

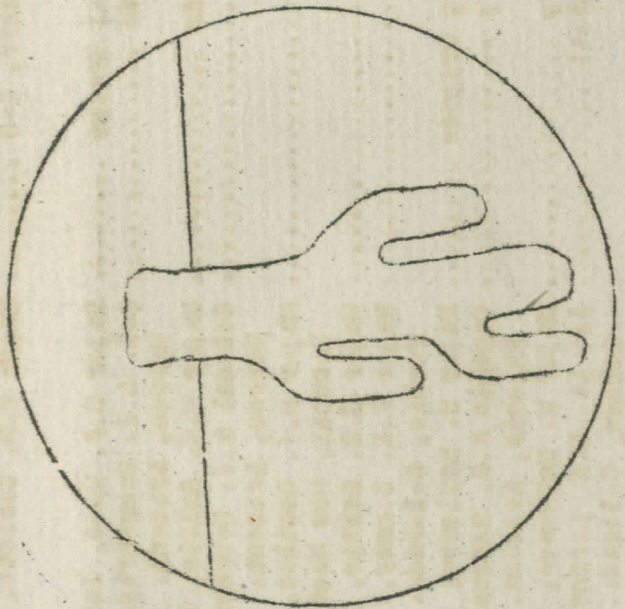
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OFFICERS OF THE REGULAR ARMY ON DUTY WITH THE 103rd DIVISION.
(Address Denver unless otherwise stated)

DIVISION HEADQUARTERS.

Chief of Staff Colonel W.D. Forysth, Cavalry.
(Absent sick Fitzsimons Hosp).
Acting Chief of Staff Lt. Col. K.C. Masteller, C.A.C.
Adjutant Major J.A. McGrath, Infantry.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1 Major D.P. Wood, Infantry.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, G-4 ... Major R.O. Annin, Cavalry.
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3 Major C.H. Corlett, Infantry.

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS.

103rd Division Special Troops Major D.P. Wood, Infantry (Actg).
205th Infantry Brigade Col. A.J. Dougherty, Inf (Actg).,
Warren, Arizona.
206th Infantry Brigade Major W.E. Selbie, Inf (Actg).
409th Infantry Colonel A.J. Dougherty, Infantry,
Warren, Arizona.
410th Infantry Major H.J. Castles, Infantry,
Roswell, New Mexico.
411th Infantry Major W.E. Selbie, Infantry.
412th Infantry Major F.E. Bonney, Infantry,
Pueblo, Colorado.
178th Field Artillery Brigade Major W. McCleave, F.A. (Actg).
382nd Field Artillery Captain A.R. Reeves, F.A.,
Phoenix, Arizona.
383rd Field Artillery Major W. McCleave, F.A.
328th Engineers (Combat) 1st Lt. W.E. Lorence, C.E.,
Golden, Colorado.
103rd Division Air Service Captain C.A. Pursley, A.S.
328th Medical Regiment Captain E.D. Quinnell, M.C.
103rd Division Train Lt. Col. J.E. Shelley, Q.M.C.
103rd Division Captain J.A. Pierce, S.C.,
Albuquerque, N.M.
Absent sick Fitzsimons Hospital Captain H. Hutchings, Jr. C.E.
Absent sick Fitzsimons Hospital Captain M.D. Leonard, C.A.C.
Absent sick Fitzsimons Hospital 1st Lt. J.T. deCamp, C.A.C.

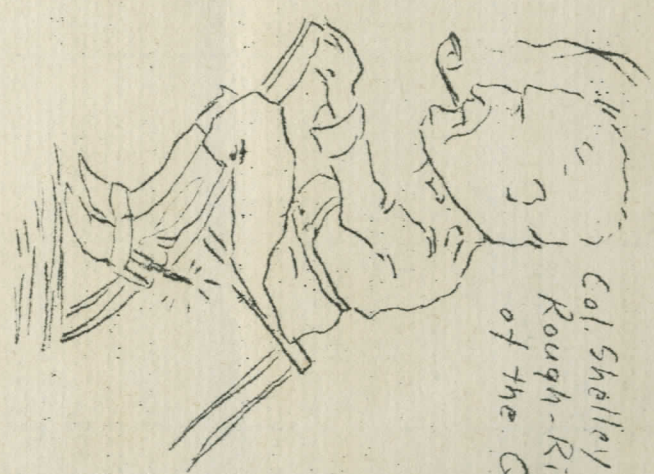
ENLISTED MEN OF THE REGULAR ARMY ON DUTY WITH 103rd DIVISION.

Headquarters, 103rd Division Technical Sgt. Jesse C. Ramsay.
Headquarters, 103rd Division Staff Sergeant H.E. Flint.
Headquarters, 103rd Division Pvt. 1Cl. Eugene M. Lawrence.
Headquarters, 103rd Division Pvt. 1Cl. William A. Trowbridge.
Headquarters, 103rd Division Pvt. 1Cl. Glenn L. Weiss.
409th Infantry Pvt. 1Cl. Frederick H. Keller.
410th Infantry Eripokal James Gillooly,
411th Infantry Corporal Herbert P. Daulton.
412th Infantry Pvt. 1Cl. Ethan R. Surratt.
382nd Field Artillery Pvt. 1Cl. Karl V. Muehlberg.
382nd Field Artillery Pvt. 1Cl. Sterling Phillips.
328th Engineers (Combat) Pvt. 1Cl. John Fack.
103rd Division Air Service Corporal William S. Gorman.
328th Medical Regiment Pvt. 1Cl. Wible H. Foster.
103rd Division Train Pvt. 1Cl. George G. Pinger.
Detached Service, Hq. 8th Corps Area . Staff Sgt. John J. Chapman.

