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## RESPIRATORY DISEASES

Diseases that are spread by germs growing in the nose, throat and lungs are called Respiratory Diseases because the nose, throat and lungs together are the machine through which we breathe.

These diseases are very difficult to control when large groups of people are thrown together. Whenever a person coughs, sneezes, laughs or talks he throws off small particles of saliva which might contain the germs causing tuberculosis, meningitis, sore throat, measles, diphtheria, common colds, pneumonia, influenza, scarlet fever.

You can see that these so-called Respiratory Diseases include some of the most serious and most fatal of all the diseases that attack human beings.

Sometimes a healthy person carries the germs of meningitis or other disease about with him without becoming sick with the disease himself, but it sometimes happens that such a carrier, as he is called, will pass the germs on to another person who is in a rundown condition, and this second person will develop the disease, and may die from it.

In the case of Scarlet Fever, it is possible now, by performing a very

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## TYPHOID FEVER CAUSES DEATH OF DONALD SOLES

Camp Lee lost one of its favorite members Wednesday, May 13th, at 10 P.M. when Donald Soles of Mount Vernon, Ohio died at his home of typhoid fever.

He had been granted a leave prior to this date that he might investigate the details of a prospective job which he obtained and was discharged on April 31st. While on his way home he stopped over at Charleston where he apparently came in contact with the disease which later caused his death. After working on his new job two days he became ill with intestinal flu which later developed into typhoid fever.

Donald Soles, was born at Postoria, Ohio May 24, 1916 and later moved to Mt. Vernon, Ohio where he attended elementary and high school. He enrolled in the CCC January 2, 1935 and entered Camp Vinton on January 8th. His duties were that of regular field work until last January when he received the job of night guard which he held until he was discharged.

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*Editorial**Memorial Day*

Once again it will be our privilege, on May 30th. to observe that day known nationally as MEMORIAL DAY, or Decoration Day, from the practice which it signifies.

Memorial Day was originally set aside by the Union States to commemorate the men, who during the Civil War, so valiantly gave their lives to the cause of the Union. Since then it has come to be recognized as a day of observance for the ideals strived for, and won, by men and women to the cause of Peace.

When the graves of our Civil and World War heroes are decorated on this day we do not glorify their deeds on the field of battle, although due credit is given where deserved, rather we are remembering them for the part they played in saving a Union, and a World, for the principles of Peace. Not only do we remember those who fought in the trenches, but also do we pay tribute to those who devoted their labors to the

preservation of Peace during peace time.

On this Memorial Day, special attention can be focused on this latter group in their endeavors to prevent the World from plunging into the chaos, it seems so certain to be heading toward. Every effort on the part of each of us must be expended to cooperate with this group, so that the structures of Peace, so courageously built, and defended, by our forerunners, can be upheld.

The Great War of 1914-18 was minimized as a "War to end all Wars", but now we can see how foolish such an idea really is; how can outright manslaughter and murderous plundering promote anything but the lowest of jealousies and hatred? The Versailles Treaty and the League of Nations, with its World Court were thought to be standards that would preserve Peace indefinitely, and yet after but eighteen short years, we find Italy thumbing her nose at the rest of the world; as she plunders Ethiopia, and claims her as a new sevencety-eighty-just like barbarians of old, Germany breaks the Locarno Pact by entering demilitarized Cologne, and then challenges the rest of the World to punish her. Japan also gains the spotlight, as she makes things uneasy in the far East because of her desire to expand. The rest of the countries have started large scale war maneuvers, claiming them to be simply summer training, and we find Terror and Fear being crowned universally as Kings.

With the various countries arming themselves "to the teeth" and their greedy eyes glaring ever brighter, much more attention should be given, on this Memorial Day, to the ideals and principles still glowing in the hearts and minds of those people who annually visit the final resting places of our heroes in the cause of Peace. Our tears must be dried with fire of courage, as we march on.

*Hinke*

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If you tread over your troubles  
you'll have a perfect hatch.

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## Co. 532's MOVING PICTURE PLAN

Co. 532's moving picture fans received a disappointment last week when it was announced that the silent movies shown in camp would be discontinued. However plans are being made to have 16 mm talking pictures shown in camp once a week to replace the silent ones. Many of the boys have agreed to contribute toward these expenses if necessary in order to have them. No definite plans have been made to date concerning these pictures but until we do have shows in camp either a trip to the show at Winona or a dance will probably be held weekly.

