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FROM YOUR NATIONAL PRESIDENT

A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE TO RAINBOW at this time must necessarily be thoughtful and sober in its nature. In extending to you the traditional message of "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men," I do so with a full heart and a deep feeling of sorrow that there is so little prospect of peace ahead of the world today.

THE BITTER WAR RAGING IN KOREA today, taking its ghastly toll of American and Allied lives, seems likely to stand in history as the beginning of World War III. But if some negotiated settlement results in a cessation of fighting for the time being, there can be little doubt but that the issue of armed conflict with Russia must come in time. Fervently we pray that the world may be spared this tragic conflict, if it can be averted without placing the world in bondage to the aggressors.

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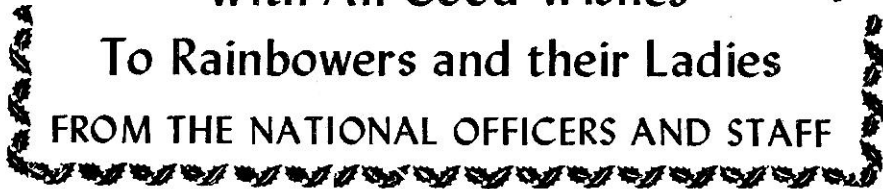


**The Season's Greetings
With All Good Wishes**



To Rainbowers and their Ladies

FROM THE NATIONAL OFFICERS AND STAFF



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Another Armistice Day has come and gone--celebrated in the Magic City of Birmingham with all the fine spirit of fellowship exemplified by such gatherings for the more than three decades that have slipped into eternity since the first world conflagration sputtered out on that memorable Nov. 11, 1918.

Out-of-state guests who honored us with their presence were Bernice Harper, national president, Woman's Auxiliary, Martinsville, Ind., and Floyd; Allen Gibbons, national secretary, and Jim Dent, Roanoke, Va., and George Seaman, national historian, and his charming wife, Jean.

We hope they enjoyed their stay with us at least half as much as we enjoyed having them, and we look forward with a great deal of pleasure to their return next July, along with a great cavalcade of comrades and their feminine inspirations from all sections of the land.

Among the Alabama and Florida cities represented by comrades who attended our Armistice Day festivities were Tuscaloosa, Gadsden, Mobile, Montgomery, Pell City, Decatur, Cullman, Opelika, Auburn and Leeds, Ala.,

and Panama City, Fla. We thoroughly enjoyed your being here, and shall look for you in greatly enlarged delegations at the national reunion.

In my enumeration of the reunion committee membership last month, I was guilty of a grievous error--no doubt! At a pre-Armistice Day party at the home of President and Mrs. Foster, Comrade Lindsay Cox approached me with an unusual glint in his eyes and a rasp to his voice, and informed me that I had misrepresented him before the eyes of all Rainbow, and that he was sure his standing with his old battery mates had been impaired to no inconsequential degree. In a firm voice he advised that his nickname is not, and has not been, "Slim"; it was, he said--"SKINNAY." It is with humble alacrity that I make this correction, hoping that he will be restored thereby to his well-deserved high standing in our Rainbow realm.

To the comrade in Chicago who has been sending me The Swazancans, I wish to take this method of extending my thanks and appreciation. I have thoroughly enjoyed this publication, and do not fail to read every line each month. It is a great idea, and should serve to a high degree in keeping alive Rainbow interest in its area of coverage.

--Joe F. McCartney

Reunion Publicity Chm.

TRI-STATE REUNION AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Annual Tri-State Reunion and the Executive Committee Meeting to be held at the Statler Hotel, in Washington, D. C., on February 22nd, is not too far off. If you plan to come it is suggested that you write to the Statler NOW and reserve accommodations. Getting Hotel space in Washington is going to become more and more a problem, so the farsighted Rainbow-er will act now and save aspirin later on. It will be helpful, also, if you will advise the Reunion Committee. As usual your Editor has been designated Chairman of the Tri-State Reunion Committee.

