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## New Commands For Officers At Kelly Field

**Cols. Goodrich and England Are Transferred To Posts Elsewhere**

**Col. Danforth Is In Command 1st Brigade**

**Majors Walsh, Buckner and Jordan Assigned Important Positions.**

Changes affecting higher members of the commissioned personnel of Kelly Field were announced in orders issued at Post Headquarters last Sunday.

Lieut. Col. C. H. Danforth is relieved of the command of the Third Training Brigade and assigned to the command of the First Training Brigade. He succeeds Lieut. Col. George W. England, who is relieved from duty with the Aviation Section, Signal Corps. Lieut. Col. England has been ordered transferred elsewhere.

Major S. B. Buckner, Jr., is relieved from duty as commanding officer of the Trades Division and assigned as Commanding Officer of the Third Training Brigade to succeed Lieut. Col. Danforth.

Lieut. Col. George W. Goodrich, for five months past, Commanding Officer of the Second Training Brigade, is honorably discharged, as Lieutenant Colonel of the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, and relieved from duty at this field. He is ordered transferred elsewhere.

Major Raycroft Walsh is relieved from duty as Executive Officer of the Second Training Brigade, and assigned as Commanding Officer of that organization to succeed Lieut. Col. Goodrich. Major Walsh also assumes the position of Fire Marshal of the Second Brigade along with his other duties.

Major H. L. Jordan, who was appointed Executive Officer of the Third Training Brigade early in March, has been appointed Assistant Inspector General of the Southern Department at Fort Sam Houston.

## French Officer to Speak to Men Here

**Jean Alcide Picard Will Describe Experiences During 28 Months of Service**

Jean Alcide Picard, disabled French officer, veteran of the Marne and of Ypres, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. buildings in Kelly Field during the week beginning May 24. He is making a tour of the Southern Department, speaking at all the camps. He will remain a week speaking to the men here.

Mr. Picard will tell the Americans in training what they will find in France and the problems "over there." With his description of his experiences, motion pictures will be shown. He was a business man in America before the war. He has seen 28 months of service in the infantry and in the hospital corps.

In order to promote the welfare of the 632nd Aero Squadron and provide a place where the men may gather within their own squadron, a club room has been established in the Mess Hall. A piano has been purchased and writing desks, card tables, and lounging chairs provided. The north wing of the Mess Hall has been curtained off, draperies hung from the windows and several rugs laid on the floor, giving the room a home-like atmosphere. Mess Sergeant S. B. Totten is in charge of the club room.



**Major General Willard A. Holbrook**



**First Lieut. Arthur M. Hill  
Inf. N. A.**

**First Lieut. Boyd M. Compton  
Inf. N. A.**

**New Commanding General of the Southern Department and his aides. General Holbrook comes to San Antonio as the successor of Brigadier General John W. Ruckman. He paid an impromptu visit to Kelly Field last week.**

## Departing Field Officers Tendered Reception; Others are Promoted

A reception was held last Monday evening at the Aviation Club, Kelly Field Flying Department in honor of Lieut. Col. George E. Goodrich, Lieut. Col. George W. England, Major Harry L. Jordan and Capt. Dana Palmer, who have been transferred elsewhere.

Officers, their wives and guests numbering 500 attended. More than 300 officers were present at the dinner held prior to the reception.

Before receiving transfer orders Lieut. Col. Goodrich was the Commanding Officer of the Second Training Brigade; Lieut. Col. England, Commanding Officer of the First Training Brigade; Major Jordan, Executive Officer of the Third Training Brigade; and Capt. Palmer, Commandant of Cadets.

During the dinner the Kelly Field orchestra, directed by M. S. E. J. Webber, played selections, and M. S. E. A. Frankel offered a violin solo. An entertainment, arranged by Lieut. S. B. Jacobson and Sgt. Kenneth O'Hara made up exclusively of Kelly Field talent, proved the treat of the evening.

Vaudeville numbers by Kelly Field artists were high-class and the acts drew generous applause. Lieut. Harry Robertson, tenor, formerly with the Aborn Opera Company sang several songs. He was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Harry Potter of Torreon, Mexico.

Enlisted men, former professional actors, made up the rest of the program. After the Kelly Field Jazz Band played, Private Carl West, a musical comedy star, contributed the opening number, his "own conception of music." Privates "Ken" Warfield and "Chud" Blough provided a "mental telepathy" act which mystified the audience. Private Harry Statter rapidly sketched appropriate cartoons, while Privates Jack Tucker and John C. Henry

sang, with Private Eugene C. Ketchum at the piano.

"Fun for the Gods," served humorously by Privates "Mandie" Kay and "Abe" Steiner, with Private Ben Bronfin at the piano, proved funny enough. Private Robert E. Mitchell, formerly of the Royal Conservatory of Music, concluded the entertainment with a piano selection.

Dancing followed. Among those present: Lieut. Col. and Mrs. G. V. S. Quackenbush; Lieut. Col. and Mrs. C. H. Danforth; Col. G. C. Brant, Executive Officer and Director of Aerial Training, San Antonio; Major and Mrs. S. B. Buckner, Jr.; Major and Mrs. J. P. Edgerly; Elias Gatch, guest of Capt. Haywood H. Kendall; Lieut. and Mrs. W. F. Jacobs; Lieut. H. F. Semple; Mrs. G. E. Goodrich; Mrs. G. W. England; Mrs. H. L. Jordan; Mrs. P. E. Van Nostrand and son, Frank; Mrs. W. D. Syers of San Antonio; Miss Ann Taylor; Miss Laura Murchison; Mrs. M. H. Clark and Miss Mildred Clark; Miss Willis; the Misses Lovelady; Mrs. Bridges and Mrs. Shaffer, Fort Worth.

### Service Sketches of Officers Leaving and those Promoted

Lieut. Col. Danforth was made Commanding Officer of the Third Training Brigade early in March of this year. He was originally commissioned in the Infantry, but was detailed for duty in the Aviation Section, Signal Corps.

Lieut. Col. Goodrich was originally commissioned in the Infantry. He was made Commanding Officer of the Second Training Brigade December 17, 1917. In addition to his duties as Commanding Officer, he was also the Fire Marshal of that brigade.

Major Raycroft Walsh, who assumes command of the Second Training Brigade, was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Coast Artillery Corps, September 30, 1910. He is a graduate of the Coast Artillery School, and also of the Field Artillery School of Fire at Fort Sill, Okla. He was commissioned a Major in the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, September 30, 1917, and arrived at Kelly Field October 15, 1917. He is a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and also studied at Columbia University.

Major H. L. Jordan, who goes to Fort Sam Houston as Assistant Inspector General, arrived at Kelly Field March 12 last. His service just previous to that time was with the 42nd Infantry at Camp Dodge, Iowa. He has seen service in the Philippines.

Lieut. Col. England reported at Kelly Field January 26, 1918, and was assigned to duty in the Second Training Brigade. He was originally commissioned in the Infantry. On March 4, he was assigned to the First Training Brigade, and when Lieut. Col. G. V. S. Quackenbush was named Commandant of Kelly Field on March 25, Lieut. Col. England was named Commanding Officer of the First Training Brigade.

Major Buckner reported at Kelly Field November 22, 1918. He was assigned to the command of the old Fifth Provisional Recruit Regiment. Soon afterwards, this regiment was abandoned, and Major Buckner assumed command of the Trades Division, which position he has held until his recent transfer to the command of the Third Training Brigade.

## Kelly Field Women Will Aid Red Cross

**Wife of Commanding Officer Heads Committee in Patriotic Effort**

**Lieutenants Named to Canvass Field**

**Ladies Will Take Part in Big Parade in Town Sunday.**

**W**OMEN of Kelly Field are organizing for a smashing Red Cross offensive as a part of the national campaign to raise \$100,000,000. Sunday evening at 6 o'clock they will mobilize to take part in the San Antonio parade. On Monday morning they will begin their campaign on the field.

Mrs. G. V. S. Quackenbush, wife of the field commandant is at the head of the forces. Her five lieutenants will be assisted by at least ten sub-lieutenants each and as will march in the parade in San Antonio. The Kelly Field band will play to arouse the enthusiasm of prospective contributors.

