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FUN SCHEDULE

Entertainment On and Off the Post for Week
November 6 to November 13

SATURDAY

Bingo Party, Red Cross Recreation Room, 7:00.
Open House, Service Club.
Open House, USO, Bend.

SUNDAY

Open House for friends and relatives, Red Cross Recreation Hall, Station Hospital, 1:00-8:30 p. m.
Music Hour, USO, Bend, 10:00-4:30-5:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Song Fest, Red Cross Recreation Hall, Station Hospital, 7:00.
Game Night, USO, Bend.
Music Graduation Small Instruments, 52nd and 53rd Bns., Service Club, 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Card Party, USO, Bend, 8:00 p. m.
Bingo Night, Service Club, 8:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Homies Movies, Red Cross Recreation Hall, Station Hospital, 7:00 p. m.
"Camp Abbot on Parade" (weekly radio broadcast) KBND, 7:45 o'clock.
Stamp Club, USO, Bend, 7:30 p. m.
Dance, Service Club, 8:30 p. m.

THURSDAY

Open House, Red Cross Recreation Hall, Station Hospital.
Bingo, USO, Bend.
Talent Show, Service Club, Medical Detachment, 8:00 p. m.

FRIDAY

Movie, Redcross Recreation Hall, Station Hospital.
Dance, USO, Bend.
GI Movies, Service Club, 8:00 p. m.

SATURDAY

Jigsaw Puzzle Night (with prizes), USO, Bend.
Open House, Service Club.

Engineers Devise New Smoke-Laying Machines

The Army's putting finishing touches on the newest thing in generators—big smoke machines that can lay down protective screens over troops in the field or war plants in a few minutes. Several hundred men and women can blot out huge areas in a short time.

Details of the new generator M-1 are still a military secret, but it looks like a big box full of mechanical gadgets. It's rigged with three tanks that carry smoke-making materials and its power comes from its own small motor.

Jets at the front of the big boiler project the smoke, which is harmless to inhale. The whole outfit is mobile, having its own special four-wheeled trailer which can be hauled by almost any motor vehicle.

War Fund Contributions Will Meet All Expectations

Contributions by Camp Abbot military personnel to the National War Fund are meeting all expectations, according to Lt. Col. Philip M. Bedessem, chairman of the drive. No figures on the exact amount contributed will be available until after conclusion of the drive, No. 12, Col. Bedessem said.

NEW WAC STAFF DIRECTOR

Capt. Arlee L. Kelly of El Paso, Tex., has been named staff director of the Wac of the Ninth Service Command, headquarters of Maj. Gen. David McCoach, commanding general, announced this week. Capt. Kelly will be chief of the Wacs in Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Nevada and Arizona.

PA Unit to Air Popular Records

Camp Abbot soldiers will hear popular recording by a number of the nation's leading singers and orchestras as soon as the post's public address system is repaired and re-installed, the Special Service Office announced this week. The unit was damaged two weeks ago when a windstorm blew it from its mountings atop the All Purpose Recreation Hall.

Included in sets of records recently obtained by the Special Service Office are selections featuring Bea Wain, Bing Crosby, Dianh Shore, Andre Costelanetz, Alan Jones, Frank Sinatra, Tommy Dorsey, Eddie Cantor, Marian Hutton and the Modernaires, Alvino Rey, and the Fort Slocum Military band. Martial selections include Russian and Chinese marching songs.

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

Friday, 7:30 p. m. Post Chapel (Bldg. 208).

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 p. m. Sunday at Post Chapel. 11:15 a. m. Protestant Communion Service. Service for 54th Bn. (quarantine) at 11th Group Chapel at 6:00 p. m. 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

Episcopal Holy Communion Service at 8:00 a. m. Post Chapel. 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. Lutheran Communion at 7:30 p. m. Thursday at Post Chapel.

Descendant of LaFayette Aide Now Trainee at Camp

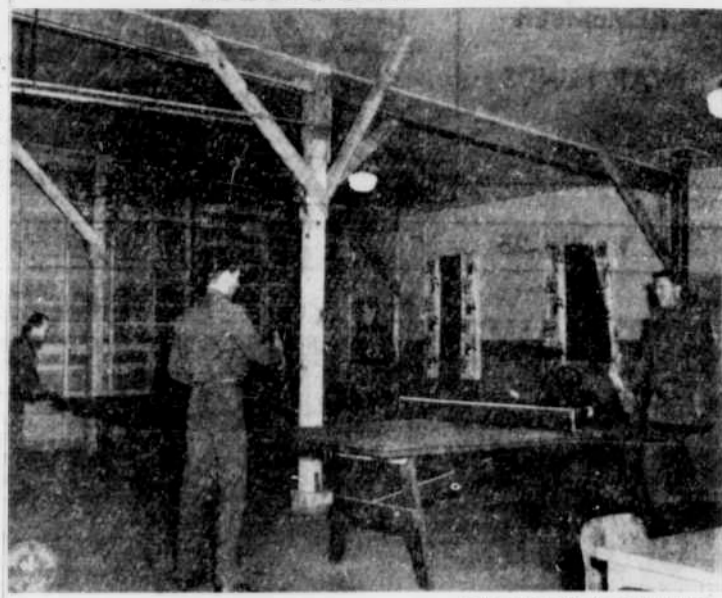
A direct descendant of Dr. Manasseh Cutler, who served as aide de camp to General Marquis De LaFayette during the American Revolutionary War, is a member of Co. A, 53rd Eng. Trng. Bn. He is Pvt. Marshal Shepherd, whose home town is Los Angeles.

