

Y. M. C. A. PERSONNEL AT CAMP CHANGES GREATLY

Secretaries Leave for Overseas Service, While New Ones Coming In—Recruiting and Red Cross Addresses.

A number of changes in the personnel of the army Y. M. C. A. have been made recently. Some of the men who have been prominently identified with the work almost from its very inception at this camp have left. Others who are just beginning the work have come in.

C. H. Ellinwood, who has been the efficient building secretary at 106, left the camp the past week for New York, whence he will embark for overseas work in France.

Leslie Martin, who has been the popular building secretary of 102, leaves this week for Chicago. Mr. Martin has been transferred to the central department at his request, and will be stationed at one of the camps there. Mrs. Martin accompanies her husband.

Among the new men who have recently reported for "Y" secretaries are Herbert A. French, who is at present acting as religious work director of 104; Mr. Hargreaves who is acting as educational secretary at 104; Mr. Grubb, who is acting religious work director at 106; Mr. Cole, who is acting assistant building secretary at 105.

Dr. A. R. Brown, who for some time has been connected with 106, is at his home in New Haven, Conn., for a brief vacation. Dr. Brown is pastor of a large church in New Haven. Mr. W. M. Sully, who is the business secretary of building 105 is also on a brief vacation at his home in Connecticut.

The educational secretaries in Camp Greene are in attendance upon a conference which is being held this week at Blue Ridge. Mr. Oliver, who is the camp educational director, is heading the delegation. Others in attendance are W. J. McCreery, J. W. Rupp, and Mr. Hargreaves. They left Saturday morning of the past week, and expect to be gone about a week.

C. M. Norfleet, camp business secretary of the army Y. M. C. A., was in the camp on Friday of the past week. At present Mr. Norfleet is giving all of his time to recruiting for Y. M. C. A. secretaries for overseas work, and his work takes him all over the state. He has been greatly assisted in his work by Camp Secretary J. O. Grogan and Secretary J. T. Mangum, who have been making speeches in the principal cities of the state in the interest of recruiting.

Several of the army Y. M. C. A. officials at Camp Greene have taken an active part in the Red Cross campaign that is on this week. Secretary W. T. Thompson, Jr., religious work director for the camp, made a Red Cross address at Davidson on Sunday night. Dr. J. O. Grogan, the camp executive secretary, went to Alabama on a special invitation to make an address of this nature.

NOTES FROM NINTH CASUAL COMPANY

Slivers, the bread sergeant, is the captain orderly from Company nine, Casual detachment. Maybe he doesn't sweat on the job. He also eats iron rods.

Billy Hall is going crazy over the girl with a pink sweater from Charlotte. But he sure can make Java from Casual company No. 9.

Mess Sergeant William Roscoe was "some" bugler these last few days. He finally turned loose the job and some poor kid had to take his place. James Major is the best chef for the eats, because he understands the business, and if it were not for Chef Major we would starve such enough.

William H. Payne, acting sergeant, will have to cut out his nonsense, or the other sergeant will throw him out, especially Slim Raymer, senior sergeant.

Acting Sergeant Jacobowski came in Acting Corporal Lang's tent with a flashlight to see if poor Harry was sleeping, but little Jake got stung.

Musician Grim is the best rice eater in the company, because he looks like a Chin. So much for the Chinaman. He was requested by the chief cook and his assistants to build a new table for the non-coms and cripples to be served their meals, and if he hadn't done it they would have been out of luck, for there wasn't anybody in the company that sergeant could recommend to put up the table.

Sergeant Jacobowski comes every morning to the mess hall to find out how many K. P.s we need and he appoints one man in charge of them and tells him to take orders from no one but the mess sergeant or Cook Major. He always keeps the boys going and he will show them whether they are to serve our country or not; he will make them come across. If every company had a sergeant like Jacobowski they would certainly be some company, well recommended by Chef Major.

Cook Major is the finest man that was ever in Camp Greene. Musician Grim thinks he will take him for his valet and private cook. Every meal, when the men pass by to get their chow and when the cripples come along, they are always howling because they don't get ham and eggs, homemade biscuits, chicken dinners and such things that Uncle Sam can't afford to give them. I hope by the time Musician Grim gets for kitchen

built, it will be the finest hotel in Camp Greene, and then we can probably be able to serve the cripples the best of chow—better than they get at home.