**Mrs. Quackenbush in Charge**  
Mrs. Quackenbush, as captain of the women in charge of the campaign, has appointed the following lieutenants:

Mrs. Charles H. Danforth; Mrs. Charles H. Bonesteel; Mrs. Rufus F. Scott; Mrs. M. H. Evans, and Mrs. Horace Soule.

Monday morning a sweeping personal canvass of the field will be started by the women. Men whose insurance and allotments prevent further deductions from pay are exempt, but all others will be given a chance to help.

"Kelly Field women must turn out for the parade Sunday evening," said Mrs. Quackenbush. "Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, with all its outlying Red Cross branches, and all other sections near San Antonio will be represented. Shall we march as a part of some other organization or will we be of sufficient number to have a section of our own? The men of Kelly Field responded liberally to the Liberty Loan campaigns. We must at least equal their record."

Mrs. Quackenbush asks that every woman on the field provide herself with a white Red Cross apron and cap and report to her at once. All will be instructed as to their duties before the end of the week. The line of march of the parade will be short and those who feel unable to walk the entire distance are urged to fall in, if even for a few blocks.

"For the sake of the spirit of the field we must concentrate our forces during the short time remaining and prepare for a mighty effort," said Kelly Field's enthusiastic captain.

During the past week more than \$2,000 worth of War Savings Stamps were sold on this field, bringing the total sale to over \$6,600.

The stamps may be purchased at the post office, the Officers' Mess Halls, the Knights of Columbus building, or the Y. M. C. A. buildings. Further information may be secured at the Post Office.

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With the expected arrival of two large show tents, this week, the intersection vaudeville programs, recently launched by Kelly Field's amusement unit, will be in full swing. F. R. Megan, representing the Fosdick Commission on Training Camp Activities, paid a visit to the field last week and stated that the "big tops," donated by the commission, are en route. They will be erected by a corps of expert canvasmen now being assembled, and with the completion of the stages and lighting facilities, nightly performances will be arranged.

An appreciative crowd greeted the program presented last Thursday night, at the Knights of Columbus Hall, for the Jewish Welfare Board. The bill consisted of Sgt. Frank G. Budd, vocalist, assisted by Robert E. Mitchell at the piano; Frank Schubert, ventriloquist; William Steiner, balladist; Herbert Bergman, dramatic reader; R. R. Carrick, Scotch comedian and "Mandie" Kay and Henry Steiner, the Jewish comedians, assisted by Ben Bronfin.

Among the recent additions to the amusement unit is the team of Francis E. Meiers and Joe St. Pierre, trick comedy roller skaters, who, prior to their enlistment, were popular performers on several Western circuits. They have sent a request for their "props," including an especially constructed hard-wood floor weighing 500 pounds, and are preparing to begin rehearsals, insuring an early appearance. Among Meier's rare feats is a performance on a unicycle, 14 inches in diameter for the successful duplication of which he offers a substantial money prize.

Last week's try-outs disclosed a remarkable dramatic baritone in the person of Cecil McDermond, formerly with Coburn's Minstrels. McDermond sang the "Invictus" to convince others that he is satisfactory timber for the unit, and created a profound impression by his interpretations. Robert Knoll has been assigned as accompanist to McDermond.

James M. Prentice is another "find" to whom the vaudeville wisecracks on the field are looking for something startling. He is a stalwart Scot who plays the bagpipes, and his extensive experience augurs well for his success on the circuit. For two years, Prentice was Pipe-Major with a Scotch Regiment, and saw active service in France with his comrades. In America he recovered from injuries which resulted in his discharge from the British Army and enlisted in the Aviation Section, Signal Corps. He is now awaiting the arrival of his quaint instrument, and will shortly thereafter be seen on the regular programs.

Convalescents in the temporary hospital at the Flying Department were treated Monday night to a program by the performers who appeared at the banquet of the Officers' Club earlier in the evening. The players were gathered outside the club, when an orderly brought them a note from the officer in charge, requesting that they devote a few minutes to the invalids. The troupe visited the ward, and gave an impromptu bill that made the sick men forget their ailments. "Mandie" Kay and Henry Steiner sang some of their parodies, Carl West amused with his rare musical offering, Jack Tucker sang some "raggy stuff" and Eugene C. Ketchum did a pianologue.

C. C. Delsell, known on the professional stage as "The Vagabond Prince" is whipping his voice into shape for forthcoming appearances. He is rehearsing daily in one of the Second Training Brigade mess halls.

## Maj. Vautsmeier Is To Command Recruit Division

Changes Made in Commissioned Personnel of Quarantine Camp.

Major W. W. Vautsmeier has been appointed Commanding Officer of the Recruit Division, First Training Brigade, to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Major Henry B. Claggett. Prior to Major Claggett's departure, on May 8th, Major Vautsmeier was executive officer of the Recruit division.

Capt. Paul P. Magoffin, formerly commanding Section C, Recruit Division, has been appointed executive officer of the division.

Lt. E. A. Bright, formerly Supply Officer of Quarantine Camp, First Training Brigade, has been appointed Commanding officer of the Camp.

Lt. A. R. Williams, Adjutant of Quarantine, has been transferred elsewhere.

Lt. Irving Woolfe, who was confined in the Base Hospital at Fort Sam Houston for over two months, has assumed the duties of Adjutant.

T. D. Collins of San Antonio, with a string instrument trio, entertained the soldiers at Y. M. C. A. No. 72, Flying Department, Tuesday evening.

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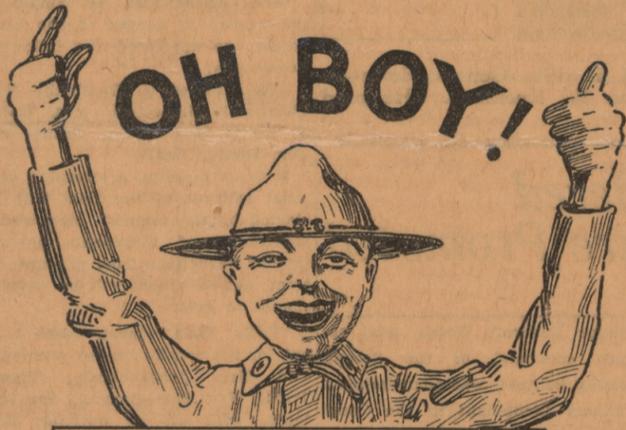
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**Two Lieutenants  
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as Captains Here**

**Henry M. Warfield, Jr., and  
George W. Rupp Receive  
Deserved Promotions.**

First Lieutenant Henry M. Warfield, Jr., last week received notice of his promotion to be Captain, Aviation Section, Signal Reserve Corps. Capt. Warfield is one of the original group of men commissioned from civil life for service in the Army.



CAPT. GEORGE W. RUPP

At the time of his commission from civil life he was connected with the Continental Company, investment bankers, in Baltimore, Md. He was formerly member of Battery A, Maryland Field Artillery.

Capt. Warfield was educated at the Delancy School in Philadelphia. He arrived at Kelly Field September 18, 1917, and since that date has spent nearly all his military career in the Trades Division of the First Training Brigade. He has served as

**Soldiers and Civilians  
Entertain This Week**

**Knights of Columbus Hall  
Scene of Two Pleasing Af-  
fairs This Week.**

Two pleasing entertainments were given last week at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Thursday evening a program was staged by soldiers of Kelly Field under the auspices of the Jewish Welfare Board and on Friday evening Miss Rita Gould, soloist, and a sextette of dancers from the Majestic Theater of San Antonio, and Private "Johnnie" Reynolds of the 324th Squadron were the entertainers.

Mrs. Laura Maverick of San Antonio, sang a number of solos at Y. M. C. A. No. 160, Trades Division Monday evening.

a line commander, and was at one time commanding officer of the 78th Aero Squadron. He is now the assistant supply officer of the Trades Division, and is in charge of the clothing issue.

First Lieutenant Geo. W. Rupp was last week promoted to the rank of Captain in the Aviation Section, Signal Reserve Corps. He is in charge of the Transportation Section of the Quartermaster's Depot on Kelly Field.

In civil life Capt. Rupp was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad and the Adams Express Company. In 1891, he entered military service by enlisting in the National Guard of Pennsylvania. Since 1898 he has been in the service of the government continuously. He served in the Quartermaster's Department during the Spanish-American war and at the time he was ordered here was transportation clerk in the Quartermaster's Depot at Fort Sam Houston. He has been on duty on this field since October 29, 1917.

