

# Officers Form Bowling League

An eight-team league of bowlers made up of officers of Camp Abbot will begin rolling for the pins this coming week in a round robin tournament to be played off each Wednesday evening.

The eight teams in the league include Jarvi's Wildcats, headed by Lt. Ray Jarvi. Capt. Thomas B. Fulkerson heads the Quartermaster's team and Lt. Lee N. Vest is manager of the Medics team. Lt. J. F. Derr heads the "Neo-phytes" and Maj. F. J. Landenberger heads the Wahee Courts team. Lt. Joe Norris is manager of the 11th group team, while Capt. F. B. Hohenhorst heads the Headquarters Hotshots. Maj. Paul L. Diediker heads the eighth team in the league, under the title of "Sad Sacks."

Lt. Derr stated that there is need of pin boys and any one interested in setting pins for the officers during the league play should contact him immediately. He said the officers will pay the pin boys and not the alleys. The league will meet from 1930 to 2130 hours each Wednesday evening on the Bend alleys.

## SPORT SLANTS

(By Camp Newspaper Service)

If the St. Louis Browns win the American league pennant next year they will do so on the strength of their 4F infield. First Baseman George McQuinn, Second Baseman Don Gutteridge, Third Baseman Ellis Clary and Shortstop Vern Stephens all have been turned down by the Army because of physical defects.

The Great Lakes naval training station has the biggest and toughest football schedule in the country this fall. The Blue jackets, who already have played Ft. Riley, Purdue, Iowa, Pitt and Ohio State now have games scheduled with Northwestern, Marquette, Western Michigan, Camp Grant, Indiana and Notre Dame.

Pvt. Al Lien, star southpaw pitcher of the San Francisco Seals, will hurl for McClellan Field, Calif., next year. Lien, who won 14 games for the Seals last summer, signed a "duration and

**Pick the Winners**  
Games for November 13, 1943  
**GUESS THE RIGHT SCORE OF THIS GAME**

Northwestern vs. Notre Dame

**CHECK THE WINNER!**  
Do Not Indicate Scores

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Print your name here.....

Co. or Bn.....

Drop or Mail to U. S. O. Contest Box—Bend

six" contract with Uncle Sam Sept. 28.

Hi Bithorn, an 18-game winner for the Chicago Cubs this past season, has been reclassified 1A by his home town draft board at San Juan, Puerto Rico. Clyde McCullough, Cub catcher, who was turned down by the Army earlier this year, will undergo a new physical Dec. 14 in Chicago.

Bob Paffrath, former Minesota back, was supposed to be civilian backfield coach of the Ft. Douglas (Utah) grid team this fall. But the day before Ft. Douglas played the Salt Lake City Air Base he was inducted into the Army. The next day Paffrath played in the Ft. Douglas backfield.

Back again in the service is S/Sgt. Earl Cady who won the featherweight title of the American Expeditionary Force in France the same night a marine named Gene Tunney took the light-heavyweight title. Cady is stationed at Ft. Bragg, N. C.

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

## Basketball Scores

Scores of last week's basketball tournament.

A-57	41
C-52	24
MP's	38
C-53	14
Service Co.	2
B-52	0
A-53	25
A-51	28
C-52	25
D-56	47
Special Training Group	20
A-57	32
Supply Co.	51
A-52	5
MPs	28
B-57	37
Supply Co.	35
Casual	33

## MORE ABOUT Three Awards

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handled there.

The suggestion of Mr. Rainey dealt with a new plan in handling commissary clothing sales. He would have the prices of all articles plainly indicated on the purchase slip which would alleviate the possibility of error and the necessity of an officer possibly having to return to the warehouse after making a purchase. It would also make unnecessary the use of one employe now engaged in balancing sales slips against the permanent stock record.

Members of the "Ideas for Victory" committee are: Maj. Paul H. Diediker, Maj. Frederick J. Landenberger, Murrell L. Balentine, civilian personnel relations chief; Bruce Mellis and Margaret Smith of the civilian personnel section, and Sgt. Carlo J. Cotella.

Bob Orlando, star guard and placekick specialist at Colgate last year, won't play football at Camp Grant, Ill. Inducted into the Army and assigned to Camp Grant last month, Orlando said he had decided to give up football because his parents objected.

Pass The ENGINEER To Another Abbotman—He'll Appreciate It.

