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First District Mid-Winter Convention

U. S. Army
Recruiting Service

"Keep 'em Flying"

Major Wiley J. Adams, Assistant U. S. Army Recruiting Officer for Oklahoma, will make a trip through the First District, starting Thursday, January 15th, and will meet with officers and members of all Posts in a recruiting campaign.

ITINERARY

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15TH

Tulsa, Breakfast 7:00 a. m., at Bishop's 512 South Main. All officers and members of Tulsa County Posts are urged to be present.

Claremore, 10:00 a. m.
Pryor, Noon, Luncheon.
Vinita, 3:00 p. m.
Miami, 6:00 p. m., Supper.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16TH

Bartlesville, 7:00 a. m., Breakfast.
Pawhuska, 10:00 a. m.
Fairfax, Noon, Luncheon.
Pawnee, 3:00 p. m.
Cleveland, 6:00 p. m., Supper.

Important

All Legionnaires will be welcome to come to all or any of these meetings. Each Post which is not listed on the above schedule is urged to have a representative meet Major Wiley and his party at the stop nearest to it.

We will greatly appreciate having those Legionnaires in the towns which we are unable to arrange a stopping place coming into the nearest point to your post. Will be seeing you!

ALBERT EDWARD GALLOWAY,
District Vice Commander.

Saturday and Sunday
January 17th and 18th
AT BARTLESVILLE

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17th

10:00 A.M.—Registration begins.

Burlingame Hotel and Legion Rooms, Civic Center.

2:00 P.M.—Convention called to order.

By James R. Meeks, Commander, Bartlesville Post.
Committee reports.

7:00 P.M.—Legion-Auxiliary banquet.

Civic Center—Legion rooms.

Program and entertainment in charge of L. P. Martin and Henry Hall, Bartlesville Post.

Address ----- Hon. W. M. Ostenberg

Dean, Junior College, Coffeyville, Kansas.

Past Americanism Chairman, Department of Kansas.

9:30 P.M.—Dance—Legion ballroom.

(Largest dance floor in the northwest.)

Music by Hal Brown's Famous Dance Orchestra.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 18th

6:00 A.M.—Swimming in Ross Taylor's noted Bar-Dew lake.

E. R. Christopher will be Master of Ceremonies and break the ice.

9:00 A.M.—Tourade—Woolrock Lodge.

Headed by Fred Mills.

1:30 P.M.—Convention called to order.

By R. E. Chandler, First District Commander.

Address of Welcome ----- Ross Taylor

Response ----- Dode McIntosh

Roll Call, District Posts ----- J. Earl Simpson

Introduction of Department Officers.

Address ----- Max Fife, Department Commander

"The Legion's Place In National Defense."

Address ----- Fred Tillman, Department Judge Advocate

"Membership and Its Effect On Our National Defense."

Address ----- Milt Phillips, Department Adjutant

"The Civilian Defense Program and Its Operation"

Forum ----- Questions ----- Answers

Report of Resolutions Committee.

Unfinished business. New business.

Adjournment—Homeward Bound.

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For National Defense

The Red Cross

In appreciation of the fine work the American Red Cross has always done and in view of the tremendous task it now has before it, the members of Joe Carson Post in regular meeting assembled, voted to send a check for \$101.00 to the local chapter of the Red Cross.

Buys Defense Bonds

The Post voted to purchase a \$100 Defense Saving Bond at once and to buy more as they were able to do so, in order to back up the boys in uniform now serving on the "front line" of our Country's armed forces.

Signs Voorhis Bill

Washington, D. C.—The Voorhis Bill (HR 4905) to liberalize the termination of service connection for a disability, was signed by the President December 30 and is now Public 361 of the 77th Congress.

Both houses of Congress have also passed HR 4787, which makes seven years unexplained absence by a veteran the basis for allowing death compensations; H R 4692 dealing with the disposition of personal effects of veterans dying in Veterans Administration facilities; and H R 4853 permitting hospitalization of certain retired officers and enlisted men on the same basis as other veterans.