**British Aviator  
Calls Germans  
Poor Sportsmen**

**Capt. Harrow-Bunn, Member  
of English Mission, Says  
Hun Lacks Quality.**

Capt. A. L. Harrow-Bunn, a member of the British Aviation Mission now in the United States, visited Kelly Field last week. During the day, he was the guest of Lieut. Col. G. V. S. Quackenbush, Commanding Officer of the Field. After his inspection, he expressed himself pleased with the progress of the work being done here. Captain Harrow-Bunn, together with the other members of the British Mission, is here to give any assistance necessary to speed up America's air program.

During his stay at Kelly Field, he declared that the German aviator, as a rule, is not a good sport. Capt. Harrow-Bunn has one German machine to his credit. He has been at the front for a year, where he was wounded by anti-aircraft gunfire. A scar on the left cheek testifies to this.

Capt. Harrow-Bunn has been decorated with the British War Cross of Valor and wears two gold stripes on his left sleeve for wounds received. He attributes his one accident to bad luck and says that it is seldom that an anti-aircraft gun is of great menace to the flier. He lays great stress on the fact that American airmen must learn the operation of the machine gun thoroughly, because it is the most useful weapon of the airman when attacked.

Speaking of his first trip across No Man's land, he said he felt he was on the way to a great adventure. He does not place much confidence in the statement that men going into action are first overcome by fear. He believes this is not true, especially of aviators. "It is only after being wounded that the airman's nerve gives away," he declared.

**New Y. M. C. A. Men  
Are Assigned Here**

**Officials Called to Other Camps  
and Draft Necessitate  
Changes in Personnel.**

Several new Y. M. C. A. workers have recently been assigned to buildings in Kelly Field. Changes were necessitated by the requirement of the draft and calls for some of the men to other camps. Among the new workers are W. H. Bryan, building secretary; T. B. Reese, physical director; and W. W. Hart, in charge of the office, at No. 159, Trades Division; C. E. Canright, in charge of the office at No. 158, Second Training Brigade; A. W. Burkholder, physical director, and Ernest Bennett, educational secretary, at No. 72, Flying Department; and E. Dawson, in charge of the office at No. 157, Second Training Brigade. J. H. Couch, Jr., formerly physical director at No. 161, Trades Division, has been transferred to No. 3, near the Post Exchange, and C. S. Grace, formerly physical director at that building, has been made assistant educational secretary.

**HOW DO Y' GET THAT WAY:  
IN DEBT OF GOVERNMENT**

An eighteen-year-old six-footer from South Dakota strolled into San Antonio the other day to tell the War Service Board he was in debt to the government. He didn't mind the debt, but he hated to have to walk to town. He has a wife seventeen years old up in South Dakota. They were married two years ago. When he enlisted, he made an allotment of \$15 to his mother, and then decided that some money should also go to his spouse. He made another allotment and bought a \$10,000 war risk policy. The two allotments have liquidated his \$30 per and he owes Uncle Sam for insurance. The matter has been referred to the Red Cross.

Ten tons of hay were destroyed and the Quartermaster clothing supply depot threatened when fire, originating from spontaneous combustion, started last Friday afternoon near the depot building. The Kelly Field fire department had a water line laid five minutes after the alarm was sounded.

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**Congress' Librarian  
Visits Kelly Field**

**Says 3,500,000 Books Are Now  
Being Distributed to Sol-  
diers in Camps.**

Dr. Herbert Putnam, librarian of Congress and general director of war library service, who visited Kelly Field last week, declared that more than 3,500,000 books were collected in the recent campaign, for use of soldiers in camps. These books now are being distributed from over 300 different points, including the 35 largest camp libraries in the United States. Many of them are being read by the men in France.

Dr. Putnam, while here, called on Lieut.-Col. G. V. S. Quackenbush, commanding officer of the Post, and on Harold T. Dougherty, field librarian for the American Library Association. He is on a tour of army camps in the Southern Department.

**BRITONS ADVOCATE BOXING  
FOR COMBATIVE SOLDIERS**

Boxing is to be an essential part of the training of every British soldier henceforth. The average training period of the British recruit now is not more than six months, but several hours each week will be devoted to boxing, partly in an effort to counteract the deadening influence of continuous drilling, and partly because boxing is regarded as the best possible means of developing the "combative spirit" in soldiers. The mere watching boxing and other sports is declared in a measure to keep alive the combative instinct.

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David A. Ginzel and David Kaiser of the 869th Aero Squadron have been promoted from the rank of corporal to that of sergeant and assigned as instructors in the Enlisted Mechanics' School.

Second Lieut. C. H. Swift has been assigned to the 615th Aero Squadron as Supply and Mess Officer to succeed Lieut. S. B. Jacobson who is now on duty with the Kelly Field Amusement Association.

Acting First Sgt. Francis M. Gay of Line 6, Trades Division, was operated on a short time ago at the Base Hospital at Fort Sam Houston for appendicitis. The operation was a complete success.

"Bud" Day, prominent in Muhlenburg College football circles, is now stationed with the 52nd Balloon Company. Day formerly played a line position with the Muhlenburg College team, but was declared ineligible because of playing Sunday games with the Massillon Tigers. Since that time he has been coaching a number of professional teams.

Second Lieut. Joseph E. Wilsea has been relieved from duty with the Recruit Division, First Training Brigade, and assigned to the 2nd Aero Squadron as Supply Officer.

The 144th Aero Squadron has received a complete baseball outfit from the Clark C. Griffith Bat and Ball fund. The Post Exchange boys made their first appearance in the new suits against the Medics last Wednesday.

Pvts. Robert Risk, Jr., William H. Cartilage, Harvey B. Hull and Raymond T. Thompson of Line 105, Trades Division, have been selected to attend the Propeller Makers' School.

Edward R. Ellis of the 323rd Aero Squadron recently received his rating as sergeant, first class. The Sergeant is also acting as captain of the squadron base ball team and is developing a first class baseball organization.

Corporals William F. Gebhard, Robert L. Spurgeon and Lloyd E. King of the 328th Aero Squadron, have been promoted from the rank of corporal to that of chauffeur.

### Course of Study In School Lengthened

Candidates for Sergeants' Warrants to Attend Classes for One Month Hereafter.

Important changes are to be made in the class work and curriculum of the Sergeant-Major and Supply Sergeants School in the Third Training Brigade. It has been found that two week's time is insufficient to cover the work in a thorough manner.

Beginning Monday, May 13th, the course will be extended to cover a period of one month. Hereafter it will be required that applicants shall apply to attend the school through their Commanding Officers. They will then be interviewed personally by the School Commandant and if considered able to qualify will be notified to await call.

New classes will be started each two weeks and will consist of fifty students each for Sergeant-Major and Supply Sergeant. The curriculum will be enlarged to cover five hours each day, one hour being devoted to Infantry Drill. A course in Military Correspondence will also be included. The passing grade has been raised to 80 per cent, and a failure in any of the weekly tests will require the repetition of the entire course.

### JAMES NORMAN HALL REPORTED AMONG MISSING AFTER BATTLE

Flight Captain James Norman Hall, famed flier, is listed as missing. On Tuesday, May 7, Captain Hall, in company with two other American pilots of the American "flying circus," engaged four Hun planes ten miles inside the German lines in the Toul sector. Captain Hall did not return with his victorious comrades.

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## Squadron Notes.



The members of the 320th Aero Squadron, which comprises the men on the Trade Test Board, are planning to hold a dance in San Antonio the latter part of the month.

Sgt. G. R. Watson and Private Ralph Watson, brothers, of the 820th Aero Squadron, are on a furlough to attend the funeral of their mother, who died recently at Keene, N. H.

Sgt. H. W. Hicks, chief clerk of the Trade Test Board has resumed his duties after an illness of five days in the Base Hospital at Fort Sam Houston.

Sgt. Joseph A. Burns has been appointed sergeant-major of the 615th Aero Squadron to succeed Sgt. Thomas L. Linthicum, who was transferred to the 675th Squadron.

Francis R. Carter, Jacob D. Deal, George M. Fisher, Joseph Martino, Chauncy D. Williams and William W. Scott have been promoted from the rank of corporal to that of chauffeur in the 615th Aero Squadron.

