

Accident at WAC HQ Results in Fractured Leg

As the result of a four-foot fall from the supply room counter, "Grumpy," six-weeks old son of "Snowball," coal-black feline maintaining a home for her family with the WAC company, sustained a greenstick fracture of his right front leg a week ago. The injured member has been placed in splints by Lt. Jack W. Hylton, veterinarian, and Grumpy is getting along as well as can be expected.

At the time of the accident, Lt. Patricia E. Elwell, WAC company commander, was looking over the Morning Report at her desk. She rushed the injured kitten across the street to the Receiving and Dispensary room of the post hospital, where first aid was administered. However, infection set in, and at ten o'clock last Tuesday morning Grumpy went on sick call at the post kennels, where the seriousness of the injury was revealed.

Grumpy will be moved to Fort Lewis in comfort as closely approximating that provided by an ambulance as T/5 Cora Nell Wilson, assistant to the WAC supply sergeant, can devise.



—Photo by Signal Corps Photo Lab.

Pvt. Louis D. Hauser of Company B, 52nd battalion, buys first bond—denomination \$1,000—in Fifth War Loan Drive, as his company commander, Lt. Merle E. Wilson, looks on. Lt. Harriett M. Whiteman, assistant public relations officer, went to company headquarters in the bivouac area as representative of the War Bond Council in the bivouac area.

ASTFC soldiers made preparations for joining their Engineer brethren, many of them undoubtedly graduates of Camp Abbot, in the assault against the Nazi menace.

CLASS B ISSUE

MOTHER: (entering room unexpectedly) ". . . Why I never . . ." DAUGHTER: "Oh, mother—you must have."

Money doesn't always bring happiness. A guy with ten million dollars is any happier than a guy with only nine million.

GI: Sweetheart, I love you terribly.
Gal: You certainly do.

A draft dodger, when arrested by FBI agents said:
"I read a poster which said: 'Some of us must fight—some must buy bonds.' I made my choice—I bought bonds."

Baby stork: "Mama, where did I come from?"

Sign seen outside a church:
DO YOU KNOW WHAT HELL IS LIKE?
Come and hear our new organist.

Lawyer: "Anything you say will be held against you."
Client: "Betty Grable."

India Officer Buys Abbot Bond

Major Arthur Davidson, co-chairman of the Abbot War Bond Council, has announced the sale of a \$500 bond to a customer in India. Lt. John J. Zemerlin, who served as First Sergeant with Major Davidson at the Southern California Induction Center in Los Angeles three years ago, sent the major a check for \$375 with a request to forward the bond to the Lieutenant's mother in Adah, Pennsylvania.

Army Wives Hike Red Cross Output

Army wives working in the Red Cross production program, under the direction of Mrs. Frank S. Besson, have turned out more than 40,000 surgical dressings since the program was established locally last July, the Camp Abbot field office has announced. Nearly 400 women took part in the program and devoted 1,500 hours to the production of dressings, most of which were allotted to the station hospital.

More than 1,300 articles, including bedside bags, slippers, sewing kits and comfort kits, have been turned out by a group of more than 400 army wives participating in the Red Cross sewing program. Supervisor for this is Mrs. Chas. F. Baish, who is assisted by Mrs. A. M. Mock and Mrs. Merrill A. Pimentel.

Red Cross Loans \$3,643 in Month

One hundred thirteen loans, totaling \$3,643.38, were made to soldiers by the Camp Abbot field office of the American Red Cross during May, Frank Dunning, field director, announced this week. Outright grants to soldiers whose financial status precludes possibility of repayment totaled \$1,236 for the 31-day period.

In addition, the Camp Abbot office acted on 869 cases during the month, and handled 1,044 letters and 1,030 telegrams for soldiers.

Camp Abbot Wild Life Might Give Artist Ideas

As Sgt. Leo Frizzo, Athletic Coach, approached the Rec Hall in his car early Monday morning, he came upon a young doe warming up the Group Avenue parking. Sergeant Frizzo says that from the way she was beating it for cover, he expected to see Sansone's Wolf in hot pursuit, but that if that character was around, he was outdistanced

USO Letter Pays Tribute to Camp

The USO Council of Bend, at a meeting held Thursday evening, passed a resolution expressing regret at the severing of the relationship with Camp Abbot personnel and commenting on "the fine type of American Citizenship exemplified by all with whom we have come in contact."

