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Abbot 'n Around

Entertainment On and Off the Post for the Coming Week

TODAY

Service Club—Jam Session.
Station Hospital—Checker Tournament, 7 p.m.
Bend USO—Bingo, 8 p.m.

SUNDAY

Service Club—Open House; Truth and Consequences, 8:30 p.m.
Station Hospital—Open House, 2 to 4 p.m., and 7 to 8:30 p.m.
Make a record, 7 p.m.
Bend USO—"Breakfast is served," 10 a.m. Open house and refreshments all day.
Guest House—Classical Recordings, 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY

Service Club—GI Movies, 8:30 p.m.
Guest House—"War Brought Up to Date," Open Forum, 8:30 p.m.
Station Hospital—"Everybody Sing," and Open Forum sponsored by Bend Kiwanis Club, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY

Service Club—Bingo Night, 8:30 p.m.
Station Hospital—Movie, "Footlight Glamor," 6:30 p.m.
Officers Club—Informal party for officers on post, 8:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Service Club—Dance, 8:30 p.m.
Station Hospital—Medical Detachment Band Music.
Radio Program, KBND—"Camp Abbot on Parade," 8 to 8:15 p.m.

THURSDAY

Service Club—"Khaki Kapers," 55th Bn.—Everybody welcome, 8:30 p.m.
Station Hospital—Classical Music and Games.

FRIDAY

Service Club—Make a Record, Free, and Game Night, 9.00 p.m.
Station Hospital—Movie, "Girl Crazy," 6:30 p.m.
Bend USO—Dance class, 8 p.m.

Ex-NY Radio Man New RC Official

Robert S. Allison Jr. assumed his duties as the new assistant field director for the Red Cross at Camp Abbot last Saturday, it was announced this week at Red Cross headquarters.

The new official was formerly stationed at the Salt Lake City Army Air Base. He was also active in Red Cross work at Camp Young, California, and at the Kingman Army Air Field at Kingman, Ariz.

Before entering his present work, Allison was a well-known radio producer for Maxon, Inc., New York advertising agency. One of the originators of "Information, Please," he produced also "The Hour of Charm," "The World Today," an international newscast, and big-time sporting events.

CHURCH RITES

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

JEWISH SERVICES

Friday—7:45 p.m., Post Chapel.
CATHOLIC SERVICES
Mass daily in 12th Group Chapel—Monday at 7 p.m. (For 59th Battalion only). Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday at 5:15 p.m., and Thursday and Friday at 7 a.m.

Tuesday—Choir rehearsal, Post Chapel, 7 p.m.
Saturday—Confessions, Post Chapel, 7 to 9 p.m.

Sunday—Mass at Station Hospital, 7:30 a.m. (Open to others besides Medical Personnel) and confessions before mass; Mass, Post Chapel, 9 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

PROTESTANT SERVICES

Sunday
8:00 a.m.—12th Gp. Chapel (for 50th Bn. only).
9:15 a.m.—Service at Guardhouse.
10:00 a.m.—Service at Hospital in Red Cross Rec. Hall. (Open to others besides Medical Personnel.)

11:00 a.m.—Dedication of Chapels at the Post Chapel.
7:00 p.m.—Central Service for 51st Bn. in Field.
7:30—Post Chapel.

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m.—Post Chapel, Choir Rehearsal.

DENOMINATIONAL SERVICES

Wednesday—L.D.S. Service, 11th Group Chapel, 7 p.m.
Thursday—Christian Science, 12th Group Chapel, 8 p.m.

Recorded music Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evening and Sunday afternoon in Post Chapel.

DEDICATION POST CHAPEL

Non-sectarian service, with all Chaplains participating, Sunday, 11 a.m.

Home Nursing Class Graduated

The first 1944 class of the Red Cross home nursing course, comprised of 46 women, 36 of them wives of Camp Abbot men, was graduated Tuesday night at the Episcopal parish hall in Bend. The class, composed of two groups meeting on Mondays and Fridays, has been studying for the past six weeks under the leadership of Mrs. L. L. Shlenker, wife of Capt. Leonard L. Shlenker, Camp Abbot medical officer.

Dr. Adolph Weinzirl, director of the division of social hygiene, University of Oregon medical school, principal graduation speaker, delivered an address on venereal disease control.

Also present were Mrs. George R. K. Moorhead, executive secretary of the social hygiene division and Mrs. James Chamberlain, chairman of the county home nursing committee.

It was announced at Red Cross headquarters immediately following the graduation that plans for classes in nutrition to begin some time in June, are rapidly approaching completion.

Abbot Soldier Father of Six Children, Eldest Ten

A champion family man of the post is Pvt. Carl Blackmore of Supply Company. He is the hero of six children, the youngest an infant and the eldest a boy of 10.

Our own hero is the ten-year-old lad, who as man of the house is taking care of his bedridden mother, unable to secure professional help in their Mississippi home town, looking after the other five children, and writing dad to let him know how things are going. Oh, yes, he goes to school, too.

