

# Abbot Cagers Beat Bend High, 70-14

## Camp Quintet Displays Real Power on Court

Camp Abbot cagers, making their initial bow of the season, scored an easy 70 to 14 victory over the Bend High quintet in the All-Purpose Building Thursday night.

The Bend squad displayed courage and showed fighting hearts, but the rangy Camp Abbot athletes and superior knowledge gained on college courts told before the game had been underway two minutes. Despite the lop-sided score, Bend cagers fought spiritedly until the final whistle. Tucker lead the post cagers in scoring and tossed many long shots from far reaches of the court. Woods was the outstanding player for Bend.

The band from C-51, playing selected tunes, gave a collegiate atmosphere to the game.

Prospects are bright for a schedule that will give the Camp Abbot team plenty of action after the holidays. A communication to the camp athletic director from L. J. Sparks, athletic manager, Willamette University, Salem, indicated that institution would send a civilian team to meet the Camp Abbot cagers. It would be impossible, however, for a squad of Navy trainees now taking specialized training at the university, to make the trip, he wrote.

The manager of the Albina Hellships, a team composed of former west coast college stars now employed by the Albina Shipyards, Portland, notified the Special Service office that squad would be available for two games here at a date to be agreed upon later.

The standings in the chase for the post title, including Thursday's games, follow:

### STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost
A-57	10	0
C-51	9	1
D-56	7	2
A-53	7	3
B-52	7	3
Supply	6	3
B-54	6	3
A-51	7	4
D-51	5	5
Casual	5	7
Service	4	7
MP	3	6
Civ. Pers.	3	7
A-52	3	7
C-53	2	5
C-52	2	7
Medics	3	7

## Pianos and Pool Tables Bought For Rec Halls

Nine pool tables, of the latest and improved type, have been purchased from recreation funds and will be installed in Rec Halls of the 11th and 12th ERTC Groups and such places as the group commanders may direct, and in the area occupied by troops under jurisdiction of the Headquarters Commandant.

Seven pianos also have been purchased and will be delivered to the group commanders for disposition in their areas, according to Lt. V. G. Henderson, special service officer.

New York (CNS)—Walter Schlesinger, a hospital orderly, used to take a few whiffs from an oxygen tank whenever he felt tired. Recently he took a sniff of cyclopropane, a powerful anesthetic, by mistake and dropped dead.

## AN OFFICER DOES K. P.



Lt. Patricia Elwell, commanding officer of the Wac company, shows that K. P. is just another duty in the Army and that even an officer can make a good one. Here she is carving the first turkey for the Wac's Thanksgiving dinner. The commanding officer and Lt. Louise Bloodworth and Lt. Helen Martin all volunteered for kitchen duty Thanksgiving day and Mess Sgt. Spray says they are welcome back anytime. "Nice going," says the sergeant as she observed Lt. Elwell's carving technique.

—Photo by Vincent, Post Photographer.

## Bowling Notes

Neophytes			
Lt. Wallace	126	138	117-381
Lt. Derr	112	124	124-360
Lt. Ribbeck	123	120	144-387
Lt. Edgren	154	130	174-458
Lt. Hoagland	103	99	157-359
Totals	618	611	716 1945

Quartermasters			
Capt. Brgrsn	160	141	190-491
Lt. Pulver	108	151	165-424
Mr. Cox	170	172	169-511
Hennings	167	181	136-484
Capt. Flkrsn	162	127	180-469
Totals	767	772	840 2379

Medics			
Lt. Vest	153	130	112-415
Lt. O'Brien	139	133	174-446
Lt. Flanigan	90	139	212-441
Maj. Drischol	144	193	155-492
Lt. Snyder	144	214	177-535
Totals	670	829	830 2329

Wildcats			
Lt. Jarvi	189	152	164-505
Lt. Oxford	164	127	144-435
Lt. Rogers	155	134	171-460
Lt. Burgess	167	234	148-549
Lt. Brown	158	175	150-483
Totals	833	822	777 2432

Wahee Courts			
Maj. Lndbgr	110	153	110-373
Capt. Smith	98	129	143-370
Cpt. Strother	168	134	145-465
Capt. Coover	159	90	122-371
Capt. Wilson	171	128	120-419
Totals	724	634	640 1998

Sad Sacks			
Lt. Samarco	125		
Lt. Kruzic	117	140	382
Lt. McRae	119	136	170-425
Cpt. Gearing	127	142	120-389
Fleishman	135	105	107-347
Capt. Craig	139	161	145-445
Totals	645	661	682 1988

Strikers			
Capt. Fuller	147	167	118-432
Lt. McKnight	167	120	148-435
Lt. Yancey	147	147	134-428
Lt. Kobel	135	149	134-418
Cpt. Hammer	88	112	124-324
Totals	684	695	658 2037

Hdq. Hotshots			
Capt. Ward	117	113	125-355
Lt. Shick	143	156	138-437
Lt. Carney	120	135	123-378

Lt. Johaneck	142	129	159-430
Cpt. H'nhorst	117	141	179-437
Totals	639	674	724 2037

## SPORT SLANTS

(By Camp Newspaper Service)  
Don't let this spread around Coogan's Bluff but Sgt. Tom Gorman, ex-Giant pitcher, is umpiring softball games for Army nurses in Cairo.