SOME OF THE LEADING LIGHTS OF THE WINNER MEETINGS



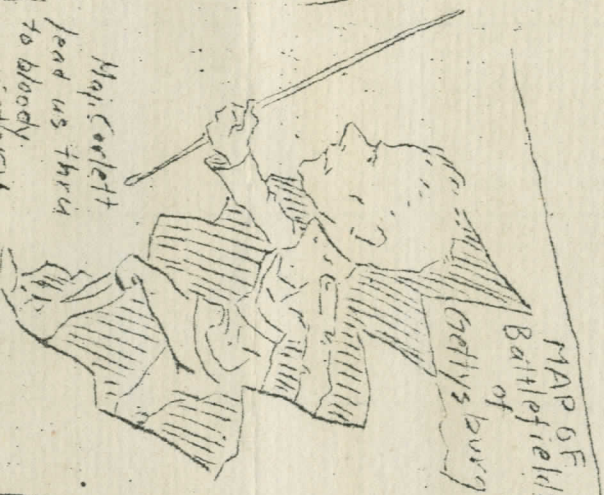
Mr. Selbie
"an organized
"live of
Resistance"



Col. Shelley made
Rough-Riders out
of the QM's



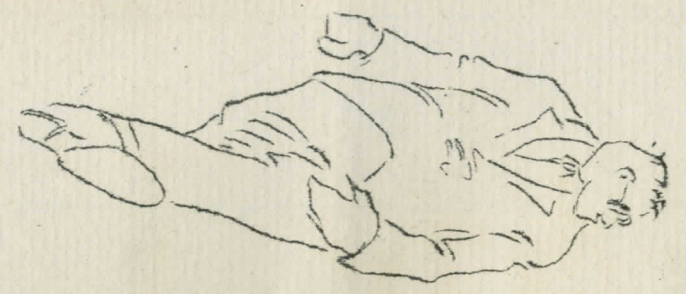
Engage the enemy
in a speaking
contest -



MAP OF
BATTLEFIELD'S
of
Gatlysburg
Maj. Colett
lead us thru
to bloody
victory.



The Engineers were
passed along till
Maj. McGrath took 'em.



Maj. Annin's large regiment
of cavalry passing in
review.



CASUALTIES

The Hospital
camps were
swamped.

VC, Engns.

NECROLOGY.

IN MEMORY OF OUR COMRADES WHO HAVE CROSSED
"THE GREAT DIVIDE".

Second Lieutenant CHARLES WILSON DUFFIN, Denver, Colorado.

Commissioned Second Lieutenant, Infantry Officers' Reserve Corps, January 1st, 1919; died at Denver, Colorado, December 9th, 1923.

Second Lieutenant THOMAS WARD, Denver, Colorado.

Commissioned Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery Officers' Reserve Corps, January 29th, 1919; died at Denver, Colorado, December 13th, 1923.

Major ALECK FRANKLIN HUTCHINSON, Durango, Colorado.

First Lieutenant, Medical Corps, United States Army, Fort Riley, Kansas, August 15, 1917, to October 28, 1917; Captain, Medical Corps, United States Army, Field Hospital No. 360, 90th Division, American Expeditionary Forces, October 29, 1917, to May 31, 1919; commissioned Major, Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, November 13, 1919; died at Durango, Colorado, February 16, 1924.

Major ZACHARY HENRY STURMAN, Denver, Colorado.

Commissioned Major, Quartermaster Officers' Reserve Corps, December 1st, 1923; died at Denver, Colorado, March 3rd, 1924.

Major LEON JACOBS, Yuma, Arizona.

Commissioned Major, Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, December 3rd, 1918; died at Yuma, Arizona, May 3rd, 1924.

Colonel WILLIAM PAGE HARLOW, Boulder, Colorado.

Captain, Medical Corps, United States Army, General Hospital No. 16, New Haven, Conn., June 1, 1918, to July 29, 1918; Major, Medical Corps, United States Army, General Hospital No. 8, Orisville, N.Y., July 30, 1918, to August 23, 1918; Lieutenant Colonel, Medical Corps, United States Army, Commanding Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colorado, August 24, 1918, to June 19, 1919; commissioned Lieutenant Colonel, Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, August 11, 1919; promoted to grade of Colonel, Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, October 12, 1922; died at Boulder, Colorado, May 11, 1924.

"As in many groups they were busied in diverse occupations, some in games and others in work, the Master opened the door and with a smile beckoned the leader of the busiest group, and he lay down his tools and went within and the door was shut behind him; his comrades waited for his return, but finding that he came not realized that this was death".

This beautiful imagery was employed by a pagan philosopher many centuries ago in illustration of the dread thing that we call death. It has been brought home to us in our division. The Master opened the door and with a smile beckoned divers leaders of our busiest groups, and they lay down their tools and went within and the door was shut behind them; the finger of the Lord touched them and they slept. This is the death that we in our blindness regret, but it is but the grey eve between two shining days; the day of the past, and the eternal day of a better life.

"IN THE NIGHT OF DEATH HOPE SEES A STAR, AND LISTENING LOVE CAN HEAR THE RUSTLE OF A WING".

THE officers of the division extend their heartfelt sympathy to relatives and friends in their bereavement, and trust that recollections of their departed loved ones may ever be softened, whispering memory.

THE WHY OF THE ORGANIZED RESERVES
ON BEING READY.

