

ENGINEERS AWAIT CALL TO FRANCE

Camp Meade Unit to Sail Within Three Weeks, Is Report

OFFICERS MAKE READY Liberty Loan Campaign Takes on New Life—\$50,000 Subscriptions This Morning

By a Staff Correspondent CAMP MEADE, Md., Oct. 19. That nearly 200 men attached to one of Little Penn's engineer units will leave for France within three weeks is the substance of a report which gained circulation today. Official confirmation of the story cannot be obtained at division headquarters, because it is not the policy of General Kuhn to give out information in regard to the departure of troops until a few hours before they are scheduled to leave. Despite that, several officers asserted that they were arranging for an early departure and made no secret of the fact that they were going direct to France. The organization is made up of volunteers and has been in the service more than four months. Every man designed to go is trained to the minute and, with an additional two months of intensive training abroad, will be ready for actual service. That these men are scheduled to leave within three weeks comes as no surprise to the camp, for General Kuhn in talks with newspaper men has intimated that men would be withdrawn from the camp as they were needed. He amplified that statement by saying that technical men are needed and that such men are subject to call at all times and that they will be sent across the sea whenever the War Department feels that there is a real need for their services in France. Owing to the censorship the identity of the unit cannot be revealed.

BOOM FOR LIBERTY LOAN The camp's Liberty Bond campaign took on new life today and in the early morning hours subscriptions totaling \$50,000 were received from the boys in olive drab. One reserve officer, who feels that he is not doing all that he can for Uncle Sam by enlisting, walked to the headquarters of General Nicholson this morning and announced that he would take bonds to the amount of \$25,000. "I cannot give you his name," said General Nicholson, "but you can say that he is a regular patriot and the kind that will win the war. Many officers have bought \$1000 bonds and a few have topped that figure. Scores of the privates, after attending yesterday's Liberty Bond rally, returned to their regimental commanders and subscribed for amounts ranging from \$50 to \$100. The camp's total is \$700,000.

ARTILLERYMEN OFF FOR SOUTH One thousand men from the 311th and 121st Artillery Regiments left today for a southern training camp. Most of the men in the 311th were Philadelphians, while those in the 121st came from Luzerne, Delaware and Northampton Counties. The Northampton boys were disappointed when they learned that R. A. Williams, the Texas cowpuncher and deputy sheriff, who has been the training sergeant, was not going South. Williams is a giant and has a disposition that corresponds with his physical proportions. He was loved by all the men and, next to General Kuhn, was considered the best soldier in camp by the privates.

ZIMMERMANN'S BAD GUESSES Zimmermann, one of the fifty-seven varieties of "sons" whom former Ambassador Gerard has described in his book on Germany, stated that in the event of war against the fatherland 500,000 Germans in this country would spring to arms and make Uncle Sam look like a sieve. Just to prove that he was two plus in his reckoning, let's take the case of Herb Wertheim, senior. He was born in Berlin, the father of the Wertheims is a native of Baden. Up to the present time they have battled 1000 in the Patriots' League, for they have offered the following to the service of the country: Walter, twelfth ammunition train, Camp Hancock, Ga. Milton, sergeant, Troop A, Sixth United States Cavalry, who may be now "somewhere in France." Herbert, private 304th ammunition train, Seventy-ninth division, National Army. "That takes away all the boys," said Herb Wertheim, proudly, "but father said he ought to do something for his country that had been as good to him as this. Milton got into the cavalry many years ago, and he has always told us that there was no place like the army." And now to the Zeiglers. They live in Tlax, and both came to this country forty years ago, direct from Berlin. "Did your father object to your going to fight against the Kaiser?" young Henry was asked. "Did he?" "I hung back the surprised youngster. He told me that if I didn't get down here and start in to give the Kaiser a licking, the old man would trim me himself. Mister, my father could be shot at sunrise in Germany for the things he thinks about the Kaiser every minute. He hates him, and so do all the old Germans that are any good."