Herbert W. Hicks of the 238th Aero Squadron has been promoted from the rank of sergeant to that of sergeant, first class.

George F. Thagard, of the 180th Aero Squadron, has recently returned from a thirty day's furlough spent with his sister at Coleman, Texas. Thagard had been serving as crew chief with the airplane motor mechanics and will take up the same line of work again.

Charles Katzman, Stanley M. Fulton and Herman C. Johnson received their rating as sergeants of the 668th Aero Squadron last week. John S. Stepton and Lee D. Henry were given ratings as cooks.

William C. Hunter of the 2nd Aero Squadron, who has received a promotion to the rank of master signal electrician from that of sergeant, first class, bears the distinction of being one of the first aviation mechanics in the United States service. Sgt. Hunter has five "excellent" discharges to his credit. He entered upon his sixth enlistment with this branch of service on October 22, 1915, and at the present time is working on some experiments for the Engineering Department.

# Adventures of Squads Wright

(By Sgt. Dennis B. McCarthy)



## KELLIES SPLIT DOUBLE BILL

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play. Boyd hit a long fly to right and Coyle scored what proved to be the winning tally. Miller ended the round by fanning Wise.  
The summary of both games follows:

**Friday Game.**

| Waco Aviation Camp |    | AB | R | H  | O  | A | E |
|--------------------|----|----|---|----|----|---|---|
| Williams, rf       | 4  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Lingrove, ss       | 4  | 1  | 2 | 2  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Ellison, 2b        | 3  | 0  | 2 | 2  | 6  | 0 | 0 |
| Coyle, cf          | 3  | 1  | 2 | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Heaving, c         | 4  | 0  | 0 | 6  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Lamb, 3b           | 2  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Boyd, 1b           | 2  | 0  | 0 | 15 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Wise, lf           | 3  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 4  | 0 | 0 |
| Dennis, p          | 3  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 4  | 0 | 0 |
| Totals             | 28 | 2  | 6 | 27 | 18 | 0 | 0 |

**Kelly Field**

| AB            | R  | H | O | A  | E |   |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| Lentz, ss     | 4  | 1 | 2 | 0  | 3 | 0 |
| Wylandis, lf  | 2  | 0 | 0 | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Gilroy, 3b    | 3  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 3 | 0 |
| Brown, 1b     | 4  | 0 | 0 | 7  | 0 | 0 |
| Spreitzer, 2b | 3  | 0 | 0 | 4  | 1 | 0 |
| Shear, cf     | 3  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Bessolo, rf   | 2  | 0 | 0 | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Harm, c       | 3  | 0 | 0 | 4  | 1 | 0 |
| Miller, p     | 2  | 0 | 0 | 1  | 1 | 0 |
| xLynch        | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| xBierman      | 1  | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Totals        | 28 | 1 | 5 | 24 | 9 | 0 |

xBatted for Bessolo in eighth.  
xBatted for Miller in ninth.  
Kelly Aviation Camp.....000 002 00x-2  
Kelly Field.....100 000 000-1  
Two-base hits, Shear. Sacrifice hits, Wylandis, 2; sacrifice fly, Boyd; stolen bases, Ellison; double plays, Lingrove, Ellison to Boyd; struck out, by Dennis, 0, Miller, 3; base on balls, off Dennis 1, off Miller 3; earned runs, Kelly Field 0, Waco 2; wild pitch, Dennis. Time of game, 1:40. Umpire, Lieuts. Golden and Welmer.

**Thursday Game.**

| Waco Aviation Camp |    | AB | R | H  | O | A | E |
|--------------------|----|----|---|----|---|---|---|
| Williams, rf       | 4  | 0  | 0 | 3  | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lingrove, ss       | 3  | 0  | 1 | 1  | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Ellison, 2b        | 4  | 0  | 1 | 5  | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Coyle, cf          | 3  | 1  | 2 | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Heaving, c         | 4  | 0  | 0 | 7  | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Lamb, 3b           | 4  | 0  | 1 | 4  | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Boyd, 1b           | 4  | 0  | 0 | 8  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wise, lf           | 4  | 0  | 1 | 2  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nation, p          | 3  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals             | 33 | 1  | 6 | 27 | 9 | 2 | 0 |

**Kelly Field**

| AB            | R  | H | O  | A  | E  |   |
|---------------|----|---|----|----|----|---|
| Lentz, ss     | 4  | 1 | 1  | 3  | 3  | 0 |
| Wylandis, lf  | 5  | 1 | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0 |
| Gilroy, 3b    | 3  | 0 | 2  | 0  | 0  | 2 |
| Brown, 1b     | 4  | 1 | 2  | 11 | 2  | 0 |
| Spreitzer, 2b | 4  | 0 | 1  | 5  | 3  | 0 |
| Shear, cf     | 2  | 0 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0 |
| Schnears, rf  | 4  | 0 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0 |
| Harm, c       | 4  | 0 | 1  | 3  | 1  | 0 |
| Kelly, p      | 3  | 1 | 2  | 3  | 0  | 0 |
| Bierman, p    | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| xBessolo      | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| Totals        | 34 | 4 | 10 | 27 | 12 | 2 |

xRan for Kelly in ninth.  
Waco Aviation Camp.....000 000 001-1  
Kelly Field.....000 000 040-4  
Sacrifice hits, Coyle, Lentz; sacrifice fly, Gilroy; stolen bases, Brown; base on balls, off Kelly 1 in 2; Nation, 2 in 9; Bierman, 0 in 1; struck out, by Kelly 3, Bierman 0, Nation 5; hits and runs, off Kelly 4 and 0 in 8; Bierman and 1 in 1; double plays, Wise, Lamb to Boyd; Harm to Lentz; left on bases, Waco 7, Kelly Field, 7; earned runs, Waco 0, Kelly Field, 2; time of game 1:45; umpires Lieuts. Golden and Welmer.

## Camp Travis To Play Kelly Nine In San Antonio

Second Game of Spirited Series at League Park Sunday. Kelly Star Cannot Play.

Kelly Field faces the force with one flank badly battered. In other words the fliers baseball team goes into action Sunday afternoon at San Antonio League Park against the Camp Travis all-star club minus the service of Big George Kelly, one of the star pitchers.

The game has long been anticipated by Kelly Field men and enthusiasts. The Travis aggregation captured the opening battle of the five-game series a couple of weeks ago by a score of 5 to 2. With three major league hurlers on its staff and Hoke Warner of Pittsburg, occupying the hot corner, to say nothing of American Association and nothing of American Association and berths, Camp Travis has a team which will extend any major league club in the country to win.

## Waco Team Here For Two Battles With Kelly Nine

Crack Baseball Organizations Fighting It Out in San Antonio Today and Friday.

Kelly Field and the crack baseball team from the Waco aviation camp will clash again today and Friday at League Park in San Antonio in another battle for the diamond supremacy of the two camps. Last week's bill terminated with each copping a game. Both teams are out for blood in this week's meeting.

Big George Kelly, the former New York Giant player, will not appear in the line-up owing to a sprained ankle sustained in last week's Waco battle when he won his game. Miller, Walkup and Bierman are slated to take the mound for the Kellies.

The Waco team has two big leaguers in their line-up in McDermott and Ellison, both former infield men on the Detroit Americans. Their entire team presents a crackerjack organization.

## Red Griffin's Homer Wins for 323rd Team

Copping the old ball game in the last of the ninth, the 328th Squadron team defeated the 323rd aggregation by the score of 10 to 7. With the score tied in the ninth "Red" Griffin of the 328 rapped a homer with two on.

The teams batted as follows: 328th—Lewis, Conley, cf; Ellis, 2b; Norton, 1b; Smead, lf; Staley, ss; Spurgeon, c; Griffin, 3b; McCleery, Matousek, rf; Hacker, p. 323rd—Demarco, 3b; Warden, c; Meyers, 1b; Suggs, p; Botts, Dailey, lf; Bailey, 2b; Billingsley, cf; Keller, rf; Dunn, ss.  
Score by innings:  
328th Squad 200 000 323—15 15 6  
323rd Squad 220 101 100—7 14 6

## HURLER FOR COOKS' TEAM PUZZLES 870TH SWATTERS

The 870th Squadron baseball team went down to defeat before the onslaught of the Cooks, Sunday, the final count being 6 to 2. Southpaw Brown, who was on the mound for the winners, had his opponents eating out of his hands throughout, allowing but four hits and disposing of ten via the strikeout route. The deplorable fielding of the losers was to a great extent responsible for their defeat.