The man who is there with the wallop and punch,
The one who is trained to the minute,
May well be around when the trouble begins,
But you seldom will find that he is in it;
For they let him alone when they know he is there
For any set part in the ramble,
To pick out the one who is shrinking and soft
And not quite attuned to the scramble.

To one who is fired for whatever they start
Is rarely expected to prove it;
They pass him along for the next shot in sight
Where they take a full wind-up and groove it;
For who wants to pick on a bulldog or such
Where a quivering poodle is handy,
When he knows he can win with a kick or a brick
With no further trouble to bandy.
(From "The Sportlight" --- Grantland Rice)

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Grant Rice would not be a strong contender for the highly honorary position of poet laureate with this poem, but you get the IDEA. Those who advocate the use of the olive branch under all circumstances and conditions that may arise probably do not.

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In the last issue of the Bulletin we considered the spirit of the Organized Reserves; in this issue the object. In fine, the OBJECT is SECURITY; the SPIRIT is SERVICE.

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"GOOSE-STEP DAY" will be observed on September 12, 1924, as per schedule, providing Frederick L. Libby and his cohorts do not throw a monkey-wrench in the machinery.

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Wednesday is not always "Blue Monday". On Monday, May 5th, there was received at these headquarters twenty executed oaths of office for service in the Corps; this included acceptances of appointment, reappointment and promotions. This was a "red letter day"; if we can only get the ex-service men solidly behind the Division every day will be "red letter day".

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The slogan of a prominent and successful showman was "IF YOU CAN'T BE FOR IT DON'T BE WITH IT". If you are for the Organized Reserves, then why not join; your influence from the inside is much greater than from the outside.

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We believe that former service men are strongly in favor of the Organized Reserves. We recommend and urge that our officers use their influence to gather ex-service men into the fold. Take time for a little missionary work and bring this matter to their serious attention.

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On this date, September 12, 1924, in every city and hamlet in the United States, millions of officers and men of the regular army, national guard and Organized reserves will turn out just as if war had been declared, while at the same time the industrial resources of the nation will also be mobilized".

(Dispatch - Washington, April 29th).
The only thing that is worrying us at the present time is "where are we going to get those millions of officers and men on "Goose-Step Day". Boy, page Mr. Libby; also page the Great Herman and Baron Munchausen.

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Judging from your noble response most of you Second Lieutenants must have "hitched your wagon to a star". Promotion is not by seniority in the Officers' Reserve Corps; if you are eligible - GET BUSY.

It should be the aim and ambition of all to have the "Old Cactus Division" one hundred percent complete by the 1st of November. With the earnest support and cooperation of all reserve officers in the divisional area this can be done. A few officers are giving splendid support in this work, but a few is not enough; the task of building up our division should not be the task of a few, but the duty of all. YOU WOULDN'T BE WITH IT, IF YOU WEREN'T FOR IT. LET'S PUSH THE "OLD CACTUS DIVISION" UP TO HER RIGHTFUL PLACE IN THE COLUMN.

HOW THIS CAN BE DONE: Urge and help junior officers to obtain promotion; secure applicants for commission; send in names of prospects to these headquarters; educate the people as to the value of the Organized Reserves; and last but not least get in personal touch with all ex-service men personally known to you. In brief, preach the gospel of the Organized Reserves. This is the people's army and its gospel should be known to the people. Its object is NATIONAL SECURITY; its spirit is SERVICE.

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FIGHT AGAINST NATIONAL MOBILIZATION DAY.

The public press, under date of April 29th carried an article which says that an organization dubbing itself by the resounding title "National Council for the Prevention of War" has launched a movement against "Mobilization Day" projected for next September; a day planned to be inventory day in order that stock may be taken of the progress which will have been made under the Amended National Defense Act of June 4th 1929.

The National Council (?) referred to, under the direction of the notorious pacifist FREDERICK L. LIBBY, adopts a slogan "Give America no Goose Step Day!" They do not know that "goose" had nothing to do with this day until they mixed in on it.

Those with sane minds, knowledge of experience and a study of the lessons of history are aware that preparedness generally makes for peace; that armies do not generally make for war but war necessitates armies. They know that our Country has never had an army at the time of the beginning of any of our wars but that we have had to call men to the colors and then organize and train them, all with loss of time, men and money; shameful delay, inexcusable losses, extravagance and inefficiency have always resulted.

Must we always muddle through or can the strong man and women of the Nation make such a display of their numbers, their strength, their thoughts and finally of their organization as to show all Americans that all our lessons have not been in vain!

September 12th then will be Mobilization Day! Let us make it a "Landmark" in Our History. This can be done by every Reservist doing his bit to the level best of his ability and with all the knowledge, instruction, training and time that he has.

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ADJUTANT'S SECTION.

UNIFORM:

ENGINEER CASTLE will be of gold, gilt or gildine instead of silver.

This change will be published in the near future when AR 600-35 is printed. BREECHEES. Commissioned officers may wear breeches of Eadford cord or similar material, slightly lighter in color than the service coat. THIS DOES NOT AUTHORIZE THE WEARING OF BREECHEES OF CREAM COLORS THAT PRESENT AN INCONGRUOUS APPEARANCE. The use of strapping of buckskin of color approved materially similar material to the breeches is also authorized. The lacing of the front of the legs to be on the inside of the shinbone.

SERVICE COAT. Some minor changes have been made in the cut. The hooks on the coat for support of the Sam Browns belt are now prescribed as are also the slit in the back and inside hung pockets for the two lower pockets of the coat.

SHOULDER PATCH. Supplied by Division Headquarters at .35 cents each. SERVICE CAP. Do not remove the wire stiffening.

