

# OFFICERS' PAGE

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## LOSE GOOD FRIEND

### GOES TO DETROIT.

It was with the deepest regret that the members of the hospital personnel bade farewell to Major Phillip A. Sheaff, former assistant to the commanding officer, as he departed for U. S. A. General Hospital No. 36 at Detroit, Mich.

Major Sheaff was one of the oldest members of the hospital staff, having come to this station more than a year ago, on October 31, 1917, to be explicit, with the rank of first lieutenant. At that time he had charge of one of the lower wards in "B" row. Early in 1918 he became assistant to the adjutant and on February 25 was promoted to the grade of captain. He acted in this capacity until July, when he accepted the position of adjutant for the hospital, with the appointment of Lieut.-Col. George A. Renn, then Major Renn, to commanding officer. On August 7, 1918, he became assistant to Lieut.-Col. Renn and remained in that position of authority until his recent transfer. He was appointed major on October 4, 1918.

### ACCOMPANIES MAJOR.

Lieutenant William E. Smith, formerly of the medical service, has been transferred from this station to U. S. Army General Hospital No. 36, near Detroit, Mich.

### ARRIVE FOR DUTY.

Lieut. Arthur Guerra, M. C., arrived here Monday from New Haven, Conn., and has been assigned to the laboratory for duty. Lieut. Louis Marcou of Maine is another recent arrival and has been attached to the surgical staff, as was also Lieut. Charles W. Demong, who is now connected with Ward C-5.

### THE M. T. C. INSIGNIA.

The winged hat shown on the new M. T. C. collar insignia is the classical broad brimmed Petasus, as worn by the Greek God Hermes (Mercury), the God of roads and also the swift and sure messenger of the Gods. The wheel on which the winged hat is superimposed is symbolic of power. In this case of course, it represents the power as found in the motor vehicles.

Somebody, by the way, has said that the man who first invented the wheel did more for civilization than any other person, a statement that affords some room for thought.

## TOYS AND NOVELTIES

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## VISIT OTEEN.

It was a mirthful occasion, when a small party of Camp Greene officers found its way to Oteen, N. C., and visited over Saturday and Sunday, January 11 and 12, 1919, former Camp Greene base hospital nurses.

The most beautiful location of U. S. General Hospital No. 19, plus the attractiveness of their Red Cross building and the cozy Laurel Tea-House added indeed to make the occasion most joyful.

Through the gratefulness of Miss Standish, the chief nurse, the doors of the Red Cross building were flung wide open for the exclusive use of the happy party.

The Laurel Tea-House is a log structure in which the most delicious meals are served. It is located on the hospital grounds. The interior of this cabin, with its spacious artistic fireplace and the rustic furnishings of unparalleled beauty, presents the sort of place in which the "linger-long" feeling seizes one in spite of all other desires, which were indeed most conspicuous by their absence.

## THREE OFFICERS DISCHARGED.

The latest decrease in the personnel of the U. S. A. base hospital was made by the discharge of three lieutenants, Wilfred McGurl of the medical service; Byron Daniel of the X-ray department, and Henry Thomas, anaesthetist, of the operating room.

## ACCOMPANY PATIENT.

Sergeant First-Class William Yates and Sergeant John Martin are absent from the detachment on detached service as they have been detailed to accompany a convalescing patient to Fort McPherson.

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	Sweetbread Croquettes with Green Peas	
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Selwyn Punch		Fruit Salad
Mince or Apple Pie		Ice Cream and Cake
Tea	Coffee	Milk
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