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FROM YOUR NATIONAL PRESIDENT

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That the world should live in the shadow of fear cannot be endured. Free hearts must not tremble at the tyrant's threat. There is an end to righteousness, and to the sweetness of living if such things must be. War in all its brutal horror is preferable to living under the shame of submission to the unending demands of a cynical, Godless enemy.

AMERICANS HAVE NEVER CHOSEN TO SUBMIT, nor will they do so now. We must face with good heart and never failing faith the dark path we must tread because we will to be free men.

PARTICULARLY AT THIS CHRISTMAS TIME must we keep our courage and our faith high. We can yet rejoice at the Christmas message despite the clouded future. There was a Christmas after Pearl Harbor, and Christmases after that when the future looked dark, but there were glorious sunrises to follow.

WITH FAITH IN GOD AND BELIEF IN AMERICA, then, let us greet this Christmas with good heart, serene in faith and with good will toward men.

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Your President must give expression to another thought before this message closes. A declaration of our undaunted faith in Rainbow's own Douglas MacArthur springs from the heart of every Rainbower. Not only in loyalty and in affection, but in a solid and deeply foundationed belief in his peerless leadership and genius. This loyalty and this confidence cannot be shaken.

--Hugh S. Foster

RAINBOW "BIG TIME" EVENTS

February 22 -- Washington, D. C. Statler Hotel.
Tri-State Reunion and mid-year
Executive Committee Meeting.



ALABAMA - To relate only the highlights of the Rainbow Armistice Reunion would undoubtedly use more than our allotted space in at least three "Reveille" issues.

Bernice Harper and Floys just barely managed to last thru a strenuous three day and night ordeal, jam packed with "good old reminiscing."

George Seaman and Jean nearly went overboard in good old Southern style, even to the extent of George temporarily losing his overcoat, leaving his shoes off so much that he practically forgot to put them on when starting for home.

Our two stags from Roanoke, Allen Gibbons and Jim Dent didn't have a chance to run wild, as the writer and several others made it a point to keep them properly escorted day and night.

What happened to Stan Barrow is beyond us! We met all trains and planes, and if he arrived it is still a secret.

The Preparedness Parade and noon day dinner with Navy Secretary Matthews as the principal speaker, were both well attended by Rainbowers, and carried a pretty solemn note, although this did not temper our Rainbow activities too much. Hugh Foster and Bernice Harper occupied a most prominent position in the parade reviewing stand along with Navy Secretary Matthews, Mrs. Matthews, and many admirals, generals and local civic leaders.

To prove this, I am attaching a large picture from the Birmingham News of Sunday that I wish could be printed in "Reveille" as Hugh Foster and Bernice Harper are right out in front.

We had a large number of Rainbow delegates with us from Montgomery, Mobile, Tuscaloosa and the highways and byways of Alabama, and our Borden Burr gave us some very encouraging comments regarding next years reunion in Birmingham. This, of course, was the main topic and was garnished with a great deal of enthusiasm by everyone present.

In addition to our regular scheduled activities, there were numerous private reunions in homes, hotel rooms, lobbies and on street corners all over town.

Rainbowers were very much in evidence in Birmingham on Armistice Day, 1950, as a prelude to the national reunion next July.

Our Montgomery Rainbowers gave us advance information on their annual party which will be February 17, 1951, commemorating Rainbow divisions entry

into front line activity back in 1918. We will have more details about this later.

--Lindsay L. Cox

COLORADO -

The Denver Chapter of the Rainbow Division Veterans held its 32nd Annual Reunion at the Cosmopolitan Hotel in Denver on Friday evening, November 10, 1950. Dinner was served at 7:30 P.M. Music and songs were furnished by Bob Rusho and his famous guitar. The fact of the matter was that Bob had considerable help with his singing from his audience -- fairly good Barber Shop too! To those who missed being there let me assure you that you missed a good time.

