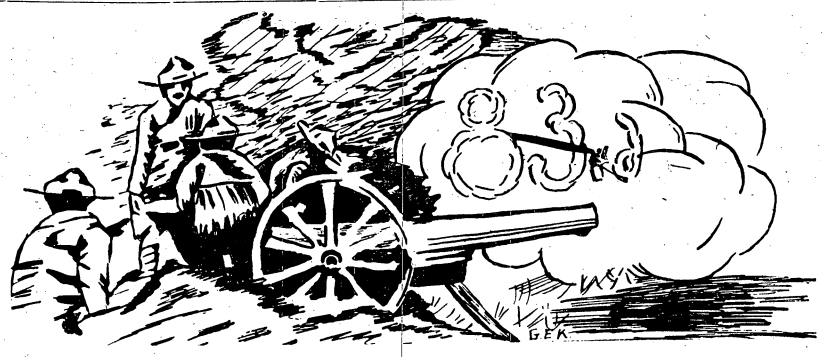

### Tanda's Army on the Move

Not long since, a great upheaval occurred in the territory occupied by Tanda's army, causing them to look about and consider ways and means of obtaining a new base. So he and his cohorts moved all equipment and horses without a single protesting 'neigh' to the Post Corral by forced marches. There they intrenched. Then it became necessary to obtain quarters for the man-power. After much scouting and many sallies, two rows of old tents were discovered. Four of these were secured and dragged by tractors to site close to the stables.

Last reports from correspondents indicate that Tanda's minature, the valient forces, are now safely and comfortably quartered, and the commander has no fears of his men suffering in any way from the rigors of a South-Georgia winter. Information has also leaked out that the morale of the men has mounted to the highest on account of the new move.

### Yip-Yip-Hurray, "A" Battery, 83rd F.A.

The famous wandering Artillery four-gun crew are about to return to the fold, from which they so unceremoniously departed. On the twenty-eighth of August they will begin the long and tedious march from Camp McClellan, Ala., to their home station at Fort Benning. It is whispered that the prodigal son is glad to return at an early date to the home of his kindred. Yeah we shall welcome them with open arms, and shall prepare a feast of fatted calves for them.

### "B" Battery

If you want to see esprit, come to "B" Battery. Ricard feeds the boys and then those peppy Lieutenants take it all out of us in the morning exercise. They're making a bunch of "pugs" of us. We should worry—there's a good dinner waiting.

If you're up against a bruiser,
And you're getting knocked about—
Grin—
If you're feeling pretty groggy,
And you think you're down and out—
Grin—

That's the only way to take this boxing stuff. But some smart Aleck is always on deck to take the joy out of life. He will make a left lead for the stomach, switching to a left hook to the jaw, followed by a straight right to the solar plexus before we know what its all about. Now, grin—Mr. Poet! Anyhow, there is no use getting sore—we're all friends.

Lukowski is some scrapper; but he found a job on his hands when he got up Dougherty's Irish.

There is no dead line in our area for Doughboys, Tankers, or anybody.

Come around and be sociable. We'll shoot you a game of pool.

### Strictly Personal

Once upon a time the Rankin Mann of the 83rd Field Artillery, who wore his hair quite low about the Temples and looked something like a butler, but was nevertheless a Goodman in his line, while driving his Carr along the Shore, met a Little lady who was the Ward of a Barron, and wore a Crown-over her curly locks. She was attired in a Green dress, White stockings, and wore a magnificent Gehm upon her breast. She had eyes of Gray, and Cole Black hair in which she wore many jewelled Combs.

As soon as our hero saw her he became Keen to Joiner Quick, but he was Owen all his money and did not have the Price to Driver to the soda fount. However, he was a Hardy soul and rather Sharpe; so removing his Brown derby, he Tucker by the hand, and said: "Hunn, I'm Wilder than a Roebuck over you and would like to see Moore of you, so we'll take a Vogt; and if you say all Wright, we'll Turner round, Ferry across the Creek, and take a stroll through the Marsh, where we can Hunt the best straw-Berry that you Everett, or else we will Rakestraw together in the Meadows, and I will let you fly my Kyte." Now the young lady knew many Sailors with whom she used to Crews about and she knew her stuff, so she indignantly replied: "Well, Hartley! Do you think I have no Fielding! How dare you speak to me as if I were a Servant girl? Your line is not the Key to my heart. I would have you know that I live in a Rockcastle with a Hightower in a very Richburg; and the man I am to marry owns several Mines, and is as strong as Sampson, so now be-Gawn!

Unfortunately, at this juncture, the King appeared upon the scene at the end of a long Chase, and mistaking the young man for a Workman, he chased him across the Heath and into the next Parrish, where he met a Shepherd girl upon a Hill with whom he lived happily ever after.

Grateful acknowledgements are hereby offered Mrs. Beiderlinden on behalf of the Artillery Polo Team for the beautiful cerise colored jackets she made for them. The Doughboys knew that the Artillery was coming when they saw the red; it meant danger.

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## INFORMATION FOR STUDENT OFFICERS.

### Make Your Whereabouts Known.

Post Regulations require that officers living out of the Post will furnish the Post Personnel Adjutant their addresses and telephone numbers as soon as possible after getting located. This information is, of course, furnished by officers when making a change of address.

The News is anxious for every officer on duty at the Infantry School to get a copy of the paper each week. This is being accomplished at the present time by distributing the paper by courier on the Post and mailing it each week to those officers who have been ordered to the Infantry School next year—that is, by mailing it to the last known address of these officers.

During the period between the time when the incoming student officer leaves his present station and the time when he reports for duty at the Infantry School he may miss an issue or two of the News but on the date the two classes have been ordreed to report, the News will be addressed to the incoming officer at the Infantry School pending his furnishing the News with his city address should be he forced to live in the city.

In view of the fact that this paper desires to be of service to student officers by furnishing them with information during their stay of matters of interest to themselves, the News requests that officers now receiving the paper notify the Post A. & R. Officer, either by telephone or other method, just as soon as their Columbus address has been determined in order that the Message Center of the Infantry School may not be burdened unnecessarily with papers addressed to officers who have no Post Office box.

## 28th REGULAR INFANTRY WILL OBSERVE "ORGANIZATION DAY"

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### Regimental History

The history of the 28th Infantry, regular army, is considered by military men as representative of the combatant part the United States played in the World War, and for that reason its celebration of "Organization Day" this year, when we are wont to forget the glory of our arms, its history is of particular importance. The 28th Infantry marks the earliest troop movement to France, the first American combat offensive of the war, and the continued success of the American arms up to the signing of the Armistice. From the plains of Texas to the submarine-infested Atlantic, in the early days of 1917, to the mud of southern France, a strange country to most of the soldiers through the rain, snow bitter cold of that winter of 1917 in France, through the battles of Cantigny, Scissons, St. Mihiel, the Argonne, to the gates of that historic city, Sedan, then as part of the army of victory to and across the Rhine, to Coblence, and thence to the outer most limits of the American bridgehead area, the 28th Infantry carried America's glory, thrilled our Allies showed them that Americans could fight and win, and proved to the world this nation of ours was a great factor in the war.

### Steadied Allies

As it encouraged our Allies, it discouraged the common enemy, Major General Charles P. Summerall, telling of the glory of the 28th Infantry, says: "The reputation of the regiment was such, that on one occasion a French General who was offered an American regiment in a great emergency, asked for one of two regiments, and he named the 28th Infantry as his first choice.

"If I were asked," he continued, "why the First Division was First, I should say that one of the principal reasons was the 28th Infantry. This regiment contains distinctive achievements that had a marked influence upon the career of the Division and upon the reputation of American troops."

Referring to the selection of the 28th Infantry as the first American unit to make the first offensive of the World War, Major General H. E. Ely says: "The 28th Infantry has an exceedingly high morale, an excellent esprit de corps, and very superior discipline. It is probable that on this account it was selected, after careful consideration, as the regiment in all the American Expeditionary Forces to make the first American offensive, the capture of Cantigny. It captured Cantigny May 28, 1918, a most brilliant action, highly praised not only by our own superior officers but by the French under whom we were then acting. In this action the regiment lost over one-half its officers in killed and wounded, and over one-third of its men, those actually participating in the action. It never gave up an inch of territory it had gained. The result of this American offensive showed our French and English Allies as well as our own people, the high class of the American soldier."

### They Sailed Away

Under secret orders the 28th Infantry left McAllen, Texas, on June 3, 1917, en route for France. The regiment sailed from Hoboken, N. J., on June 14, 1917, on the transports Antilles, Pastores, Tenadores and Luckenback. On June 22 the transports were attacked by a German submarine but the ships did not suffer any damages. On June 25, 1917, the Port of St. Nazaire, France, welcomed the first American unit, and the morning of the 28th of June "K" Company, 28th Infantry, went ashore the first American combat unit to place foot on European soil. Two battalions of "Blue Devils" were assigned by the French to train the Americans. On September 4, 1917, in the Gondrescourt area at Treversay, a German airplane bombed the town and the unit had the war brought closer to it. Two days laer President Poincare, of France, reviewed the regiment, then Marshall Jeffre and General Pershing reviewed the Division later, the 28th participating. On October 21, 1917, while millions in America were answering the call in arms, the 28th Infantry had gone into the lines at Ansurville, a sub-sector, and the winter was spent in the lines.

In the action at Cantigny the 28th Infantry advanced on a front of 2,200 yards to a depth of from 300 to 1.600 yards and captured 500 officers, 220 men, 16 machine guns, two trench mortars, and approximately 500 rifles. The enemy's lorres were estimated at 600 killed and 400 wounded, besides the casualties caused by artillery fire at points of concentration. The 28th Infantry had not won this success without paying a price. The blood of many of its best soldiers dyed the streets of that little village and gave the fields an even deeper redness than the popies blooming there. When the regiment was relieved on that night of May 30-31 by the 16th Infantry, over one-half of the officers and one-third of the men who had gone into the attack were missing from the ranks.

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# SPORTING ACTIVITIES

## 29th INFANTRY RECEIVES "RAG"

### Championship Pennant Awarded Last Sunday.

On last Sunday afternoon the white baseball championship pennant of the Fort Benning was awarded the 29th Infantry just prior to the starting of the game between the 29th Infantry and the Jordan City baseball aggregation.

The presentation was made by Lt.-Col. Gideon H. Williams, who represented the Commanding Officer, Ft. Benning, with a few short congratulatory remarks. The pennant was received by the Captain of the 29th Infantry Team.

This pennant, which was first awarded two seasons ago to the Infantry School Detachment, is competed annually. In the event that any organization team wins the pennant for three consecutive seasons it becomes organization property and becomes a permanent organization trophy. The Infantry School Detachment won the pennant for two years only to have their hopes of having it become their permanent property dashed by the 29th Infantry very nonchanantly winning four straight games this year on the championship series.

## BRAINEST MEN PLAY GOLF, WHY?

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## ARMY WINS POLO GAME.

### Concedes Point Judith Five Goals and Triumphs, 13 to 7

Providence, R. I.—The Army first team emerged victor over Point Judith in a special polo match at the Point Judith Club this afternoon. The Army permitted their opponents to score but twice, winning, 13 to 7, after conceding a five-point handicap.

Point Judith's goals came on pretty shots by Gerald Dempsey and A. L. Smith. Both on offense and defense the Army team played brilliantly.