## 870TH HITS BALL HARD.

Notwithstanding the absence of Captain Allen from the line-up, the 870th Squadron Baseball Team walked away with the 507th "hopefuls" Friday, 10 to 3. The contest was fairly interesting until the eighth session, when the winners slammed the offerings of Zwinge to all corners of the lot. Rawson was on the mound for the 870th.

## 507th NINE BEATS 322nd

The 322nd Squadron baseball team lost a hard fought battle last Friday to the 507th by a score of 9 to 4. Errors cost the 322nd men whatever chance they had of securing a victory.

## WILLARD-FULTON BOUT OFF; SENTIMENT IS AGAINST IT

The proposed heavyweight championship fight between Jess Willard and Fred Fulton on July 4 has been called off because Col. J. C. Miller, promoter of the bout, has found public sentiment opposed to it. Willard says he abides by the decision and only re-entered the ring to defend his title because he was under the impression that the public demanded it. He says he stands ready to fight any time that public sentiment indicates there should be a championship battle.

## 144th TAKES TWO STRAIGHT.

The sluggers from the 144th Squadron nine pounded the old pill in great style Monday and when the smoke cleared away had piled up a total of 20 runs to 3 for the 328th team. This is the second consecutive victory for the 144th boys in as many days, they having defeated the 507th tossers the day previous.

## BASEBALL RESULTS.

|           |    |            |   |
|-----------|----|------------|---|
| Cooks'    | 2  | 508th      | 1 |
| Cooks'    | 4  | 633rd      | 1 |
| Cooks'    | 6  | 870th      | 2 |
| Cooks'    | 5  | 144th      | 0 |
| Medics    | 22 | 324th      | 2 |
| 507th     | 8  | 322nd      | 4 |
| Medics    | 8  | 144th      | 0 |
| Medics    | 4  | 507th      | 1 |
| 633rd     | 11 | 508th      | 3 |
| 324th     | 3  | 323rd      | 2 |
| 328th     | 10 | 323rd      | 7 |
| Section 1 | 3  | Section 13 | 0 |
| Section 3 | 6  | Section 5  | 3 |

## KELLY PITCHES NO-HIT GAME.

Kelly, premier pitcher for the 90th Division ball club at Camp Travis, who recently proved an enigma for the Kelly Field swatters, last week hurled one of those games that are a rarity in baseball. It was a no-hit, no-run contest. In addition to this, Kelly fanned 17 men and whaled out a homer.

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### Took Part in Seven Foreign Engagements.

Sgt. Noel Charron, Line Q, Recruit Division, while on active service on the Western front in France as a member of the Canadian overseas Army, saw actual examples of German cruelty in its vilest form. Among them was the body of a Canadian soldier, spiked to a door, and run through with 28 German bayonets.

Sgt. Charron spent a year and a half in France with the 13th Blackwatch Regiment, Canadian Expeditionary forces. He has been wounded 13 times, and has killed a Hun for every wound he has received. He has now enlisted in the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, of the United States, after spending many months in Canadian and English hospitals, recovering from wounds and the effects of gas.

When Charron went over the top at Ypres, one of the seven important battles in which he took part, he was injured by machine gun fire. It was there that he saw a Canadian taken by the enemy and nailed to a barn door with spikes, while 28 bayonets were jabbed in his lifeless body. After the ground gained by the Germans was retaken by the Canadians, the mangled body of the soldier was left nailed to the door as an advertisement of Teuton savagery.

Charron took part in the battles of Ypres, Vimy Ridge, Hill 160, and the Somme. In two months and a half on the Somme he was uninjured, but at Ypres was seriously wounded.

In describing his first gas attack, Sgt. Charron says: "We saw a dirty looking cloud coming, hanging close to the ground and so thick we couldn't see through it. The French Zouaves were ahead of us when we were forced to fall back, hundreds of them were killed by our own fire. When the gas got to our lines we began to cough and choke and could scarcely breathe. We wet our handkerchiefs in muddy shell holes and tied them over our faces. Some of the men buried their noses in the ground. When the smoke cleared away there were not very many of us left. I had to be sent to a hospital, along with many of my companions."

The club house of the First Training Brigade will be opened Tuesday evening, May 21st, with a dance. The Kelly Field Symphony Orchestra will furnish music. Refreshments will be served. All officers of Kelly Field and ladies are invited. Invitations have been issued to officers stationed at all army camps near San Antonio.

Col. and Mrs. Quackenbush, Col. and Mrs. Danforth, Maj. and Mrs. Edgerly, Maj. and Mrs. Bonesteel and Maj. and Mrs. Vantsmeier will be in the receiving line. Transportation will be furnished.

## Mrs. Albert Deutsch



Charming San Antonio woman who has won a warm place in the hearts of Kelly Field Men for her interest in their welfare. Mrs. Deutsch is a frequent visitor at Hostess House.



## Society Notes and Personals

Mrs. Frederick Abbott and a group of young people from San Antonio entertained the soldiers at Y. M. C. A. Building No. 159 last Thursday evening. Miss Zuleine Jungbecker sang a number of solos and instrumental music was furnished by Miss Hazel Cain, violin; Miss Bernice Milburn, saxophone; and the Misses Margaret Delfraisse, Laura Reed and Virginia Morse, ukeleles. Miss Eleanor Harris gave several readings. After the program an informal reception was held.

An informal luncheon musicale was given last Wednesday at the Y. W. C. A. Hostess House at Kelly Field. Miss Adeleine Craig of San Antonio sang soprano solos, accompanied by Miss Katherine Clark. Miss Hazel Cain played several violin solos. She was also accompanied by Miss Clark. Privates Fred R. Brown and Anthony P. Ponzillo sang tenor solos with Private Sperando J. Ciotti as accompanist.

Mrs. Laura Maverick of New York City, contralto soloist, sang three groups of songs at Y. M. C. A. building No. 3 Wednesday night. The first group was in English, the second in Italian, French and Spanish and the third in English. Mrs. A. Jacobson of San Antonio was the accompanist. During the intermissions H. A. Elliott, field social director for the Y. M. C. A., gave readings.

Miss Gertrude Saynich and a number of young people from San Antonio entertained the men of the Second Training Brigade last Thursday evening. It was held at Y. M. C. A. No. 158.

A musical entertainment is to be given at the Knights of Columbus Hall, May 22. Selections by the Kelly Field Symphony orchestra, soprano solos by Mme. Alfreda Duerler of San Antonio, and piano interpretations by Mrs. James Winslow of Chicago are to be the features of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Killeen of Duluth, Minn., are visiting their son, Corp. Clarence M. Killeen of this field. Corporal Killeen has a brother with the First Regiment, U. S. Engineers.

Members of the 323rd and 681st Squadrons held a dance in the squadron mess hall last Wednesday evening. Many young ladies of San Antonio attended, and the affair was a decided success. Supper was served at a late hour.

The patronesses were Miss Hetty Wood, Mrs. H. M. Taylor, Mrs. W. D. Syers, and Mrs. R. W. Carr. The officers present were Lieut. R. D. Wilson, commanding both squadrons and Lieuts. H. J. Russell, H. V. Cahill and H. B. Carroll.

M. S. E. Paul T. Phillips arranged the transportation for the ladies from San Antonio. Mess Sergeant C. A. Jenkins was in charge of the supper and Sergeant W. E. Horne was responsible for decorations. The general committee in charge of the dance consisted of Sergeant Major A. Backofen, M. S. E. Edward Bedony, and Sergeants H. C. Challenger, J. F. Thomas, A. L. Collins, V. E. Worden, W. P. Tabbert and A. Schnaars.

The regular Friday evening dance will take place tomorrow evening at the Aviation Club. The Kelly Field orchestra will play.

An entertainment was given at the Knights of Columbus Hall last Monday evening under the auspices of the Jewish Welfare Board and the direction of Mrs. Gertrude Saynich. The program included:

James Villaneuva, Phillip Schultz and Raymond Schultz, vocal numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Marie Villaneuva; Miss Jeanette Levitan-sky, soprano solos with ukelele accompaniment; Miss Meta Wolf, soprano solos; Miss Pearl Cohn, violinist, and Louis Saynich, pianist, duets; Mrs. L. L. Porlos, and Mrs. Gertrude Saynich, humorous sketches, songs and impersonations; Miss Mildred Miller, cornet solos; songs by the soldiers, accompanied by Miss Mildred Miller on the cornet.