BUTTONS AND INSIGNIA. To be of gold, gilt or gildine. Bronze buttons new on hand may be continued in use as long as serviceable, provided the bronze finish is removed and the metal polished.

CHANGES. Whenever changes in design or material of uniforms are published in AR 600-35, all members of the Army are authorized to wear out existing clothing. New uniforms, procured or manufactured after publication of these changes, will be of the new type.

DENTAL ALLOWANCES FOR RESERVE OFFICERS.

In a decision dated March 22 1924 the Comptroller General of the United States rescinded so much of his decision of March 23 1923 as authorized payment of rental allowance to the National Guard and Reserve Officers with dependents while on duty at training camps, where they are furnished personal quarters or shelter.

There is legislation now pending (HR 4820 introduced by Mr. Kahn, and which was reported out of the committee on Military Affairs to the House on February 27 1924) which, if enacted, it is hoped will remedy this condition.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION NO LONGER REQUIRED.

Pursuant to recent instructions from the War Department, candidates for appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps will not be required hereafter to submit letters of recommendation with their applications as evidence of moral fitness, unless such evidence is desired by examining boards, and in such cases the board will so notify the candidates concerned.

OFFICERS APPOINTED ON MILITARY RECORDS.

Army examining boards convened for the purpose of determining the suitability of applicants in the Officers' Reserve Corps have been authorized by the War Department, in certain cases, to waive the applicant's personal appearance before the board. This authority is granted examining boards for use in their discretion where the circumstances are exceptional and excessive trouble and expense involved in an applicant's reporting to the board for examination and expatriation. This authorization applies only to appointment of applicants for service designated as "special service" or for service not involving the tactical handling of troops. Boards are also authorized when examining applicants for appointment in or promotion to the grade below Lieutenant Colonel in the Medical, Dental, Veterinary, Medical Administrative or Sanitary Sections of the Officers' Reserve Corps to make such promotion or appointment without requiring the applicant to appear personally before the board, when in the opinion of the board, the civil or military experience of the candidate justifies belief in his qualifications for the grade and class of service sought.

PROMOTION.

If you are eligible for promotion, it is up to you to prepare yourself and apply for examination. Officers in the higher grades are badly needed. Unless you prepare yourself for these grades it means officers from other sections of the country will command your units.

APPLICATION FOR SUMMER TRAINING CAMPS.

All officers who have not submitted applications for summer training camps must do so at once if applications are to reach these headquarters in time to be considered for the detail.

TRAINING REGULATIONS.

Following is a partial list of Training Regulations issued to date which may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., at prices quoted:

<u>NO.</u>	<u>PRICE.</u>	<u>SUBJECT.</u>
10-5	.05	Basics; doctrines, principles and methods.
50-15	.05	Instruction of the soldier, dismounted, without arms.
50-20	.05	Inst. of the soldier dismtd, with rifle and auto. rifle.
50-55	.05	Instruction, dismounted, with pistol
50-90	.05	Display of equipment, foot troops
135-5	.05	Ceremony of Guard Mounting, foot troops
150-5	.10	Rifle marksmanship, Individual
150-10	.05	Rifle marksmanship, General
150-15	.05	Individual Score Book for the rifle
150-35	.15	Marksmanship, machine-gun
150-40	.05	Marksmanship, 37mm Gun and 3 inch Trench Mortar
190-10	.10	Conventional Signs
240-20	.05	Combat practice
420-40	.05	Drill and combat signals
420-45	.05	Drill, general instruction and introduction
420-45	.10	Drill, squad, platoon, company
420-60	.05	Drill, battalion
420-85	.05	Extended order, squad, section, platoon
420-90	.05	Extended order, machine-gun, squad, section, platoon
420-105	.10	Combat principles, rifle squad
420-110	.05	Combat principles, rifle section
420-115	.10	Combat principles, rifle platoon
420-120	.05	Combat principles, rifle company
420-125	.05	Combat principles, machine gun section
420-130	.05	Combat principles, machine gun platoon.
420-135	.10	Combat principles, machine gun company
420-140	.05	Combat principles, Lewis company, squad
420-150	.05	Combat principles, howitzer company, platoon
420-155	.05	Combat principles, howitzer company, company
430-15	.05	Service of the piece, 75 mm Gun, model 1897.
430-70	.05	The firing battery
430-75	.05	The field artillery driver
430-80	.10	Maneuvers, limbered
430-85	.25	Field artillery firing

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G-1 PERSONNEL SECTION.

Original appointments in the ORC January 1 to March 31	188
Original appointments in the ORC in April, 1924	69
Total	257
Reappointments in the ORC January 1 to March 31	137
Reappointments in the ORC in April, 1924	48
Total	185
Original applications for appointments in ORC forwarded to Corps Area January 1, to March 31, 1924	167
In month of April, 1924	85
Total	252
Officers assigned and attached to the 103rd Division and the Non- Divisional Group on April 30, 1924:	1011
To the 103rd Division	618
To the Non-Divisional Group	1629.
Enlisted men assigned to divisional units	69
Enlisted men attached to divisional units	1
Enlisted men unassigned	2
Total	72

Changes and changes pending in the Regular Army personnel of the 103d Division since last issue of the Bulletin:

Major CHARLES H. CORLETT, Infantry, G-3, goes to the War College at Washington Barracks as a student; Major WILLIAM McCLEAVE, Field Artillery, Executive Officer of the 383d Field Artillery, goes to the Command and General Staff School at Leavenworth, Kansas, as student; and Major Harry J. Castles, Infantry, Executive Officer of the 410th Infantry, goes to the Infantry School at Fort Benning, Georgia, as student in the advanced course.