Two minutes had been played in the fifth chukker when the pony ridden by Morris L. Dixon collapsed suddenly, to die a few minutes later. It is believed the death of the mount was due to some internal injury or to a heat stroke.

### 29th 6, 83rd 5.

The Artillery lost to the 29th in a well fought game by a score of 6 to 5. The contest was close, furnishing all the thrills of an evenly matched battle. While the Doughboys maybe accused of too much individual playing, at the expense of team work, the Artillery was equally guilty of bunching in its plays. Both teams went ball crazy at times, resulting in a tangle of horses and polo mallets. The remedy is obvious. A wholesome sportsmanlike spirit prevailed thruout the game, exciting as it was. All players show excellent promise as material for a Corps Area team. The Artillery Team is gradually creeping up on its rival; and spirited matches may be expected in the future.

## POLO.

The American Army Team is whipping itself into shape for its coming international contest with the British Army Polo Team at Meadowbrook.

Following is a list of the line-up:

No. 1—Major A. H. Wilson, Cav.

No. 2—Major J. K. Herr, Cav.

No. 3—Lt.-Col. Lewis Brown, Jr., Cav.

No. 4—Major L. A. Beard, Q. M. C.

Substitute—Major W. W. Erwin, F. A.

On account of an unavoidable delay in the shipment of the British ponies from England, the British-American Army matches at Meadow Brook will probably be postponed for one week, the dates as tentatively assigned being Saturday, September 8, Wednesday, September 12, and, if a third match is necessary, Saturday, September 15.

The condition of Major V. P. Erwin F. A. is slightly improved.


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## INFANTRY PISTOL TEAM.

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though he will be a member of the team that will fire in the matches at Camp Perry.

The Camp Perry squad has been selected and the following men will compose the rifle and pistol squad, Major Paul Newgarden, 27th Inf. Major Geo. W. Price, Inf., Captain, J. L. Tupper, 7th Inf. Captain J. W. McCormick, 4th Inf., Captain D. M. Bartow, 5th Inf., Captain S. S. MacLaughlin, Inf., Captain P. W. Mapes, 9th Inf. Captain W. A. Hedden, Inf. Lieut. M. L. Broderick, 11th Lieut. S. R. Hinds, 3rd Inf., Lieut. W. H. O'Mohundro, 25th Inf., Lieut. F. LaRue, 30th Inf. Lieut. W. C. Conover, 13th Inf. Lieut. A. K. Robinson, 1st Inf. Lieut. L. V. Jones, 24th Inf. Lieut. E. W. Barrick, Tank Corps, Tank Corps, Lieut. R. R. Street, 6th Inf., Lieut. E. R. Vermetts, 5th Inf., Warrant Officer H. Whitaker, 1st Sgt. P. F. Mollerstrom, 17th Inf. 1st Sgt. J. Velenage, 13th Inf., Sgt. A. Kothlarczyk, 23rd Inf., 1st Sgt. W. F. Lay, 19th Inf., Sgt. E. M. Johnson, 4th Inf., and Corp. J. R. P. Hill, 23rd Inf. Major Newgarden is listed as being on the squad but has been appointed to a responsible position as an official at Camp Perry and will be on that detail until the matches when he will fire on the pistol team.

The international squad is working ou under the supervision of Capt. E. G. Lindroth. Some excellent material is out from the infantry team and in addition there will be civilians from the nearby cities competeting during the final tryouts to be held August 13th, 16th.

The training of the rifle squad was resumed on Monday, the Perry squad being divided into two teams and the remaining candidates into other teams, the purpose of which is to keep up the spirit of competition and to get the squad accustomed to team firing. There is some possibility of the squad going to Sea Girt for the New Jersey State matches, the trip if made will be voa auto at the expense of the individual. The period between now and the time of departure from Niagara will be devoted to intensive training of both rifle and pistol squads. The exact date of departure from Niagara has not yet been announced but it is expected the squad will leave about the 20th of August.

The latest reports from Lieut. Sheets who broke his ankle last week is to the effect he is on the road to recovery and will be able to be up and about on crutches within a few days.


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## Chapel Notes

### Religious Services Sunday

**PROTESTANT CHAPEL**

Corner Gillespie and Wold avenue.

9:00 A. M.—Morning service in charge of the Protestant Clergy of Columbus.

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School, Lieut. Custer in charge.

6:00 P. M. — Evening Song, Mrs. Cooper in charge.

**CATHOLIC CHAPEL**

Block 7, Hall avenue.

8:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon.

10:00 A. M.—Mass and Sermon. No Sunday School during the summer months.

**TWENTY-FOURTH INFANTRY**

Sunday

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Services.

5:00 P. M.—Evening Services.

**JEWISH.**

Sunday 5:45 P. M. in the Catholic Chapel.

**Chaplains on Duty:**

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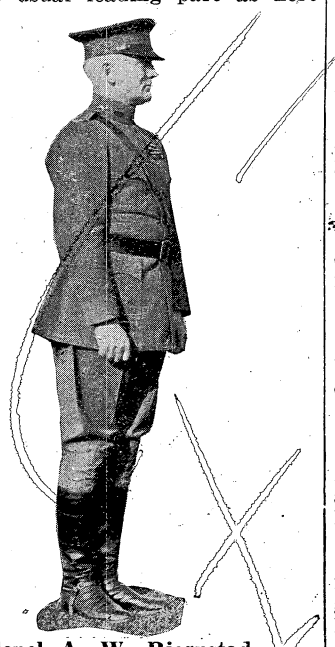
### THE THIRD INFANTRY

**"The Old Guard of the Army"**

Nothing so disheartens a good actor more than to see a play staged and himself left out of the cast. So, the regiment whose colors carry streamers certifying to active participation in more than one hundred and twenty-four battles and skirmishes, grew restless while it performed important and necessary duties along the Mexican border in 1917-18 and dreamed of the time when the opportunity to prove its worth in the fields of France might present itself. The armistice, unexpected and uninvited, so far as the Third Infantry was concerned, dampened its spirit, but did not break it, for such is the esprit de corps of the Third Infantry, a living vital thing, that it cannot and will not be downed. Again, change the action from his usual leading part as hero



**Colonel A. W. Bjornstad, Commanding 3rd Infantry**

to a less important function, from his point of view—that's also disheartening. The change of the Third Infantry from a combat regiment to a training center organization—that was the second trying situation for the officers and enlisted men thoroughly imbued with the fighting spirit of the old regiment. They, each and every one of them buckled down to the job, however, and the reward came the following year, 1922, when another transformation of the regiment gave it back its original form—a combat organization.

**Oldest Regiment in the Army**

Having had service under every president of the United States, from Washington to Coolidge, the Third Infantry has well earned its title of the "Old Guard of the Army," the oldest regiment in the service of the

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### HOMES FOR STUDENT OFFICERS

**Following Houses and Apartments Available.**

Three large furnished rooms, connected. New brick home; large living room, run parlor and phone; also tiled bath. School across the street, children taken. Address—Forest Avenue, Wynnton. Price $75.00; garage $5.00 per month. R. G. Parrish, residence phone 3319-W; business phone, Coca Cola Bottling Co., phone 457.

The apartments suitable for two couples, $40.00 each. R. G. Parrish, address as above.

Five room, unfurnished bungalow; fully screened, tile bath, Arcola heating system, instantaneous hot water. Price, 12 months lease $57.50; 10 months lease $65. Myron S. Greentree, Columbus, Ga.

Three room apartment; bedroom, dining room, kitchenette, hot and cold water; free garage; private entrance to apartment; in new bungalow. Furnished or partly furnished. $40 per month completely furnished. J. B. Ingram, Jr., 124 Munro Ave., Wynnton. (Note: Wynnton is a suburb of Columbus and part of the city.)

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Six apartments; eight rooms, two baths, garage. Rent, 12 months, $65: 9 months, $80. Also one seven room house. Rent, 12 months $60; 9 months. $65. P. J. Williams, 3015 Hamliton Ave.

Two rooms and kitchenette; light, water and gas; $45 per month. Mrs. Dan Huff, Forest Ave., Wynnton.

Four room upstairs apartment with bath. Screened front porch; hot water; portable heater; fire place; $75 per month, nine months. W. S. Gillis, 1544 2nd Ave.

Furnished apartments; all conveniences; four rooms and garage; $50 per month for school year. V. A. Cox, 1503 18th St.

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## Movie Program

**WEEK ENDING SEPT. 1, 1923.**

**Opening Hours for the Theatres**

24th Infantry Theatre.....6.00 P. M.
29th Infantry Theatre.....6.45 P. M.
Post Theatre .....7.30 P. M.

**Sunday Aug. 26th**

"Masters of Men," 7 reels, Earle Williams; Number Please, 2 reels, Harold Lloyd.

**Monday Aug. 27th**

Feature booking pending from U. S. Service. Watch D. B. and Bulletin boards for picture on this date.

Ancient Rome, 1 reel; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Tuesday Aug. 28th,**

Burning Words, 5 reels, Frank Mayo; Pure and Simple, 2 reels.

**Wednesday Aug. 29th**

Sunshine Trail, 6 reels, Douglas McLean; Doggone Torchy, 2 reels, Torchy.

**Thursday Aug. 30th**

Clouded Name, 6 reels, Special Cast; Double Trouble, 2 reels, Lee Kids; Fox News, 1 reel.

**Friday Aug. 31st.**

Famous Mrs. Fair, 8 reels, Frank Niblo; Pathe Review, 1 reel; Roach Comedy, 1 reel.

**Saturday Sept. 1**

The Bright Shawl, 7 reels, Dorothy Gish; Sad Sea Waves, 1 reel, arold Lloyd.

### ARMY REMOUNT SERVICE PRESENTED WITH THIRTY-SIX THOROUGHBRED HORSES

As further evidence of her great interest in the horse-breeding program conducted by the Remount Service, of the Quartermaster Corps, Mrs. Anita

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**Grey Squirrel waxed philosophical—"You know," said he, "talk is cheap. All that's necessary is to open your mouth and let the words fall out." But," and he knitted his brow, "The tree of silence bears the fruit of peace."**

## HOMES FOR STUDENT OFFICERS

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Three room apartment suitable for housekeeping; gas, electricity, private bath, private entrance, front porch; partly furnished. $45 per month. Mrs. R. W. Ledsinger, 816 2nd Ave.

Room for couple without children; table board; telephone and lights furnished; $100.00 per month for couple Mrs. Mollie Lind, 2844 Beacon Ave.

Six room bungalow, new, built for home: Three bedrooms, living room, dining room, butlers pantry, kitchen, reception hall, back hall, front and back porch screened, bath room with hot and cold water and several closets. Gas stove, connected, $25.00; refrigerator, $10.00. This property owned by former officer tenant. $60.00 per month, 12 months. Miss Estelle Collins, care J. A. Kirven's Department Store.

Three room unfurnished upper apartment. Hall, kitchenette, bath with instanteous heater, water, telephone, lights, gas included. $65.00 per month. Mrs. Carroll Scarborough, 1231 3rd Ave.

Eight room house suitable for two apartments. Upper apartments has bed room, combined living room and dining room, kitchen, private bath private entrance, hot water, $55.00. Lower apartment has five rooms; living room, bed rooms, dining room. kitchen, back porch and yard, private bath, $65.00. Apartments completely furnished. Mrs. Jas. Davis, 807 2nd Ave.