Membership Rankings

Indianapolis, Ind.—The last weekly report of membership rankings in The American Legion for the calendar year 1941, showed 657,090 advance memberships had been received at National headquarters here. This is 43,139 more members than the Legion has ever had at a similar date. The huge total of advance enrollments represents 64.84 per cent of the final 1942 quota established some months ago.

Five departments, Alabama, Arkansas, Canada, Mexico, and North Carolina, have done over the 1942 quota.

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and possibly carried a group of
young joy riders.
They continued, however, trac...

Asks Pick-Up Rides For Uniformed Men

Indianapolis, Ind.—As a part of its program of promoting individual assistance to the men in the armed forces, the National Defense Division of The American Legion is urging that Posts of the Legion ask their members to give pick-up rides to uniformed men at every opportunity.

This service to the uniformed soldiers and sailors is a part of the general program for posts as adopted by the National Defense Committee in its recent meeting in Washington, D. C.

Instructions to posts, issued thru department headquarters, following that meeting, carried the following directive:

"Place upon the windshield and rear window of your car a legal sized American Legion decal insignia in places that will not hinder the view of the driver. This emblem is to indicate to all men in uniform that the driver will give pick-up rides to those who are on legal leave. Be sure that the pick-up is on legal leave."

Use of the Legion emblem decalomania under these conditions has been approved by proper national safety authorities.

Service Officer

C. C. Johnston has been appointed full time service officer for Joe Carson Post, in cooperation with Adjutant Anderson.

He asks that an veteran who has a bona-fide claim contact him at the Legion Hut during the hours of 10:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m.

In his new position, Legionnaire Johnston will be able to follow all claims through to completion.

Congratulations and best wishes, C. C.

TULSA COUNTY HEADQUARTERS The American Legion SAND SPRINGS, OKLAHOMA

January 7, 1942.

Dear Comrades:

There will be a Tulsa County meeting of the Tulsa County Legion at Broken Arrow Legion Hut, on Friday evening, 8 o'clock, January 16, 1942.

Let's all take a good crowd of our post Legionnaires over and get acquainted with the membership of that fine Post.

Yours in comradeship,
C. W. "Cully" CARLSON,
Tulsa County Commander.

B. M. RISINGER
"Brad"
Tulsa County Adjutant

Heads Americanism Club

Col. Fred Damman, a past commander of Frank Frantz Camp, U. S. W. V., was elected president of the Veterans Americanism Club, at their regular monthly meeting held last Wednesday night. He succeeds Joseph W. Lynn, retiring president.

"Red" Pettis was elected vice president and T. D. Murray secretary-treasurer. An executive committee will be appointed immediately.

Colonel Damman was principal speaker at the meeting and approximately 175 persons were present for the dinner, including members of the Legion Auxiliary, VFW Auxiliary, Army Mothers Club, and Navy Mothers Club. This was the first time that women had been invited to attend.

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TONIGHT Saturday, Dec. 10th

REGULAR
Saturday Nite Dance
40-8 CLUB ROOM
Legion Hut

No Admission Charge
DANCING STARTS AT 10:00 P. M.

40—8

Leslie L. Spain, Chef de Gare
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14TH
REGULAR MEETING
Tulsa County Voiture
LEGION HUT
8:00 P. M.

All Voyageurs Militaire Are Urged
To Be Present

Important Notice!

PERSONAL TAX EXEMPTION

Due to an act passed by the Oklahoma legislature at its last session, the amount of personal tax exemption for ex-service men in Oklahoma was reduced from \$300.00 to \$200.00.

The Season's Greetings

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- Auxiliary News -

BY MADALINE A. GALLOWAY

UNCLE SAM IS CALLING US!

We need members to answer his call. Members who have not paid their 1942 dues will become delinquent January 31st. We cannot answer this call with delinquent membership. In order to complete our National Defense program, we must have our membership quota in, to give us the ability and strength to carry out our part of the National Defense emergency. We need YOU. Won't you please respond?

Mrs. M. C. Roberts,
Membership Chairman.

