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FUN SCHEDULE

Entertainment On and Off the Post for Week October 9 to October 16

SATURDAY

"A "Armchair Football," program at 2:00 p. m.—USO in Bend. Open House, 8 p. m., USO Bend.

Formal Dance, Officers' Club, Camp Abbot.

SUNDAY

Breakfast Club, 10-11 a. m., USO Bend.

Classical Recording Hour, 2 p. m., USO Bend.

MONDAY

Open House, USO Bend, "Talk-a-Letter Home"

TUESDAY

Catholic Choir rehearsal at Post Chapel at 7 p. m.

Open House, USO in Bend.

WEDNESDAY

Protestant Choir rehearsal at Post Chapel, 7 p. m.

"Camp Abbot on Parade," KBND, 7:45 p. m.

Dance, All-Purpose Recreation Hall, Camp Abbot.

Stamp Club, USO Bend.

THURSDAY

Bingo Night, USO Bend (Prize: Free Phone Call)

FRIDAY

Dance, USO in Bend.

THEATER SCHEDULE

SATURDAY—"Fired Wife," Robert Paige, Diana Barrymore, Louise Albritton; Short Subjects.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—"A Lady Takes a Chance," Jean Arthur, John Wayne, Charles Winniger; RKO News.

TUESDAY—"Holy Matrimony," Gracie Fields, Mont Woolley; Color Cartoon.

WEDNESDAY—"Watch On the Rhine," Bette Davis, Paul Lukas, Geraldine Fitzgerald; Spots Review.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY—"Thank Your Lucky Stars," All Star Cast; RKO News.

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to members of the Christian race.

"The summer between my two years in Egypt were spent in Greece, Italy, and Switzerland," reminisced the officer, "and I saw and did all the things prescribed for the tourist." Before returning to duty, Lt. Martin visited Venice one week, viewing the Bridge of Sighs, then Bern, Switzerland, and Geneva where she roamed the old League of Nations building.

An interesting event which took place while Lt. Martin was in the land of the Pharaohs was the digging out of the paws of the Sphinx, which had been covered by the drifting sands over a period of many years.

Former supervisor of public school music in Pampa, Texas, Lt. Martin joined the Womens Army Corps in January and came to Camp Abbot on graduation from the Officers Candidate School.

MORE ABOUT

Canine Corps

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amazing appetite for human ham.

Assuming that a good set of teeth is more important than a pedigree, the army paid little attention to lineage in accepting the dogs from donors. The only blue blood in the lot is Antoine de la Francois, a woolly black poodle with a Veronica Lake hair-do. Most are of questionable parentage, but one appears to be half wolf and another half coyote.

During training, dogs are kept busy about 45 minutes a day. Fifteen minutes are allotted for

exercise and half an hour for training. One dog is exercised at a time. He is taken out on a 30-foot leash for a good run before beginning the half-hour training period, during which only a short leather leash is used as a "reminder" in case of disobedience. If a dog is untractable, a steel "choker" is used to keep him in line, the choker being a chain which tightens automatically if the dog becomes unruly and releases when the animal stands still. In the case of a vicious dog, a spiked collar is used, but the spikes are dulled so they will not pierce the skin.

Insofar as "quarters" are concerned, dogs have a good setup. Each canine has his private dog house, complete with front doorstep and overhanging eave for wet weather. Kennels are in three rows of four each. Eventually each will be painted green, and the name of the occupant will be lettered in yellow on the roof. Another building in front of the dog area serves as a hospital, living quarters for trainers, offices for the veterinarian and members of the civilian guard who will headquarter there.

Kennels are cleaned daily and fresh water is kept by each kennel. Dogs are groomed once a day and like soldiers stand periodic physical inspections.

Here's a sample of the daily menu: Two pounds of horse-meat, one-half pound of dry cereal, two carrots, a loaf of bread and a can of evaporated milk. Two eggs per day are added to the fare if the dog shows signs of a snuffle or listlessness. Mealtime comes once a day, in the late afternoon.

When fully trained the dogs will attack intruders, sit, lie down, heel and stand watch at given signals. After hearing the command "watch" on sentry duty, the dog will remain on the alert for a period of from six to 18 hours, until the order is countermanded by the sentry.

USO Advisor to Conduct Singing Class for 51st

Classes in song leading, part of an Overseas Music Instruction program under way here, will begin for the 51st Battalion Monday with Oren Lathrop Brown, USO music advisor, as instructor.

Mr. Brown is a graduate of the College of Music of Boston university. For eight years he sang with the choir of the Old South Church in Boston, and since October, 1942, has been active at USO work as one of 10 music advisors sent by the organization to various sections of the nation as part of a program to make trained civilian song leaders available to service men.

In addition to conducting classes on the Post, Mr. Brown will be in charge of group singing programs for Camp Abbot and maneuver troops patronizing the USO in Bend.