Down stairs apartment, large porch with swings, reception hall, living room, dining room, bed room, bath, back porch, garage, price $60.00. Mrs. Jos. Davis, 807 2nd Ave.

Upstairs apartment, private entrance. Combined living room and dining room, kitchen, one bed room. $40 per month. Mrs. Jos. Davis, 807 2nd Ave.

Ground floor apartment. Living room, bedroom, dining room, kitchen, garage, gas, water, and light not furnished. Tenant to pay one half fuel costs for furnace. Furnished. All conveniences. Dr. George P. Gurr, 1933 17th Ave. Corner 20th St.

Four room apartment. Reception hall and private bath. Front and back porches. Private entrances. Unfurnished at $40 per month. Can furnish one bed room. References exchanged. Mrs. J. S. Moore, 1125 4th Ave.

Apartment consisting of reception room, two bed rooms, bath, kitchen and garage. Furnished complete except for linen and silver. $60 per month. Mrs. W. R. Hudson, 518 24th Street.

Down stairs front room completely furnished. Short distance from car and bus lines. $30 per month. Mrs. Fred Reich, 1024 2nd Ave.

Upstairs apartment; furnished, bed room, living room, kitchen, $45 per month. Mrs. John A. Lewis, 1133 5th Ave.

Three large connecting rooms in Waverly Terrace. All conveniences. Price depends upon furnishings required. Mrs. Clark, 2837 Beacon Ave.

Four rooms in private home; connecting bath, steam heat, phones, hot water, all conveniences. Rooms not furnished for housekeeping. Rooms with use of bath $30 per month. Mrs. L. R. Quincy, Wynnton Drive.

Three large rooms with kitchenette; sleeping porch, bath, private entrance, on ground floor; fully screened. Lights and gas on separate meters. Children desired. $65 per month, Miss Lee, 838 2nd Ave.

Three room apartment, large bed room, small dining room, kitchenette, adjoining bath. $45 per month. Also large furnished room without kitchen, $20 per month. Mrs. A. L. Affleck, 1413 2nd Ave.

Three conecting rooms with front and rear entrance. All conveniences. Lights and water furnished. $37.50 per month. Mrs. H. V. Hargett, 1411 19th St.

Six room bungalow practically new; water. gas, electric light connections; large yard and garage. $80 for nine months, $60 for one year, per month. Mrs. Marguerite Hermann, 1926 Talbot Ave.

Three apartments, three to five rooms each, private entrance. Two apartments furnished. Third one can be furnished. $50 to $75 including heat, water, and in some cases light. Apartments have gas stoves and refrigerators. Mrs. Chas. H. Davis, Columbus, Ga.

Apartment consisting of front bedroom, dining room, living room, garage, bath with instantaneous heater; everything furnished except heat. $50 per month. Mrs. T. H. Bergen, 1316 5th Ave.

Apartment containing two large rooms, breakfast room, and kitchenette Private hall and bath; garage; veranda and lawns, $45 per month.

Apartment complete for housekeeping; two rooms, kitchenette, breakfast room, hall, bath. Large porches, Garage if desired, $60 per month.

Apartment, two rooms and kitchenette, porch screened, private bath, private entrance; separate from rest of house. $35 per month.

All apartments on first floor but in different parts of city. Mrs. J. E. Sharpe, 1926 Hamilton Ave.

Five room furnished apartment on first floor; sun parlor, pantry, Price $75.00.

Four room apartment; private entrance and bath; verandas; second floor; $60 per month.

Two or three room apartment, first floor, furnished, garage.

All apartments for lease by Mrs. Ella Jenkins, 209 13th St.

Two apartments, three large rooms and a smaller apartment; large apartment $45 per month, smaller one, $35 per month. Mrs. Sarah L. Clayton, 116 15th St.

Four apartments, $25, $35, $50 one large apartment subject to enlargement and priced accordingly. House screened thruout, all furnished, water, lights, phone included. Linen not furnished. Mrs. T. D. Power, 1441 2nd Ave.

Upstairs apartment, three rooms and kitchenette, private bath, hot and cold water, garage, light, water, and telephone. Furnished, $65; unfurnished, $40. Mrs. Heywood Watkins, 807 Broad St.

Two connecting rooms; may be adapted for light housekeeping; bath; $30 per month, furnished or unfurnished, if desired as bed room and living room; $35 per month if used for light housekeeping and will furnish water and lights. Mrs. T. A. Williams, 1016 3rd Ave.

Entire second floor, two bed rooms, living rooms, dining room, dressing room, kitchen and bath. $40 per month. Mr. Dozier Fuller, Chero-Cola Co., Columbus, Ga.

Modern apartment consisting of living room, dining room, breakfast room kitchen, all downstairs; two bed rooms, sleeping porch, shower and tub bath upstairs. Garage, lawn, back yard. $900.00 per year. Georgia Paving and Construction Co., Columbus, Ga.

Five room apartment, tile bath, sleeping porch; modern in every detail. Price $480.00 per year. Georgia Paving and Construction Co. Columbus, Ga.

Apartment in newly built bungalow; bed room, living room, dining room, kitchen; furnished thruout. Bath and garage. Price $55 per month. Mrs. J. O. Taylor, 1327 17th St.

Three room apartment completely furnished, living room, bed room, kitchen, breakfast room ,connecting bath, $45 per month, lights and water furnished. Mrs. David G. Lewis, 1319 5th Ave.

Bungalow, four rooms, breakfast room and bath, desirable location; J. L. Peacock Grocery Co., Columbus, Ga.

Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, private family, lights, water, heat, gas furnished. $30 without garage; $35 with garage. Mr S. R. Blythe, 1411 18th St.

Two-story Dutch Colonial house. Living room, sun parlor, dining room, breakfast alcove, butler's pantry, kitchen, down stairs. Three bed rooms and bath upstairs. Hardwood floors down stairs; Arcola heating system and fire places; garage; lawns sodded; $70 per month. Mrs. T. R. King, 1513 16th Ave. Werecoba Heights.

Four room apartment, ground floor, All conveniences and nicely furnished; lights, gas, phone, garage, furnished, $65 per month. Dr. J. W. Pierce, 1530 18th St.

Four room, down stairs apartment; bedroom, dining room, kitchenette, private bath; heat and gas for cooking not furnished. $35 per month. A. Jessop, 1532 4th Ave.

Eight rooms suitable for two or three apartments; kitchens; well located, prices range from $35 to $75; depending on agreement regarding lights, fuel, garages, etc. Mrs. M. L. Molder, 216 11th St.

Three room apartment and kitchen; lights and water furnished; $37.50 per month. Mrs. Echols, 1520 2nd Ave.

House in Werecoba Heights, three bed rooms; living room; dining room; bath and hall; Arcola heating system; phone 2369-W; $70 per month. Mrs. R. C. Pulliam, 1431 16th St.

Four room apartment completely furnished. Gas and modern conveniences $65 per month. W. R. Cox, 1807 17th Ave.

Small apartment. Bedroom, dressing room, kitchenette, private bath, $40 per month. Mrs. J. G. Biggers, 1512 4th Ave.

Three connecting unfurnished rooms; hot and cold water; lights, private family. $30 per month. Miss Kimble 2012 Hamilton Ave.

Large bed room, large dressing room, private shower bath. Conveniently located. $27.50 per month. Mrs. James J. Gilbert, 1221 2nd Ave.

Unfurnished apartment. Two large rooms, closet, dining room and kitchen garage, first floor. $40 with private bath installed. A. L. Baker, 809 Broad St.

Apartment consisting of bed rooms sleeping porch, living room, dining room, kitchen, private bath with gas heater. Furnished except linen and silver. $50 per month. Mrs. George M. Gamble, 1044 17th St.

Apartment consisting of sun parlor, living room, breakfast room, kitchen, bedroom, bath, Garage furnished. New bungalow, $50 per month by the year. Edward E. French, care Reo Columbus Co., 13th St.

Five room bungalow desirably located. Modern conveniences and garage, $50 per month, by the year. Edward E. French, care Reo Columbus Co., 13th St.

Completely furnished apartment; living room, bedroom with closet, tiled bath (tub and shower) kitchenette and breakfast room; rugs, draperies, new furniture; $60 pre month by the year. Edward E. French, care Reo Columbus Co., 13th St.

Apartment consisting of two bedrooms, living room, dining room, private entrance, kitchenette, bath and rear entrance, furnished. $75 per month. Max Loeb, care Sol Loeb Co., Columbus, Ga.

Five room cottage; all modern conveniences; screened, garage, trees, flowers; partially furnished; possession October 1st. $50 per month. Miss Jessie Owens, 1411 19th St.

Eight rom house with modern conveniences; front porch; newly painted; desirably located. $100 per month. Dr. J. T. Moncrief, Swift-Kyle Bldg.

Four room cottage, newly painted, modern conveniences. Desirably located $50 per month. Dr. J. T. Moncrief, Swift-Kyle Bldg.

Two room, first floor, unfurnished apartment. Can be furnished if desired at satisfactory increase of rental. Garage, $27.50 per month. Mrs. W. C. Scruggs, 2418 Hamilton Ave.

Large furnished front room with private bath; light and water furnished; for gentleman or couple without children; $35 per month. Mrs. Ida S. Lange, 1321 2nd Ave.

Furnished room with all conveniences, light, water, linen furnished. Gentleman, $20 per month. Mrs. Ida S. Lange, 1321 2nd Ave.

Four room downstairs apartment from Sept. 1 to June 1. Private bath and entrance; water and phone furnished, $50 per month. Mrs. I. Arenowitch, 1023 2rd Ave.

Three room furnished apartment; with large closets and kitchen, Private bath. Light and phone furnished. $45 per month. Mrs. E. M. Wheat, 802 Broad St.

One large furnished room with private entrance; southern exposure; $20 per month. Mrs. E. M. Wheat, 802 Broad St.

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# Social Notes

**Miss Peggy Kent, Editor Call 20**

### COL. AND MRS. GRAHAM ON LEAVE

Col. and Mrs. J. M. Graham and Miss Maynie Graham left last Sunday for two months leave, at the termination of which they will proceed to Col. Graham's new station at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y. Their leave will be spent at Col. Graham's home in New Hampshire. Miss Kathleen Graham is spending the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. Kent, at San Francisco, California, and will join her family at Plattsburg.

### LT. LUSSIER LEAVES BENNING

Lt. Lussier leaves Saturday for Camp Alfred Vail where he will be a student at the Signal School. He has been at Benning 3 years.

Lt. and Mrs. Lussier and their daughter Frances, will tour New England on a short leave.

### MRS. REED ENTERTAINS

Mrs. C. W. Reed entertained at a bridge luncheon on Tuesday honoring Mrs. W. C. Lattimore, who is visiting Mrs. G. A. Pollin. Those present were Mmes. Lattimore, Pollin, Ellis, Dasher, Webster, Dunwoody, Beiderlinden, and Miss Peggy Kent. Mrs. Webster received the first prize, a pair of pearl earrings, and Mrs. Dunwoody the consolation prize, a pair of curtain fasteners. The guest prize was a unique powder puff.