The meeting was opened by Secretary-Treasurer Johnson, acting for President Cook who is in Washington. Dr. Grover paid tribute to our departed comrades and led the usual toast to "The Last Man." His customary contribution of cognac for the purpose was appreciated by all. There were twenty-five members in attendance. Appreciation was expressed for the good attendance and especially to Dick Bayles, who drove 265 miles from Lusk, Wyoming; R. R. Gowdy, Walsenburg; H. E. Robinson, Ault; Hap Ise and Chet Peters, Greeley; and, Leo Flynn of Boulder. The weather was bad and roads icy, but they braved the storm. Bailey Jamison got as far as Sterling but didn't make it the rest of the way. He did telephone us and said he was with us in spirit. Telegrams were received from President Cook, who was in New York on business, and Frank Dawson in Chicago, who expressed deep regret for missing his first meeting in twenty years. Some record! The following officers were elected for 1950-51: President, W. R. Grant; Vice-President, Leo Flynn; Secretary-Treasurer, J. Lee Johnson.

--J. Lee Johnson

INDIANA - The Martinsville Indiana Chapter (Medics) and families held a joint meeting with the auxiliary, Sunday, October 29th at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Innes.

The day began with a cooperative turkey dinner with 35 present.

During the business session presided over by President Gil Hennegar, guests were introduced. National Vice President, Bill Russell from Indianapolis, National Executive Committeemen present were Harmon Young, Indianapolis, and Ed Huber, Seymour, Ind.

From the auxiliary, National President Bernice Harper, National Secretary, Mrs. Naomi B. Cook, and National Chairman of Daughters of Rainbow, Edith Young, Indianapolis.

The ladies assembled in one section and kept bingo in full force, while the men played cards and settled many problems.

Two new members were added to the

roster, Field K. Daily, Edinburg, Ind., and J. L. Klotz, Noblesville, Ind.

--Floyd L. Harper, Secretary

MICHIGAN - With the advent of the Yuletide Season the officers, membership and Auxiliary of the Michigan Chapter take this opportunity to extend to all Rainbowers, and their ladies of the auxiliary, everywhere best wishes for a Merry Xmas and may the New Year have many fine things in store for you all but most important of all Health and Happiness.

1950 was a great year in Michigan Rainbow. In retrospect we happily recall a year chuck full of activity, anticipation of the Detroit reunion and then seeing it unfold into the greatest honor and pleasure of being host to ALL the fine friends who once a year gather just for the privilege of again meeting and spending a few days with the fine folks of Rainbow. Birmingham offers this opportunity come next July so for a grand time its not too early to plan part of your vacation at the 1951 National Reunion as guests of our fine Rainbowers, and Auxiliary, of ALABAMA. Ted Hagen is at the helm as Reunion Chairman and knowing Ted it will be a "WING DINGER."

The Michigan Chapter is just about back to normalcy having dissolved the Reunion Corporation without resorting to "red ink." Former Treasurer George Irwin made an audit of the books and certified same to be in balance except for a shortage of "fifty-cents." This was finally cleared up and found to be an unrecorded disbursement for telephone calls, made by said Pop Irwin, in the headquarters office. The Chapter is, as usual, purveying Rainbow in true Michigan fashion. November 18th we enjoyed an informal dancing party in the "Rainbow Room," including refreshments and fine buffet. December 17, 1950 the chapter holds its annual Xmas Party for Rainbow children and we will have as our guests twenty-five under-privileged kiddies to meet Santa Claus and receive Xmas cheer. February 24th, 1950 is our big party at the Fort Shelby Hotel in the form of a dinner-dance and we hope to have as our honored guest National President, Hugh Foster and his charming wife. May we suggest that if you are from this section, and attending the February 22nd party in Washington, that you travel home via Detroit and join with us Saturday evening in the Crystal Room of the Fort Shelby.

Again to you ALL - A Most Enjoyable Yuletide. --Sharon C. Cover, Scribe

NEW YORK - Rainbowers of Father Duffy Chapter went all out in celebration of Armistice Day.

Chapter President, John Horan led a delegation from the Chapter in the parade of veteran organizations to the

Eternal Light in Madison Square where impressive ceremonies were held under the auspices of the Mayor's committee. A gorgeous Rainbow wreath was placed at the foot of the light by the Chapter along with others of many veteran and patriotic organizations.

