

Burlington Guard Unit Moves To Dix Sunday for Training

BURLINGTON — Members of Company C, First Battalion, 214th Infantry of the New Jersey National Guard, will converge Sunday on Fort Dix by truck convoy for a week's training program. The unit has its headquarters at the local armory.

The outfit includes 50 enlisted men, under command of Captain Kenneth E. Phillips. Other officers are First Lieutenant Arthur J. Cooper, executive officer; First Lieutenant John G. Maher, platoon leader; First Lieutenant August V. Leshner, platoon leader and supply officer; First Sergeant John L. Curry, Supply Sergeant William H. Michael and Platoon Sergeant John M. Faunce, Clarence Kaluhokulani and William J. Simkunas.

The training program will include instruction in firing the M-1 rifle, carbine and pistol and Thompson sub-machine gun, instruction in heavy weapons, administration school, tank drivers' school, communications school and motor vehicle training.

The unit will take part in the parade at Mount Holly, August 9 with other National Guard units of the State. The parade is being held in celebration of the 180th anniversary of that community's first military parade.

Park Service Features Trio

At the outdoor religious service at the bandstand in Cadwalader Park at 8:30 Sunday evening, under the auspices of the Religious Work Committee of the YMCA, two special anthems, "Prayer of the Norwegian Child" by Kuntz and "O Day of Rest and Gladness" by Schumann, will be sung by a trio from the Bel Canto Choir.

The members of the trio are Evelyn Barkholz, soprano, Barbara Schipaki, second soprano, and June Morris, alto. They are directed by Mrs. Helen Kraus Thompson and will be accompanied by Miss Dorothy Schulze.

Miss Nellie K. Scott, trumpeter and David H. Kuch, pianist, will accompany the singing of the hymns, which will be led by James C. Pierce, member of the Religious Work Committee who will also preside.

The speaker, on the topic, "The Wholeness of Christianity," will be the Rev. Mr. Frederick Fairclough, of the Lutheran Church of the Saviour. The assisting pastor will be the Rev. Robert Smyrl, minister of the Pilgrim Presbyterian Church.

Kenneth W. Hoelzer and Ivan R. Reynolds will assist in the presentation of thirty members of sacred recordings, starting at 6 o'clock.



Next time you're wrestling with a tire iron, think of Sgt. Milton H. Clarkson, of Toledo, Ohio, pictured above on the job with Army's Task Force Furnace in the Arizona desert near Yuma. That king-sized wrench he wields in the 110 to 150-degree heat is for "minor" repairs on his M28 Pershing tank.

Echo Enlarges Fish Estimates

WASHINGTON —AP— Are there more fish in the seas than has been believed?

The National Geographic Society raised this pictorial poser in describing one sideline of the research being followed by an oceanic expedition in which the society is participating.

The expedition is the recently-launched venture to survey a section of the Mid-Atlantic Ridge, a long undersea mountain range which extends almost unbroken from Iceland nearly to Antarctica.

Declaring that sounding instruments of various ships in the past have picked up a "mysterious echo" which bounces back from a layer part way between the ocean surface and the bottom, the society said the current expedition will try to find out whether the echo is caused by tiny organisms which fish eat or by vast schools of fish themselves. It is a question that has aroused the curiosity of oceanographers," said the society, adding:

"If fish should prove to be the source, it might indicate that the seas hold many more fish than generally has been believed."

The research ship Atlantis will center its main operations in waters 1,200 miles from Bermuda.

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President Kills Special Coin Bill

WASHINGTON —UP— President Truman today killed legislation authorizing coinage of 50-cent pieces commemorating the 100th anniversary of Wisconsin's admission into the union.

Truman announced he was refusing to sign the bill, killing it by "pocket veto."

The President said that he would look "with disfavor" on any further special coinage proposals. The Wisconsin issue was to be 5,000 silver 50-cent pieces.

Truman recalled that a year ago when he approved special coins honoring the late Booker T. Washington and the 100th anniversary of Iowa's admission into the Union, he had announced his displeasure at the practice.

Efficiency Ideas Win Cash Prizes

WASHINGTON —UP— New ideas for improving the service of the Interior Department paid off \$3,255 to 56 bright employees, Secretary Krug disclosed today.