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The Toy Military Band, composed of children between the ages of 3 and 6 years from the Protestant Kindergarten of San Antonio, gave an entertainment at the Y. W. C. A. Hostess House in Kelly Field last Saturday night. The program was under the direction of Miss Helen Ford who led the singing and trained the littles ones for their parts. National anthems of the allies were played. Miss Laura L. Brooks and Miss Beulah Halsted were at the piano. Miss Hettie Wood, Y. W. C. A. hostess made the arrangements.

Ice cream and cake for the kiddies was furnished by Lieut. Fraser, Lieut. McCullough and Lieut. Beaudreaux.

Former residents of Arkansas, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Louisiana, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Virginia, Maryland, Florida, Oklahoma and Missouri, who now live in San Antonio, will entertain all soldiers from the above states who are stationed near San Antonio with an old-fashioned basket picnic at Medina Lake in the near future. Plans will be perfected at a meeting to be held in the Tapestry Room of the St. Anthony Hotel at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening, May 6. Any soldiers who are residents of any of the states named are urged to be present.

Elias Gatch, of St. Louis, was a visitor at Kelly Field this week to see his son Calvin Gatch. He was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Hayward H. Kendall, 402 Augusta street, San Antonio.

## Religious Notes

Services are held at the K. of C. hut between Lines 23 and 25, Second Training Brigade, Sunday morning at 5:30 and 8:00 o'clock and other mornings at 5:30 o'clock. Father B. W. Lee officiates.

Beginning next Sunday, May 19, Christian Science services will be held in Y. M. C. A. building No. 3, on the Frio City road at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, instead of in Y. M. C. A. No. 159 as before.

The Theosophical Society meets at headquarters, 502 Swearingen-McGraw building, Sunday afternoons. The lecture is open to the public. Free instruction is given to those who wish to attend on Monday nights at 8 o'clock and on Wednesday evenings at 8:15 o'clock. Students and inquirers who wish to be informed about philosophy are invited to be present. Reading rooms are open daily from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. Books on theosophy and occult subjects are loaned free to soldiers. Open house for soldiers and their friends is held from 7:30 until 10 o'clock Saturday nights.

Catholic masses will be celebrated Sunday morning at 6 o'clock and 9:30 o'clock at Knights of Columbus Hall. Lieut. E. A. Rogers is chaplain.

Services are conducted every Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock by Chaplain C. H. Stevens in Y. M. C. A. No. 159, First Training Brigade.

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 Pin him on the 10-yard line,  
 We must have our way,  
 Swat the Fly! Swat the Fly!  
 That is the game today.

Anyway, the fly season is here in all its glory. Woe to the tiny degenerates who persist so dogmatically (or would it be more proper to say "Flymatically") in lighting on one's nose and forehead in the moments prior to succumbing to the wand of King Morpheus. And woe to those whose favorite pastime is tramping germ-laden tootsies over the edibles of the mess hall. Their time has come and the official opening of the swatting season has been proclaimed by an announcement of "Regulations of the Use of Fly Traps."

"Fly traps should be put where the flies are, and not out of sight," is the first requisite of the order. Sure, never try to keep anything from a fly. It can't be done. And besides it's against the rules to hide the traps.

"Fly traps must be baited every day," says the order and suggests the use of fish, moistened bran, slice of stale bread, camouflaged with molasses, etc., "in fact anything that will attract flies is proper bait," it adds. One does not necessarily have to be a devotee of the sport made famous by Isaak Walton to bait fly traps.

"Fly swatters are to be used," the order says. That's what they're for. They make rotten ornaments. All ye admirers of the ancient and royal pastime of golf take notice. It may aid you in your game and is

sure to perk one up in his cussing vocabulary as it's a helluva lot easier to swat a golf ball than a fly. Tennis admirers can get a like amount of practise for their favorite sport.

All rules regarding the swatting of flies, or disturbing them, even if they do pick out your favorite nose or noble brow for grazing purposes, are taboo while a man is standing at attention in formation. Squadron commanders have ideas of their own in this respect and these rules favor the fly.

Soldiers also are warned against using anything else but the swatter prescribed in the rules for disturbing the fly while he is prancing around on the visage or dome of another soldier. It has been found that shoes, hair brushes, writing boards and other make-shift swatters are not adaptable under these circumstances.

It's in the air—"Swat the Fly!" (after he lights.)

### Prepare Aerial Map From 40,000 Photos

Pictures Taken From Height of 5,000 Feet Pieced Together For Sketch of Field.

An aerial map of Kelly Field, requiring more than 40,000 photographic exposures, is being prepared at the section of Reconnaissance Photography of the Flying Department. A considerable section of the map has already been prepared. Many of the individual photographs, taken by aviators, have been assembled, and when complete the map will give a birds-eye view of the field.

The photographs are taken from aeroplanes, flying at a height of 5,000 feet, and traveling 60 to 70 miles an hour. Each photograph covers an area of two-fifths by three-fifths of a mile. When finished, they are placed together and form sections of the map.

It is announced that cadets will soon be engaged in aerial scout work with the camera. They will be required to fly over a certain spot, and bring in a picture showing the section of ground covered.

### Construction Begins on New Knights' Hall

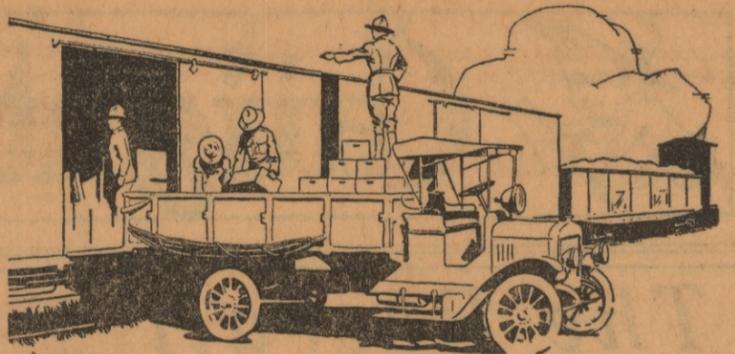
Flying Department Building to Contain Quarters for Chaplains and Secretaries.

Construction of the new Knights of Columbus building in the Flying Department of Kelly Field was begun this week, and will soon be completed. The new club house will be 80 feet long and 36 feet wide. Quarters will be provided for the Jewish Welfare Board.

The interior of the building will be finished in old English style, with quarters for the secretaries and chaplain. The reception room will be equipped with army tables and benches, with reading and writing materials provided. Shower baths are also to be installed, as well as a moving picture machine. The building will be the headquarters of Lieut. J. D. O'Keefe, department chaplain.

The Knights of Columbus have established convalescent quarters for the men of Kelly Field in the Base Hospital, Fort Sam Houston. Pool tables, a piano, a phonograph and a library have been installed, while writing facilities have been provided. Two secretaries will be in charge of the work there.

Charges for War Risk Insurance will be omitted from the payroll when a notice of intention to discontinue the insurance signed by the men affected, is sent to the Insurance Board through the organization commander.



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## Pass in Review

Capt. Samuel R. Evans has been transferred from the Inoculation Department, First Training Brigade, and is now in charge of the Hospital in the Flying Department. He has just returned from New Orleans, La., and Newport News, Va., having been on a forty-day leave. Capt. Evans is the oldest medical officer in point of service in camp. He was assigned here last July when the field was first established.

First Lieutenant Frank P. Ellsworth has been appointed Summary Court Officer of the Flying Department.

First Lieut. Thomas F. Murchison, Second Training Brigade, has been detailed to serve on the Special Court Martial, succeeding Capt. A. J. Neubauer, relieved from that duty.

Major Charles H. Bonesteel, executive officer of the Trades Division has been presented with an airplane model constructed by Sgt. Thomas M. Dolan, Headquarters Detachment, Trades Division. The model—a Curtis biplane—has a spread of about forty inches, warped wings, a beautiful propeller and a reproduction of an engine. It has a full set of controls and is exact in detail.

