

BUSY WEEK FOR STAFF AT BUILDING NO. 106

Numerous Events Were on the Program—Physical Director to Enter Air Service.

This week at building No. 104 has been an unusually busy one... The educational work has rounded out its corner in the week's program.

Mr. Bryant's last week with us was his most successful one... Mr. Bryant's last week with us was his most successful one.

Our last night was the best this year that it has ever been... Mr. Bryant certainly set the pace for us in directing this part of our program.

Although we have no religious secretary here, this work is well taken care of in all its details... Mr. Bryant certainly set the pace for us in directing this part of our program.

On Thursday, the 15th, Dr. P. M. McDowell spoke at our weekly service... He emphasized the love of God and the obligation that it places upon us.

Mr. Knowlton, educational director, plans to organize a Bible class... The purpose of this class is three-fold. First, by actual study of the Bible...

March to outdoors by quiet deeds of love rather than loud meaningless words... To sum it all up in a few words, it will be a plain, snappy, common sense affair for red-blooded men who wish to live a straight life.

CLASS FOR MEN OF FOREIGN BIRTH English Is Being Taught at All Y. M. C. A. Buildings at Camp Greene.

Classes in English for the benefit of soldiers of foreign birth are being organized in connection with all of the Y. M. C. A. buildings.

In one regiment, for example, there are about 50 men who are prevented from becoming efficient soldiers only by their lack of good understanding of the English language.

There will be three or more grades, the first being for beginners who can hardly understand English; an intermediate grade, and a more advanced grade in which civics will be taught.

Volunteer teachers from among the officers and enlisted men are earnestly desired. Here's a chance to render a real service to your fellowman who hasn't lived long in this country, but wish to become a good American citizen and soldier.

The Y. M. C. A. stands always ready to help the man who understands English poorly, but wants to reach an intelligent American.

"M" COMPANY, 39TH

A lot has been said about what a good town Syracuse was, and what a good trainer Colonel Bell is... Private Porter came to the conclusion that it is a nice little city.

Some recruits talk so much about K. P. being hard, but Private Song swears it's a picnic.

It is reported that the "M" has some trouble in getting natural comedians for their shows... The secretaries would come around some mornings to watch some of the "M" boys go through that early exercise.

The first class privates have taken quite a fancy to wearing their chevrons. This is for the information of the friends who do not know that they are expert riflemen, we suppose.

CO. L. 38TH INFANTRY

The boys of Co. L. are still drilling for the range and expect to go there soon... Private Fuller, who hurt his hand last week, is better and drilling again.

SOLDIERS CANVASS FOR BIG Y. M. C. A. MAR MARY FUND

Fifty Non-Commissioned Officers Join City Workers in Going After Subscriptions.

Much favorable comment has been occasioned in Charlotte by the service of 50 non-commissioned officers of the regulars stationed at Camp Greene to solicit in connection with the campaign to raise a fund of \$35,000,000 in the United States for the use of the Y. M. C. A. among the soldiers in camp and field.

On Friday Col. T. L. Kirkpatrick, chairman of the county executive committee, visited Col. F. E. Jones, commander of Camp Greene, and asked if it were possible to secure the services of a few non-commissioned officers for Saturday afternoon.

At the close of the session of the canvassers at the Y. M. C. A. building in the city it was voted unanimously to promote the commanders of the two teams first proposed to "captain."

When the matter was laid before the commander of the camp, he readily agreed to direct that these men be relieved from military duty all of Monday, so that they might assist in winding up the campaign.

The men at work in the city for greens and a number of pleasant friendships among the men and the residents of Charlotte.

SPECIAL WORK AT CAMP STARTS TODAY

Specialty work starts "with a bang" at Camp Greene this morning, said Captain Unger, adjutant of the forty-seventh infantry, yesterday.

Practice in the use of the bayonet will be continued. Some battalions during the week will take the small arms firing course at the range, ten miles from the camp.

PROMOTIONS MADE IN "E" COMPANY, 39TH

After much coaxing, Sergeant Knox was the soloist at a party down town last week. He sang "Good-bye Broadway, Hello France," and "I'm Going Back to Mexico" with a single belt would make Caruso feel like Sauer Kraut.

It is always the case that the sergeants get the first dope or privates, and that is just what the three sergeants who stacked arms in the file closets the other day had gotten. At least, the men in ranks haven't been instructed in the new stack yet, so the trio was away ahead on this.

Private Cornell and Johansen have been transferred to the remount station. Looks like the remount gets most anything these days.

Private Daly, of the second squad, has set up a bureau of information. He's doing a good business, too.

As pay day draws near, "black jacks" hang over the company. Corporal Gatin, the company clerk, is still exerting himself very little. It has been some six months since this chap fell in.

AMATEUR CIRCUS AT RED TRIANGLE TENT

Attractive Program Is Being Arranged for Next Friday Evening.

The big attraction for the week is the amateur circus to be given at the large Red Triangle tent in the rear of the camp postoffice, Friday evening, November 23, at 7:30 o'clock.

There will be slack wire performers, aerobats, fancy club swimming, parallel bar work, human pyramids. There will also be the usual funny clowns.

FROM "C" COMPANY THIRTY-NINTH INFY.

Lieutenant Gluckman deserves praise for the good work he did on the "dummies" and trenches down by the hospital. These affairs are his chance to demonstrate what we can do when it comes to going "over the top," and if we are not mistaken, "C" company will be expert in this by the time they get "over there."

Our new cook, "Burnwater" Wickman, scalded his foot Sunday. All the fellows hope it is not serious, because they want him to come back and make some more of his high drinks and fancy goods.

The boys of the company extend their hearty thanks to the "Y" men for what they are doing for them here.

Little Willie Chambers is going to donate Corporal McGrath a brand new tiempet.

Private Angell would like to challenge any man in this "neck of the woods" who tips the scales at one-ton to a wood chopping contest. This chap is "there" when it comes to the chopping.

As a reward for their faithful (?) work as K. P.'s last week, Privates Barry, Berner and Cejula were presented with a nice pie by First Cook "Sockeye" at the end of the week.

ENJOYED PROGRAM AT BUILDING 106

The entertainment at Building 106 on Friday a week ago, met with a great response from the boys. Mrs. Coakley, was great appeal and was escorted again and again. Her numbers were well chosen and succeeded to strike a responsive chord in the hearts of the boys who were present.

ALLIGATOR IS PET OF 30TH INFANTRY

During the Thirtieth's trip from Syracuse to its present location, some strange handed Company M's cook a baby alligator, while the train stopped in some swampy district. The cook carefully preserved the new addition to the company for the remainder of the trip, and now the alligator may be seen in a tub on the outside of the kitchen. It is also rumored that Company M is the possessor of a live gorilla. It being a genuine gorilla of the regular sort is, however, a matter of doubt.

