



41.01.09 C Co. promotions; applications for release from service

The following promotions have been made in the local unit of the National Guard. Commander of the Company, Howard Cannon, is now a first lieutenant; second lieutenant, Clarence Anderson; first sergeant, Calvert Andrus; staff sergeant, Grant Harris; duty sergeant, Evan Pickett; corporals Robert Riding, Spencer Truman, Bernard Hafen, Edward Woodbury; privates first class, Evan Sproul and Phil Squire.

Those who have received honorable discharges are George M. Jay, Leon Jennings and LaVell Cottam. Several other married men have applied for discharges and will be announced later.

Those who have enlisted recently are Mack Morris, LeRoy Kurt, Verle Graff, George Marion, Gaston Smith, James Hiatt, Earl Parkinson, George Phelps, Vernon Hemenway.

Rifle practice will be held Sunday afternoon.

There has been a request by Chaplain Major Curtis for books for the Regimental library. If anyone wishes to contribute books, they can be turned in at the state armory at the Recreation hall to Sergeant Boyden Fawcett. Each company has been asked to contribute a box of books to the Regimental library.

Much interest is being taken in the company by all the members, and it is anticipated that it will be crack company when it enters camp. There are still vacancies to be filled.

Cannon



Anderson



Andrus



Harris



Promotions &c Cont'd

Evan Pickett



Riding

No Image

Truman



Hafen



Squire



41.01.16 Guard Notice!

It is very important that all fellows between the ages of 21 and 35 inclusive, who have been discharged from the National Guard register immediately with the local Selective Service board.

LeRoy H. Cox,
Chairman.

41.01.30 College news includes Pappy, others

Eight college students are among the non-commissioned officers to be honored at the banquet for the local unit of the National Guard Saturday evening at the Arrowhead banquet room. They are: Sergeants Evan Pickett, Dean Snow and Paul Crosby, and Corporals Glade Wittwer, Spencer Truman, Banard Hafen, Garth Cottam and Stanley Mecham.

Evan Pickett



Snow



Crosby



Wittwer



Truman



Hafen



Cottam



Mecham



41.03.06 Utah National Guard is nationalized

St. George Guard members entered on Army life when they were inducted into the service on March 3. Contrary to popular opinion, they are no longer Guard members, but are a part of the United States Army. A partial list of their new activities as Army men while they stay here was released by the publicity department today.

Captain Howard Cannon has gone back to Fort Belvoir, Virginia, where he will spend some time in training before joining the local boys at camp at San Luis Obispo, California. It is thought that they will go to California on or about March 15, but be doing very well.

The daily routine of the men at the Post is as follows: First call at 6:30 a.m., after which they fall in for roll call at 6:45; calisthenics on the parade grounds from 7:00 to 7:15; breakfast, 7:30; drill starts at 8:00 and lasts until 11:45; dinner, 12:15; instruction period from 1:15 to 3:30; recreation period from 3:30 to 5:00, during this recreation period the men can do anything they care to do as long as they stay at the Post. The Post consists of the recreation hall, the open-air pavilion, the square west of the pavilion, and 20 feet east and north of the recreation hall.

At 5:00 the men fall in for retreat, and supper is at 5:30 after which the men are free to do as they please for the evening. Those who sleep at the Post are required to be in by 10 p.m., at which time the lights are turned out. Those who sleep at home are required to be in bed by 12:00. This rule is enforced by two M.P.'s who are on duty at night. There are also guards stationed at the Post at all hours to keep civilians away from the Post and to keep the men there when they are supposed to be on duty.

Howard Cannon



Arrowhead Banquet Room



**41.03.13 Farewell to C Co.
Company 'C' 115th Combat Engineers
Honored In Farewell Program On Wed.**

People of St. George and adjoining communities more seriously felt the import of the statement, "They're In the Army Now", as the stalwart local unit of Company "C", 115th Combat Engineers in full uniform marched up the aisle to take rostrum and front line benches in the Tabernacle for Wednesday evening's program, set to honor them prior to their departure, which will probably be this week-end.

With the exception of their Captain, Howard Cannon, who is on detachment duty in Virginia; First Sergeant C. W. Anderson and Corporal Robert Brooks, Truck Driver Mack Sullivan who were called into Salt Lake City Monday, and the patrol guard of their local headquarters, the entire company was in attendance. To many the event recalled similar testimonials less than a quarter century ago, also held in the Tabernacle, when Washington county was saying farewell to those who served in the last World War. However, today, they have greater hope that these who go may not be required for overseas duty or actual warfare at home.

Conductor Earl J. Bleak and his Dixie college band chose as their music theme one of Dixie's battle songs, "Defeat Never Comes To Dixie, For She Has No Alibi", giving this as their opening and concluding number. Maurice J. Miles directed the program, with prayers by Roy A. Welker and Pres. Harold S. Snow.

Songs included, "America", and "Star-Spangled Banner", by the congregation, led by Jos. W. McAllister, who also directed his college chorus with two numbers, "Conquest of the Air", and, "To Thee, Oh, Country". Band numbers included a medley of National anthems, "Marching Along Together", and "Boys of the Old Brigade".

M J Miles speaks

Maurice J. Miles introduced Lieut. Clarence Moss, Lieut. Calvert Andrus, First Sergeant Grant B. Harris, Sergeants Glade Wittwer, Paul Crosby, Dean Snow, Stanley Meacham, Mess Sergeant Ralph Chelf, Sergeant Garth Cottam, and Staff Sergeant Earl Cannon, Sheldon Blair and Evan Pickett.

M J Miles



**41.03.27 C Co quartered in SLO
Interesting Information
On Company 'C'
Presented By Truman**

By CORP. SPENCER TRUMAN

We got into camp about five o'clock Wednesday night. That night we were assigned to our tents, and issued what equipment we needed, which consisted of a steel cot, a mattress, a comforter, four sheets, a pillow, two pillow-cases and an oil stove for each tent.

Five men were assigned to each tent. The tents have board floors and are boarded up about three feet on each side and are screened from there to the top. There is a large bath house and a mess hall that will seat 200 men. This is the place where church is held every Sunday.

We didn't do much Thursday, but clean up the tents and level the company street. Friday we went out in the field and began training. The morning was spent in marching and the manual of arms. The afternoon was spent in listening to lectures by Major Godferson on personal hygiene.

Discussing briefly the months of special training Lieut. Evan Pickett admitted it was no easy proposition, but there were definite compensations in spite of hard work and long hours. Grouped in a class of over 300 bringing together young men from every state in the Union, it meant gruelling study and training long hours every day, and constant worry in view of the fact that hundreds were being rejected because of major or minor disqualifications.

Part of the compensations came however in the privilege thus given of visiting parts of the United States which held for him intense interest, as well as for the other Washington county boys. Going back to school over the southern route through New Mexico, Colorado and across the southern states, they found Camp Belvoir located less than three miles from famous old Mt. Vernon along the beautiful Potomac river, and just 20 miles from Washington, D. C. The occasional brief hours off duty afforded opportunity to visit places of national importance. Returning over the northern route to Utah brought him over the general course of the Old Pioneer Trail and this added thrills he had not anticipated receiving at the present time.

He plans to leave the first of next week to report at Camp Gruber, Oklahoma.

Spencer Truman



San Luis Obispo CA



San Luis Obispo tents



"C" Company, 115th Engineers



115th Engineer Crest



Evan Pickett



Fort Belvoir VA