The name of Dr. Cutler recently figured in news headlines when the ship "Manasseh Cutler" was launched by the Kaiser Shipbuilding Corporation on the yard's second anniversary and Victory Fleet Day.

BRIDGE RAGING TORRENTS

Last Sunday's Army Hour program revealed that at an experimental station at Imperial Dam, near Yuma, Ariz., Army Engineers are learning to bridge raging torrents. Lt. Col. B. H. Grundborg, commanding officer of the 87th Engineer Heavy Ponton Battalion, stated: "Our testing here is pointed toward developing a bridge that can be used to cross any kind of river, no matter how swift." A cable read on the program from Brig. Gen. H. J. Casey, Southwest Pacific, sketched the heroic work done by Topographical Engineers in mapping the jungles before the Allies gained air superiority, making possible successes like those at Wewak and Rabaul.

NONCOMS PLAY



—Photo By ERTC Publications.
Here are the Noncoms in their new club

Red Cross Party Her Husband Attended Led to Wife's Job

A Red Cross New Years Party in England indirectly led to a Camp Abbot Red Cross recreation aide's decision to join the Red Cross staff.

A letter from her husband, a lieutenant in the Corps of Engineers, and now stationed in North Africa, in which he waxed so enthusiastic of the Red Cross entertainment on New Years Eve led Mrs. Ruth Charlton of the Station Hospital staff here, to investigate the possibilities of being a worker in the war effort, too.

"I was so thrilled at the description my husband wrote of that party in England, in which

he seemed so sincerely pleased with the Red Cross efforts, I wrote him and asked what he thought of me entering the work," said Mrs. Charlton. "He wrote back immediately that he thought it was grand. It didn't take me long to change my mind from being a stay-at-home wife, to doing something to help entertain men in the service, too."

Mrs. Charlton arrived at Camp Abbot, Oct. 1. She had previously attended a Red Cross recreation school in San Francisco. Her home is in Riverside, Cal., and previous to her marriage she was studying optometry. She is assistant recreation director here.

EULOGY

(By Pvt. John T. McKay)

On a sunny August morning, in the year of '43,
An infant came to being that was meant for you and me.

He was nurtured and sometimes coddled by our ceaseless Captain Zwick
Who sometimes used it ruthlessly, as a tutor would a stick.

We loved this little period plan right from the very start.
Even marched along beside it, giving it the best of our soldier's heart.

He soon grew frisky, and his antics plenty rough
And he'd gain a certain pleasure, in making basic somewhat tough.

He got nasty, as he grew older, and caused us plenty sighs and sorrow,
He'd make us travel long hikes and on our reserve we'd have to borrow.

When he'd passed his adolescent age, we'd begun to slow him down,
Cause we really stayed right on the ball, and were going right to town.

As the weeks passed on so endlessly, he became a little mellow,
But he was still the same old period plan and a really swell old fellow.

His reclining days were here now, and he made a sad mistake.
By joining us in a three day problem, putting his very life at stake.

The poor old soul caught pneumonia, cause he couldn't stand the pace,
Even the best Medics of Camp Abbot couldn't help him win the race.

He died with his pals around him, and our grief is very deep,
As we lay him down to rest now, to begin his endless sleep.

Save for Security! Save with Security!—Buy BONDS!

BAND PLAYS FRIDAY

The ERTC band will give a special concert next Friday night at the Service Club. The band, directed by Warrant Officer Charles S. Spalding will give the following program:

"Poet and Peasant Overture," by Suppe. "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," Bach. "Polka," Shostakovich. "Strotoswing," Walters. "Marching Song," Holst. "Waltz Grotesque," Hayes. Andante and March," from Pathetic Symphony, Tchaikovsky.

Hollywood (CNS) — Mrs. Arline Peak Fear, a pretty secretary, who said Ralph Gordon Fear, her millionaire husband, claimed he first married her 2,300 years ago when he was a Roman warrior in a previous incarnation, has sued him for divorce. Their long marriage, she claims, didn't prevent him from hopping out of bed one morning when his nude niece walked in to display her suntan.



"Last month my light bill was only 43¢, Corporal!"

The Wolf

by Sansone



"Thanks awfully for helping me. Isn't there some way I can repay you?"