T/Sgt. Marty Brill, former Notre Dame halfback and Loyola University coach, soon will get his release from the Air Forces to accept a commission as first lieutenant in the Marines. Brill has been stationed at the Santa Ana Air Base, Calif.

Sid Luckman, the Chicago Bears' great passing quarterback, has been sworn in as an ensign in the Maritime Service. He expects to be called to active duty shortly after the close of the current National Professional Football League season.

S/Sgt. Gene Jantzen, physical training instructor at the Lincoln (Neb.) Army Air Base, claims that he's the army setup champion. He performed 5,200 setups in 4 hours, 50 minutes.

Kitty Sinkwich, sister of Flat Foot Frankie, the Georgia All-American and Detroit Lions back, has enlisted in the WACS. She's a softball pitcher and thinks football is silly.

Members of the football squad at Camp Grant, Ill., must learn to play at least two positions apiece. Coach Charlie Bachman has only 25 men on his squad.

CPO Bobby Feller, the Cleveland Indians' fastest contribution to the Navy, is stationed in the South Pacific.

Philadelphia (CNS)—Mrs. Esther Irvin slipped in the bathtub and broke her hip. Mrs. Marie Sturts, a neighbor, heard her cry for help and attempted to climb through a second story window to help. She slipped, broke her hip. Both women were given adjoining beds in the hospital.

## Food Wastage Radio Topic

Standardization of mess management is the greatest factor in the Army's campaign to eliminate food waste, Maj. Arthur Davidson, food service supervisor, declared in a discussion of military measures leading to conservation of food, on the regular weekly Camp Abbot broadcast over KBND Wednesday night.

"The poorly managed mess is being gradually eliminated and it is to this end our group is working," Major Davidson said.

Appearing with Maj. Davidson on the 15-minute program was Lt. Thomas P. Kruzic, assistant food service supervisor; Lt. Keith Beardmore, assistant commandant, School for Cooks and Bakers, and Lt. Willard Langhus, nutrition officer.

The program revealed that the foundation of the whole Army policy against waste of food is careful training that every cook gets in conservation; the direct personal responsibility of mess officers and company commanders for this vital function and the system of staff supervision and inspection by trained experts and inspection from levels of higher command.

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

## 60 to Battle For Honors in Table Tourny

Sixty contestants will battle for the table tennis tournament championships of Camp Abbot when the tournament gets under way next Monday.

Increasing interest in the tourney has been in evidence since it was announced and, according to Sgt. E. Charles, who has been active in promotion of the tournament some close match play is expected to develop. Many of the entrants have indicated they were sincere in entering, and are out to win, by spending long hours in practice on tables at the NCO club, the Service Club and in detachment day rooms.

The tournament, to be held at the NCO club, will get under way at 6:30 p. m. Monday night. Men's Singles will be the first matches to go into play, and will be followed by Men's Doubles; Women's Singles, Women's Doubles, concluding with Mixed Doubles. The latter matches will begin at 8 p.m. on both Monday and Tuesday nights. Final matches will be played Wednesday night, the following schedule being observed: 7:30 p. m., Men's Doubles; 8 p. m., Women's Doubles; 8:30 p. m. Women's Singles; 9 p. m., Mixed Doubles, and Men's Singles at 9:30 p. m.

No entrance fee was required to enter the tournament and no admission charge for spectators. All GI's, and also officers, are welcome to attend. Special prizes will be awarded winners of all events.

## New Telephone Building Boon To Many GI's

One of the most popular spots at Camp Abbot is the telephone building located in the rear of the Post Signal Office, just beyond the barracks occupied by the telephone girls. The building was constructed especially for this purpose and is equipped with booths and kept in order by the telephone company.

With telephone lines crowded as result of many war calls, it is sometimes necessary to wait a few minutes before a call can be completed. This room, furnished the company through cooperation of the ERTC commander, was constantly with the thought of making that delay more pleasant.

Minneapolis (CNS)—Seeking a divorce, Mrs. Lorraine Erickson said she received a bass fiddle from her husband on St. Valentine's day. Attached was this note: "You've slapped me around long enough. Now, slap this around."

### SEND THE ENGINEER HOME

(Fold paper, fasten it together, place 1½c stamp in corner, mail)

From

.....  
.....

Camp Abbot, Oregon

1½ Cent Stamp Here