Cook Philip H. Blaetz gets up every morning at 2:45 o'clock and goes to the mess hall to start his fire and get the morning chow ready for his working man, while his erstwhile canine friend sleeps. But when they start coming in for chow, they sure jump him for seconds. Notice: Any violation of this order for seconds is two weeks K. P. When he refuses them seconds, the men all holler: "We all worked hard today," and the cook says: "What did you do?" Part of them are on special duty; half are mule skiners or boiler makers and the rest don't know what they are—whether they are an ace or a jack. They come in one at a time, and you ought to hear the cook howl, "Line up on the other side or no chow." If Musician Grim from the Thirteenth field artillery can't get a bread crust he goes crazy. The new rules are that no one can bang around or "get in" with the cooks. Breakfast at 6; lunch at 9:30 for cooks and handshakers only. Dinner will be served only at 12, to men first and at 12:15 for the cripples and stragglers, and at 5:45 we all eat at one time.

Lastly, we have three gentlemen from Y. M. C. A. No. 106—Mr. Neumann, Mr. Rupp and Mr. McCreary—who we would be very glad to have with us every meal. We certainly appreciate their presence. We will stand by them and help them all we can, for their are certainly treating us boys with great respect, helping us win this war. We certainly appreciate their kindness to the soldiers of Camp Greene, especially the boys of Company nine.

The committee will furnish news every Wednesday night for Thursday's paper for the benefit of the boys in Company nine.

COMPANY ORGANIZES FOR ALL ATHLETICS

Ninth Motor Mechanics Plans to Put Athletics on Good Basis. Strong Teams.

The Ninth company, Third Motor Mechanics regiment, expects to have an organization soon which will make it one of the best companies in the regiment.

Thursday evening the company met in the mess hall and perfected an organization by electing managers of the following different enterprises, which will promote a great deal of interest both in the company and in the regiment:

Manager of swimming team, Franklin E. Soules.

Manager of basketball team, Lawrence E. Drake.

Manager of baseball team, William C. Keith.

Athletic director, Sergeant Ernest H. Pearson.

Social activities, Sergeant Jesse D. Pease.

Reporter, Meredith T. Reneau.

The basketball team will be composed of the following men who have records both in high school and college, as being stars at the game:

Ernest H. Pearson, M. R. Cramer, Joseph Frye, guards; G. L. Russell, Maddin Warfield, centers; D. W. Lashers, R. J. Dearing, M. T. Reneau, P. E. Soules, forwards.

Army Officers.

Orders heretofore issued relieving First Lieut. Ibrahim F. Morrison, ordnance reserve corps, from his present duties and assigning him to duty as assistant to the camp ordnance officer, Camp Greene, are revoked.

First Lieut. Nell J. McCollum, dental corps, is relieved from duty at the medical officers' training camp, Camp Greenleaf, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., upon completion of his course of instruction, and will proceed to Camp Greene, and report for temporary duty in the base hospital.

First Lieut. James A. Curtis, Jr., dental corps, is relieved from duty at the medical officers' training camp, Camp Greenleaf, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., to take effect upon the completion of his course of instruction, and will then proceed to Camp Greene, and report for temporary duty in the base hospital.

Maj. Jenks B. Jenkins, engineer reserve corps, in addition to his present duties, will assume charge of construction of Biltmore general hospital No. 12, Biltmore, N. C., under the direction of the officer in charge of construction division.

First Lieut. Robert Porteus, veterinary corps, national army, is relieved from duty at Spencer, N. C., and will proceed to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., and report in person to the commanding general thereof for duty as camp veterinarian.

The following named officers of the veterinary corps, national army, are relieved from their present duties and will proceed to Camp Greene, and report in person to the commanding officer, auxiliary remount depot No. 306, thereat, for duty: Capt. John B. Courtright, First Lieut. Truman B. Hinkle, and First Lieut. David M. Hoyt.

First Lieut. Arthur T. Burchill, dental corps, is relieved from duty at the medical officers' training camp, Camp Greenleaf, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., upon completion of his course of instruction and will report to the commanding general, Camp Greene, for duty with the third motor mechanics regiment.

"BATTLE ROYAL" WINS APPLAUSE AT REMOUNT

Other Athletic Events Staged With Much Success at Remount "Arena."

Athletic night at the remount station brought out some new talent in the boxing game. The program, which was of an impromptu nature, was staged in the open air arena, consisted of boxing and wrestling.

The first bout of the evening was between Lieutenant Scholooki and Camp Physical Director A. E. Bergman. These gentlemen volunteered to start the program and in their set-to, displayed some classy mitt work.

Private Parker and Private Calebra were the center of attraction in a blindfolded boxing contest which followed. As one fellow put it, this contest was as funny as a "crutch," and brought forth rounds of applause.