### MRS. WATSON HOSTESS

Mrs. LeRoy Watson was hostess at a delightful dinner party and bridge last Monday night. Those present were Cols. Fassett and Hocker; Majs. Stokeley, Sutherland and Musgrave; Maj. and Mrs. Elliott, Maj. and Mrs. Hall, and Mrs. Tom Martin. Mrs. Martin received the ladies prize, a jewelled hair ornament, and Maj. Stokeley the gentleman's prize, a key ring.

### MRS. GRAHAM GUEST OF HONOR

Mrs. J. M. Graham was the guest of honor at a bridge party given by Mrs. Charles Elliott last Wednesday night. There were five tables, those present being: Cols. and Mmes. Graham, Peyton, Hansell and Smith; Majs. and Mmes. Wheeler, Dravo, Watson and Hall and Maj. Musgrave. Mrs. Graham received a beautiful pair of silk hose as the guest prize. The first prize for the ladies was a piece of Madeira, won by Mrs. Dravo. The gentleman's first prize was two decks of cards, won by Col. Hansell. Col. Graham won the consolation, a jar of candy.

### CAPT. AND MRS. PEARSON RETURNED

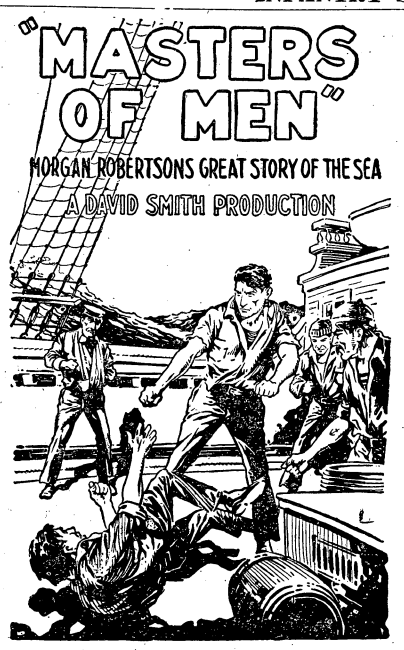
Capt. and Mrs. Frank J. Pearson, and small daughter, Mary, returned last Thursday from Atlanta where Mrs. Pearson has been spending the summer with Capt. Pearson's parents. Capt. Pearson has been at Ft. Niagara with the rifle team. They will be located temporarily in the quarters formerly occupied by Col. Hannah, at 19-17-15.

### VISITING ON THE POST

Mrs. W. C. Lattimore, wife of Capt. W. C. Lattimore, and small daughter, Betty, are the guests of Mrs. G. A. Pollin.

Mrs. Dasher's mother, Mrs. Wright, is visiting her daughter, and will remain until Capt. and Mrs. Dasher leave for Fort Sill.

Major Jack Kutz of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days at Fort Benning. During his visit he will be the guest of Lieut. and Mrs. Harold A. Willis.




"Masters of Men," Morgan Robertson's great sea novel, adapted for the screen by C. Graham Baker, which will be shown at the Post Theatre next Sunday is a real American story, written by Americans for Americans.

The hero, Dick Halpin, is the sort of a boy every American admires, sensitive to hurts, rebellious against snobbery, quick to fight and big enough to carry a secret wrong to save the girl he loves from humiliation. Dick is falsely accused of theft and runs away from home. He joins the United States Navy and there he learns how to be a man. While on shore leave he and his superior are shanghaied on board a four master and sent before the mast. They endure the brutality of captain and mate and the fifth in which they are compelled to live until they manage their escape just as the United States declares war on Spain. The boys rejoin their ships and take an active part in the battle of Santiago when Cervera's fleet was destroyed as it came out to sea.

The naval battle is thrillingly presented and through courtesy of the United States Navy Department at Washington is authentically reproduced, the Navy permitting Vitagraph, the producers, to take real shots on board men of war when stripped for action and indulging in gun fire.

The cast is an exceptionally strong one of fan favorites. Earle Williams plays Lieutenant Breen, and Cullen Landis Dick Halpin, the two young Americans. Alice Calhoun and Wanda Hawley play the old-fashioned sweethearts of the two days. The love interest is strong and there is abundant comedy running through the story.

### NEW ARRIVALS

Col. James B. Gowen and two daughters, Betty and Kathleen, arrived Wednesday. They will be the guests of Col. Kerth until their quarters, 14-405, are in readiness. Mrs. Gowen and two children are visiting her sister at Ft. Moultrie, and will join Col. Gowen later. Two daughters will remain in Baltimore until time to enter college.

Col. Gowen will be director of the Infantry Board. On his arrival at Benning, the Col. and his two daughters were entertained at lunch by Col. and Mrs. McCaskey. They were entertained at dinner by Col. and Mrs. Kent.

Col. Paul S. Halloran, M. C., and his sister have arrived and are located in the quarters formerly occupied by Col. Graham, at 15-350.

### CAPT. DASHER ON LEAVE

Cpt. A. L. Dasher and his brother, Mr. Sidney Dasher, left Wednesday for Albany, Ga., where Capt. Dasher is visiting his mother for a few days.

### BIRTHS

Born at the Children's Hospital at Buffalo, N. Y., to Capt. Jay D. S. Lattin, S. C., and Mrs. Lattin, a girl.

Lt. and Mrs W. D. Williams of the Artillery are receiving congratulations on the birth of a 7 lb. girl.

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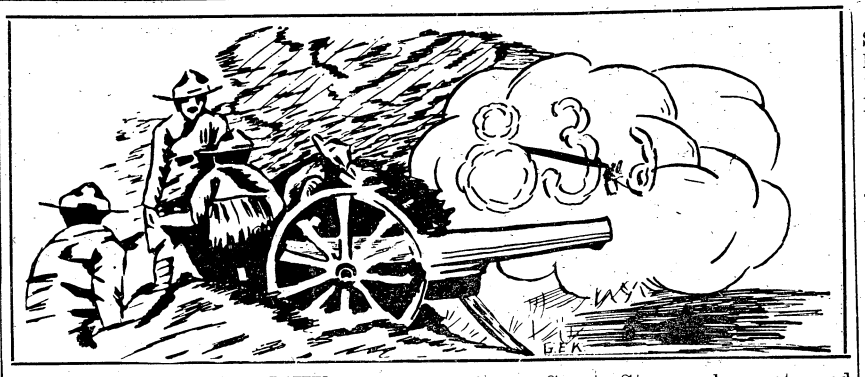

## THE REASON WHY.

As I was strolling down the street one bright sunshiny day,
I met a recruiting Sergeant, so blithesome and so gay,
"O, where away, my hearty lad, O, where away?" said he.
"I'm off to roam the wide, wide world, and sail the bounding sea."
"O, say not so, my hearty lad! You cause me much alarm.
I greatly fear that such a life will bring you naught but harm,
You should not sail the deep blue sea, it's very full of water;
And sailors, I regret to say, do things they shouldn't orter.
They are a most unpolished lot; to take them as a rule,
They never wash behind their ears or go to Sunday school.
Their ways are very vulgar and their language something vile,
Behavior most improper; their hearts quite full of guile,
At swabbing and deck scrubbing the Bo'sun keeps them busy.
By no means intellectual—in fact they are quite dizzy,
So, should you go, my hearty lad, to plough the raging main,
I'm sure the life, so filled with strife, would cause you grievous pain,
So list to me, my hearty lad, for I'm a truthful man,
And if you want to see the world, I'll now unfold a plan—
A simple plan and wondrous plain—as plain as plain can be,
The way to see the world is in the Field Artilleriee.
The doughboys were a useful bunch, much used to strafe the Huns,
But force behind their punch was the bellow of the guns.
The Engineers are handy men to make a road or map—
Without the help of gunnery quite useless in a scrap.
The Chemical Warfare uses gas that smells most awfully vile,
The gunner finds the distant trench, and shells it mile by mile.
The I. S. D. are haughty, and much given to complaint,
But when it comes to dirty work, (excuse me while I faint!)
The Cavalry are soldiers since e'er the world began—
The gunner is a care-free cuss, and first rate fighting man,
They always try to do their bit, no matter where it be—
And where there's work that should be done, there's Field Artilleriee,
They may not be so lady-like, and quite undignified,
And tho their efforts oft may fail, you'll know they always tried.
And when he knows that somewhere there are enemies to strafe,
The Chief calls the Artilleree to make the home-folks safe.
They ever roam the wide, wide world, by land and on the sea—
Rambling, rollicking, scrapping bunch, the Field Artilleree."

* * *

I listened to the sergeant talk, and could not but agree,
I've taken on for three years in the Field Artilleree.

Master Sergt. Stevens has returned from furlough which he spent motoring among the mountains of southern Florida. He reports that he and his family had a fine trip, and states that the scenery along the western coast of Maine is among the most beautiful that he has ever seen.

Well, the pay roll is about ready, boys!

It is with regret that we note the departure of Sergt. Keen, who has been transformed from Battery "B" to the I. S. D. Sergt Keen's long and excellent record, and his exceptional qualifications will make him a valuable man in any organization, and the best wshes of the entire Battery go with him.

It is with much pleasure that we welcome Sergeant Shores again. "Crab," for some time, was undecided as to where he would re-enlist; but after looking over other stations, he decided that the 83rd could not be beaten, and was so strongly convinced of this that he induced former Q. M. Sergeant Kaegi, of Fort Barrancas, to "re-up" for the 83rd, whom we also gladly welcome—and we are sure that after a nice long furlough, they will both be glad to get back in harness again.

### Battery "A"
### Canoneers Beat 22nd

The 22nd Infantry and 83rd Field Artillery Polo Fours fought a brilliant battle yesterday afternoon in the opening clash of the Post Polo Tourney. The Cannoneers emerged victorious after an extra period by the narrow margin of 4 goals to 3. The play of Roxbury was the feature of the hectic scrap.

### Battery "B"

We're all right. Thank you.

Gosh, had boxing again! About half of the battery all of a sudden developed headaches, sore fingers, sprained wrists and every imaginable ailment—all because they had to put on the gloves. And then we laugh at the Frenchman when he uses his feet in a scrap.

But they didn't get away with it; for they all, cripples included, had to produce at least one round's worth. Everybody smiled but Duncan—he was hit on the nose.

A casual observer ambled into the library and found Kelly deeply immersed in "Seven Leagues Under the Sea" by Jules Verne. Now we do not wonder why Kelly is at sea so many times.

One of our best cooks was there, studying up new menues to treat the boys right.

The Battery is going to have a party next Wednesday, beer, pretzels and everything.

### Battery "C"

Here we are back again after a prolonged absence with a tale of woe that is truthful if not original: The Battery is crying for the gunners examinaton.

Privates Tucker, Johnston and Mayfield have been appointed Corporals and now boys watch their smoke and excuse their dust.

Specialist Hill has been made Mess Sergt. to replace Sergt. Workman who has taken charge of the 5th Section. Sergt. Hill has started. Well let's hope he keeps it up.

Ten of our best men are under quarantine and we notice they have four bats for company.

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## LODGE NOTICES

Muscogee Lodge No. 6, I. O. O. F. meets every Monday night at 8 p. m. at No. 6 hall First avenue and Eleventh street. Visiting members are welcome.

R. C. RUSSELL, N. G.
G. A. WOODS, Rec. Sec.

Rose Hill Lodge No. 480 I. O. O. F. meets every Monday evening at 8 p. m. at their own hall No. 2400 Hamilton Ave.