The celebration reached its climax in the evening, when upward of three hundred members and friends gathered in the Rainbow and Mural Rooms at the 165th Inf. Regt. Army. The first order of business was the unveiling in the Father Duffy Room, of a life-sized portrait in oils of our own general "Wild Bill" Donovan which had been obtained for the chapter through the efforts of National Historian, George Seaman. All then repaired to the Mural Room where refreshments, entertainment and dancing were the order of the evening. At 11:00 p.m. the customary memorial ceremonies were held, with eloquent addresses by Deputy Police Commissioner, Gen. Martin H. Meany and another fine Rainbower, Lt. Col. Garrett P. Olds, U.S.A. who has been on active duty here in New York and who regularly attends our Chapter meetings. Ollie Atkinson read the eulogy to the American soldier from the memorable speech of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, our permanent Honorary President, on the occasion of the Rainbow Reunion in Washington in 1935. All in all, it was a big day and as Martin Meany remarked, many of those attending had not been around since the end of World War I and it was a pleasure to see so many of our fellow Rainbowers of the last war on hand.

OHIO - Quite a number of Rainbows from Ohio attended the National Reunion in Detroit and reported a wonderful time, and from all reports we will have a large representation in Alabama in July 1951.

Ohio now has a chapter of Rainbow War II known as the 132nd Signal Chapter with headquarters in Youngstown, Ohio. This is due to the hard work of John Janosik, 904 Belle Vista, Youngstown and some of his 'Buddies.' Acting Officers of the chapter are: president, Sam Russo, 14825 Mack Avenue, Detroit; secretary-treasurer, John Janosik who is also editor of the 'Newsletter'; Chaplain, Harry Imhoff, 202 Geyer Road, Pittsburgh, Pa; sergeant-at-arms, Joseph R. Miller, 434 Riverview Drive, N. Arlington, N. J. All members of the 132nd Signal Company are requested to get in touch with the secretary and get on his mailing list. His Newsletter is a very interesting paper.

Another chapter in Ohio was instituted with a charter being issued to the Orville Fuller Chapter of Chillicothe, Ohio former Company H. of the 166th Infantry Regiment. Earl Hatfield is the president; and Fred Pinney of 840 E.

Main St., secretary-treasurer. Company 'H' men should contact Pinney and join your chapter now.

We in Ohio extend late but hearty congratulations to all our new National officers and early season's greeting to Rainbows one and all, wherever you may be.

Our State Reunion will be held in Cincinnati in June of 1951 but more about that later.

--C. S. Thimmes, secretary-treas.

PENNSYLVANIA - The Pittsburgh Chapter has not gotten underway for their winter entertainment. We believe that is mostly due to the fine mild weather we've had all fall. No one seems to think that we are having any other kind of weather and why should we plan winter "fun."

John Lotz's second year as President of our chapter was started off with a "bang" of a picnic at Renziehausen Park in McKeesport. This is his second attempt and it proved to be a very successful one, by the crowd which attended it. As nearly as the count could be taken, there was a total of seventy-five present. That is the largest number to attend a Rainbow get-together in a long time in this part of Pennsy. We'll not be able to re-call all those present, but we do like to enumerate a few of the names as follows: Lucky Pete Mackinaw, Fleckensteins, Pearces, the Danny Gordons, Ayers, Signets, Skellys, Rectenwalds, Shiffmans, Eibecks, Rigbys, Firths, Stubnas, Ed MaWhinneys, Bliwas, Hickcoxs, Geo. McDowell, Tom Hunt etc. Ed MaWhinney had several of his nephews and neices.

We feel mighty proud of our Pennsy State membership who attended the Detroit convention. In order to keep the records straight we numbered approximately fifty-one. We learn from one, Frank Bellew of Wisconsin Rapids that his state was well represented there too. He has reasons to believe that it was one of the largest delegations from the state of Wisconsin to attend a National Convention.

President John Lotz reports membership well up in the eighties at this writing. Fleck (V. D. Fleckenstein) 121 Pentland Avenue, Pittsburgh, Penna., is still ready and willing to accept cash or your check for your duties.