Major Thorne Duell, Executive Officer; Capt. William E. Mercer, surgeon, Hospital Corps; and First Lieut. Frank M. Bartlett, Officer in Charge of Flying, have been appointed a board of officers to determine whether flying cadets ordered before that board should be discharged or transferred to some other branch of the service.

The following have been reported at the field and been assigned to the Flying Department for flying training: Capt. Ezra H. Kent, C. A. N. G.; First Lieut. Chester Cotter, 339th Inf.; First Lieut. C. B. Titus, 347th Infantry; Lieut. Frank Lockhart, I. R. C.; Lieut. K. L. Shirk, 314th Inf.; Lieut. Virgil D. Stone, E. R. C.; Lieut. F. L. Vallant, F. A. N. A.; First Lieut. Robert Kauch, 316th Inf.; Lieut. C. L. Kentworthy.

Lieut. John A. McCurdy, R. M. A., has been granted one month's leave of absence on account of illness.

Passes will be granted to Kelly Field men who are members of the Scottish Rite Lodge of Masons, to attend the reunion in San Antonio, Friday and Saturday, May 17 and 18. The reunion begins at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon and continues until Saturday night. Information may be obtained from the secretary at Y. M. C. A. No. 3.

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# Caught on the Fly

## The Recruit

By Robert W. Chambers

Sez Corporal Madden to Private McFadden:

"Bedad, yer a bad 'un!  
Now turn out your toes!  
Yer belt is unhookit,  
Yer cap is on crookit,  
Ye may not be dhrunk,  
But, be jabbers, ye look it!  
Wan—two!  
Wan—two!  
Ye monkey-faced divil, I'll jolly ye through!  
Time—Mark!  
Ye march like the aigle in Cintheral Park!

Sez Corporal Madden to Private McFadden:

"A saint it ud sadden  
To dhrill such a mug!  
Eyes front! ye baboon, ye!  
Chin up, ye gossoon, ye!  
Ye've jaws like a goat—  
Halt! Ye leather lipped loon, ye!  
Wan—two!  
Wan—two!  
Ye whiskered orang-outang, I'll fix ye!  
Wan—two!  
Time—Mark!  
Ye've eyes like a bat! Can ye see in the dark?"

Sez Corporal Madden to Private McFadden:

"Yer figger wants paddin—  
Sure, man, ye've no shape!  
Behind ye yer shoulders  
Stick out like two boulders;  
Yer shins is as thin  
As a pair of pen-holders!  
Wan—two!  
Wan—two!  
Yer belly belongs on yer back, ye Jew!  
Wan—two!  
Time! Mark!  
I'm dhry as a dog—I can't sphake but I barrk!"

### Kiddies' Toy Balloons Used in Warfare Now



Curtains of steel wires, suspended from tiny balloonets, are being used to protect France against German air raids. The plan has been tried on a small scale and found effective.

A German aviator, reporting his experiences while taking part in a raid on Paris, said that a "hard, white, blinding light apparently coming from floating searchlights, "revealed the Hun planes and exposed them to the French barrage.

The searchlights to which the German referred are attached to the small balloons. The wires suspended are criss-crossed in such a manner as to form a net which, if encountered by a propeller, would prove disastrous to the airplane. Also, the contact of a wing with the wires, would cut the wing in two.

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Sez Corporal Madden to Private McFadden:

"Me heart it ud gladden  
To blackin yer eye.  
Ye're gettin' too bold, ye  
Compei me to scold ye—  
'Tis halt! that I say—  
Will ye heed what I told ye!  
Wan—two!  
Wan—two!  
Be jabbers, I'm dhryer than Brian Baru!  
Wan—two!  
Time! Mark!  
What's wur-ruk for chickens is sport for the lark!"

Sez Corporal Madden to Private McFadden:

"I'll not stay in gaddin'  
Wid dagoes like you!  
I'll travel no farther,  
I'm dyin' for wather;  
Come on, if ye like—  
Can ye loan me a quarther?  
Ya-as you,  
What—two?  
And ye'll pay the pottreen? Ye're a daisy!  
Whurroo!  
You'll do!  
Whist! Mark!  
The Rigiment's flattered to own ye, me spark!"

### Bzz! Bzz! Is Reveille Bugle for Firemen



Sergeant S. D. Blanton of the Military Fire Department swung heavily at his small antagonist but not soon enough to prevent the other from landing prettily on his nose. The sergeant ducked and swung again, parried and came across with a vicious right. But all to no use. His small rival seemed to have him at mercy, landing at will on his head and hands until he seemed aflame.

The Fates smiled upon him. By chance he landed a terrific blow, brushing his opponent aside as though he were of feather-weight. He followed up, but, reinforcements arrived in the form of his rival's "bunkies!" His every hope left him and in despair he started to flee.

Then Corporal E. A. Hayman came to the aid of his chief. He was an experienced farmer and with a make-shift net he soon had the entire swarm of bees in captivity. The swarm was adopted as the official mascot of the department and is now quartered in a hive in the rear of the headquarters fire station. The firemen hope to secure a little honey. But Sergeant Blanton says he doesn't want any of it. He has not yet removed the bandages he donned the day of the conflict.

### Kisses From Nurses Passed To Orderlies



She was a Red Cross nurse, and pretty. He had been confined in the Base Hospital for weeks, and was just beginning to feel "fresh." So when she had finished putting his room in order, and asked if there was anything else he wanted, he said:

"Yes, you forgot to kiss me good night."

"Oh," she replied, "that's out of my line. We have orderlies to do the rough work."

### THE SONG OF THE ROOKIE.

I'm getting quite expert at making a bed,  
At washing the dishes and scrubbing the floor,  
At countless achievements with needle and thread,  
At peeling potatoes and many things more.

At household mechanics I cannot be beat,  
But still I am getting quite tired of this life.  
I'll write in to some matrimonial sheet—  
For I would make someone a wonderful wife.

—L. B. C.

### Not, "Get the Hook!" But, "Got the Hook?"

"Hey, got a hookworm?"  
No, it isn't a new kind of a pet. Nor is it a wild Texas animal. To explain: A hookworm is—well, a hookworm.

All those below the Mason-Dixon line—BEWARE. The doctors are going to get you, if you don't watch out.

A hookworm survey has been ordered by the Surgeon General of all men from the south. Those whose grandfathers fought under Lee will have to undergo pedal examination, for it is down south that the hookworm flitters merrily. So if you ran about barefooted when a lad, maybe some son-of-a-hookworm sneaked into your feet.

That's no place for him in the army, and so the medical officers are going to fish around your toes for specimens.

And the hard luck part of it is that the investigation started on May 13.

### LOOSEN UP, ART.

I was conversing nonchalantly with a Jayne in the Coffee Room at the Gunter the other night and waxing real enthusiastic over a glass of orange juice (army bronx), when she whispered in my ear that she had a "close call" the previous evening. She said Serg. Art Moore, file clerk at Headquarters, Flying Department, had called on her and only spent the evening.

### A Man's a Man for a Thing Like That



John Jones' sister had just died. That isn't his real name, but it will serve the purpose. He went to the Red Cross and asked for the loan of funds so that he could get home to attend the funeral.

Just before he applied for money, another man, whose father had just died, had asked for enough to get home on. There was a mother, past sixty, and a little home that was considerably involved.

The Red Cross field director told Jones that there was money enough for but one trip. Jones swallowed hard, put on his hat, and said: "Send him." And he went out the door.

### TO THE PLAYERS

As you daubed your face with the grease paint,  
To achieve the smile or frown,  
And thought of men doing "worthy things"

And loathed yourself for a clown;  
You didn't reck of the Mighty  
Who shapeth all things well,  
Who has issued the "call"  
For the players all  
To lighten the load from Hell.  
So paint with the curves of laughter,  
Sing ho, for the players' chance  
To do the work of man and mine  
For our homesick lads in France.

—Eva Williams.

### SNAP IN ARMY.

My old college chump, "Bogue" Holman, in training at Camp Dix, N. J., writes that the only snaps he's been able to locate during his short term in the army hold down the cover on his gas mask.

### LOST

A gold fillagree link bracelet. Either at Y. M. C. A. No. 3 or on the road between Kelly Field and San Antonio. Return to the Kelly Field Eagle, Post Headquarters.