Awards are made to department employees every two or three months to encourage them to aid efficiency and effect savings.

Olney E. Boggess, construction engineer for the bureau of reclamation, Boulder City, Nev., received the highest award, \$476, for designing a "grout header" used to apply cement to fill cracks in tunnel linings. Use of the header is expected to save \$50,000 on the Boulder Canyon project.

The second highest award, \$390, went to Marvin R. Spindler, engineer of the bureau of reclamation, for developing a joint filler used in concrete canal lining. This suggestion is expected to save the department \$70,000.

Rails Accused In War Gouging

WASHINGTON —AP— Attorney General Clark in a new complaint today accused more than 900 railroads of collecting "unjust and unreasonable" rates on wartime shipments of steel airplane landing mats.

The action was filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission. The government is asking reparation for alleged overcharges on the landing mats moved from eastern shipping points to Pacific coast ports between Jan. 1, 1942 and June 30, 1946.

The justice department announcement said "thousands of carloads" of landing mats were involved. The petition to ICC states the exact amount of money sought to be recovered is "not present ascertainable."

The complaint is another in a series which Clark has made before the ICC concerning wartime freight charges.

CEC Seminar Due Tuesday

The second seminar held by Navy Civil Engineers Corps officers of Trenton's Volunteer Reserve Battalion 3-16 was held at the Trenton Armory recently.

Commander Charles M. Noble read a paper on engineering reconnaissance highlighted by a recital of his personal experiences behind the Japanese lines in Southern China during a pre-invasion mission. The discussion was so interesting that it ran considerably over the time allotted. A movie followed showing electronics in combat action.

The next seminar will be held in the board room at the Trenton Armory Tuesday, August 5. The subject of the discussion will be "advance base construction," to be led by Lieutenant Schuyler and Chief Carpenter Schumann.

Truman Approves Bill For Checking Loyalty

WASHINGTON —AP— A \$11,000,000 fund, to be spent in checking the loyalty of federal employees to the Government, was made available today when President Truman signed a \$106,895,100 supplemental appropriation bill.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation received \$7,500,000 and the Civil Service Commission \$3,500,000 for the employ loyalty work.

The FBI is to check on the background of jobholders and applicants whose loyalty is questioned by the Civil Service Commission.

Most of the remaining funds in the \$106,895,100 appropriation are for the postoffice department. The total Congress voted was \$135,500,800 less than President Truman asked.

Al Zahout, Violinist, Youth Rally Soloist

Al Zahout, violinist, will present a concert of sacred music at the Trenton Youth for Christ Rally tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Contemporary Club, 176 West State Street.

Radio Comics Face Campus Going-Over

CHICAGO —INS— Preparations were being made today by the National Federation of Catholic Students for a national radio acceptance poll beginning next fall.

An announcement released in Chicago revealed that 50,000 students will monitor radio comedy programs to determine their adaptability for public consumption.

John Lynch Jr. of Hammond, Ind., chairman of the poll, said that at the end of the Fall, Winter, and Spring season an adverse trophy will be awarded by the students to the personality who most consistently violates good entertainment standards.

To Remain In Prison Pending Final Ruling

George Biehl and Richard C. Anzer will remain in prison pending hearing on their appeals from conviction of a conspiracy to defraud in making political collections.

Supreme Court Justice Heher today denied petition for a certificate of reasonable doubt. Had it been allowed they could have applied for release on bail until their appeals had been aired. The defendants received prison terms of one and a half to three years and each was fined \$1,000 following their conviction in Hudson County. In asking a certificate of doubt they alleged errors in the charge of the court to the jury an rulings on admission of evidence.

Million Visitors At Jersey's Parks During Last Year

More than a million persons visited New Jersey State Parks during the year ending last June. The total was approximately 1,160,000, the Department of Conservation reported today. The figure was 46 percent above the preceding year and 20 percent greater than the prewar 1941 period.

High Point Park in Sussex County had an attendance of nearly a quarter of a million. Washington Crossing, Cheesecake and Swartswood Parks all exceeded the 100,000 mark.

The July Fourth weekend brought 95,000 visitors to the parks, compared with 65,000 for the comparable period of 1946.

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