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HIM FORESTRY CLERK

Eugene Dempsey has applied to Harold Christian as Forestry Clerk for Co. 532. Dempsey enrolled in the CCC only recently and hailed from near Ansted, W. Va.

Christian left camp last week after he obtained employment in a garage with his brother in his home town. The members of Co. 532 wish him the best of luck in his new business.

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CAMP SHOWS IMPROVEMENT.

With several changes made and new improvements carried out Camp Lee is at last beginning to have the appearance of a model camp. The croquet diamond is completed and seems to be in use most of the time. Work is being pushed on the tennis court, and the volleyball diamond is in excellent condition. Due credit should be given to Wilson and Beling for their work in completing the new cartoon which is another marked improvement. The Forestry has granted the camp the use of a metal working lathe which is to be placed in the now

woodworking shop. A new cellar has been started to be used when completed for a storage space for potatoes and other food for the mess hall. This work is being done mainly by Bassett and Beling in the evenings. With everyone's cooperation it shouldn't be long before the entire camp will have many changes for the better.

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NOW PUBLICITY NEEDED.

Attention all leaders and assistants: Due to the great demand for more publicity concerning the CCC there has been suggestions made that each Company publish news about its outstanding members. All leaders and assistants are urged to report to the educational office for an interview and to cooperate in sending news about themselves to the newspapers nearest their home town. Let the home folks know all about how their boys are making good away from home.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED.

Leaves of absence were granted to several members last week by Captain Enoe. Richard Channell and Elmer Win both received five day leaves to investigate prospective jobs at their home towns. Charles Smith and Joe Harless were also granted leaves, Smith getting six days and Harless three and one half. Although we would all hate to have these men leave our camp for good and enter civilian life again we sincerely hope that they do stumble on to a good job while they are home.

Two men walking down the street. One was a CCC boy and the other was broke too. Oh well it is a great life anyway.



Lieut. Joseph G. Crotty, M.R.C.  
Medical Officer,  
Cos. 532 and 1522, C.C.C.

# FORESTRY

WORK STARTED ON HAWKS NEST PROJECT.

Rich in legend! Famous in history! These few words hardly suffice to describe famous Hawk's Nest State Park located on scenic Midland Trail between the thriving little towns of Ansted and Gaudy Bridge. Mother Nature has been kind and endowed this park section with her choicest gifts of stately mountains, roaring beds of water and an infinite variety of game and fish. The park, as itself comprises 56 acres of heavily wooded land in which is located Hawk's Nest Rock from where thousands of visitors have gazed at turbulent New River and its awesome canyon far below. A mile to the right of Hawk's Nest Rock is Lovers Lamp Point, a place surrounded by Indian legends.

Because of the park's natural beauty and historical interest the enrollees of Co. 1522 and 522 are "rarin' to go" to work every morning when the work whistle sounds. The first breaking of ground for an Administration Building, one hundred foot from Hawk's Nest Rock was started last week by County men under the direction of Mr. Williams and Lander, Colkins. After further plans are worked out it is expected that the members of this company will work on the project to build trails, cabins, picnic and camping grounds, restore historical points of interest and make the region one of the state's outstanding playgrounds. The work is being done under the planning and cooperation of the National Park Service, Dept. of Interior and is expected to take over a year to complete.

Many times the fortunate peasants, who were at Hawk's Nest, stop in their daily labor and start dreaming of bygone days when Indians, sturdy pioneers, and the Blue of the South and Gray of the North marched over nearby Midland Trail. However, this pleasant reverie is soon interrupted by the clank and clatter of nearby workers and the irrem-

# SPORTS

CAMP LEE WROUGHS BY BLUESTONE

The Lewisburg Doctor Softball League opened like a nightmare to the prototypes of Co. 522, as they wilted before the onslaught of Co. 524, at Hinton, with a score of 13-3.

With very little practice under the air bolts, the Lee Warriors performed creditably in handling the ball but their lack of punch at the plate was a decided disadvantage to them.

An accurate box score is not available at this time, but the totals show that Camp Bluestone collected 13 runs off of 19 hits, and were charged with 4 errors, while Camp Lee turned 8 hits into 3 runs, and contributed 4 errors.

The next game is scheduled for Sunday, June 7th, when Camp Raleigh, near Beckley, invades the Lee 1 diamond. The lineup for Camp Lee includes:

Hinkle.....	I. B.	Brock.....	2 B.
Rasputin.....	R.F.	Kidd.....	L.F.
Burkey.....	P.	Trickett.....	S.S.
Tripp.....	C.	Koporly.....	3 B.
McMurtry.....	R.S. & P.	Hutton.....	O.P.
		Zibert.....	S.

