

Ambulance Corps is Service Opportunity

Women of Corvallis Study Defense Work

Women more or less permanently located in Corvallis who want to aid in defense of Oregon and the West Coast during this war, are urged to join the Oregon Women's Ambulance corps, where they will receive highly valuable technical training and a direct place in war work. This unit is a uniformed incorporated ambulance corps, working along military lines and preparing themselves to be able to do the most good in case of war incidents in this area.

Mandatory courses of instruction for the members are standard and advanced first aid, military drill, motor mechanics, communications including semaphore, Morse code and PBX switchboard, and fire-fighting.

Elective courses, which are being taken in addition to the mandatory courses, are map reading and litter drill, and there may be other elective courses. The OWAC is now taking a supplementary class in advanced first aid at the Red Cross rooms.

The corps has been assigned as ambulance attendants in the Corvallis civilian defense set-up. Their official duties are with the ambulances in case of war incidents.

Women must be at least 18 years of age to become members, must have a driver's license and proof of citizenship. All women, officers' wives and daughters of workers here for the duration, interested in the OWAC, are urged to call Lieut. Ilione Schenk, 1576-R, or attend the drill at the college armory Monday nights.

Military Police Beat

By Cpl. Raoul Mound

First Sergeant Earl J. Stairs is really and truly amazed at the speed with which the Treasury Department of the United States works! He has just received an answer to a letter requesting advice concerning the position of Internal Revenue Agent, submitted July 12, 1939; a little over three years ago. The answer was received this week telling him that if he was still interested in such a position at \$2600 per annum they would be able to make arrangements for a personal interview in New York. Sorry, Sergeant, \$2600 a year ain't hay but you don't make very much less in the army, and the boys are glad you can't take the job because you are very well liked!

We don't want to be accused of being a detachment of braggarts but we certainly appreciate the friendliness of the officers and enlisted men of the service command who have visited our barracks, or, as Captain Rutledge so aptly put it, our "Model Barracks," for the express purpose of inspection!

To those people who have seen the scrumptious dayroom furniture that the Military Police Det. has acquired, and want to know just what it's all about, the following enlightening story may suffice.

M/Sgt. Narramore and the able Pvt Iel Gus Nicholas picked themselves up one bright and sunny day last week and went shopping. They wound up in Portland in the very capable hands of Mr. S. Soble, the director and part owner of the Directors Furniture Company. The patience shown by Mr. Soble was something, and to be classed with the nine wonders of the world. If he didn't have just what the M/Sgt wanted he didn't try to sell him

something else, he just took him to another store room until the Sergeant was satisfied, and boy, oh boy, after seeing the furniture you will admit he isn't pleased any too easily! Mr. Soble, after spending many, many hours patiently catering to the Sergeant's shrewd bargaining, finally had to call a halt to the whole thing because even M/sergeants get hungry. So, being the sort of gentleman he is, Mr. Soble was the gracious most at the Multnomah hotel, one of the nicer hotels in Portland, where no effort or expense was spared in seeing that a delicious and plentiful lunch was served. M/Sgt. Narramore and Pvt Iel Nicholas came back to camp exhausted but very happily victorious in the knowledge that they had bought nothing but the best for the least amount possible!

Corvallis Dances to Be Held Regularly

With a crowd estimated well over the 150 mark, the regular Friday night dance sponsored by the Junior Hostesses of Corvallis was staged in the ballroom of the Elks club, with music for dancing furnished by the regimental band from Fort Lewis. The dance began at 8 o'clock, and a gay program was arranged by the committee in charge.

Chaperones of the Senior Hostess league assisted with the program and served refreshments.

The Tuesday night dance, which has been a regular social spot on the calendar of Camp Adair men, was cancelled this week, but tomorrow night, Friday, September 4, another dance will be held in the Elks club ballroom, starting at 8 o'clock. The enlisted personnel of the post is invited.

Zakarian Passes in Review, Going on Ice

The Camp Adair Sentry regrets that a review of a barrack melodrama has arrived too late for publication in this issue. It is by Pvt. Lavone (End-of-the-Line) Zakarian, whose name dooms him to the end of the line on pay day, although he still hopes to get to the front otherwise.

Being resigned to his alphabetical fate, Zack always carries a book, by way of preparedness for waiting in line, and when the line moves slowly he not only gets the book read, but even turns out a novel of his own. If readers will only be patient, they will have his review next week.

Albany Bus Connects With Main Line Runs

Buses between Albany and Camp Adair connect with main line service north and south.

Schedules for this connection are posted on bulletin boards throughout camp.

REVEILLE — A bit of music played as a Sergeant yells, "For hell's sake, fall out of those snore sacks."

SOLDIER!

If your wife will be housekeeper for a family of four (father, grown daughter and two sons, youngest 12) you can both have a home in one of Corvallis' finer residences. Housekeeper would have full charge, including buying of food.

INQUIRE at Camp Public Relations Office or The Sentry.

Service Men Must Get Vote Blanks at Home

Practice Different in Various State Statutes

The anti-poll tax amendment to the Ramsay bill, proposing absentee voting by service men, is expected to either doom the bill or prevent its passage in time for the armed forces to participate in the forthcoming November elections, according to predictions of senate sponsors, since the bill is now before the House of Representatives.

Because of this current political mix-up, the attention of the enlisted and officer personnel of this cantonment is directed to a War Department circular which advises "personnel of the Army of the United States who desire to exercise their rights to vote in the coming elections to write direct to the Secretary of State of their home state asking for information relative to their rights to vote under the laws of such state."

All men in the armed forces will be given an opportunity to vote in any election in which they are eligible to participate provided their voting does not interfere with their military duties. Upon request, advice and assistance will be given and no postage will be required to transmit applications and war ballots.

In view of the lack of uniformity in the election laws of the several states, it will be necessary for each voter to obtain information as to the law of his own state with reference to qualifications, procedure and time of voting.

All commanding officers have been asked by the War Department to cooperate with any and all state commissions to the end that all eligible voters may be fully informed as to their rights.

Col. McCoy Announces Assignment Changes

Several re-assignments and changes in the executive set up at Camp Adair were ordered last week by Colonel Gordon H. McCoy.

Major Victor N. Miller, camp adjutant, was handed the additional duties of Camp War Bond officer. Second Lieut. Robert E. Mallonee, was transferred from the public relations to special services, and Second Lieut. George Godfrey was detailed to public relations officer.

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