We understand from a report a member of our chapter made recently that one of its former members by name, Walt Michel, has been located in California. The Chapter hadn't had any news of his whereabouts in some time. The boys would enjoy hearing from Walt.

We hope to have some winter activities to report on the next round of news.

--Leo F. Moquin

OKLAHOMA - Hap and Ida Gruendberg, Chelsea, Oklahoma who

operate a Turkey Ranch were in Tulsa recently to market their "white Rainbow Turkeys," have promised us a Rainbow Turkey Dinner after the holidays.

Called to service are two from our group, Colonel Peter Grimmer is C.O. at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, Lt. Wm. F. Cody is in Pete's command.

Returned to Tulsa are Clinton and Leila Sayles after a years stay in Calgary, Edmonton, Canada. Clinton is with Mid-Continent Pipe Line Company.

Deceased 167th Ambulance Company Rainbower Arthur H. "Rummy" Cochran at the Veterans Hospital in Muskogee, Oklahoma, on October 7, burial from Catholic Church in Stillwater, Oklahoma. Robert L. Heard (Bob) 117th Engineers, at Veterans Hospital, Muskogee, Oklahoma October 17, burial was in Tulsa. Otto Wiley 167th Ambulance is confined in St. Johns Hospital with a heart ailment. Our sympathy is extended to these families as their Rainbow friends will miss them more and more as time goes on. We hope to see Otto Wiley up and about before too long. The Wiley's young son James M. has taken a bride. The Fred Millers' have an addition - baby son, Gary.

The stag sponsored by Everett Pope was a success and brought in two new members Paul Edwards 42nd Hdqtrs Co., and George Evans 242 Inf. - just one more and we'll make the 100 mark.

Next up on calendar is Stag on Nov. 17 at Havenstrites. Christmas party December 11 at Oklahoma Natural Club Rooms.

--Leonard J. Hill

VIRGINIA - Virginia Rainbowers had the pleasure of entertaining President and Mrs. Hugh S. Foster in Roanoke on October 28, 1950, with John W. D. Carter, vice-president of the Virginia State Chapter, presiding and Joseph H. Murray, National Executive Committeeman for Virginia, acting as toastmaster.

Following a dinner in the Amber Room at the Plaza Restaurant, an evening of true Rainbow fellowship was enjoyed by those fortunate enough to be present, who were: representing the Maurice Tyler Jr. Chapter of Richmond, Major Ravee Norris, 3rd Bn, 167th Infantry; from the Homer A. Hughes Chapter at Lynchburg: Perkins Bates, Oscar Eubank, Lennie Dudley, Clarence J. Hudson, Clarence Smith, all of Co. B, 117th TH&MP, O. W. Tant of Co. H, 167th Infantry and William C. and Mrs. Douglas, Big Island, Va., he having served in H1B, 242d Infantry.

The Virginia State Chapter was represented by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph H. Murray of Covington, Mr. & Mrs. James R. Dent, Mr. & Mrs. C. G. Hammond, Mr. & Mrs. Felix K. Parker, Mr. & Mrs. R. Allen Gibbons, all of Roanoke

and Co. A, 117th TH&MP, Mr. & Mrs. John W. D. Carter and Mr. & Mrs. Claude F. Hughes, also of Roanoke who served in Co. B, 117th TH&MP, Walter F. Crueger of Co. A, 117th TH&MP and his lady, Mrs. Christian of Roanoke, Robert L. Wilson of Roanoke and Guy E. Murray of Bedford, Va., both Co. A, 117th TH&MP, and Mr. & Mrs. David Shewey of Buena Vista, Va., he having served in Co. D, 242d Infantry.

--R. Allen Gibbons

News & Views of World War II

Morton Marks, Jr., Associate Editor
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It took us quite a long time, but we read every word of the 17-page News-letter written to former members of the 132nd Signal Company by its editor, John M. Janosik, of Youngstown, Ohio.

But the unusual thing about it was the fact that we didn't know personally a single man mentioned in the letter. It was just the opportunity to read about some of the men with whom we fought in France, Germany, and Austria. Just to know that one of the former signalmen is teaching school in Danville, Ill., or another is a caterpillar operator for an oil company means a lot to us. Each one of John's paragraphs was a success story in itself.