C. E. MITCHELL, N. G.
LEROY LEWIS, Rec. Sec.

2nd degree will be conferred Monday evening.

Regular communication of Mt. Hermon Lodge No. 304 F. & A. M. meets every 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings every month 8 o'clock sharp, all brothers in good standing are extended a cordial welcome.

Thursday Aug. 30 the Masters Degree will be conferred on a large class of officers and civilians. Come up.

LEROY LEWIS, W. M.
C. W. WOOLDRIDGE, Secretary.

**Darley Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons**

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**NOTICE**

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# THE INFANTRY BOARD

**Radio Set For Infantry**

During the past week the Infantry Board has been working on the formulation of a suitable program of radio development with a view to adoption of a single standard set for Infantry use. This would facilitate manufacture, supply and the training of personnel.

Major Sawyer and Lieut. Edwards of the Signal Corps are conferring with the Infantry Board with this program. They have also brought from the Signal Corps Research Laboratories at Camp Vail new radio sets SCR-143 and SCR-136 which are being tested for use in tanks and planes.

Among other matters under consideration by the Infantry Board are the following:

(a) Experimental Bipods for Browning Automatic Rifle.

(b) New type of quadrant for Machine Guns.

(c) Reduction in number of rounds of small arms ammunition habitually carried by the Infantry Soldier on the march.

(d) Functioning board for instructional purposes to show in detail the mechanical operation of the Browning Machine Gun Caliber .30 are recommended so that they may be available for tests of small arms.

**The Combination Grenade**

The Board has considered the development of a combination hand and rifle grenade and an improved discharger suitable for firing this grenade and Pyrotechnics as well.

## MEMORANDUM TO POST A. & R. OFFICER

The following named officers have been assigned quraters on the post since August 15th to August 22nd, 1923, with the date assignment is effective set opposite their names:

Pendleton, A. S. Lieut. Col. M. C. Quarters 14-403, 8-21-23.

Gill, Issac, Jr., Capt. Inf. Quarters 14-410, 8-21-23.

Fuller, Francis R. Maj. Inf. Quarters 14-408, 8-16-23.

Bergdahl, E. Warrant Officer U. S. A. Quarters 16-23, 9-1-23.

Scott, Wm. McK. 1st Lieut. Q. M. C. Quarters 20-1, phone 238, 8-21-23.

Alfonte, W. A. Lieut. Col. Infantry, Quarters 14-401, 8-22-23.

Pearson, Frank J. Capt. Inf. Temporary Quarters 19-17-06, phone 257 8-23-23.

Castellanos, A. E. Capt. Cuban Army Quarters 19-17-02, phone should be changed to 393.

## THE MUSICAL STORE

We passed down the West side of Broad Street and upon arriving in front of a certain store with the white terrior cocking his head to one side we heard strains of music issuing therefrom (we mean the store). One selecton being played on a Victrola attracted our attention and we went in to make a further investigation.

We were quickly detected in our entrance and a very courteous gentlemen asked us what he could do for us. We stated that we merely wanted to hear some of the latest music. That we were in our usual state of financial embarrassmnet and could buy nothing. We were led into a small room, the gentleman left us for a few moments to cogitate—and read the lists of new music hanging on the walls—but he was back again and had the Victrola going a long time before we became lonesome.

A number of records were played and after each one appropriate remarks were made by the gentleman in charge. As a final result, when we left the store we had under our arm several records of the latest musical selections which we carried home and enjoyed frequently.

The store we have referenc to is, as you have guessed, Humes Music Co. We have always found this concern, and the individuals connected therewith, very obligating and courteous. We have observed persons from the rural districts go into the store and have a large number of selections played for them without buying and the person who supervised the operation of the Victrolas seemed to take just as much interest in the matter as he would have had he been entertaining a prospective customer who had the word "Buy" written all over his face. Humes Music Co. sell anything musical from a baby grand piano to a whistle. They handle good goods and their prices are reasonable. Besides this they make you "feel at home."

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Beating an automobile dealer in a trade.

Getting quarters on the Post if you are a member of the company commander's class.

Getting a load of coal delivered in a hurry.

Get a thick steak without showing the butcher how you want it cut.

Getting cream that will whip from a certain dairyman.

Buying a drink from the only soda fountain on the post at 10:00 A. M. on Saturday.

Kidding a Columbus speed cop.

Losing the use of your car for a month on account of speeding.

Getting out an issue of a newspaper without a typographical error.

Visiting the Post Theater in civilian clothes.

Catching the News cartoonist with a grouch on.

Making Major Sweatshop smile.

Kicking Calculator.

Telling the 29th Infantry their baseball team is no good.

Throwing a tomato into an electric fan.

Making a catty remark while Bluebird is around.

Having the Lawn Mower Brigade cut the grass and leave the flowers.

Passing the buck upwards.

Impressing her, after several years of married life, with your importance.

Also telling her a lie and getting away with it—same condition as above

Accusing him of getting the worst of a trade.

Taking a trip to Columbus without a spare tire.

Telling one Columbus paper that the other one is the better.


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**AUGUST 24, 1923.**


"For God's sake, give me a man who has brains enough to make a fool of himself"—Stevenson.

## A SENSE OF HUMOR.

An optimist is one who saves all the "lemons" that are handed during the week; and when Sunday comes, makes lemonade with them.

If this provokes a smile, you have a sense of humor; if it does not, something is wrong with you.

It has been an impression amongst many civilians that the soldier who is considered military, is so to the exclusion of all else—even of a sense of humor. And this reputation, if we may call it such, has taken such root that in a great many instances a smile is at a premium. Some have even entirely forgotten how to smile, due to continued lack of practice.

One who possesses a sense of humor is twice blessed—he makes himself happier and radiates joy to those about him. He who knows how to smile is therefore an asset to the world and to himself.

If you have on a grouch, find yourself a corner somewhere, alone, and let it wear off.

Faces have never been known to crack due to smiling.

Look about now, and see how many chronic grouches you notice. When you see one, just remember that there is something radically wrong.

## WOULD CHANGE THE PROMOTION LIST

### Many Officers Said to Favor Old System Rather Than the Single List

There are indications of a growing discontent in the army with the present system of promotion, which provides that all officers, except the chaplains and those of the medical department, shall be arranged on a single list for promotion. Members of the air service have been seeking to have the law amended to provide for a separate promotion list for aviators, and it will not be surprising if a vigorous attack on the prevailing system comes from other branches.

However, there is nothing at present upon which to base the expectation that the War epartment will include in its recommendations for new army legislation to be taken up by the Sixty-eighth Congress any project relating to promotion.

Recommendations of the chief of the air service as to procurement, promotion and retirement of officers of his branch are before the general staff, and ultimately they will receive the consideration of the Secretary of War. Whether those recommendations receive the approval of the War Department or not, they are destined to reach Congress. If they are not sent to the Capitol with departmental approval, they will get there in another way.

Many officers of the army believe that not only should the air service be given its own promotion list, but also that there should be return by all branches to the former system of promotion on lineal lists in the staff corps and line arms of the military establishment, and the general project for attainment of that result undoubtedly will be discussed in Congress.

Those that want to go back to the old system of separate promotion in the several branches believe that it would restore specialization by retaining officers in their respective arms or staff corps. It would do away with the constant transfer among branches to equalize the numbers of officers in various grades in the several branches, and it would avoid the condition that exists now with a deficiency of colonels and lieutenant colonels in the field artillery and too many in the cavalry, to cite only one example. Three regiments of field artillery now are commanded by colonels from other arms—two detailed and one permanently transferred—and none of them possessing the requisite amount of experience with that branch of the service.—Fifth Corps News.

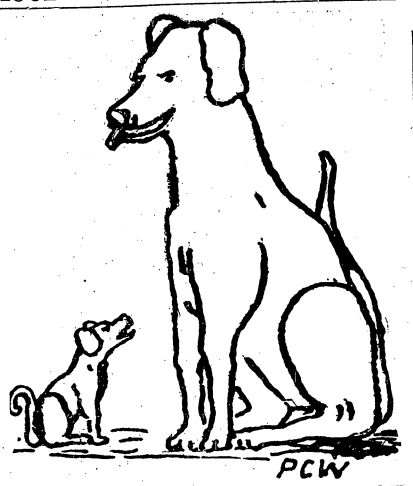
## INVITATION TO PLAY TENNIS

The City of Columbus wants the Army to come closer to its people. They have been very cordial; and advantage should be taken of their kindness. Following is a copy of an invitation:

"The Columbus Young Men's Christion Association is proposing to foster a city-wide tennis tournament beginning on Labor day. The Committee is very desirous that the tennis players of Fort Benning be included in this tournament, therefore I am writing you announcing the event.

In some way, I wish you would give publicity to this matter so that your players will know of the tournament, and if they desire can arrange for entrance. The registration fee of entrance will be 50c, and this should be paid at the Y. M. C. A. in Columbus.

Both singles and doubles will be included in the tournament and appropriate prizes will be given to the successful contestants. We shall hope that Fort Benning will be well represented in this tournament."




## CALCULATOR AND THE GREAT DANE

Loud, staccato barks of pleasure and relief greeted the Great Dane as he rambled Sales Commissaryward to renew his enmity with the Fat Butcher. He stopped abruptly in his leisurely jaunt and listened and sniffed to locate from whence came the joyful sounds. Then he struck a lope and rounded the corner at the Department of General Subjects running on two legs.

"Say," he growled as he met Calculator, "why don't you cut that out? First thing you know the Coach will be after you with that Rusty at his heels and then you'll have to pull your freight for help."

"Boy," barked Calc, "don't worry me. I guess I'm about the happiest dawg on this here Post."

"How come," said Great Dane.

"Well, you see it's like this. Last week I thought I was going to die because I might go mad. The Office Dawg of the News heard about it and spread the story around the Post and finally it got to the ears of that fine man, Lieut. Post Veterinarian. He said he had been thinking about me ever since he read that order about rabies and that he was waiting to give me a shot. I might have been wise to what a shot was, having heard my student officer friends cuss about it so last year when they couldn't produce the necessary certificates but I couldn't think about anything but an unsympathetic man at the other end of a Colt's 45. Well I began to dodge everybody who looked like a veterinarian and I even got suspicious of my old friends. One major at headquarters who gave me a nice meal one night made a grab for me when he thought I wasn't looking and it was only by the skin of my teeth that I got away. Another major jumped out of his car on Lumpkin road and tried to chase me but I got away from him. Truly I was living a dog's life and it looked like everybody was against me. I longed for the happy days of Winter when I could flag the narrow gauge train and hop on and get away from my troubles. But, alas, Winter was far away and they were after me. One day, feeling myself in need of nourishment, I approached a back door, not in the cocky manner with which I once went to front doors and imperiously barked for admission but with misgivings in my heart and my tail hanging low. The cook came to the door and I sneaked in. Far different from former times, no plate of nice food was placed before me but instead the doors to the kitchen were closed on me and I was a captive. In about an hour I heard masculine footsteps approaching and a former student officer friend opened the door. He greeted me kindly and I began to feel better. Soon he took me in his arms and carried me out to his car. We finally landed in front of a small building located in a corral. We went in and I knew I was in the presence of the Post Veterinarian. Instead of approaching me with a gun he had a small looking instrument in his hand about as large as a chicken bone. I felt a slight prick in my skin about like the prick made by one of these pesky fleas. Then I was put down and the veterinarian said, 'Well, Calc, old boy, you can go on your way rejoicing now.' Well, I didn't even wait for a ride but I beat it down to the Fat Butcher to tell him about it and he gave me a big bone. Now I'm going to tell Gray Squirrel. Just take it from me, bo, things have certainly brightened for me."

