

COUNCIL OF DEFENSE TO OPEN HEADQUARTERS

Social-Patriotic Event of This Evening to Be Held in Volunteer Building.

Many interesting features will mark the formal opening of headquarters of the Chattanooga branch, Council of National Defense, tonight in the Volunteer building.

Mrs. E. Fenton Moore is chairman of the committee on arrangements. A committee on decorations have devoted much time to the embellishment of the large room which is to serve as a place of meeting for all organizations.

CHATTANOOGA BOY WINS TITLE OF CAPTAIN

First Lieut. Morris Hammond, of this city, stationed at Camp Jackson has been promoted to the rank of captain.

MILITARY BALL AND RECEPTION SATURDAY

Co-operating with the members of the Golf and Country club, the committee on entertainment for the National League for Women's Service, Miss Zella Armstrong, chairman, will give a military reception and ball at the Country club Saturday evening, July 20.

PATRIOTIC MEETING HELD AT OOLTEWAH SATURDAY

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LIUET. MENOVAR APPOINTED FORT OGLETHORPE ADJUTANT

Lieut. Darrow Menovar, of Troop E, Eleventh Cavalry, has been appointed Fort Oglethorpe assistant adjutant, assuming his new duties Monday. He will assist Lieut. Vandergriff.

DANCE AT MOUNTAIN CLUB WELL ATTENDED

The Lookout Mountain clubhouse was the scene of one of the prettiest affairs given for the army people during the week-end. Potted plants, gar-

2 cans "Chum" 35c Salmon. "SNOWDRIFT" A Good Shortening Small size .45c Medium size .120 Large size .245 Corn Flakes—10c package. Rolled Oats—10c package.

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ATTENTION! W. O. W. All members of the Chattanooga Camp No. 6 and the ladies of the Woodmen Circle are requested to meet at the Woodman Hall, 208 1/2 East Main street, Monday night at 8 o'clock sharp, as we are going to have a big speaker with us—Hon. A. G. Mathews. The public is invited. (Signed) BEN MILLER, Clerk.

Nothing Sad in Tier Mode



(By Betty Brown) Collars and cuffs in tiers are the motifs of this charming blouse and there is nothing to inspire tiers in the effect obtained.

den flowers and flags were arranged about the ball room. A buffet supper was served, small tables being arranged on the porches for the occasion.

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EAST LAKE RED CROSS TO MEET TUESDAY

A meeting of the East Lake Red Cross auxiliary will be held Tuesday at the school building. The Junior Red Cross will meet in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

SIES-SCHUCRAFT WEDDING THIS WEEK

The marriage of Miss Margaret Schucraft and Lawrence Durwood Sies will be solemnized Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hamilton Taylor, sister of the bride.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY TO BE OBSERVED TONIGHT

The fifteenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Englehardt will be celebrated tonight at their home, 4711 Michigan avenue, near the South St. Elmo schoolhouse.

AUTOMOBILE CALLS FOR HELP WHILE BEING ROBBED

A. C. Craighead, of the T. A. G. railroad, is being roundly "jolted" over a unique circumstance which took place at the home of his father, Rev. T. B. Craighead, early on Saturday, when his automobile, which was standing at the curb, screamed aloud while being robbed at about 4 a. m.

COMMUNITY CANNING AT JUNIOR HIGH TUESDAY

Miss Maude Guthrie, emergency demonstrator, announces the following demonstration in canning to be given this week: Tuesday, 1:30 p. m.—Community canning at Junior High school. All ladies wishing to take materials there to can, will please bring Mrs. V. B. Warrenton at Hemlock 217, so that proper arrangements can be made.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY. Meeting of Circle No. 9 of First Baptist church. Opening of headquarters of Council of Defense, with reception.

TUESDAY. Meeting of Florence Crittenton League of Women's Service. Annual picnic being held by Heartfire Girls.

WEDNESDAY. Midweek dance at Signal Mountain inn. Meetings of Lookout Mountain Red Cross auxiliary at home of Mrs. Newell Sanders.

THURSDAY. Fort Oglethorpe Red Cross auxiliary to entertain with benefit dance.

FRIDAY. Meeting Lookout Mountain club Red Cross auxiliary. Meeting of St. Elmo Red Cross and Knitting circle.

SATURDAY. Dinner-dance at Hotel Patten. Dinner-dance at Lookout Mountain clubhouse. Dinner-dance at Golf and Country club.

SOCIETY PERSONALS. Sidney B. Wright, who has been seriously ill, is reported improving. Col. and Mrs. Henry Page will leave soon for Illinois, where Col. Page will be stationed at Camp Grant.

"MY LORD IN LIVERY" TO BE GIVEN AT CASINO. "My Lord in Livery," a farce, is to be given at the casino on Signal Mountain Friday, July 26, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

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CHATTANOOGAN ANXIOUS TO GO INTO QUICK ACTION

Sergt. Albert Potts, With Maj. Fyffe, Writes From the French Front.

