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### PLANNING AHEAD FOR OUR SOLDIERS.

The assuring words from the battle front these days serves to offset some of the soberness that has touched the camps of this country also because so many boys have been delayed in making their trip to France. Other splendid assurances come with the announcement that the American army has enough rations to last them three months and that plenty of clothing is at their command to keep them warm. While the great army has been going across the seas those in charge have not neglected the food and clothing which these men must have. That ought to stimulate the folks who remain at home to a larger usefulness in every way they know—one of those ways is buying bonds. In order to get some conception of what the above statement means with reference to storage we give the following taken from official sources:

"In the food branch alone, it takes over 4,000,000 pounds of food every day to feed the army. This prodigious daily consumption of food embraces a million pounds of flour baked into a million pounds of bread every day, 875,000 pounds of fresh beef, 875,000 pounds of potatoes, 200,000 pounds of sugar and 125,000 pounds of tomatoes. The pepper and salt for a single day is 42,500 pounds.

"Army coffee is roasted at the rate of 70,000 pounds a day, and it takes 20,000 pounds of solidified alcohol to cook this coffee through the month.

"The beef is the bulkiest product used each day, and occupies a daily space of 45,000 cubic feet, or about the dimensions of a business block, of solid meat. Flour comes next, requiring 25,000 cubic feet of daily space, and potatoes about the same.

"Here are some of the other daily items:

"Bacon, 225,000 pounds; beans, 75,000 pounds; rice, 50,000 pounds; onions, 250,000 pounds; evaporated fruit, 70,000 pounds; jam, 70,000 pounds; milk, 62,500 pounds; vinegar, 40,000 pounds; lard, 40,000 pounds; butter, 31,000 pounds; syrup, 40,000 pounds."

The campaign for Association Men, the international "Y" magazine will continue on through this week. The coming of the unexpected "Flu" broke up the plans for the half rate campaign which was made soldiers but the fine magazine can yet be secured for only 75c per year. Tell your "Y" secretary about it.

The splendid way in which the Jewish Welfare Workers, the Knights of Columbus and the Y. M. C. A. rallied to the cause in the present crisis in running errands for the sick and helping them out in a thousand ways is certainly appreciated by the officers of the camp. It has been a great relief to the soldier who has not been able to have some little touch of home in his sickness.

Of course you can consider it another way with reference to having the "Flu" and that is that those who don't have it are back numbers and out of date. It certainly is stylish even though it isn't very healthy. But cheer up boys, just think of how you will get it back at the Hun.

All inventions of the devil and of a hellish nature have been traced to the door of the Hun and the Kaiser but as yet no one has come forward and shown just where they tie up with the "Flu." We have a hunch that it's the Kaiser's fault some way.



This photograph shows the Non-Coms of Ambulance Company No. 60. These are some of the boys who have been on the job day and night during the "flu" epidemic in Camp Greene and have shown their ability to ably cope with the situation.

### PROMOTIONS WITHIN THE CAMP.

During this week Capt. Phillip A. Sheaff, assistant to Colonel Renn of the base hospital staff, will be commissioned major upon his return from a brief leave. He has been connected with the base hospital since October, 1917, but in the medical service since April, 1917, receiving his commission at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, and being first assigned to Fort Oglethorpe. In February he was commissioned captain and has been acting as assistant adjutant.

Private C. E. Hall, base hospital 92, has been promoted from private to corporal and is one of the most popular men in his company.

Capt. Charles M. Miller, acting sub-depot quartermaster, has been commissioned major, Q. M. C.

In the quartermaster corps Walter F. French has been made detachment commander, coming up from the line after three years with the coast artillery.

### MAKE YOUR MOTHER HAPPY

#### A WHOLE YEAR FOR 75c.

No better souvenir of your army life can be found to send to your mother, wife, sweetheart or relatives than "Association Men." It is the Y. M. C. A. national magazine and is published monthly. A special rate of 74c for a year's subscription is being offered to the soldiers of Camp Greene during "Folks Back Home Week." The subscription price to civilians is \$1.50 per year.

"Association Men" is one of the brightest and most interesting war magazines now being published. It contains each month a large number of articles and authentic war pictures secured especially for "Association Men" in France and wherever the American soldiers can be found. The folks at home will appreciate this magazine more than words can tell and you will be glad of this opportunity to cheer your loved ones back at home at so small a price.

Ask any of the "Y" secretaries at your nearest "Y" building to show you a sample copy of "Association Men."

If you appreciate what the "Y" is doing for you subscribe for "Association Men," so that the folks at home might be familiar with the work the "Y" is doing in the home camps and overseas.

From what we can learn of other camps, Camp Greene has been very fortunate in the Flu emergency. The disease is pretty well in hand here and officials are optimistic over the actual results of their careful work as compared with many other camps. It is believed that the quarantine will be lifted within the present week and the disease practically eradicated.

There has been considerable discussion as to how the commanding officer, Col. A. C. Macomb, pronounces his name. From official sources we are able to announce that the accent is placed on the last syllable with long sound of "o" and not on the first with long sound of "a" as so many pronounce it.

Irving S. Cobb will speak in the Auditorium at Charlotte, Tuesday evening, November 12, when he will relate his experiences at the front with the boys in khaki, both white and colored. Tickets for this lecture will be sold for 25 cents to the soldiers and \$1 to civilians.

Trench and Camp is free to soldiers and can be secured at any Y hut. A new issue is printed every week and distributed every Wednesday.

Did you ever stop to think that the American engineers in France today are doing more constructive work than ever was done on the Panama canal?