A feller was kicken because he didnt get a bigger piece of meat, and last him would he rather be a German an eat boiled shingles an things like that. Philbert ME Tuit



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### WINNING BALL TEAMS IN SURPRISE ATTACK

Two surprise baseball games were played Tuesday on the Third Training Brigade diamonds. The crack 144th Squadron club, hitherto undefeated, was blanked by the Medics in a rather featureless contest. The knife-artists canned Hein, the Squadron heaver, in the early innings and banged his successors in nice style when hits meant runs.

The other battle was between the Cooks and the 633rd Squadron aggregations. The Cooks won the contest chiefly through securing the breaks, although Brown allowed the opposition but two scattered bingles. Two bad throws at critical times gave the food makers enough tallies to decide the issue.

### TO INSTRUCT AT TRAVIS.

Johnny Coulon, former bantam-weight boxing champ, will soon become boxing instructor at Camp Travis. He now is at Camp Dodge,

LOST — RUSSET LEATHER TRAVELING BAG, CONTAINING PERSONAL PAPERS, SOME PLACE BETWEEN SUPPLY OFFICE AND SAN ANTONIO ON SOMERSET ROAD, TUESDAY, MAY 14. BAG HAD NAME OF S. F. HAUSER STENCILED ON SIDE. FINDER RETURN SAME TO PUBLICITY OFFICE.

### YE GODS! BASEBALL?

An avalanche of base hits buried the 324th baseball team Saturday afternoon and the Medics grabbed another battle by a lop-sided score of 21 to 4. The 324th squadron's regular pitcher was absent from the pastime.

### HIT IN THE PINCHES.

The 870th Squadron team, playing fine ball and hitting well in the pinch, won from the 507th aggregation Saturday afternoon by a score of 10 to 3.

### NOT ME.

C'ose ah ain't sayin' ah won't do  
Jes what me country wants me to  
But dey's one job dat ah fo' see  
Ain't gwine 'tach itself to me—  
Huh-uh—not me!

Dat's dis heah ai'plane stuff—no, Boss,  
Ah'll beah some otha kin' ob cross,  
Lak drive a mule, or tote a gun  
But ah ain't flirrin' wif de sun—  
Huh-uh—not me!

Ef ah mus' do a loop-de-loop,  
Let mine be 'round some chicken coop  
It ain't gwine be up whah de crows  
Kin say ah's trompin on der toes—  
Huh-uh—not me!

It sho' look sweet, ah don't deny,  
To be a croozin' 'roun de sky,  
But dat's fo' folks dat's in de mood  
To pass up love an' gin an' food—  
Huh-uh—not me!

Doun heah ah firs' saw light ob day  
Doun heah am whah ah's gwine to stay  
Folks, ah don't keer to hab ma feet,  
Git too blamed proud to walk de street—  
Huh-uh—not me!

So ah'll jes wait 'til Gabr'el brings,  
Dem good old fashion' angel's wings  
Den as ah pass de ai' planes by,  
In pity, ah'll look down an' sigh—  
Huh-uh—not me!

## Captain Bishop Leaves Field for Duty Elsewhere

Former Assistant Adjutant  
Leaves Kelly Field for  
Duties Elsewhere.

Capt. Miller V. Bishop, Assistant Adjutant, Post Headquarters, is transferred elsewhere.

Captain Bishop is a native of Monterey, Va., and before he entered the service, was secretary to United States Senator Martin, of Virginia, chairman of the Senate Committee on Appropriations at Washington. On August 30, 1917, he was commissioned a First Lieutenant in the Signal Reserve Corps and detailed to the Aviation Section, arriving at Kelly Field early in September.

He was assigned to the Adjutant's office with supervision of commissioned personnel affairs, and was promoted to the rank of Captain on February 19, continuing in the same staff position. About a month ago, when an Officers' Personnel Department was organized under Lieut. W. F. Jacobs, Capt. Bishop took up flying and, at the time he left the Field, was ready to qualify as a Reserve Military Aviator.

He left Wednesday, May 8, for his new post.

## Gunter Jap Garden Will Open Saturday

The Gunter Japanese Garden, an outdoor pavilion with the romantic spirit of the Orient will open Saturday evening. The garden is in the rear of the Gunter Hotel, where were formerly tennis courts, and will offer the excellent service for which the Gunter is famous.

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Steer clear of "Sol Awol" and you'll never meet Miss Fortune.

Don't Be a Lame Duck

GET IN STEP WITH YOURSELF! Don't be a lame duck when you can be a fighting cock.

A lame duck has no place in the army, no matter how cute he may think he looks on the dance floor or in the hotel lobby.

This war cannot be won by terpsichorean Dandies or Lounge Lizards.

There's many a Broadway Beau Brummel who has turned out to be a Broadway Bum. And there's a little bit of Broadway in every town.

Afternoon tea may not taste so well out of a Pewter Mess kit as out of a bit of Dresden China, but it's a long way to Berlin and you've got to get used to the Pewter.

It is true that in Kelly Field there are men from all parts of the country with tastes so widely divergent that it is difficult for some of them to keep in step with the others.

The main purpose, the "big idea," however, is the same and the only way to attain it is to buckle together and go after it as one man. Unity of purpose is one of the things that is going to make America victorious.

Snap into step! Come down to earth! And— CAN THE CROCKERY!

THE ROUGHNECK OF THE RHINE



BEHOLD the "Roughneck of the Rhine", an imbecile, who gets drunk on the red liquor of his own vanity and uses Civilization for a cuspidor. He has the habits of a buzzard and the heart of a coyote.

This is the maudlin idiot, the mad dog of Europe, who for the last forty years has double-crossed the World with Camouflage Peace Talk, while he plotted murder with his hirelings. He is the Judas of a new era of en-

lightenment, but unlike the betrayer of Christ, lacks the courage to hang himself. We owe that infamous apostate an apology for making this comparison.

There are those who have suggested St. Helena for a Vulture like this. St. Helena?

Bah! He is unfit for Heaven and too foul for Hell.

Flashy Chevrons and the Wise Old Owl

ONE of the reasons that an Owl is a wise old bird is that he hasn't got the inclination to spend his time in front of a looking glass.

His eyesight is also none too good and he hates Arc Lights.

All of which should set forth a little object lesson to some of our esteemed Sergeants, Corporals, and other chevron-bearing individuals.

Because you have been promoted to the rank of non-commissioned officer is no reason why you should immediately rush to the nearest hardware store and doll yourself up in Red, White and Blue chevrons. They DON'T look as "nifty" as you think they do.

Nor is it particularly helping Uncle Sam win this war if you strut into a soda fountain and mosh with the "girl behind the counter" the while you blind her with the dazzling fact that you are the wearer of stripes.

There is a regulation chevron and there are a whole lot that are not regulation.

A rash on a baby's back is fit cause for a call for the doctor, but a rash all over the arm of a non-commissioned officer is fit cause for only one thing

RIDICULE! Get wise to yourself, men. You've got a dignified job. Why not be a credit to it?

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THERE'S MANY A CUP 'twixt the lip and the slip.

GETTING MARY'S GOAT.

Mary had a little Goat With which she used to dance. He bought himself a Gabardine With buttons on the pants. Mary lost her little Goat, She also lost his hug. An M. P. got the Gabardine; The Goat, he got the jug.

SOME PEOPLE act so loud it's impossible to hear them talk.

SOLO FLYING with the Fair Sex oftentimes results in the discovery that San Antonio and Paris are not far removed.

HE SWEEPED her with his insignia and she signed him up for life.

A FORD-FULL of officers bolted past.

IF THE TRADE TEST and the Mental Boards were ruling the destinies of the Army we'd all be in either the brickyard or the Nut Factory.

THE COSMOPOLITE

Though born on the banks of the Seine His blood was of Germany's strain. His living he did In Sunny Madrid, But he died eating Frankfurtrs in Maine.

K. P.'s will find plenty of Pots on the road to Potsdam.

THERE'S A WORLD of difference between a British and a Kelly M. P.

A PASS TO town covers a multitude of shirts.

A COLYUMIST, like a street car conductor, is judged by his last line.

WRINGINGS AL A WRIGLEY

I shot an arrow in the air, this like up went thing The It formed a sort of circle Then it shot for earth like this

SPEAKING of chauffeurs—

WHAT COULD be sweeter.