We read with interest the several pages about the Signal Company's own junior-size reunion at the Annual Reunion at Detroit last July. Nineteen former members of that outfit met at Sammy Russo's Restaurant there for a few meals and bull sessions aplenty. During that time they organized the 132nd Signal Company Chapter and intend to keep it going with a meeting each year--at the site of each Rainbow Reunion. A great idea, to say the least!

FROM THE MAIL BAG--Al Rimkus (142d Engr.), who is well-known for his cartoons in the Reville of European vintage and for his work in putting together the Division History, has his own portrait studio in Chicago now. . . . M/Sgt. John Wintrose, WW I and WW II Rainbow, National vice president, is probably now in Korea with the Second Division. His son is now a student at West Point. . . . Curt Brown (232d Inf.) of 633 N. 4th Street, Milwaukee, Wisc., says he'd like to hear from Rainbows living up that way. He is a salesman for the Scott Paper Company. . . . Woodrow Bloomquist (132d Sig.), of Kankakee, Ill., would also like to hear from some of his old friends. His address in Kankakee is 284 Fairway Street. . . . General Collins, according to latest reports, is now in command of the New York-New Jersey Military District of the First Army at Fort Totten, L. I., N. Y.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

A ROVING AMBASSADOR REPORTS

(The following communication to your National President from Honorary President and Roving Ambassador Marx Rosenthaler was of such interest and importance that it was forwarded to the Editor for publication.)

"During my year as President, my trips with Clare were on the ground, since she refused to fly, a mode of transportation that she once enjoyed with me. Last week, believe it or not, because she had to fly or stay home, she went to Washington with me on a non-stop flight, for a week end - and while the trip was rough going down - very rough - it was delightful and smooth, returning. So maybe, I won't be so earth-bound as I have been, when I wanted her company in travel.

I saw M. Manning Marcus in the Doctors' Hospital, and he has had a serious operation. I was his first visitor, I believe, and while he is recovering safely, he has a long road. The flowers in his room showed the esteem in which he is held.

At a Sunday Breakfast, we had the company of Henry J. Reilly, Walker Colston and Irene, Harold Rodier and me and the missus - plus a very entertaining lady just over from France.

The competition between the General and Harold, both of whom think they are French linguists, was remarkable. The General got her telephone number after a long and hard-fought battle. For some unknown reason, Rainbow Veterans never grow old, or if they do, never seem to realize their age.

For the information of those who love to send postal cards and who are primarily interested in a Rainbow Veterans Old Home, I am going to look over the Arizona Territory in February, and will be reached at the Hotel Westward Ho from the 4th to the 11th of February. . . . or maybe the 18th. I am going to carefully cover the ground and the prices quoted by an Indiana and Illinois Rainbow who threw threats and who attempted to obtain sufficient funds to retire for life. I expect to have a full report for the Executive Committee Meeting, which, I understand, will be held in Washington on the 22nd of February.

If charges of misrepresentation or misappropriation of funds can be sustained, the matter shall be brought before the Executive Committee Meeting, if for no other reason than to entertain those Rainbows who haven't enough sense to stay at home and pay their income taxes, rather than trying to get a travel deduction."