Camp Greene has one conscientious objector who refuses to don a uniform or accept pay but he does drill with the boys and help around his company.

### NINTH COMPANY NOW CLAIMS THE BEST RECORD

Offers Challenge to Any Company in Camp to Prove Their Superiority in Every Line.

Last week Trench and Camp contained a story from Sixth company stating that it claimed the record of having the best company all round in Camp Greene. Now comes Company Nine with a contradiction, and offers the evidence. That is just what this little paper wants to find out. If the different companies over the camp have the stuff in them, tell the public about it. Don't hide your light under a bushel and wait until you get to France to blow about yourself. Let folks right here know about it, so that you can send the paper news back home. Dig up the relics and reputables of your company any place in the camp and write the editor of Trench and Camp. Drop the news in the mail boxes in any Y building or give it to a secretary any place and it will get into the limelight. Here is what Company Nine claims:

#### Company Nine's Record Unbeaten.

Since the time that memory of man runneth not to the contrary, people have been assembling. In Company Nine, Fourth Recruit camp, there is no exception to the rule only as to personnel. We hereby set up our claim to being the foremost company of the Fourth Recruit camp. We have in John High the world champion in shotput, his record by far exceeding his nearest rival. John's record in other branches of sport are fully worth par, anyone doubting drop around to Company Nine and be shown.

In music we have Sam Mastracci, a cousin of Caruso, who, seeing the ability of his cousin, on his own free will and accord took and trained young Mastracci, who has with his world famed cousin sang throughout the universe.

Again, in the person of Fitzpatrick we have an accomplished musician and entertainer, and you are completely held spellbound in his presence.

In the field of outdoor exercise we make the assertion, without fear of contradiction, that we lead the fourth recruit, and any company doubting these facts have only to challenge us for a field meet. In baseball we have won each game and on two occasions we administered shutouts through the matchless twirling of C. F. Hastings.

We have in the person of Klaus, a professionally trained pugilist, who was trained by Frank Klaus, world champion middleweight. In the persons of Thornton, Healey and Schallons first-class boxers are to be found, and these fellows are ready to say any time, "the die is cast, the rubicon is crossed, I go into the ring and defend my coveted reputation."

We also have three accomplished musicians in the regimental band, and we doubt seriously if another company has furnished this number.

Wednesday evening the boys were thrilled by the superb boxing of the boys, and visitors from several companies were present, and we are not surprised at our challenge for a bout going by default, as the fame of the famous fighting Ninth has permeated every nook and corner of Fourth recruit and entire camp as well.

We also make the assertion that we lead all the companies in the Fourth recruit as to men sent to places of responsibility, as Q. M. C., postoffice, etc. This phase of the question, at least mental superiority, the physical having been previously shown.

As to eats and their preparation we take off our hats to no company, even if you are from Missouri. When you are feeling tough and your eats are not appetizing, stop in at the Ninth and square meal is in store for you. We will show you.

Our officers are perfect gentlemen and are very skilled in the art of warfare. Lieut. Jas. S. Gough is commanding, and is ably assisted by Lieutenant Raeder, and First Sergeant Gilmore and ex-First Sergt. O. Boggs. There is no doubt but Lieutenant Gough and Raeder will go higher, as they are thoroughly competent, and

the men have the most wholesome respect for them. The men are excellently drilled and the first time they did regimental guard a report from headquarters was to the effect that the company had done the best guard of any company to date.

And now, to any company, we lay down the gauntlet, our hat is in the ring, and we hereby challenge you to meet us in any field sport, and assure you a square deal and a fair play.

But lo! when you do, boys, the paens of our victors will only enhance the melancholia of your vanquished.

J. M. W., Co. 9.

### "Y" 105.

The big musical event, planned by the secretaries of "Y" 105 and held on account of the recent quarantining, will take place on Monday night, October 21. Salem college, of Winston-Salem, N. C., will send three representatives of its music faculty, the persons of Dean H. A. Shirley, Miss Allene Baker, contralto, Miss Susan Webb, violinist, Dean Shirley has been head of the School of Music at Salem for over 15 years and was the first president of the North Carolina Music Teachers' association. Miss Allene Baker, contralto, is head of the voice department, and Miss Webb, head of the violin department. Following is the program to be given: Mylnarski, Mazurka, Miss Webb. Campbell Tipton, The Spirit Flower. James H. Rodgers, A Star. Mary Turner Salter, Last Night. Miss Baker. Raff, Cavatina. Wienlawski, Romance, Miss Webb. Mendelssohn, Hear Ye, Israel. "Elijah," Miss Baker. Sarasate, Les Adieux, Miss Webb. Grieg, Solvejgs Sing. Woodman, Love's on the Beach. Miss Baker.

Gounod Bach, Ave Maria, Miss Baker. Miss Webb, Dean Shirley. Manager Manning, of the Y. M. C. A. branch of the Sixth company and a personal friend of Dean Shirley, will furnish a special piano for the concert. "Y" 105 issues a cordial invitation to all officers and enlisted men to be present on next Monday night. "Y" 105 was recently presented with a complete front of stage curtains by the Beta Beta Phi club of Salem college, of Winston-Salem. The curtain drop is of khaki cloth with the red triangle insignia of the "Y" done in colors. The side curtains are of green burlap and harmonizes well with the center drop. The back drop, representing a Venetian scene, was the gift of Miss Ethel Redmond, of Brooklyn, N. Y. The center stage setting adds much to the appearance of the building.

A camp paper has appeared at Paris Island, S. C., known as The Marine. It is a newsy piece of literature published under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.



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