Thus saying he went hopping off while the Great Dane remarked, "The lucky little devil."

No news for the 29th and 24th Infantry have been printed this week. The copy has been set in type; but due to the long list of matter published for the benefit of student officers, it was found that not sufficient room was left for both Infantry Regiments.

Both stories will be saved by the editor and placed in the Special Infantry Anniversary number which follows this issue.

—THE EDITOR.

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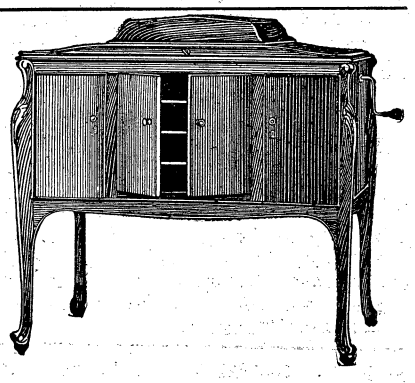

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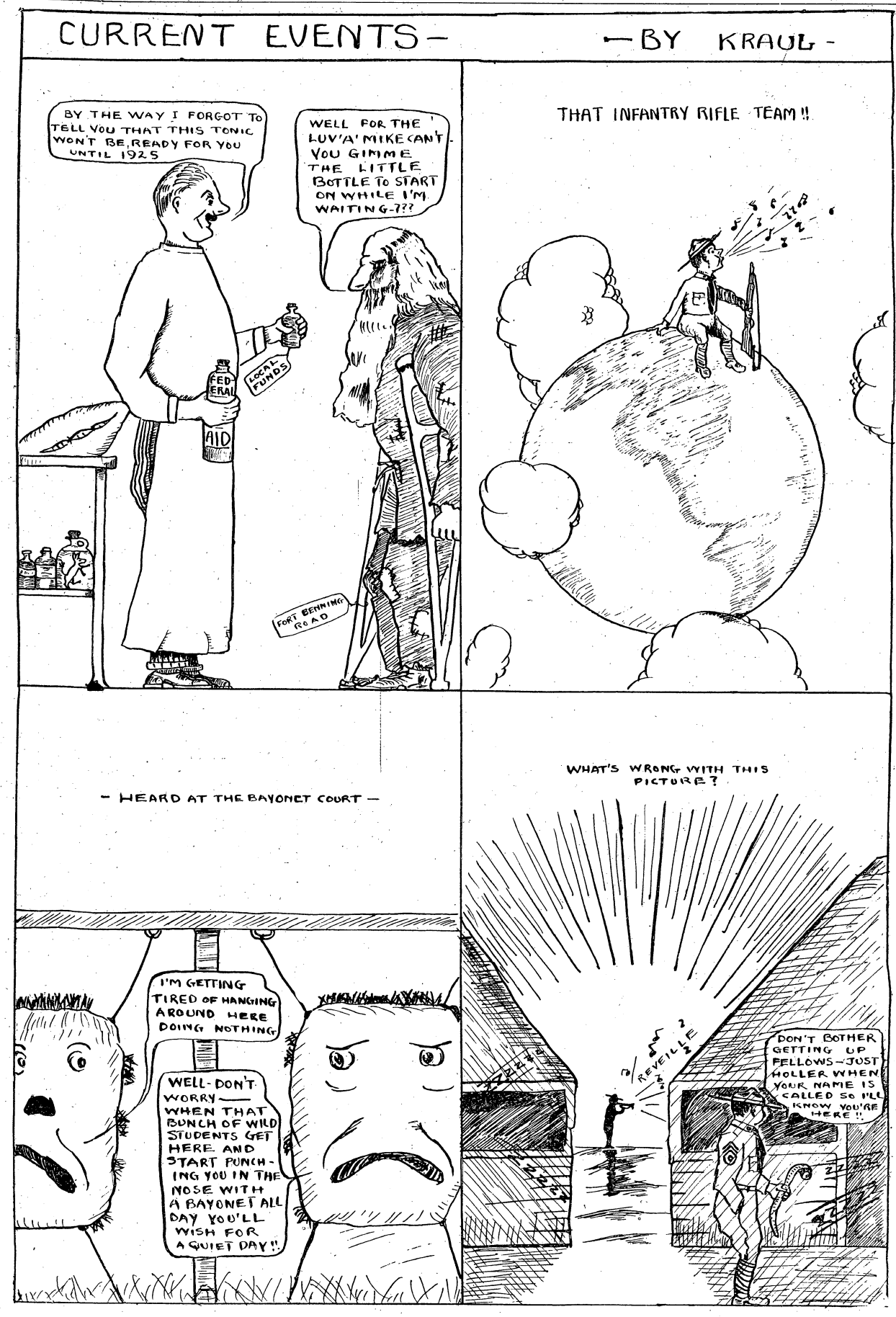
WANTED—Players for a polo team. Must be student officer or permanent personnel not assigned to any organization. Bolsheviks preferred. Mounts of this team in fairly good condition. Orderly dues $3.00 per month per member. Players are requested to list their names with the Infantry School News.




### YOU ARMY OFFICERS!

One day, we felt tired and blue and hungry; so we started roaming about town to cheer up. Soft strains of music floated faintly towards our ears; and to the source we directed our steps. The strains grew sweeter as they became more audible—and then the Ralston Hotel loomed up into view. A comfortable easy chair was our next resort; and into it we sank, drinking in the soothing song, at peace with the world.

The music ceased; and since we were newcomers to Columbus, that lonesome feeling got us again. We started to cast around in search of someone with whom we had something in common—when, lo and behold, there in the lobby were Army Officers galore! We met several old acquaintances and sat ourselves down to supper and reminisced.

Music was in the air again; and while listening to the song, our minds traversed the years to the jolly times we had together. By this time, we felt refreshed; that tired and blue feeling entirely disappeared; and our hunger most delightfully satiated by the choice Frenchy dishes. Without the least compunction, we registered at the Ralston—the Army Hotel.

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## THE THIRD INFANTRY

**Ice-Hockey, as played outdoors by the 3rd Infantry at Fort Snelling, Minnesota.**

(Continued from page 1)

United States. The Third Infantry was organized in 1784, seven years prior to the formation of any other Infantry regiment, under a resolve of Congress, June 3, 1784. In 1789, it was designated as the regiment of Infantry; as the First Infantry upon the organization of another regiment in 1791; as the Infantry of the First Sub-Legion in 1792; and again as the First Infantry in 1796. In 1815 it was consolidated with the Fifth, Seventeenth, Nineteenth, and Twenty-eighth regiments and its designation was changed to the Third Infantry and has so remained until the present time.

On September 11, 1792, Major General Anthony Wayne, Commander-in-Chief, gave each sub-legion a distinctive mark, that of the present Third Infantry being: "Yellow bindings to their caps, yellow plumes and black hair." The regimental colors today are buff and black, and the regiment's distinctive insignia is known as the "Buff Strap," which consists of a black strap, one half inch in width, with one fourth inch buff strap interwoven. The insignia is worn with the service coat and overcoat by passing it under the strap on the shoulder of the coat and around the sleeve, following the junction of the sleeve and the body of the coat, where it is fastened.

The regiment served with distinction in every war, except the World War, and was one of the pioneers in subdueing the Indians and opening up the great west. In 1794, under "Mad" Anthony Wayne, the Third campaigned against the Indians on the Northwest frontier, and participated in the battle of Fort Recovery, Ohio, June 30, 1794.

During the war of 1812 the headquarters of the regiment was at New Orleans in the 7th Military District It later took active part in the campaign against the Creek Indians, beginning with the massacre of Fort Mims, August 30, 1813, and ending with the bloody battle of Horse Shoe Bend, March 25, 1814, where General Jackson proved his worth as a military leader and at the same time broke the power of the Creeks.

The next 12 years saw the Third Infantry garrisoning posts along the frontier. Later, it participated in the Indian wars in Florida, and many of its officers were brevetted for gallant service. The Third constructed two of our present army posts, Jefferson Barracks in 1826 and Fort Leavenworth in 1827. The Indian Territory was the scene of the regiment's activity from 1831 to 1841, where they were kept busy in overcoming the Choctaw Indians.

### Sept. 21st is Organization Day

The Third Infantry engaged with the Mexicans on May 8 and 9, 1846, at the battles of Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma, and later added the following battles to its growing list: Vera Cruz, Monterey, Cerro Gordo, Plan del Rio, San Antonio, Contreras. Churubusco. Chapultepec and Mexico City. In the battle of Monterey, September 21, 1846, it was the Third Infantry that penetrated the city by piercing the walls of buildings. Because of this exploit, September 21 has become the "Organization Day" of the regiment.

In the battle leading up to the capture of Mexico City, General Twigg's division, of which the Third Infantry formed a part, was given the task of capturing the citadel; and in the assault upon this position the gallant "Buff Stocks" a name by which the regiment was universally known on account of its clean, soldierly appearance at all times, gained additional fame. General Scott's own words tell the best story of the assault: "Finally, twenty minutes after the tete de pont had been carried by Worth and Pillow, and at the end of a desperate conflict of two hours and a half, the church or convent—the citadel of the strong line of defense along the rivulet of Churubusco, yielded to Twigg's division and threw out on all sides signals of surrender. The white flags, however, were not exhibited until the moment when the Third Infantry, under Captain Alexander, had cleared the way by fire and bayonet, and had entered the works. Captains J. M. Smith and O. L. Shepherd, both of that regiment, with their companies, had the glory of leading the assault. The former received the surrender, and Captain Alexander instantly hung out from the balcony the colors of the gallant Third."

The Mexican officer in command at this point in his report states: "The first to present himself upon the parapet was the valiant Captain J. M. Smith, of the Third Infantry, who gave an example of valor to many following him; and no less magnanimous than daring, for scarcely had he ascertained that now, on our part, no resistance was made, than he showed a white flag."

### Hats off to "The Old Guard."

Because of her gallant part in the capture of Mexico City, the Third Infantry was assigned by General Scott to head the triumphant army as it entered Mexico City on the morning of September 14, 1847; and as the regiment passed in review, General Scott turned to his staff and said: "Gentlemen, take off your hats to the Old Guard of the Army."

And also, because of a special commendation for brilliant work with the bayonet, the regiment today always marches in review with bayonets fixed.

There is now in possession of the regiment, a Drum Major's baton, presented to it by its old brigade commander, General Persifer F. Smith, following the capture of Mexico City. The wooden part of the baton is the upper part of the flag staff of the capitol, or national palace, of Mexico, and the metal portion is made of Mexican silver. It bears an appropriate inscription in which is recorded the story of the Third Infantry's historical entry into Mexico City.

The baton, known to the regiment as the "Buff Stick," is a much coveted prize in the Third Infantry and the competition between companies for its possession is keen at all times. It is awarded monthly to the company which, during the preceding month, "has maintained the highest standard in formations, ceremonies, equipment, uniform and personal appearance, and military bearing of its members."