## NO BASEBALL THIS

By a popular vote of the camp trying out for the baseball team it was decided that baseball as a camp sport would be discontinued for this year as uniforms and equipment could not be obtained. The discontinuation of baseball added more men to the softball team thus strengthening it a great deal.

Many left return to their work. To get the full benefit of one of Nature's unspoiled sections visit Hawk's Nest Park and receive unimagined thrills as the boys who work there are doing.

*Plesha*

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## NEW CLASSES ORGANIZED

New classes in Penmanship, Handwriting and Arithmetic for the benefit of the enrollees of Co. 1522 and 532 have been organized and will be held each Tuesday and Thursday night at 8 P.M. These classes will be held in Section 3 of Co. 1522 (corresponds to barracks C of Co. 532) and will be conducted by Mr. Cardin and Mr. Wilcox, camp educational advisors. While a list has already been posted for those whose attendance will be more or less compulsory all others are invited to attend.

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FORESTRY DEPT. ATTENDS MEETING.

Various members and directors of Forestry work from W. Va. and Washington spent an enjoyable visit at Watoga State Park in Pocahontas County Sunday May 24th. as guests of Camp Watoga, SP-1 and Camp Slobart, SP-5.

Several important officials were in the party that visited Watoga State Park, inspected the work, made a general tour of the two camps and discussed forestry and its problems. Robert Peckner, Director of Emergency Conservation Work and Mrs. Peckner headed the party which consisted of T.M. Chock, Procurement Officer, Mrs. Chock, Christopher A. Gaus, Ass't. Architect of W. Va., Major H.W. Shewman, Director of Conservation, Miss Columbin Duskey, Virginia Lett, Clara E. Balbrook and W.H. Griffith.

Three parties from Co. 1522 and 532 consisting of Smoltor, Mr. Baldwin, Morrison, George, Williams, Schroeder, D'Amico, Cole and Dilley were also visitors at Watoga and report that they enjoyed their tour of the park and wish to extend their appreciation to both camps Slobart and Watoga.

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Robert James—Lt. would I be allowed to keep a bicycle in camp if I had one.  
 Lt. Hamilton—Sure bud. You can keep it over to the quarters.

## INFIRMARY NOTES

Due to the fact that a man has to rely upon his own ingenuity while trudging through a dense forest he has a number of responsibilities in protecting himself. When fighting forest fire for example some one is likely to become injured. One of the purposes of First Aid is to equip the individual with sufficient knowledge to determine the nature and extent of the injury. Not always will a man have the most logical equipment to take care of his injuries; so he has to do the best he can with what he has.

Here are some points offered as a suggestion in first-aid treatment.

1. Keep a cool and level head.
2. Don't give up and never give an injured person anything that will cause further injury.
3. Never give stimulants to severe bleeding patients.
4. Don't force an unconscious person to drink water or sit up.
5. When applying a tourniquet don't leave it tightened for more than 15 minutes without relieving the pressure.
6. If a cloth adheres to the skin of a burned spot don't take it off and never apply cotton direct to a wound.

These are but few of the many first-aid rules which if followed will prove very helpful.

*Morgan*\*\*\*\*\*  
D'AMICO PURCHASES HOTEL

Stephen D'Amico certainly received the razzberries when the party he was with stopped at the General Lewis Hotel at Louisburg on the way back from Watoga State Park last Sunday. It seems that "Toedles" paid \$1.50 a plate for lunch at the hotel and then finally made up his mind to just buy the place since he had already made a down payment. However the deal fell through with when the management refused to sell the auto young waitress with the hotel.

# The Music Goes 'Round and 'Round!!



HOW LONG  
HAVE  
YOU BEEN  
IN THE CCC?

- STEPHEN J. MCGO -



## Dirty Dope

McCoy was doing his "thimble trick" out in Ansted the other night and all that was left to tell the story was the thimble. Haven't heard of McCoy as yet.

"Mollie" took "Ikey's" laundry to the wash lady and she found something in one of the shirt pockets that would do credit to a professional thief. Now "Mollie" doesn't want to carry any more laundry because of his modest nature while "Ikey" doesn't want to seem anymore because he's afraid that his reputation will be injured. "What Reputation?"

The little girl at Ansted threw over V.X. because she said he was a Minute Man. She never knew what he was going to do from one minute to the next and it seemed to worry her especially when the lights were out.