Major HARRY L. KING, 4th Cavalry, who was a member of the Leavenworth Team at the 103rd Division Camp at Fort Logan, Colorado, 1923, has been detailed for duty with the 103rd Division with station in Denver.

Major ORLANDO WARD, Field Artillery, is relieved from further assignment and duty as Professor of Military Assignment and Tactics, University of Wisconsin, and from his present duties at the Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, Oklahoma, effective upon the completion of the present course of instruction, and assigned to duty with the Organized Reserves as Executive Officer of the 383rd Field Artillery, with station at Denver, Colorado.

Captain CROSBY N. ELLIOTT, Infantry, for duty with the Organized Reserves, and assigned to duty with Headquarters 103rd Division with station at Denver, Colorado.

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G-3 PLANS AND TRAINING.

SUMMER TRAINING CAMPS.

All preliminary arrangements have now been made and dates definitely set for the summer camps in the divisional area. The Engineer ROTC at Golden, Colorado, will go to Fort Logan for their camp opening June 14th and continuing for six weeks. The officers of the 103rd Division Air Service will attend camp at Fort Bliss, Texas, commencing August 1st. The Officers of the Field Artillery Brigade will also go to Fort Bliss for their camp opening August 3rd. The 409 and 410th Infantry will go to Camp Stephen D. Little, Nogales, Arizona, camp to open August 3rd. All other officers of the Division who are able to avail themselves of the training will attend unit camps at Fort Logan opening August 3rd.

Brigadier General PAUL B. MALONE will be in command of all training camps at Fort Logan including the CMTC which will open August 1st. Lieut. Colonel KENNETH C. MASTELLER has been designated as Camp Executive.

Applications for training camps have been coming in from officers over the area for several weeks and at present the total received follows:
HEADQUARTERS 103rd DIVISION-33; SPECIAL TROOPS-8; 328th MEDICAL REGT.-23;
103rd DIVISION TRAIN-6; 409th INFANTRY-20; HQRS 205th BRIGADE-2; 410th INFANTRY-18; 411th INFANTRY-46; 412th INFANTRY-31; 382nd FIELD ARTY-11;
383rd FIELD ARTILLERY-14.

Any officer who desires to attend the camps this summer who has not already submitted his application is requested to do so as early as practicable as we are anxious to get rosters made up early in June.

All Enlisted Reservists except those pertaining to the 409th and 410th Infantry will attend camp with their organizations. The men belonging to the 409th and 410th will go to Fort Logan instead of Camp Stephen D. Little.

Schedules for the camps are now being prepared stressing duties to be performed when mobilization is ordered. The work promises to be very interesting and beneficial.

103RD DIVISION AIR SERVICE NOTES.

The period of training for the 103rd Division Air Service this year has been set for August 1 to 15 inclusive. The training will be handled a little differently this year than in the past, in that the units of the 103rd Division Air Service will be attached to the Second Cavalry Division Air Service, Fort Bliss, Texas, and will train as a unit. An interesting training schedule has been prepared and covers as broad a field of Air Service activities as is compatible for the limited period. The schedule has been arranged to give the Reserve Officers as much flying as possible. This will include Artillery Adjustments, Aerial Gunnery, Bombing, both simulated practice and practice with dummy bombs. The types of planes that will be used principally will be the DH-1B with the Liberty motor. There will, no doubt, be other types available for those who are qualified to fly them. Lectures and problems in mobilization of the 103rd Division Air Service will be given with a view to preparing each officer for his duties in case of an actual mobilization. For those officers residing in Denver and vicinity, arrangements will probably be made to complete the SOG (Physical examination for flying) before they leave for the camp. This will probably be taken care of by a flight Surgeon at Fitzsimons General Hospital.

LARGEST KNOWN AIRPLANE TIRE.

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From a recent Air Service News Letter, we quote the following: "The largest known tire in the world, measuring 64x14 inches, is being designed at the Air Service Engineering Division, McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio. The experimental casing is of the straight side type, and because of its size has necessitated the design of a special wheel upon which to fit it. The estimated weight of the tire and wheel assembled is about 300 pounds with an inflation pressure of 75 pounds in the tire. The estimated breaking load of the wheel is 60,000 pounds. The largest American tire heretofore built was 54 by 12 inches and at present used on the Barling Bomber. The Barling Bomber, by the way, is an American built plane and is the largest airplane in the world. It is powered with six Liberty motors having approximately 2,400 horsepower. The plane weighs about 40,000 pounds and is capable of carrying the largest types of bombs, such as the 4,000 pound bomb we are now experimenting with.

AIR ACTIVITIES IN DENVER.

A movement is under way to organize a chapter of the National Aeronautical Association in Denver, Colorado. Every Air Service Reserve Officer living in Denver or vicinity, should put his shoulder to the wheel and lend his assistance and support this movement by becoming a member. When this organization is completed, efforts will be made to secure the International Air Races for Denver for 1928. "Kuf sed". All of you know what this means. Mr. Milton M. Schayer, 1510 Glenarm Place, Denver, Colorado, is in charge of this movement. Call on him or write a letter and pledge your support.

The Denver flying field has at last been secured. The city has leased a tract of land consisting of about 135 acres, lying one-half mile East and North of 36th Street and Colorado Boulevard. The 120th Observation Squadron, Colorado, National Guard, has charge of the development of the field. Preparation is now under way for leveling and sowing the field in millet. Hangar material is arriving and construction will soon be under way. The field will be named "Lowry Field" in honor of Francis Prown Lowry, a Denver man, and a First Lieutenant in the Air Service, who lost his life in action over the German lines in September 1918. The Francis Brown Lowry Post of the American Legion will erect a memorial on the field.