The resolution is set forth in a letter addressed to Col. F. S. Besson, Center Commander, copy of which was sent also to Chaplain William H. Andrew. The text follows:

"Be it resolved that this council express to the enlisted personnel and officers of Camp Abbot in behalf of the USO Council of Bend, Staff, and citizens of Bend, Oregon, our deep regret at the severing of relationship due to the transfer of activities of Camp Abbot."

"Be it further resolved that we express to the men of Camp Abbot, our sincere and heartfelt appreciation of their exemplary behavior and cooperation with all of our efforts in behalf of the war effort, and further that we note with pride the fine type of American Citizenship exemplified by all with whom we have come in contact."

"Be it further resolved that we wish them all God Speed and may a reward be their reward. Our heartfelt thanks go with them and a warm welcome awaits their return."

GIs Here Grab Schooling Deal

Six Camp Abbot soldiers have enrolled in the United States Armed Forces Institute, it was made known at headquarter this week. The students will continue their education without interruption of military service, in accordance with the Institute plan.

Men enrolled are: Cpl. Francis E. Mire, Supplemental Training Company; Pvt. Ward D. King, Casual Company; Pvt. William V. Favilla, Company A, 53rd battalion; Pvt. Fred J. Russell, MP Company; Pvt. Neil F. Jones, Casual Company, and Pvt. Leonard O. Howlett, Company B, 59th battalion.

Post Civilization if Any To Live on in CE Castles

Visualizing, as we do, Camp Abbot as a sort of GI Angkor Wat in days to come, we are wondering what visiting historians will make of the ornate company identification structures left standing along the roads.

Take, for instance, the 25 x 12-foot structure recently completed by Company B, 58th battalion. Containing approximately 500 12-inch sections of sapling pine stripped of their bark, and many other lengths similarly

Colonel Wears Shoulder Patch Of Middle East

Wearing the sleeve patch of the Persian Gulf Command, Lt. Col. E. L. Norberg, of Burlingame, Calif., accompanied by Mrs. Norberg, arrived here this week to await reassignment.

During his 22 months overseas, Colonel Norberg served with the Corps of Engineers in West Africa, French Sudan, Egyptian Sudan, Eritrea, Arabia, Iraq and Iran.

The sleeve patch, the background of which is amplified by a goodly number of campaign ribbons on Colonel Norberg's chest, is green with a white Star of the East and a red scimitar, or Orienta sword.

New Jive Outfit Formed in C-58

Cpl. Richard Babcock, a mean trumpeter, has surrounded his talent with that of several other members of Company C, 58th battalion, and is rehearsing almost nightly in the company messhall, where KPs wash supper dishes and set the breakfast table to such scintillating numbers as "Star Dust," "Bugle Call Rag," and "Sugar Blues."

Other members of the band are Pvt. Otis Killingsworth and Jerry Brainerd, guitarists; Pvt. Robert W. Tubising, trumpeter, and Pvt. Herbert Olson, clarinetist.

CHURCH RITES

Post Chapel, Bldg. 208; 11th Gp. Chapel, Bldg. 1235; 12th Gp. Chapel, Bldg. 754; Hospital services, Red Cross Recreation Hall.

JEWISH SERVICES

Friday—7:45 p.m., Post Chapel.

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Daily—Mass in 12th Group Chapel at 7 a.m. except Monday, 7 p.m. (for 21st Bn. only).

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

9:15—Service at Guardhouse.

10 a.m.—Service at Hospital in Red Cross Rec. Hall (Open to others besides Medical Personnel).

10:45—Post Chapel (Bldg. 208).

11:30—Post Chapel, Protestant Communion.

6:30—11th Group Chapel (for 51st Battalion only).

7:30 p.m.—Post Chapel (Bldg. 208).

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.

prepared, it forms the facade view of a gigantic Engineer's castle. The only mark of identification is a large "B-58" woven with whitewashed rope into the wire for which the castle forms a frame. Too large to be accommodated by a box car, this monument to the artistry and persistence of B-58 men will be left standing, Lt. E. T. Price reports.

Male Call

by Milton Caniff, creator of "Terry and the Pirates"



Knot Hole In Any Party Platform