Chas. D. Smith (one of the Smith boys), the "Emperor of Lovers Land" is home on leave and all the girls are pining away according to him. The last time he was there he told a young lady that he could read girls' like a book. "Well" warned the girl, "Don't forget where you are".

Judging from the many snappy domes seen around here it seems that the curse for going bald headed was hit up pretty hard. All they need now is a striped uniform like the wear in the "Big House".

"Down by the Rail-road track". Yes "Buck" Lucas and Kidd seem to have changed their places to visit.

# RUMBLE

## Questionnaire

Q—"Woodie" and "Ikey" now have all the privacy they desire in their new quarters but who threatens to shatter the home-like atmosphere of the top-kicks -who?

A—Public Enemy No-1. from Coolville, O. Smythe says that after he spends just one night in "Ikey's" room the place will be as torn up as badly as Mac West's reputation.

Q—What is the greatest mortification a person can receive in Camp Lee?

A—Ask Mullins. He wanted a spoonfull of oil for the washing machine and had to get a permit before Minka would give it to him.

Q—Who was the boy that wore dark colored glasses last Sunday so that a young lady wouldn't recognize him?

A—"Sonny Boy" Hopper was the guilty one. It seems as though he hasn't forgotten the episode of several weeks ago when he found ladies lingerie in his pockets. Now he's trying to hide. Tsh! Tsh!

Q—"Absence makes the heart grow fonder". In this case we are not referring to love but to the boys in "A" barracks who never missed "Wimpy" Alford until he came back. A—He's such a close likeness to "Wimpy" in the comic that everyone saved about a package of cigarettes uppers while he was on leave.

Q—Just why does Gabriel's girl friend think that he resembles a great baseball pitcher? We can't see the slightest resemblance.

A—it seems that after she drinks three or four of his highballs that she always has to go for a walk.

Miller--Sh-h-h-h-h.  
I've got a detective shadowing my wife.  
Carter--What are you doing then?  
Miller--I'm shadowing the detective.

Sadie--I swear he is the man who saved me from shame.  
Judge--How chivalrous! What did you do?  
Sadie--"Woodie" loaned me a safety pin.

Simmons--Yah, I had a beard like yours once and when I realized how it made me look, I shaved it off.  
Bookie Smith--I had a face like yours once and when I realized that I couldn't cut it off, I grew this beard.

"This is the nuts" said the squirrel as he dug up his winter's food supply.

Bullard--My waiter, I ordered an egg sandwich and you brought me a chicken sandwich.

Waiter--Sorry sir, I was a little late calling for your order.

"Vic's" girl is so dumb she thinks a baseball fan is a cooling device.

O'Dell--A fellow just told me I looked like you.

Lowe--Where is he? I'd like to knock his block off.

O'Dell--I killed him.

In the old days when a fellow told a girl a naughty story she blushed at it. Nowadays she memorized it.

Visitor--Do you work here?  
Sappos--No sir, I'm the boss.

Billips--Why are you so scared? How did you get into trouble?

Kidd--Oh, I stood up like a gentleman when a lady entered the room.

Billips--But how could that get you into trouble?

Kidd--I was taking a bath.

Men love to drink but girls drink to love.

ices reduced?

Ward--No, but the fan was.

Many a man looks down at the hub, but simply because there is a trim ankle above it.

Bennett--Hurry up; I got a blind date.

Brooks--Who is the lucky girl?

Bennett--There's no girl. I got to rush over to the girls dorm. before they start pulling their window BLINDS down.

Wood--Why did you stop singing in the choir?

Cowell (the crooner)--Because I didn't sing one day and someone asked if the organ had been fixed.

#### WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF?????

Cowell quit using his "scatty" harmonica.

"Sonny" Davis really baked a shortcake.

We could turn around without first getting a permit to see whether it was O.K. or not.

Billips really became serious about a certain girl at Ansted.

Mr. Hamilton always made it on time to Rosalie.

Cowell lost his wind and couldn't blow the work whistle.

Znidarsic quit using spittoons on everybody's hand when he gives a hair cut.

Roberts and Douglas kept silent for just one hour.

Brooks didn't see his "honey-bunch" every now and then.

Woodie and Sadie got inside of an ice house and started making love.

We got clean sheets and pillow cases once in a while.

West Virginia and Ohio exchanged pinups. OH! OH!

The cigarette lighters that Pennell sells really worked.

We had ice-cream for a meal once.