There was an enthusiastic group of nineteen ladies responded to the call to work on Red Cross knitting and sewing last Tuesday at the Hut. Tuesday, January 13th, 10 a. m., is the date of the next meeting and Mrs. Walter A. Jacobs, Community Service Chairman is looking forward to a much larger attendance. The Unit needs three more sewing machines to be used in this work. Any one who has a machine they would be willing to loan, kindly get in touch with Mrs. Jacobs, 4-8562. The plan is for everybody to take a sandwich or covered dish for lunch, and hot coffee will be served by the Unit.

So many members have expressed a desire to learn First Aid work that Mrs. M. C. Roberts has consented to be at Tuesday's meeting at 2 p. m., to discuss the organization of a class in that work. This is an opportunity that should not be passed up by any

one who has not had first aid instructions.

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Saturday and Sunday, January 17th and 18th is the date of the First District Mid-Winter Convention, to be held in Bartlesville. The meeting will begin with a business session at 10 a. m., with Mrs. Bertha Scudder, First District President presiding. Mrs. E. B. Benton, Department First Vice President, will represent the Department, as Mrs. Edward M. Box, Department President, will be in Washington, D. C., attending a National Defense conference.

Our President, Mrs. Paul C. Wheeler, requests that any one who wants to make reservations for the noonday luncheon, kindly call her at 9-3871.

There will be a banquet at night, followed by a dance.

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Mrs. Paul C. Wheeler and Mrs. Walter A. Jacobs have received citations from the Red Cross for the splendid work they did on the annual Red Cross Roll Call, and from the Community Fund for work on their drive. The Auxiliary shares in the credit.

Junior Auxiliary

There will be a regular business meeting of the Juniors Monday, 7:30 p. m., at the Hut.

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Now that the holidays are over, Mrs. Elmer Orr requests that the Junior members concentrate on membership, as the drive will be ended February 14th, with the losing team giving a valentine party for the winning team.

Eight and Forty

By Mrs. H. Blain Lacy

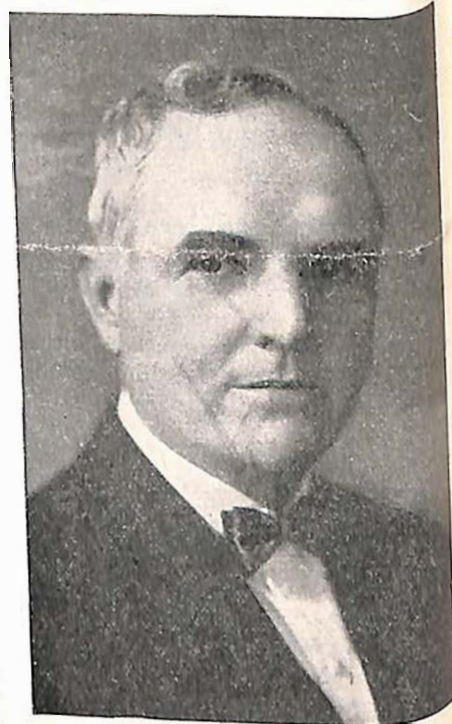
Tuesday, January 13th, 8 p. m., is the date of the next business meeting of Tulsa County Solon 214, Eight and Forty, with Mrs. Cora N. Bates, Le Petit Chapeau, presiding. The meeting will be held at the Hut.

Too Busy To Report

Indianapolis, Ind.—In reply to his message to Department Commander Robert Clarke of the Hawaiian American Legion, giving the National organization's pledge of full support to members of that department in their war efforts, National Commander Lynn U. Stambaugh has received the following cablegram from Clarke:

"Legion Posts at Wake Island, Midway Island, Johnston Island, Pearl Harbor, Hickam Field, engaged in the defense of America. Too busy to report. Three thousand mainland Legionnaires here on defense projects and in service join with our members in every effort of the authorities to care for the helpless and homeless. Every Legionnaire in this department is engaged in some form of defense work and has responded to the call of our country. Need no aid at present but ask ten thousand dollars be earmarked against future needs of wounded Legionnaires, their widows and orphans, to be drawn on if and when needed."

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A Happy and Victorious New Year*



Ralsa F. Morley
County Commissioner, District No. 3

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and possibly carried a group of
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