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

Here's Latest Data on Voting In 19 Primaries

By Camp Newspaper Service.....

Nineteen states in the nation will hold primaries in late July and August.

These states are Arizona, Arkansas, Delaware, Kansas, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Mississippi (second primary), Missouri, Montana, New Hampshire, New York, South Carolina (first primary), Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

Five of these states make no provision for soldier voting in the primaries. In the other 14 the WD post card (WD AGO Form 560) may be used either as an application for a ballot or a request for the special application form furnished by the states. The new War Ballot Commission postcard forms (WD Circular 128, Par. 1, Sec. XI) probably won't be ready for distribution in time for these primaries.

If servicemen are unable to get any postcard form, they may apply by letter, using the text that will be on the new cards as it is given in Circular 128. These applications should bear the distinctive markings and the appropriate air mail marking as described in WD Circular 155, Section I.

Servicemen are urged to remember to put their party affiliation on applications for state absentee ballots. Names and serial number should be printed on the WD postcard or the letter sent in its place.

Some states require voters to take additional steps in order to qualify to vote in the primary. Anyone uncertain about his eligibility should write to the secretary of state of his home state giving the date of his birth, the in the state, and his voting disnumber of years he has lived trict (to the best of his knowledge).

Detailed information on voting in the 19 state primaries is given in a chart to be printed in next week's ENGINEER through the facilities of YANK, the Army Weekly. Information used in the table is taken from WD Circular 166, 28 April 1944.

59th Places 14 Men on OCS List

Fourteen members of the 59th Battalion were among the 18 men selected to attend Engineer Officer Candidate School at Fort Belvoir, Va., last week.

Candidates from the 59th Bn. are Cpls. Daniel T. Moyle, John H. Boxer, Robert A. McRae, Michael A. Chernich, Lester J. Feiring, Joe O. Lammi, James P. Sherlock, Harold F. Smith, John H. Leary, John B. McNally, Walter Duykers, Sam Sachs, Donald T. Trowbridge and William J. Wilkins.

From other units are Cpl. Benjamin Baskin of Service Company and Cpls. William H. Hays, Frank T. Otero and Tom J. Herndon, all of Casual Company.

F.O.E. INVITES SOLDIERS

Families and friends of Camp Abbot members of the F.O.E. are invited to attend a get-together sponsored by the Bend Eirie No. 2089 at the lodge hall Sunday afternoon, May 28. Speakers will include John Bennett, state president; Al C. Friesen, state chaplain, and M. L. Shepard, state conductor. Refreshments will be served.

It's your life, soldier—INSURE IT!

COME ON IN — THE WATER'S FINE



Mother, Mother, can I go swim? Yes, my darling daughter. Hang your clothes on a hickory limb, and get your picture in the paper. Even on these chilly days, we wouldn't mind joining MGM's Diana Lewis for a dip. Would you? Huh? Would you?

MORE ABOUT Bond Meeting

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which have accomplished unusually high sales will disclose the methods employed.

No quota has yet been set for Camp Abbot in the Fifth War Loan Drive, but it is expected to be announced after the conference. Although the official date of the drive has been set from June 8 to July 12, all bond purchases at Camp Abbot will

be credited toward the drive throughout the months of June and July.

Immediately following the Portland conference, Major Roche will return to Camp Abbot with the group. He will be here Wednesday to present formally to this station the "T" flag awarded by the Treasury department for bond purchases by 90 per cent of civilian personnel through regular payroll deduction of 10 per cent of pay. Col. Frank S. Besson, Post Commander, will accept the flag on behalf of the station at a special ceremony.

CAMP ABBOT THEATRE PROGRAM (Clip and Save)

TONIGHT

Slightly Terrific
with LEON ERROL ANNE ROONEY EDDIE QUILLAN BETTY KEAN and Ray Malone Donald Novis Lillian Cornell Richard Lane
SILENT PARTNER
WILLIAM HUNST-BEVERLY LLOYD - GRANT WITHERS WALLY VERREN
A Republic Picture

SUNDAY — MONDAY

Matinee

Sunday

2 p. m.

Nights

6:30—8:30

Cary GRANT
Once Upon a Time
A COLUMBIA PICTURE

Also RKO Pathe News

★ Community Sing

TUESDAY

The amazing drama of a woman barred from love!
ANGIE GREEN
YELLOW CANARY
Produced and Directed by HERBERT WILCOX

ALSO—MELODY GARDENS "IMPORTANT BUSINESS"

WEDNESDAY

WALLY BROWN ALAN CARNEY

in "Seven Days Ashore"

ALSO—"JUNGLE JIVE" "WELLS FARGO DAYS"

THURSDAY - FRIDAY

EDDIE CANTOR — GEORGE MURPHY
"SHOW BUSINESS"

ALSO — RKO PATHE NEWS
ARMY-NAVY SCREEN MAGAZINE