The first sergeant of the companies which has possession of the "Buff Stock" carries it at all ceremonies which the company attends, and the company is placed on the right of the line. The bearer of the "Buff Stock" marches one pace to the left of the company commander.

### "An Incomparable Body of Infantry"

The Third Infantry was in action thruout the Civil War, participating in the battle of Bull Run, Gains Mill, Malvern Hill, the second Bull Run, Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, and Appomatox Court House. After the battle of Bull Run, General Porter commended the Third Infantry as follows: "This small but incomparable body of Infantry by its gallant conduct in this first great battle of the war, its unflinching steadfastness and perfect order in covering the flight of the panic stricken army, saved the Union Army and was but a presage of that which was to distinguish it thruout the war."

Following the battle of Bull Run the Third Infantry was reviewed in Washington by President Lincoln and General McDowell. As they rode down the line, General McDowell drew rein in front of the colors and said: "Mr. President, these are the men who saved your army at Bull Run." The President, looking up and down the line, replied: "Yes, I have heard of them."

In the Spanish-American War the Third Infantry participated in the battle of El Caney and the final siege and capture of Santiago. During the Philippine Insurrection which followed the Third Infantry added 50 engagements to its list.

In 1917 the Machine Gun Company and one troop of Cavalry crossed the Rio Grande in pursuit of bandits who had raided the Indio Ranch, 18 miles below Earle Pass, Texas. They engaged the bandits 20 miles south of the border, in Mexico, and killed 36, without any casualties to themselves.

### Back at Fort Snelling.

The Third Infantry returned to Ft. Snelling, Minn. its present and home station, in 1921, absorbed a dozen officers and 150 men of the 49th Infantry and began building, under the guiding hand of Colonel A. W. Bjornstad, the present highly efficient organization which has passed the inspections of high ranking officers with colors flying. Said General W. A. Holbrook, Chief of Cavalry, in 1922: "It (The Third Infantry) isn't a fair sample; it's a top-notcher." The many inspections of the Third Infantry during 1922 and 1923, by War Department and Corps Area officials, and the Corps Area Commander, have resulted in something never heretofore witnessed in our army. It is this: each of these inspectors and they total about 12) has stated officially, concerning the Third Infantry and Ft. Snelling: "It is the best I have seen during my service," or words of exactly that purport.

So the Third Infantry is a "top-notcher" and yet it strives constantly to be better. With its creditable history behind it, a brief resume of which has already been given, the personnel, has a well defined goal. The regiment reached full strength shortly after restored to its place as a combat regiment. Regiments are obtained for the Third Infantry, not by picturing an easy, idle life for the soldier, but by telling them that they will have to work and work hard, but that in so doing, their rewards are the greater.

The Training Program, designed and perfected by Colonel Bjornstad, leaves no loop hole for inefficiency in any subject which the soldier should know. Requirements for officers, sergeants, corporals, and privates are proportionate. A certain standard is required of each member of the regiment. That standard is often exceeded, but nothing less will do. Frequent and regularly scheduled training inspections take care of all details and insure the standard.

Sports, both summer and winter, are divided into two classes, compulsory and voluntary. Every man must select one sport during each season, which then becomes compulsory for him, while he may engage in as many voluntary games as time permits. Baseball, track, hand ball, and trap ball occupy the summer period with a fullness; while the winter season insures all the thrills of winter sports. Ice hockey, skiing, curling, skating and basketball, with company teams competing for valuable cups, keep the interest of every man thoroughly alive.

### Winter Training Activities.

No does the training of the regiment lag because the snow flies. The regiment is completely equipped with snow shoes and skiis. One Pounders, Stokes Mortars and machine guns are mounted on sleds and the training continues at the same pace as when the snow is gone. The Commanding Officer's conception of a regiment stationed in this section of the country is that it should be able to maneuver and fight at any season of the year. The Third Infantry can and does maneuver. The regiment can, without doubt, move faster over the snow covered surface of the state than any other body of men in Minnesota.

The spirit de corps of the Third Infantry is par excellence. It is a spirit which has been 140 years in the making. Every man in the regiment, from the Commanding Officer to the newest recruit, is imbued with it; it can't be escaped. It is manifested thru the personal appearance of the men, in and out of ranks, by their snap and precision at drill and parades and by their avidity for schoaling. It is a tailor-made regiment, with its own uniform factory and leather factory. It finds its living embodiment in the present Commanding Officer, Colonel Bjornstad, who represents to the Officers and men of the regiment the highest example of soldier appearance, smartness, and square dealing. What Colonel Bjornstad desires done, is done, not as a result of his orders, but because no officer or enlisted man would violate the spirit of the Third Infantry.

Its spirit is as fine today as it was in April, 1861, when the Third Infantry, in evacuating Texas, passed by way of San Antonio. As the mighty war clouds were gathering and gradually lowering, there was apprehension among some officers of the army that there might be trouble in marching through San Antonio, some advising that the regiment go around the town. "However, the old regiment was not in the habit of sneaking around by the by-ways when the main road was open." A council of the ofifcers was called and without a dissenting voice, it was determined "that all the trucks and boxes should be opened, and full dress uniforms gotten out and put on, band instruments unpacked, and the regimental flags removed from their cases." It is recounted in the regimental history that the leeward side of each wagon became an extemporized dressing room. Later the regiment entered and passed through the town with "colors flying, band playing, drum major nearly turning himself inside out with the baton, and every man and officer as fine as brass and bullion could make him."

That same spirit pervades the Third Infantry today.

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## HOMES FOR STUDENT OFFICERS

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Three large connecting rooms, furnished, private dressing room and combination bath; garage for lease next door; $60p er month, unfurnished, $50 per month. Mrs. T. W. Howard, 1127 2nd Ave.

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| 521 1st Ave. 10 rooms two baths | 65.00 |
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| 411 11th St. | 75.00 |
| 313 12th St. | 70.00 |
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| 514 11th St. | 35 00 |
| 415 14th St. | 30.00 |
| 411 14th St. | 45.00 |
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| 525 25th St. | 45.00 |
| 531 31st St. | 35.00 |

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## ARMY REMOUNT SERVICE PRESENTED WITH THIRTY-SIX THOROUGHBRED HORSES

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M. Baldwin, owner of the Santa Anita ranch, in southern California, and daughter of the late "Lucky" Baldwin, has presented thirty-six thoroughbred horses to the Army. This is in addition to a gift of thirteen thoroughbred stallions and mares last spring.

These animals consist of one thoroughbred stallion, eleven thoroughbred mares; three thoroughbred fillies; eleven thoroughbred yearlings; and ten thoroughbred weanling colts. All of them are now on the way to the Quartermaster Branch Intermediate Depot, at Fort Reno, Oklahoma; where they will prove a valuable addition to the stock which is being bred with the idea of improving the quality of light horses as used by farmers and breeders thruout the United States.

The Office of the Quartermaster General has expressed itself as being highly pleased at this new indication of the increasing interest of stock raisers in the horse-breeding activities of the Army.

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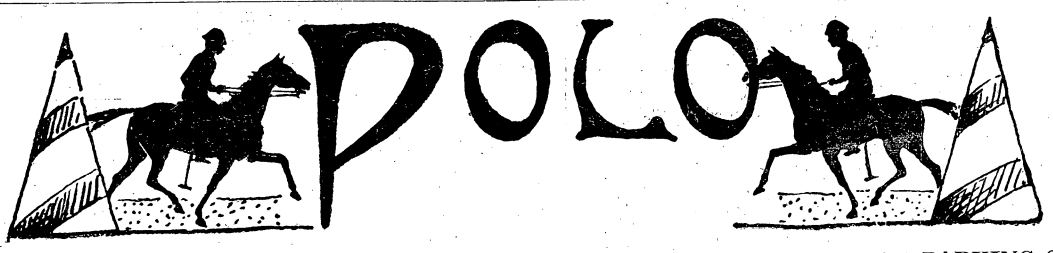


## INTERNATIONAL POLO

Announcement that Major General Robert Lee Bullard would act as manager of the United States Army polo team in its matches with the British Army polo team definitely establishes the first international military polo matches ever held and a sporting event of first magnitude.

That the British attach equal importance to this sporting venture is attested by the fact that they have designated a lieutenant general of the British army to come over as manager of their polo team. He is no less a distinguished person than Sir Beauvoir de Lisle, K. C. B., K. C. M. G., D. S. O., who is the senior British army officer enrolled in the Hurlingham Polo club.

In the correspondence arranging the matches, between General Pershing and the General, The Earl of Cavan, Chief of Staff of the British Army, the desire to sacrifice every other consideration, if need be, for pure sportsmanship was particularly emphasized. In accepting General Pershing's invitation to send over a team Lord Cavan said in part: "I am anxious that this matter should set an example to all the world for clean sportmanship. I therefore, strongly advocate (1) that the teams be strictly confined to officers on the active list of our regular forces, and (2) that the ponies should be the bona fide property of the officer on the active list of the Regular Army, or the actual property of the War Department. This I think should preclude any borrowing or temporary acquiring of international ponies by either side. What we both want I am sure is a fair and square match between our respective Army officers with their own resources. We all very deeply appreciate the generosity of your offer, and keenly welcome such an opportunity of inaugurating under your lead a competition that should tend to make our respective soldiers even more friendly and intimate than they are already."

A great deal besides the outcome of a polo match will be in the minds of the players and spectators when the British and American Army teams fight it out for the military championship of the world at Meadowbrook next September. This match, the first international Army polo tournament ever played in the United States, is hoped by American enthusiasts to be the first of an annual series. Such a match each year would become as classic as any sporting event in the world.

Each team wants to win and will put forth its best efforts to do so but the winning of the match and the title that goes with it is but incidental. No matter which colors are victorious, an exhibiton of clean sportsmanship and of keen and friendly competition between soldiers playing a real warriors' game will have taken place that will go far towards increasing the mutual respect, admiration and intimate friendship which exists between the two forces.—U. S. Army Recruiting News.

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## ARMY FOUR DEFEATS BRYN MAWR BY 8-2

Naragansett Pier, R. I., Aug. 13.—In a second round match at the Point Judith Country Club this afternoon for the twelve-goal championship the Junior United States Army team defeated Bryn Mawr by 8 to 2.

The Army team gained an advance almost at the start when four minutes after the beginning of play in the first period Lieutenant Donaldson scored, getting the ball on the throw. In another flash of brilliant play later in the period he scored again.

The Army four scored in every period thereafter except in the fourth, when Bryn Mawr showed its best defensive play of the match. The only tallies for Bryn Mawr were scored by Charles Leonard and J. W. Converse.

In an accident toward the end of the game, W. P. Hurlburt's mount broke a leg. It was the second pony he has lost this season.

The line-up:

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|---|---|
| U. S. Army (8) | |
| Lt. T. Q. Donaldson | 1 |
| Lt. C. C. Jadwin | 2 |
| Maj. T. Allen | 3 |
| Maj. R. E. D. Hoyle | Back |
| Bryan Mawr (2) | |
| Julian B. Huff | 1 |
| C. R. Leonard | 2 |
| J. W. Converse | 3 |
| W. P. Hurlburt | Back |

Goals earned—By Army 8, by handicap 0; total 8. By Bryn Mawr 2, by handicap 0; total 2.