POLITICAL CANDIDATE "EXCUSED" FROM MEADE CAMP MEADE, Md., Oct. 19. The political candidate in khaki who jumped into prominence two weeks ago by announcing his candidacy for the Maryland House of Delegates, ceased to exist today when Paul M. Taylor, an attorney of Baltimore, and member of the 121st Infantry, was discharged from the National Army for physical causes. Taylor, dressed in his uniform, was waging a vigorous fight for a seat in the Maryland Legislature and made the boast while on the stump that he was the only soldier in the country who was a candidate for the political office. "Are you with the man in khaki or against him?" was Taylor's issue. One hundred and eleven men were discharged from the 121st Division today after surgeons announced that they were unfit for service. The Philadelphians included in this list and their draft boards are as follows: Harry W. Gwinner, 2; Pasquale Trapanza, 1; Robert A. Nolan, 16; Einer Knott, 1; F. Raymond Stranding, 4; Santil Knott, 1; Frederick Jenner, 1; Charles Knott, 2; Pomerell Giacomo, 1; Thomas Knott, 4; Charles Aronson, 4; Jacob Knott, 32; Edward M. Bergen, 32; Gilbert Knott, 41; Harry Groom, 43; Frederick Knott, 41; Thomas A. Knott, 41; Charles Knott, 41; Philip Knott, 41; Charles Knott, 41; Jesse E. Ledy, 41.

Your Uniform Is Your Pass to These Events Today

- 7:15 p.m. Motion Pictures—Strand Theatre, Germantown Avenue and Venango street. Uniform admits.
7:45 p.m. Conversational French—William McKnight, instructor, War Emergency Unit Course, Marine Barracks.
6:30 p.m. Bible Class—War Work Council Building, in yard.
7:30 p.m. French Class—Recreation Center No. 2, Building 254, Instructor, Dr. A. W. Hensel.
7:00 p.m. South Presbyterian Church, Forty-seventh and Kingsessing avenue, invites fifty enlisted men to dinner. Sign up at Service Office, Central Y. M. C. A.
7:20 p.m. Vandeville—In War Work Council Building, in yard.
7:30 p.m. Bayonet Exercises—Training Station, Instructor, Corporal Hawkey, United States Marine Corps.
8:00 p.m. Smoker and Official War Pictures of the Western Front. Soldiers and Sailors' Annex of the Union League of Philadelphia, Broad and Spruce streets. All men in uniform invited.
8:15 p.m. Entertainment and Musicale, followed by Motion Pictures (Courtesy of the General Film Co.), Lobby of Central Y. M. C. A.
8:30 p.m. Dance at United Service Club, 207 South Twenty-second street. Music by orchestra of enlisted men. Refreshments. All men in uniform welcome. Tickets admitting ladies may be secured upon application at the desk.
Call at Service Office, Central Y. M. C. A., with reference to a number of house parties not listed in this bulletin. Enlisted men who are lonely or homesick and who would like to visit a private home for a little touch of home life, see Mr. Bond, at Central Y. M. C. A.

MEADE MEN DENY COLD RECEPTION AT HANCOCK

Refute Rumor by Expressions of Pleasure Over Greeting and Surroundings

CAMP HANCOCK, Augusta, Oct. 19. Rumors around Augusta and Camp Hancock that the 1600 selective service men who arrived from Camp Meade Tuesday were not favorably received by the Pennsylvanians was branded as false yesterday by the men themselves. The report that the men had been hissed by the guardsmen had gained currency during the last few days, while it is also current gossip that the officer in charge of the troop movement was inclined to make an adverse report to the War Department upon the reception of the men, claiming that no officer of the regiments to which they were assigned was present, and that insufficient preparations had been made for their arrival. All of the reports have been carefully investigated and found by the camp authorities in every case to be absolutely without foundation. Press representatives have also joined in the investigations, and have also joined in the investigations, and yesterday interviewed several of the Meade men. Every man approached spoke in the highest terms of his reception and expressed his delight in having been sent here. One man said, "It's so great down here that I've wired my friends up there to come on down." Everywhere the men expressed themselves as pleased with the transfer, and that the fellows with whom they had been bunked were a swell bunch of mixers. The only complaint lodged by the men in connection with Camp Hancock is the lack of hot water and the outdoors camping. At Meade they slept in wooden barracks and enjoyed the luxuries of hot water in their baths. Here things are different; they are in a camp instead of a cantonment and are subjected to real field conditions. With the good and plentiful food, the companions with whom they have been attached, the climate and general atmosphere of the camp the men are pleased, and say that small matters of inside lodging and hot water are to be forgotten in the light of the added advantages of Camp Hancock. The military parade through the streets of Augusta this afternoon was the greatest in the history of the city. Eight thousand two hundred and ten officers and men constitute the personnel of the Fifty-sixth Brigade of the Twenty-eighth Division, which took part in the march. Brigadier General Albert J. Logan's command is the only war strength infantry brigade in the United States at the present moment, outside of the Rainbow Division.