Next, Private Cowgill locked horns with Private Michalic in a wrestling match, in which they showed their ability as mat artists. These gentlemen wrestled at 145 pounds. It was a nip and tuck affair all the way through. As per agreement, the men were to wrestle nine minutes to a fall. Cowgill secured the first fall in three and one-fourth minutes. No fall was secured in the balance of the match.

Again boxing was introduced. Private Katz engaged Private Guglielmo in a three-round affair at 133 pounds. Both gentlemen showed their ability as boxers and received much applause from the appreciative audience.

The final bout of the evening was between Private Dunsong and Private Sanders at 132 pounds. This pair sure could handle their mitts, and kept the audience interested from bell to bell.

The grand finale of the evening was a one-handed battle royal, in which four men participated. One boxing glove and one hand were their only weapon of defense; the other hand was made secure. With the use of only one arm, the men gave a very good demonstration of what really could be accomplished with one mitt as a means of defense. Sergeant Mahoney was declared the winner of this bout, having gained the decision through his ability to deal out punishment with his one "maulder." This battle royal was without doubt one of the most interesting affairs of the evening. The following participated: Sergeant Mahoney, Private Sergio, Private Calebra and Private Stenniack. Much credit is given the following who assisted in the program: Lieutenant Nooe, timer; Captain Bremerman; Sergeant Woodbury, referee bouts; Secretary McCreary, announcer, and A. E. Bergman, referee wrestling match.

NOTES FROM NINTH COMPANY THIRD M. M. REGIMENT

Several men in this company expect to take the examination soon to be given for "Air Pilot." These men must be getting sort of tired of their ground school work, (consisting now mostly of "picksand shovel") so have concluded to take to the air.

Wednesday 30 men from this company enjoyed the day at Rozzell's ferry, about 15 miles from camp. While some of the men worked fixing a road for the trucks to haul sand over, others enjoyed themselves fishing along the river, or otherwise.

The men all hope to be detailed out to this place again soon.

The baseball team of the Ninth Motor mechanics has on its roll the following men: McQuestion, Lee, Wilson, Pearson, Buckingham, Peltit, McClain, Drake, Krill. They were to have played the Eighth company the past week, but the game was called off. So, as yet, we do not know just what their caliber is. However, we expect to show a good result in the regiment league.

Sergeant Pearson, the boxing manager, is an all round athlete, and is a classy boxer. He will represent the company at the boxing matches to be staged in Charlotte soon.

The Ninth company, Third motor mechanics regiment has a real home-like mess hall, with oil cloths on the table, real dishes and phonograph music with our meals. It sure makes it real comfortable for the men. "Mike," the cook, says he will fill the company up on music when the rations are low.

The company also has a new pool table fixed up in the mess hall. This with the phonograph, will keep the men in plenty of recreation during the times between drill hours.

RAILWAY FARES AND SCHEDULES FOR TROOPS

Following fares including war tax in effect from Charlotte, N. C.:

Fares. Boston, \$22.14; New York, \$16.47; Buffalo, \$21.70; Pittsburgh, \$17.86; Washington, \$10.37; Richmond, Va., \$7.67; Atlanta, Ga., \$7.24; Chattanooga, \$10.37; Cincinnati, \$14.89; Chicago, \$22.24; St. Louis, \$21.68; New Orleans, \$21.68; Birmingham, \$11.77; Jacksonville, \$11.77; Syracuse, N. Y., \$20.29.

Schedules. From Boston, New York Philadelphia, Baltimore, Pittsburgh and Washington and all points north and east—leave 4:35 a. m., 8:55 a. m., 9:45 a. m., 10:20 a. m., 3:45 p. m., 11:00 p. m.

To above points, leave, 4:25 a. m., 11:00 a. m., 7:30 p. m., 9:15 p. m., 12:20 a. m.

From Spartanburg, Greenville, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans, and all points south, leave, 9:25 a. m., 10:45 a. m., 6:45 p. m., 9:10 p. m., 12:10 a. m.

To above points, leave, 4:45 a. m., 9:55 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 3:50 p. m., 11:15 p. m.

From Rock Hill, Columbia, Augusta, and Jacksonville, leave, 7:30 a. m., 9:35 a. m., 12:35 p. m., 8:20 p. m.

To above points, leave, 5:00 a. m., 7:05 a. m., 11:20 a. m., 4:55 p. m.

From Asheville, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Memphis, Louisville, St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit, leave, 9:25 a. m., 10:45 a. m., 12:15 p. m., 5:45 p. m., 8:55 p. m., 9:10 p. m., 12:10 a. m.

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