Individual goals—Donaldson (4), Jadwin (3), Allen, Leonard, Converse.

Referee—Gerald D. Moppey.

## PENLLYN QUARTET WINS POLO TITLE

### Defeats Army Second Team In Twelve Goal Event At Narragansett

Narragansett Pier, R. I., Aug. 16.—The Penllyn polo team won the twelve goal championship tournament here today when the Philadelphia quartet defeated the Army second team in a lively contest, 8 goals to 6. In the junior tourney the Army's first junior team triumphed over the Orange County four, 13 goals to 7.

For a time it appeared that the Army might triumph, but so clever was the team play of Penllyn, so good was the stick work and so strong the rallying power that although the score was even a half time and again later in the game the Quakers were the stronger finishers and were entitled to victory.

In the junior event the Army with its new formation accomplished their goal in that the soldiers put the pressure on their foemen from the sound of the first gong, piled up the score and in some cases overmatched the Orange County mounts.

It was plain that the men from Arden were a little short of work and shy of the necessary combination play. The individual brilliance to make a close fight of it was in evidence from time to time and toward the close the soldiers were not riding as hard or hitting as clearly as in the early stages, but the finding of positions was not lacking and it was on this rock that the wave of the Orange attack and defense broke. These two critical battles drew the largest crowd of the season.

The lineups:

**Penllyn vs. Army**

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|---|---|
| Penllyn (8) | |
| George H. Earle | No. 1 |
| Albert H. Smith | No. 2 |
| Barclay McFadden | No. 3 |
| Morric L. Dixon | Back |
| Army 2d Team (6) | |
| Lt. T. Q. Donaldson | No. 1 |
| Lt. C. C. Jadwin | No. 2 |
| Major Terry Allen | No. 3 |
| Major R. E. DeR. Hoyle | Back |

## RESERVED PARKING SPACE

On Pike Field, parking space has been reserved as follows:

From the Tea House to the Band Stand. (the entire space).

1. Commanding General.
2. Post Executive Officer.
3 Assistant Commandant.
4 Athletic Director.
5 C. O. 29th Infantry.
6 C. O. 24th Infantry.
7 C. O. 83rd F. A.
8 C. O. 15 Tank Bn.

From the Tea House, North, in the order named:

9 Asst. Executive.
10 Adjutant.
11 Quartermaster.
12 Surgeon.
13 Enquirer-Sun.
14 Ledger.

On Shannon Field, reservations will likewise be made from the Club House, along hedge, west, in numerical order.

These spaces will be held open at all times for the official designated.

It is not necessary that the officials for whom space is reserved arrive early in order to be assured of their parking space.

The practice of others using these parking spaces when not occupied by the official for whom reserved, will be discontinued.

Cars may be parked anywhere else around the entire field on a line with the small embankment thrown up, except that a space must be left, in front of and ten feet on either side of the score board on the east side of the field. This later space is necessary for players to reach the picket lines.

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## SCHOOL COURSE OUTLINED

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Infantry Weapons, Jan. 11th.

The Battalion, Bn. Hq. & Hq. Company, Jan. 11th (conference and demonstration.

Verbal Orders, Jan. 22nd (conference and map exercise).

The Defense — Organization of Ground & Deployment, Jan. 23rd.

The Rifle Company in Defense, Jan. 24.

Machine Guns in Defense, Jan. 25th.

Howitzer Company in Defense, Jan. 28th.

Profiles and Traces, Jan. 30th.

Obstacles, Jan. 30th.

Functioning Bn. Hq. & Hq. Co., Feb. 5th (conference and demonstration).

Tactical use of tanks, Feb. 7th.

Messengers, liaison officers and agents, Feb. 12th.

The battalion in defense, Feb. 19th.

The regiment and regimental Hq., Feb. 25th (conference and demonstration).

Acquisition and Distribution—Interpretation Enemy Information, Feb. 26th.

Functioning of Intelligence Units of Infantry Organization, Feb. 26th.

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The Brigade, Brigade Hq., and Hq. Co., March 4th (conference and demonstration).

Offensive Combat, Deployment Prior to Attack, March 7th.

The Rifle Company in Attack, March 7th.

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# SPORTS

## SEBUKATY LOSES AT FT. BRAGG

### Puts Up Good Fight; Highly Commended.

The following extracts from the Fayetteville (N. C.) Observer describe the fight last Friday, the 17th, between Sebukaty, middleweight champion of the Fourth Corps Area and Numbers, the Fort Bragg crack middleweight:

"King Numorovich!

"The days of King Tut have about passed and a new potentate arises to demand the full blast of the spotlight. At least, insofar as Fort Bragg is concerned this may be true. If this community were suddenly to establish a monarchy, Numorovich, or Kid Numbers to make it easier, would certainly be crowned king. Last night he was "crowned" any number of times by Kid Subby, middleweight champion of the Fourth Corps Area, and idol of the Doughboy fans at Fort Benning, Ga. Seven hundred wild-eyed fans exhorted the faithful Numbers to stay with the fighting infantry school champion for the full eight rounds, nobody seeming to have the temerity of asking for a victory. Nobody but a superman could seemingly have withstood those left hand blows landed at most at will by the husky Subby in the first four rounds. Numbers absorbed everything Subby had and kept peppering away with a left jab, ignoring his right completely.

After the fourth round, Numbers responded to the appeal of his seconds and started to use a wicked right cross. It could be seen that Subby was feeling the effects of the practice. The Benning scrapper coaxed the 17th Field Artilleryman into close quarters time and again and rocked him with a left and right barrage that seemed destined to speedily put the local man away. Beginning with the fifth round the tide turned and Numbers' chances began to improve. The eighth and last round was the most exciting event ever seen on the local stage, to be conservative. With the fight safely won on points by a tremendous margin, Kid Subby refused to dance the three minutes away and went after Numbers with the apparent determination of putting him out of the way. Numbers kept as cool as a cucumber and gave back as much and more. With a minute to go he socked that right cross to Subby's jaw and sent him groggy to the ropes. Three times in the next few seconds Subby flopped to the door. If he could only stand on his feet for 20 seconds more the fight would be his. Numbers, sensing the situation followed up and for the fourth time dropped Subby. This time the stocky champion failed to arise at the count of 10 and had to be carried from the ring. The bout was over with but five seconds to go before the final bell. Numbers is a hero today and is mighty proud of a cauliflower ear, his first.

We can not blame Fort Bragg for being elated over the outcome of this bout. Last year in the Fourth Corps Area tournament their man did not put up much of a showing against Sebukaty and the Bragg boxing team as a whole carried off few honors. We congratulate Fort Bragg on the splendid showing made by Numbers in his fight with Sebukaty and we predict that when these two men meet again in the Fourth Corps Area Tournament this year that there will be a real fight.

Notwithstanding the fact that Sebukaty lost his bout last Friday night his reputaion as a clean figher who plays the game and gives the fans their due share of excitement has not been hurt. In this connection extracts from a letter from the Recreation Officer, Fort Bragg, are printed herewith.

"Sgt. Sebukaty is to be commended for the splendid impression made here. **I feel safe in declaring that his general attitude and deportment was a boost for the Infantry.** He made a number of friends before the bout and about 500 more during the match. What kept our hero Kid Numbers (Formerly Pvt. John Numorovich) on his feet the first five rounds is more than one can tell. We are still talking about those smashing lefts. As Sgt. Sebukaty told me afterward, his artillery opponent is a greatly improved boxer. We think we have a good chance in the tournament this year, but regret to hear that our Benning friends of 1922 will not be in the race."

## COLUMBUS OFFERS PRIVILEGES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

### Officers And Enlisted Men And Families Invited To Make Visit

As further evidence of the cordial relations existing between the civilian and military personnel of this vicinity an invitation has been issued by the Superintendent of Public Schools of Columbus to the officers and enlisted men of this command, with their families, to make use of the Public Library in Columbus.

The following notice to this effect has been received by the News:

"The Officers and Enlisted men of Fort Benning, and the wives and children of these, are invited to share with the citizens of Columbus all of the privileges which the Public Library has to offer. The book collection of this library, built up for the pleasure and profit of the general reader, very often meets satisfactorily the need of the student of special subjects as well.

The library is open every day from 9 a. m. until 7 p. m. except on Sunday, when the hours are 3 p. m. to 6 p. m. Only on December 25th is this institution closed all day to the public.

The children's room is an unusually beautiful one and particular attention is given the reading of young people."

## ENROLLMENT OF APPLICANTS FOR CITIZENS' MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS

Congress appropriated $2,000,000 for the purpose of training camps this year. Based upon the estimated cost of the training per individual it was calculated that the above amount would provide training for slightly over 28,000. However, in view of the importance of, and the demand for this training, the War Department has undertaken by means of enforced economy to stretch the above figure to 30,000.

Up to the close of business on Saturday last, the accepted applicants totaled 34,500.

The demand among the youth of the country for this training appears to have been greatest in the Fourth, Fifth and Second Corps Areas. The Fourth Corps Area includes those states south of Virginia and Kentucky, and east of the Mississippi, and in addition thereto, the State of Louisiana. The Fifth Corps Area comprises Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, and Kentucky, while the Second Corps Area is made up of New York, New Jersey and Delaware. The applicants in those three Corps Areas alone total 15,000 or approximately 50 per cent of the total number for which Congress made appropriation.

The demand for training was smallest in the First Corps Area, which is made up of the New England States.

## Finance Detachment Notes

Things are still humming in the Finance Office which is ample proof that we are still on the job.

Mr. Robert Casper, formerly of Ft. Benning, Ga., was a pleasant visitor to the Detachment Sunday afternoon.

We wonder why Tillerson insists on touring Columbus with a U-drive-it every time he goes to town. Watson says it is for the sole purpose of showing his bald head.

Mrs. Robert Kenney, wife of our 'Top-Hick,' is improving after several days of illness. The detachment wishes her a speedy recovery.

The best stunt in the office for some time was pulled by Barker last week when he became endowed with the idea of giving 132 miles from Camp Benning to Ft. Benning in figuring the final pay of a soldier. We always knew George had a warm spot in his heart for the enlisted men.

"Al" White of this office was the glad recipient of an invitation out to dinner last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Porters of Columbus, Ga. After dinner "Al" had the pleasure of showing the Camp to Mrs. Porter as seen by lamp-light.

Who is the happiest man in the detachment? Stokes with his dog Garlic. Stokes can be seen any evening, with his dawg Garlic, strolling around the reservation in happy anticipation of the time when he can once more get out his trusty rifle and hunt for the birds that he never finds.

## LETTER FROM GEN. GOURAUD

### Conveys Expressions of Gratitude to Commanding Officer and Other Officers

The following letter from General Gouraud, French Army, has been received by General Gordon and is published herewith:

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Fort Benning, Ga.

My dear Gen. Gordon—I wish to take the first opportunity of thanking you for your courtesy in calling on me while my train was passing through Columbus, Georgia. This thoughtful attention was appreciated deeply by me.

Will you also convey my expression of gratitude to the officers who accompanied you—Maj. Dinsmore, Capt. Allen and Lieut. Honnen.

Please accept my appreciation for the 1923 Year Book of Fort Benning, which I look forward to reading with much interest.

I hope to have the pleasure of seeing you some time in the future.

Very sincerely yours,
(Signed) GOURAUD.

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