# Grass Planting For All Areas

Hoping to prevent a repetition of the dust of last Summer and Fall which caused no small amount of inconvenience to the military personnel, ERTC troops this week started to plant grass in their respective areas. Planting will be under the supervision of the Post Engineer.

The grass is not of the lawn variety and Camp Abbot will hardly blossom out like a City Park come the warm days of Spring, for the grass is being planted primarily as a dust palliative, and the seed used is of a variety especially fitted to grow grass for this purpose.

Top soil, where needed, will be obtained in the area surrounding the dump and burning pit area. A special announcement by Col. Frank S. Besson, ERTC commander urges that all units plant their respective areas by November 14.

## Abbot Face!

By Pfc. Milton Beck  
Co. C, 59th Bn.

A few weeks ago Sgt. Hanson the Top Kick of B, 59 was riding a bicycle from his company on an errand, and proceeding in the direction of Bn. Headquarters he was met by the battalion mail orderly of the 59th battalion who had just emerged from the office, and had started out on foot to pick up his mail from the post office, as his own bicycle had a flat tire at the time. The mail orderly, Pfc. Beck, pointed his finger at Sgt. Hanson and yelled: "Where are you going with that bicycle soldier, don't you realize that we are facing a rubber crisis?" "Is that trip absolutely necessary?" Sgt. Hanson said that he was going down to C, company on an errand. Beck said, "give me that bicycle sergeant, my trip is more necessary, I've got to go to the post office, you have to go only a short distance which you can walk." The sergeant got down off his bicycle and gave it to the

mail orderly without a word, and off rode the happy Pfc. Beck stand 5 ft 1 and 1/2" in., in his bare feet; Sgt. Hanson is about as strong and husky as any G. I. in camp. This whole performance was witnessed by two passing Wac lieutenants who had a most bewildered look as they saw all of this. (Had they only known that Pfc. Beck and Sgt. Hanson are the best of pals, and that Sgt. Hanson is about the best natured fellow a guy would ever want to meet.)

Sgt. McKee of C, 59 went down to the dental clinic the other morning and came back with this story, which he claims he eye witnessed:

Gently he pushed her quivering shoulder back against the chair. She raised beseeching eyes in which faint hope and fear were struggling. From her parted lips, the breath came in short wrenching gasps. Reassuringly he smiled at her.

Bzzzz, went the dentist's drill.

"Meat is never meat until it is in the pan" and then it sometimes gets away. Such is the report that comes to us of our Captain W. H. Yarbough who has just returned from his leave. It seems that the Captain was deer hunting over in the hills and spied a beautiful four point buck coming down the side of a little rise. Well, it was a sure thing, the red stamp problem was over for the winter. Bang and the deer fell, Captain rushed over with glee to his kill and drew his hunting knife to finish the job, BUT behold, this fine buck rose to his feet, waved his little wagger and was gone before the Captain could gain his composure. Thus the red stamps flashed across the glade in glee. Better Luck Next Time, Captain. We might add that good pheasant hunting was had with results in the pan.

San Francisco (CNS)—When the hotel clerk told a stick-up artist that he had a key to the hotel till but none to the safe, the bandit sneered. "I can't be bothered with small stuff," he said and walked out.

# Motor Pool Reconditions Equipment for Use in Training

Approximately 200 pieces of heavy equipment, having served its purpose in the virtually completed Army construction program, has been reconditioned and is in use at Camp Abbot. Included in this equipment, all reconditioned by the maintenance section of the Motor Supply Branch, are tanks, used in troop training; power shovels, also used in the training section, and scores of trucks, jeeps and other motor vehicles used in handling post transportation.

Many of the trucks came from the Alcan highway, in Alaska, and several of the smaller tanks were of a type built for the Chinese government. Some were badly "beat up" upon arrival, but motor pool mechanics reconditioned them until now they function for every use required in the training area. The power shovels came from a mid-western Army post where they had been used in construction activities.

Early in 1943 it was determined that the Army's construction program would be greatly reduced and that stocks of equipment would become surplus. The program of redistribution adopted called for the scrapping of all obsolete equipment, the allocation of minimum amounts to the Army Service Forces for training purposes and post maintenance. The estimated overall reconditioned equipment throughout the Army is placed roughly at 50,000 pieces of heavy equipment, valued at \$100,000,000.



"I wish you'd fasten your medals on tighter!— This is no scrap metal depot!"

## SEND THE ENGINEER HOME

(Fold paper, fasten it together, place 1 1/2 cent stamp in corner, mail)

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Camp Abbot, Oregon

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Cent  
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