ILLINOIS MINE UNIONS ORDERED TO END STRIKE

Threatened With Revocation of Charters Unless Men Return to Work by Monday

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 19.—Mine locals in Illinois who refuse to return to work by Monday will have their local charters revoked by the Illinois branch of the United Brotherhood of Miners of America. Frank Farrington, president of the union, who returned to Springfield late last night, is sending out telegraphic instructions to all miners to this effect today. Farrington said the reports coming from the headquarters of the union are encouraging. He said the men who have been idle have decided that their interests will be served by their return to work, and they are gradually doing so. Industrial conscription by the Government looms up as a possibility unless the men respond to the demands of the Federal authorities, Farrington declares in defining the "serious feature of the whole affair."

INTERNED CREW ESCAPES

Commander and Sixteen Men of U-B 23 Out of Spanish Internment Camp

FERROL, Spain, Oct. 19.—The escape of the commander and sixteen sailors of German submarine U-B 23, who were interned near Alcalá de Henares, northeast of Madrid, is reported. The second officer in command of the submarine and the six remaining sailors have been placed under close guard. The U-B 23 put into Corunna, Spain, in a damaged condition on July 26 and later was dismantled and interned in conformity with King Alfonso's decree of June 20, which forbade submarines of all belligerent powers to be used to navigate within Spanish territorial waters or to enter Spanish ports. On October 8 it was announced from Madrid that a German submarine that had been interned at Cadix had escaped.

WOULD FREE LUXBURG

Argentine Citizen Starts Habeas Corpus to Liberate Envoy

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 19.—An Argentine citizen has applied for a writ of habeas corpus for Count Luxburg, claiming for him the rights of a private individual to inhabit the territory of the United States. It is persistently stated that the Government possesses further deciphered telegrams during the rupture of diplomatic relations with Germany. The press discusses freely the probability of a Cabinet crisis, assuming it inevitable.

CHARGES OF VICE DENIED AT DIX

Officers and Officials Resent Accusations Reflecting on Camp Morals

TEMPTATIONS LIMITED

By a Staff Correspondent CAMP DIX, Wrightstown, Oct. 19. The statement made at the Presbyterian synod at Atlantic City that the "forces of vice are already congregating around Camp Dix" has brought forth indignant denials by officers and officials connected with the camp. Officers were unanimous in saying that the conditions around Camp Dix were the cleanest and healthiest, both physically and morally, that they had ever known, and that there was no vice problem to deal with here as yet. As one officer pointed out, the location of the camp and all other factors considered make preventive measures rather easy and very effective. He said: "It is very evident that when the Government chose to build the cantonment in this rural community it was a wise move, for it left little opportunity for vicious characters to congregating around here. The small towns around here are populated by people who have lived here for generations, and except where the Government has bought their property they are continuing to live on here, and they seem to have a tendency to expand. The only additions to the populations of these towns is where officers have brought in their families and where some of the contractor officials have taken up their residence. It is impossible for the men to get liquor within five miles. All the saloons within the five-mile radius are closed, and in the districts outside most of the dealers have voluntarily discontinued their bottle business. "The only real liberty the men get is on Saturdays and Sundays and then most of them make a bedtime for over half the men in camp live within eighty miles of the camp. They can't get out of the camp at night for there is no place to go to and get back to. If there was a live town on the outskirts of the camp I don't think the men would frequent it much for by night time they are tired and only too glad to hit the barracks. Then too the Y. M. C. A. here is doing wonders in providing wholesome recreation and sports for the men. I have seen many army posts and camps, but the clean moral conditions around Camp Dix are a revelation to me." J. H. Kelsey, prosecuting attorney of Burlington County, also denied the existence of any organized vice around the cantonment. Mr. Kelsey is working with a committee of prominent citizens of Burlington County who are pledged to report any violations of the laws in Burlington County. There have been several cases of incipient immorality in Mount Holly which have been nipped in the bud through the efforts of this committee of home guards yesterday interviewed several of the Meade men. The borough of Pemberton with a population of 800 people has a fund of \$2500 for the maintenance of special officers.