It is expected that the National Guard will begin actual flying from this field about the middle of June. Effort is now being made by the Executive Officer 103rd Division Air Service, to secure one hangar and four or five training planes for the use of the Air Service Reserve Officers, when time will permit their flying.

There are a few vacancies in the 328th Squadron for Captains. For those 1st Lieutenants who are eligible and qualified for promotion, it is suggested that you submit an application for examination for promotion. If you need "brushing up" call or write these headquarters and we will be glad to help you.

By the way, if you know of any former officers who are not in the Reserves, please send in his name and address to these headquarters, then speak to him about coming into the Officers' Reserve Corps.

HEADQUARTERS 3284th MEDICAL REGIMENT.

Twenty-three officers of this regiment have made application to attend the Officers' Training Camp to be held at Fort Logan, Colorado, August 3rd, 1924, to August 27th, 1924, but as many of these may be unable to attend it is desired that others who find that they may be able to come, apply by letter to these headquarters.

The work in camp this year will be largely actual work of a Medical Regiment and its component units in mobilization, early training, field and combat activities, and other medical department work.

Owing to promotion, there are many vacancies for Medical Officers in this regiment in junior grades, and any assistance that can be rendered by Reserve Officers toward filling these vacancies will be greatly appreciated. Any information concerning appointments or other things pertaining to the Medical Department can be obtained by writing or calling upon the Executive Officer of the regiment at 515 Kittredge Building, Denver, Colorado.

The Medical Correspondence School Course conducted by the headquarters for the Fiscal Year will close on June 30th, 1924. Those officers who have completed no work will be dropped, but they may apply again when the school opens in the fall. Those who have not completed a subcourse but have sent in some work may re-apply and continue their course during the next school year. It is hoped, however, that all will find time to complete all of a subcourse by the end of this school year.

A preliminary examination of applicants for commission in the Medical Corps of the Regular Army will be held at various stations in the 8th Corps Area during the period July 28 - August 2nd, inclusive, 1924. To be eligible for this examination, applicants must be - 1. Graduate of an acceptable medical school, 2. Have completed not less than one year as Interns in a hospital or in lieu thereof held at least one year service as a medical officer in the Army between April 24, 1917, and July 1, 1919, 3. Must be between the ages of 22-6/12 and 31-6/12 years at the time of preliminary examination.

Should unavoidable reasons prevent applicants from taking the preliminary examination at date specified above arrangements may be made for a special examination by correspondence with Headquarters 8th Corps Area.

Any interested in, or desiring to make application for, this examination can secure additional information and the necessary blanks by writing to Captain Carlo D. Quinnell, Medical Corps, these headquarters.

EQUITATION AND SMALL ARMS PRACTICE.

(Lt. Col. James E. Shelley, QMC.)

The Reserve Officers of Denver are taking a great interest in the Sunday outdoor activities at the State Rifle Range near Golden.

Small arms firing practice from 9 A.M., to Noon. Equitation from 2 P.M., to 4 P.M.

The classes in equitation has increased to such an extent that we are having difficulty in mounting them all.

Moving pictures have been taken of the classes jumping and taking the slides. These pictures will be shown at the next Army Association dinner. Don't fail to see them.

Lieutenant Ted Symans is ambitious to become a moving picture director.

Come out and hold him.

Transportation leaves the Argonaut Hotel at 3.30 A.M., and 1.30 P.M., every Sunday.

CITIZENS' MILITARY TRAINING CAMP ACTIVITIES.

The following is a list of CMTC students accepted for summer training in the Eighth Corps Area for the four camps to include May 3rd, 1924:

	Received.	Accepted.
Fort Sam Houston, Texas	635	623
Fort Sill Oklahoma	753	739
Fort Logan, Colorado	261	254
Fort Huachuca, Arizona	148	141
Total 1797	1757	

The organization in Colorado, under the supervision of Mr. Robert G. Bosworth, Civilian Aide to the Secretary of War, ably assisted by Captain George W. Cutting, is working smoothly and effectively, and there is every prospect that the quota for the State of Colorado will be exceeded.

The banner counties for the State of Colorado, to date, are Garfield, 14; Lincoln, 14; and, Las Animas, 11.

The following is taken from a Bulletin issued by The Military Training Camps Association of the United States, with National Headquarters at 210 Mallers Building, Chicago, Illinois:

"PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, under date of April 7th sent to the National Headquarters of the Military Training Camps Association this concise and highly appreciative statement:

"The young men of America have always shown patriotic devotion to their country in time of stress. They have an opportunity today of preparation for service in time of peace. The Government has established the Citizens' Military Training Camps, which are essentially schools of citizenship. They are conducted by the War Department, which alone has personnel sufficient to give the various types of training offered in them. They are administered by selected officers of the Regular Army, the National Guard and the Reserve Corps, under a discipline well adapted to a plan of voluntary civilian training.

"These camps are essential in the plan of national security. They promote obedience to law and respect for the institutions of a well-ordered society. Young men are helped to physical health, mental vigor and moral excellence. Social understanding and democratic feeling are developed; love and reverence for the flag are the natural outcome of the training. Courtesy in act, sympathy in feeling, tolerance in thought, are the ideals.

"Recognizing the great good which comes to Government, and to people from the Citizens' Military Training Camps, I hope that each year an increasing number of young men may take advantage of the opportunity which is afforded them".