Sergt. Albert Potts, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Potts, of this city, who is with Maj. Perry Fyffe's command

CHATTANOOGA BOY IN TRAINING IN FRANCE



Sergt. Potts Writes From Over There That He Is Anxious to Get Into Action.

In France, writes to his mother in part as follows: June 11. "Dear Mother: I am well and getting fat every day. They are feeding us well and the boys all seem to be happy. The most of them are anxious to get into action.

"The German airplanes pass over here all the time and at night one can see the searchlights penetrating the sky in search of them. When they locate one the anti-aircraft guns cut loose and you hear the machine guns firing at them.

"I have seen two or three air battles, but they didn't last long. "Mother, it may seem foolish to you, but I am anxious to get into action. "Bossie" Roberts is my No. 1 man and has charge of my gun. He will let me into the Hun's camp.

"We are getting most of our training now from the English. There is some rumor that we will soon join the American forces in a different section of France.

"I love, your son, DOCK." Sergt. Potts was born and reared in Chattanooga and attended Third District school and Chattanooga High school. He was a volunteer in the Mexican campaign with Troop B, Later he was mustered from the cavalry to 114th Machine Gun battalion with Maj. Fyffe.

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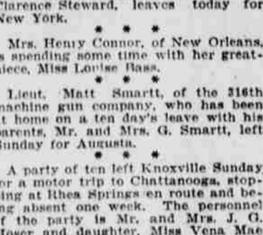
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FACED BARRAGE FIRE FOR THIRTY-ONE HOURS

Chattanooga Boy Says It's Not the Mud, but Bullets Will Get in the Soup.

Private Lake C. Boyd, Company F, Twenty-sixth infantry, writes to his grandmother, 511 East Flynn street,

LAKE C. BOYD



Private who testifies a man can get in anything over three-inch shell hole if fire is hot enough.

that he is in France, has been on the firing line and feels fine. In describing the effect of German shell fire, Private Boyd said that he had been under the terrific shell fire of a barrage for thirty-one hours at a stretch.

"Barrage fire," says the soldier, "has a most peculiar effect on a man's physical system. When a barrage gets hot enough a soldier can crawl down into any hole now about three inches in diameter." From such a hole Private Johnson thrust out a pint canteen and caught a quart of bullets, including two Jack Johnsons the canteen wouldn't hold.

"The great trouble in dining on the firing line," reports the private, "is not the mud, the heat and the 'cooties,' but it is spitting out Boche bullets and shrapnel that fall in the soup."

SOLDIERS IN CAMP LOSE INTEREST IN ELECTIONS. If candidates in the coming August election are depending upon the support of soldiers of their parties stationed at army cantonments in the United States, they are apt to be rather disappointed. Such is the conclusion of Camp Greenleaf and Forrest may be taken as typical.

Up to date not a single application has been received by the adjutants of either camp from a soldier wishing to cast a ballot in the fall races for office. The boys in khaki seem to lose interest in the endless series of petty political scrambles of civil life when they are inducted into the uniformed ranks.

This lack of interest was manifested even in the presidential election of 1916, although not to such a marked degree. When election day came ballot boxes were placed in practically all the camps in the country, and not kept.

The law in the case of the "absent voter" provides that if within the confines of the United States he must file application to vote within ten days prior to the primary or election. This application must be in writing and mailed to the secretary of the election commission by registered mail. The voter must have theretofore complied with the other laws, such as registration certificates and poll tax receipts issued thirty days prior to the election or primary in which he intends to vote.

The adjutants at both camps assert that they stand ready to make arrangements for casting of votes by the men, but are doubtful if such desire will be voiced to any extent.

HUGH THOMPSON IS SLOWLY RECOVERING

Hon. T. C. Thompson says the latest news from his son, Hugh Thompson, who was wounded on May 29, is to the effect that he is still in a hospital in France and is not doing well.

LAYS ASIDE ERMINE AND TAKES UP HIS PRACTICE

Judge A. W. Chambliss concludes His Duties as Member of Court of Civil Appeals

Judge Alex W. Chambliss has returned from Knoxville, following the adjournment of the term of the court of civil appeals, which has been in session there for the last two and a half months.

BAPTIST TABERNACLE GOES CLEAR OVER TOP

Large Sum Raised in Thrift Stamps and Big Debt Obliterated.

The large auditorium of the Baptist Tabernacle was filled with enthusiastic, eager persons at an early hour on Sunday morning.

BIDDY BYE'S GOOD FORM



A tete-a-tete conversation carried on in the midst of a company is a conspicuous breach of good form.

The church is now free from debt and has five hundred dollars in unaccounted for money. This was accomplished with the aid of Pastor J. B. Phillips, Assistant Pastor R. O. Bell, Church Missionary Miss Louise Herndon, Ladies' Aid Society Missionary Miss Mary Phillips and Foreign Missionary Pastor Dr. T. O. Hearn, who is located at Lalyang, China.

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