

DAVIS MEN WILL AID CHEST DRIVE

Camp's Contribution To Wilmington Campaign Expected To Total \$2,000

Camp Davis' readiness to cooperate with community projects in Wilmington was demonstrated Saturday when Major General F. H. Smith announced that officers and enlisted men of the post would participate in the Community Chest drive here, November 17-27. No specific goal has been set for the voluntary subscription period at Davis, but the total contribution, according to a military spokesman, will approximate \$2,000.

Military personnel, having their own welfare fund within the camp, will not share directly in the proceeds of the Community Chest campaign. Nevertheless, Camp Davis has expressed the desire to play a part in the drive. Soldiers look upon the Wilmington drive as an opportunity to reciprocate for favors done by residents of the city in providing recreational facilities.

Arrangements for canvassing military personnel are to be handled by Colonel A. E. Potts and Capt. L. B. Wantuck. Camp Davis officers and enlisted men residing in Wilmington will not be solicited at their homes here by Community Chest workers. General Smith pointed out Friday that members of the command will undoubtedly be called upon to contribute to similar drives in their home towns. Many, he said, will be anxious to assist chest funds in the communities where their parents and relatives reside. Already Camp Davis troops have contributed to their own welfare fund, which is being used to assist soldiers and their families in meeting unforeseen emergencies, thus relieving Wilmington of any financial burden incident to the influx of soldiers.

NOVEL CLOCK
A novel clock in a South American city is in the form of a searchlight. The clock, involving falls on a different landmark every hour.

A Million Dollars to Relieve Piles

It is estimated that over a million dollars annually is spent for various remedies for relieving piles. Yet any druggist will tell you that soothing, cooling, astringent Peterson's Ointment will allay pile torture in a few minutes. Peterson's Ointment brings prompt, joyful relief from itching. Money back if not delighted.

AT UNKNOWN SOLDIER'S TOMB



While Americans all over the world fight to defend the freedom he died to preserve, America's Unknown Soldier is honored in national ceremonies at his tomb in the Arlington National Cemetery. Col. Chester Hammond places a wreath at the base of the tomb as, left to right, Adm. Ernest King; Lt. Gen. Thomas Holcomb, Marine Corps Commandant; General John J. Pershing; and President Roosevelt look on.

Captain Eddie Rickenbacker Scores Another Narrow Escape From Death

BY SETH MOSELEY
NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Capt. "Eddie" Rickenbacker has stood on death's doorstep for years, but the host could never quite get him to come in.

They've been telling you for years he's a daring front runner, flirting devilishly with danger, but "Rick" is cold, calculating and makes his moves methodically.

At 52, now coming back alive from an ocean of missing men, he is a marked man—marked by injuries from a recent crash, marked inside by memories of his great plane dueling with the Germans in the World War. But he is a completely unafraid man—unafraid but cautious.

Once this American ace downed a German plane by snacking it amidst his own plane in mid-air, righting his own as the German one plummeted to earth.

But watching a window cleaner hanging by a belt from a skyscraper window makes him shudder.

As a great automobile racer, he was a spectacular "front runner," getting out ahead of the pack, sometimes turning turtle or crashing into fences. But once at a big race, he re-

fused to let one of the popular drivers race because "Rick" thought he was too ill.

Rickenbacker was badly injured in a commercial plane crash early last year near Atlanta, Ga., that took the lives of 7 persons.

Rescuers rushed to the scene and found Rickenbacker pinned in. This is Rickenbacker talking:

"Don't strike a match . . . it'll explode the gasoline."
"Take it easy boys, let's not get excited."

(To fellow passengers) "I'm awfully sorry this had to happen to you boys."

He was the last to be removed from the ship, suffering from a hip fracture.

"Tell the boys I'll be out in three or four weeks," he said. But he was laid up for months.

In World War 1 (he started out as General Pershing's chauffeur, but that was too prosaic) he downed 21 enemy planes and four balloons to rank as the ace of American aces. He bested the Germans in single combat and wriggled out of traps when they ganged him. Once his ship was crippled and he crashed, but the fall was behind his own lines.