"THE CMTC VOCABULARY is undergoing revision. "Recruiting" and "Enlistment" are disappearing and properly because the camps represent not military obligation, but civic opportunity. "Preparedness" and "Defense" are giving place to "Security" which better expresses their basic aim. They are not primarily military camps in purpose, plan or program. Congress supports them as schools for physical health and good citizenship. As President Coolidge has said above, "They are conducted by the War Department which alone has personnel sufficient to give the various kinds of training offered in them. Selected officers of the Regular Army, the Guard and the Reserve administer the camps under a discipline well adapted to this type of voluntary training". Citizens' Camps find in themselves their all-sufficient reason for being. They are not instituted to fill the ranks of the National Guard, although many of their graduates will find in it a welcome opportunity for service.

"The popularity of the camps is not due mainly to their help in qualifying a certain number of well tested young men for commissions in the Reserve, although presently hundreds, and we hope thousands, will be signally marked by this proof of their efficient training. In any great emergency the C.M.T.C. would show doubtless their military significance, but meanwhile their civic value is incontestably more important and they will command public approval in direct proportion to their contribution of fundamental qualities and capacities of good citizenship to the young men of the nation".

THE UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT OF A RESERVE OFFICER.

Army regulations require members of the Officers' Reserve Corps to provide themselves with field uniforms and with proper insignia for use when ordered to active duty. It is contemplated that every thing needed by a Reserve Officer, except clothing, will be issued to him while on active duty.

Officers of the Organized Reserves have the same status as those of the Regular Army, as to the privilege of purchasing arms and ammunition, but sale stores have limited the articles of uniform that can be sold to a Reserve Officer to the articles necessary for field service.

It is suggested that, as a minimum requirement, each Reserve Officer provide himself with the following articles:

1 pair of shoes	4.96
1 pair of leggings	7.50
1 pair of field boots (in lieu of shoes and leggings)	15.80
1 pair of spurs and straps (about)	1.80
1 olive drab woolen uniform	15.00
1 hat, service	3.66
1 cord, hat36
4 pairs socks, light woolen (per pair)30
1 Sam Browne belt	8.62
1 set rank insignia	2.00
1 set collar insignia, U.S. and branch .. (about)	50¢ to .07
2 olive drab woolen shirts (each)	2.91
2 olive drab shirts, cotton (each)93

The prices entered above are those now in effect at Fort Logan, Colo. To such prices an additional charge of 4% is made to cover overhead.

In addition to the above, it is advisable for an officer to have a canvas bedding roll, so that he may immediately take the field comfortably until he is able to draw or purchase any additional article required.

Reserve Officers who desire to purchase any of the articles listed above should submit a written request to the Quartermaster of the Station nearest their homes. This request must be accompanied by a certificate, in substance as follows:

"I certify that the articles desired are for my personal use and that this application to purchase is made under paragraph 1174, A.R., as amended, and that none of the articles requested have been previously purchased from the United States Government".

In case articles desired cannot be obtained from the nearest Quartermaster, the request referred to, accompanied by required certificate, should be forwarded to "The Officer in Charge, Quartermaster General Sales Store, Fort Sam Houston, Texas".

Requests must be accompanied by a money order or draft to cover cost of the articles desired, but will not include the cost of transportation as all such articles will be shipped by express or freight "collect".

Requests must also be accompanied by proper means of identification establishing the fact that the person making the request is an officer of the Officers' Reserve Corps. This identification will be furnished by this office upon request.

ASSOCIATION OF THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

Recent weeks have seen great progress in the organization of Sectors of the Association of the Army of the United States within the Eighth Corps Area. There are now twelve (12) Sectors in this territory. Those recently organized and their officers, so far as known, are the following:

ESTILIA VALLEY, NEW MEXICO:

J. W. Lowe, President,
Lt. Col. C. G. Sturtevant, Inf-ORC, Vice President,
Captain Richard Burrows, Eng-ORC, 2nd Vice President,
Captain F. E. Coy, Inf-ORC, Secretary,
Charles Hill, Treasurer.

PECOS VALLEY, NEW MEXICO:

Lt. Col. J. D. Atwood, Inf-ORC, President,
1st Lt. Ben Jaffa, Fin-ORC, Secretary.

MUSKOGEE, OKLAHOMA:

Colonel E. L. Head, Okla. N.G., President,
Walter S. Johnson, Secretary.

ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO:

Captain Irwin E. Burke, Eng-ORC, President,
Colonel Charles A. Reynolds, New Mex. N.G., Vice President,
2nd Lt. Martin F. Riersmith, Inf-ORC, Secretary and Treasurer.

The Denver Sector holds a monthly meeting and dinner. This event is regularly attended by a large number of officers of all components of the Army. The membership of this Sector is steadily growing, and it is hoped that all officers in Denver and vicinity will take the opportunity afforded by the gatherings mentioned above, to meet other officers in this vicinity who are active in military affairs.

The other sectors of the Association in the 103rd Division Area, also are active in their respective localities. They provide a medium for promoting the "one-Army" spirit, and for bringing together officers of the Regular Army, National Guard and Organized Reserves.

Full information regarding the Association of the Army of the United States, including the location of the various Sectors and their officers, will be furnished by the Chief of Staff, 103rd Division, U.S. Army, upon request.

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From "SERVICE", published by the Phoenix Sector American Army Association, Phoenix, Arizona:

"The Arizona National Guard has just completed their annual inspection. Major H. O. Olsen, Infantry (DOL), with station at Denver, was the inspecting officer. The units are in good shape and all passed a very satisfactory inspection. A few more recruits are needed".