Classes on the Post will be scheduled during off-duty hours and will continue until units have gained proficiency. Mr. Brown said he hoped to teach as many battalions as possible during his stay in this area.

Wearing of Blouse After Retreat Not Compulsory

Officers and enlisted men will not be required to wear blouses on the Post after retreat unless they are attending dances or similar functions, Col. Frank S. Besson, ERTC commander, announced this week.

Colonel Besson said the wearing of blouses after retreat was made mandatory to encourage men to improve their appearance before going to the evening meal or attending the movies or dances. The order, which became effective October 1, was rescinded when it was discovered the wearing of blouses generally after retreat was inconvenient and bothersome.

Blouses will be worn during off-duty hours in town and on special occasions, but personnel living off the post still will be permitted to wear field jackets or shirts going to and from home and camp providing no stops are made in the down town areas.

CHURCH RITES

LOCATION OF CHAPELS

Post Chapel, Bldg. 208; 11th Gp. Bldg. 754; Hospital Chapel in Red Cross Chapel, Bldg. 1255; 12th Gp. Chapel, Recreation hall.

JEWISH SERVICES

Yizkor (Memorial Service) at oPst Chapel at 2 p. m. Saturday.

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Confessions Saturday, Post Chapel. Masses at 9 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sunday at Post Chapel. Masses daily, except Thursday, at 5:10 p. m. at Post Chapel. Choir rehearsal 7 p. m. Tuesday.

PROTESTANT SERVICES

Services at 10 a. m. and 7:30 Sunday at Post Chapel. Service for 52nd Battalion (quarantine) at 11th Group Chapel at 6 p. m. Sunday. Bible Study Class at 7 p. m. Monday at Post Chapel. Choir rehearsal at 7 p. m. Wednesday at Post Chapel.

HOSPITAL SERVICES

Catholic confessions at Red Cross Recreation Hall at 7 a. m. Sunday. Mass (visitors invited) at Red Cross Recreation Hall at 7:30 a. m. Sunday. Protestant service at Red Cross Recreation Hall at 10 a. m. Sunday.

DENOMINATIONAL SERVICES

L. D. S. service at 7 p. m. Wednesday at 11th Group Chapel. Christian Science service at 7 p. m. Thursday at 12th Gp. Chapel.

Bonds Buy Bullets!



"Notice how much better Thatcher is doing since I took him off a regular salary and put him on piece work rates?"

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Artist Presents Painting to Wacs

An oil painting 20 inches by 30 inches, now graces the Wac Company day room, a gift from the artist, Pvt. Ted Lewy, of the Casual Company.

The canvas depicts a war scene with a tank in the foreground, a bursting bomb in the background, with a plane spiraling to earth with streamers of smoke and flame following. The colors are warm reds, blues, greens and browns and, viewed from a short distance, the scene is one of intense reality.

Pvt. Lewy, who is assigned to duty at the Paint Shop on the Post, studied painting on the continent prior to the outbreak

of the war, and has done a number of canvases since his arrival here.

PROMOTIONS PFFT AGAIN

Soldiers bucking for more stripes hit another snag this week when the Ninth Service Command announced that no promotions in grades one to five, inclusive, will be effected until further notice.

Ninth Service Command Headquarters also called attention to an order requiring that all men in fourth and fifth grades be reduced as soon as they cease to perform the duties which gained them their promotions to technical grades.

When You've Read it—Please Pass The ENGINEER AROUND.

The Making of a Combat Soldier

(From an address by Major General Louis E. Hibbs to the 68rd Infantry Division upon activation.)

CERTAIN SKILLS are required of the soldier. These can be learned relatively quickly. Efficiency in these skills, however, requires constant practice, until the body and mind have become so disciplined in their execution that correct performance becomes automatic. Then, and only then, is the soldier ready to use them in combat.

Mere proficiency in his required duties is but a good start in the production of a combat soldier. He must develop, in addition, the strength, physical and mental, which makes him the fighting man. There is no easy road to acquiring this physical and mental stamina. It is the product only of his hard physical work, and of toil and strain under adverse conditions. This you will remember: You are to be trained for combat requiring of you tasks designed to produce conditions of hard physical work and mental strain. As your training progresses, these tasks will increase in severity. This work will be performed under combat conditions of weather, shelter, food, and sleep—you will be required to perform your combat missions in the midst of the noises of the battlefield and the danger of real ammunition fired over and near you. You will be taught to take it the hard way—you will learn to glory in it—so that you may develop the qualities that make a man, and emerge as a fit companion for the fighters of this nation—fit to bear the rigors of combat—to laugh off discomfort and ill fortune to have the physical ability and the will to drive to victory.

When the going gets tough in the months which lie ahead of you remember that your leaders are seeking to put the iron in your soul that will make of you—what you in your own pride would seek for yourself—a combat soldier.

—Military Review

The Wolf

by Sansone



"Frankly, I don't see how you rate a good conduct medal! Specially after last weekend!"