He was boss of the Indianapolis speedway and in 1934 he was named

general manager of Eastern Airlines.

Banks Is Transferred To Warrenton Station

Reuben W. Banks, assistant observer at the local Weather Bureau, is being transferred to the Warrenton station, where he will be observer and official in charge.

Banks has been connected with the bureau here almost three years. Paul Hess is official in charge.

A successor to Banks, who leaves today for his new post, is expected to be named shortly.

TURKEY DINNER

BOSTON, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Three bountiful meals, including a dinner of turkey and all the fixings, are going to be served Uncle Sam's soldiers on Thanksgiving Day and it's only going to cost the government 80 cents per man. The Boston Quartermaster depot said there was not going to be any skimping on breakfast and supper. The dinner menu provides at least one pound of turkey for each man.

AVIATION TRAINING PROGRAM POPULAR

Veterans Of Foreign Wars Post Assisting Young Men To Enter Service

A healthy response has been manifested here to the aviation cadet training and recruiting program now being carried on by members of the James A. Manley post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, post officials reported yesterday.

Youths interested in becoming pilots in the Army Air corps are given an examination, similar to the examination necessary for admission to the air corps, and are coached to correct any deficiencies the examination may reveal. The prospective pilots are also given any necessary help in entering the corps by members of the post.

Interested men should make application to G. C. Berry, the aviation training course instructor at the high school.

The V. F. W. has set a nationwide goal of 10,000 aviation cadets and 25,000 technicians for the program, undertaken at the request of Lieut.-General Henry H. Arnold, commander general of the air forces.

To date, more than 14,000 candidates have been interviewed by V. F. W. posts over the nation and some 7,000 have successfully passed the "screening" tests. Approximately 5,500 are taken the special tutoring courses offered by the V. F. W.

TOBACCO SALES SLUMP IN STATE

Prices Advance, Except In Eastern Bright Belt, During Past Week

RALEIGH, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Fluctuating tobacco sales dropped in volume on all of North Carolina's belts during the past week, but prices advanced generally, except in the Eastern Bright Belt.

The Eastern Belt, in which all but two markets have been closed, reported that 3,229,153 pounds were sold during the week at an average of \$32.29 per hundred, a decrease of \$4.04 from the previous week.

Middle Belt sales totaled 6,030,727 pounds and averaged \$43.70 a hundred, compared with a season's average of \$41.74 for 110,387,410 pounds.

The U. S. and state departments of agriculture reported that sales in the Old Belt totaled 9,379,191 pounds and averaged \$42.57 per hundredweight, an increase of 32 cents over the previous week's average. Sales for the season totaled 145,881,485 pounds at a \$40.71 average.

Brazil's Relations With Vichy Are 'Interrupted'

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Brazil's relations with Vichy France were "interrupted" today when the Brazilian government informed Vichy it was withdrawing its mission because the French government no longer could guarantee its diplomatic immunity.

This was a sequel to the disclosure yesterday that the Germans had raided the Brazilian embassy in Vichy and ransacked its files.

The Vichy government was asked to provide facilities for the Brazilian diplomatic staff to travel to the Spanish border but the announcement here stressed that this meant that French-Brazilian relations merely were "interrupted" and not broken.

TURNED BACK

WINDSOR, Ontario, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Earl Browder, former general secretary of the communist party in the United States, and Patrick Toohey, secretary of the Michigan communist party, were turned back by immigration officials when they sought to visit Windsor yesterday for a meeting with Tim Buck, Canadian communist leader who spoke here last night.

CANADIANS ARRIVE

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 14.—(AP)—Canadian troops have arrived in Bermuda with their equipment and will form a part of the garrison of that mid-Atlantic base henceforth, Defense Minister J. L. Ralston announced today.

NOAH NUMSKULL



DEAR NOAH - IS UNCLE SAM'S FAVORITE 'AUNTIE' ANTI-AIRCRAFT?
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