"Battery "E", 158th Field Artillery, at Mesa, was inspected by Major M. E. Taubase, F.A. (DOL). He reported this battery as the best he had found in his inspection, Ninety-six out of one hundred and four men were present and all Officers".

"The reports of inspection officers who have recently inspected the National Guard, should be matters of gratification to the Guard of Arizona, and Adjutant General Colonel Harris, and State Instructor Colonel H. A. Hannigan, are to be congratulated upon the splendid results obtained.

"It is hoped that the War Department may see fit to continue Col. Hannigan in his present detail. His services are invaluable to the State of Arizona".

"On May 3rd, at the target range near Mesa, Battery "E", 158th Field Art., Arizona National Guard, will fire for the instruction of the officers of the 382d Field Artillery; 432 rounds of 75mm shrapnel were supplied by the 8th Corps Area at a cost of \$500 for this instruction. Problems will be fired by the Field Artillery Reserve Officers under the supervision of Major M.J. Dougherty assisted by Captain A.R. Reeves. Capt. Joseph Poweroy and his officers will be in charge of the guns. Every Reserve Officer is invited and urged to take advantage of the opportunity to see the effect of artillery fire. An invitation to the general public is also extended. Selected N.C.O.'s from the battery will be detailed to explain the method of firing to them".

"Captain A.R. Reeves, Executive Officer of the 382nd Field Artillery, has moved his office from the Armory Building, to 242 W. Washington St. He is occupying Room 209 at that address. A telephone will be installed in the next few days. It will be listed under "U.S. Army, 382nd F.A., Org. Res". in the directory. A cordial invitation to visit new quarters is extended to all".

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MEMORIAL DAY PARADE.

The units of the 103rd Division in Denver will participate as usual in the Memorial Day Parade to be held on May 30, 1924. Arrangements are in the hands of a committee which will announce time, place and other details at a later date. Watch the press for announcement, and turn out for this formation in honor of our departed comrades. Uniform will be worn.

Members of the division in other localities should arrange to participate in such ceremonies as may be held in their respective communities.

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ARMY COOPERATIVE BOOK CLUB
Money saved and Service Rendered.

Personnel of the Regular Army, National Guard and Organized Reserves will be interested in the Army Cooperative Book Club organized by the Book Department of The Quartermaster Association by which a considerable saving in the purchase of books of all descriptions, including fiction, science, philosophy, travel, art, in fact, all classes of publications, as well as military treatises, may be obtained from one source regardless of their nature and scope.

Connections with publishers in this Country and abroad, a close liaison with the Army War College Library (the largest military library in the United States) and access to the Congressional Library (one of the leading libraries of the world) enables the Book Department of the Quartermaster Association to render exceptional service to its patrons. Moreover, the Quartermaster Association has secured the active cooperation of many of the Army's best-known military students. This insures unexcelled facilities in rendering book and magazine service to the rank and file of the Regular Army, National Guard, and Organized Reserves.

Detailed information sheet inclosed.

ACTIVITIES PERTAINING TO THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.

COMPONENTS OF THE ARMY, THEIR MISSION
AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE EIGHTH CORPS AREA.

The National Defense Act provides that the Army of the United States shall consist of the Regular Army, the National Guard while in the service of the United States, and the Organized Reserves, including the Officers' Reserve Corps and the Enlisted Reserve Corps.

We no longer differentiate in an ultimate sense between the Regular Army, National Guard, and Reserve Forces. Every energy of the War Department is bent to the development of the Army of the United States. Our purpose is to think only of the American citizen who is to be a soldier in the Army and to prepare him in time of peace for his duties in war.

ORGANIZED RESERVES.

The Organized Reserves constitute the second echelon of the force to be mobilized in a national emergency and are our last line of organized defense. In time of peace, the units of the Organized Reserves are to consist chiefly of reserve officers, noncommissioned officers, and enlisted specialists, forming an immediately available mold in which to shape and train the enlisted strength called to duty in the event of war.

The units of the Organized Reserves are allocated to territorial districts throughout the country, the officers and enlisted men of each organization coming as far as practicable from the same community.

This is the framework upon which it is proposed to build the big citizen army which must be our main reliance in a war of any magnitude.

For the first time in history the Organized Reserve will be called out as units for fifteen days active training. Those units will be trained either by attachment to similar units of the Regular Army or in Unit Training Camps. The response of the Reserve Officers to this call has been highly gratifying. The 90th, 95th and 103rd Divisions and many units of the Non-Divisional Group will attend camp with a strength of approximately 1100 officers. Many of the Reserve Officers, during the year have taken special courses of instruction at the General and Special Service Schools.

REMARKS.

The extent to which the various citizen components of the Army may be obtained each year is limited by the funds available for that purpose. It is gratifying to note that the Congress appreciates the voluntary service of the Nation's young manhood and is disposed to increase its appropriations for their training each year. We are justified, therefore, in visualizing a healthy growth of our plan for national defense.

From all parts of the Corps Area come reports of enthusiastic cooperation between the components of the Army. The National Guard and the Organized Reserve are pulling together, each of these components are giving material assistance toward making the Citizens' Military Training Camps a success; Chambers of Commerce, Civic Organizations, and American Legion Posts are, everywhere, actively supporting the National Guard, Organized Reserves and Reserve Officers' Training Corps organizations in their respective localities. Frequent reports come in of the Boy Scouts rendering help wherever opportunity arises. It will help our youth and the Army in its cooperation to a common end. This is cooperation to a common end. This is cooperation to a common end. This is cooperation to a common end. (The Bulletin, Eighth Corps Area, April, 1924)

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