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DESERTERS IN SWISS TERRITORY ORGANIZE

Slackers From Belligerent Nations Alarmed by Proposal to Intern Them

BERNE, Oct. 19.—One of the strangest organizations on record is forming in Switzerland—an association of military deserters designed to protect "their interests." Military deserters from belligerent nations surrounding Switzerland overrun the country. Their presence constitutes a growing embarrassment to the Government and proposals have been advanced to round them up in an internment camp. Alarmed by such reports, the deserters have been inserting advertisements in Swiss newspapers calling on all comrade slackers to form an "international organization." The organizing committee consists of Germans, Austrians and Bulgarians.

MCLELLAN BOYS GET HINT OF MOVE

Preparation for New Equipment May Mean Service Ere Long

TRENCH PRACTICE BEGINS

HEADQUARTERS BLUE AND GRAY DIVISION, Camp McClellan, Anneton, Ala., Oct. 19. With a complete checking up of all equipment under way here, the indications point to an early re-equipping of the Blue and Gray Division. The inventory of all ordnance equipment has already been begun under the supervision of Major Sanderford Jarmon, the division ordnance officer. He is being assisted by a staff of picked officers from the division and every item of ordnance equipment, including all arms, bayonets, mess equipment, leather goods, etc., is provided. They are completing the work at the rate of about one regiment each day.

Starting in the Maryland regiment, they completed that on Tuesday, and Wednesday they worked in the 11th, or Virginia, regiment of General Gaither's brigade. While it was stated at the headquarters of the Blue and Gray Division that this inventory has no relation upon the issuance of new equipment in particular preparation for embarkation for France, it is believed that the complete checking up on all such equipment may have been ordered with a view to ascertaining exactly what is needed for the division. It is also considered possible that new equipment is to be issued and the material now in use will be turned over to some of the conscript organizations for drill purposes, as these divisions will not likely go abroad until after the National Guard divisions have sailed. This belief is strengthened by the fact that new rifles have been issued to the division headquarters troops. As for the clothing, it has already been made known here that new winter clothing is to be issued to every man in the division before he leaves for France. In all of the regimental camps the work of constructing bayonet runs is nearing completion. Trenches, entanglements, obstacles and enemy hosts will be included in the preparations for the training of the men in bayonet tactics. Those of the Maryland regiment are nearer to completion than any in the camp. The New Jersey troops in the 11th Regiment have had a great deal of trouble in the location of theirs and have not more than started on them. The use of automatic rifles and their relation to the new warfare will be the subject of additional instruction for the men. Lieutenant Raymond D'Alguys, of the French army, will be here to give the troops firsthand instruction. Copies of Lieutenant D'Alguys' credentials have preceded him here.

Women will be shown the wonders of the camp today. Under the direction of Major Charles L. Dulin, a motor train will make the rounds of the big reservation and the visitors will be induced into the spirit of the military game. The owners of automobiles have been invited to turn their cars over for the tour, and it is expected that hundreds of women will take the ride through the big camp and see the men at work. This camp is getting the finest bread obtainable. It is baked right here. On an average of 25,000 pounds of bread is being turned out by the field bakery company. The bakery is serving a double purpose just now because within a few weeks there will be graduated a class of eighty-five men who have been attending school there. These men were selected from the various organizations in the Blue and Gray Division and the experts of the field bakery, all of them veterans in the regular army, have been showing the new men the art of producing bread for a hungry army of 27,000 men.

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