-- Marx Rosenthaler

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Crawford Z. Ables (Gadsden)	10	0	0	0	Missouri-Kansas (Kansas City)	174	19	1	0
John W. Carroll (Mobile)	75	1	50	0	Chanute	38	1	39	1
M. H. Jordan (Birmingham)	108	5	101	2	St. Louis	22	17	7	2
J. M. Strassburger (M'gomery)	115	3	121	6	Topeka-Manhattan	20	4	18	2
Wm. M. Peters (Tuscaloosa)	19	0	0	0	MISSOURI-KANSAS TOTAL	254	41	65	8
Durward Crowder (Lanett)	8	0	7	0	Nebraska Chapter (Lincoln)	30	6	17	4
ALABAMA TOTAL	335	9	279	8	Omaha	24	15	0	0
Los Angeles	96	9	76	0	NEBRASKA TOTAL	54	21	17	4
San Francisco	69	15	76	7	New Jersey (Red Bank)	104	29	125	22
Joyce Kilmer (San Diego)	9	6	0	0	Gen. C. T. Menohor (Newark)	30	3	30	4
CALIFORNIA TOTAL	174	30	152	7	NEW JERSEY TOTAL	134	32	155	26
COLORADO (Denver)	36	3	49	7	Father Duffy (N.Y.C.)	651	40	451	22
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	80	28	50	6	Long Island	21	1	20	0
Jacksonville	1	0	0	0	Westchester	20	0	14	0
Miami	73	6	32	5	NEW YORK TOTAL	692	41	484	22
St. Petersburg	0	0	15	5	Ohio State Association	13	4	11	2
Gen. C.P. Summerall (Orlando)	51	4	60	9	Ralph Berger (Marysville)	31	0	0	0
FLORIDA TOTAL	125	10	107	19	Cincinnati	43	7	37	8
Georgia Chapter (Macon)	37	0	32	0	Columbus	126	9	97	2
Cooper D. Winn (Atlanta)	32	12	13	5	Newark	36	2	31	2
GEORGIA TOTAL	69	12	45	5	Luther Swigart (Mansfield)	23	2	16	0
Illinois (Chicago)	663	106	350	34	Akron	7	0	0	0
Danville	65	4	27	1	Dyer J. Bird (Marion)	20	1	17	0
ILLINOIS TOTAL	728	110	377	35	Paul Hume (London)	2	0	0	0
Indiana State (Indianapolis)	218	15	201	13	Toledo	16	6	9	3
Bloomington	79	0	67	0	Edison H. Miller (Delaware)	17	1	1	0
Fort Wayne	26	2	0	0	Lancaster	50	1	25	1
LaFayette	37	0	2	0	Cleveland	51	12	0	0
Martinsville	35	1	33	2	Springfield	16	0	6	0
South Bend	23	9	37	12	Vets. Co. G 166th Inf. (Greenfield)	111	1	139	3
INDIANA TOTAL	418	27	340	27	Pickaway (Circleville)	18	1	0	0
Iowa State Association	0	0	98	0	132nd Signal Co. Chapter (New)	--	--	15	14
Col. E.R. Bennett (Des Moines)	200	22	118	11	O. G. Fuller (New - Chillicothe)	--	--	15	0
Cedar Rapids	30	3	14	0	OHIO TOTAL	580	47	419	35
Oskaloosa	36	0	30	0	Gruber (Muskogee)	10	9	0	0
Greston	47	0	37	0	Oklahoma City	75	36	24	9
Lee County (Ft. Madison)	2	0	0	0	Tulsa	90	27	99	39
Fort Dodge	4	0	3	1	OKLAHOMA TOTAL	175	72	123	48
Mason City (North Iowa)	19	3	4	1	OREGON (Portland)	19	8	18	10
Mathew A. Tinley (C'neil Bluffs)	40	0	41	0	Easton	110	12	46	2
Cedar Valley (W'loo-C'dar Falls)	40	4	29	2	Pittsburgh	101	37	75	17
Ottumwa	37	1	14	0	Bethlehem	46	12	16	2
Southwest Iowa (Shenandoah)	11	0	0	0	Lancaster	142	14	105	16
Northwest Iowa (Sioux City)	30	1	4	0	Reading	32	0	29	2
Dubuqueland (Dubuque)	12	2	8	0	Philadelphia	39	14	24	8
IOWA TOTAL	508	36	400	15	PENNSYLVANIA TOTAL	470	89	295	49
LOUISIANA (New Orleans)	32	11	34	11	SOUTH CAROLINA (Columbia)	16	0	10	0
MARYLAND (Baltimore)	66	11	45	7	TENNESSEE (Chattanooga)	4	3	1	1
MASSACHUSETTS (Boston)	61	30	34	20	TEXAS (Dallas)	184	42	134	23
MICHIGAN (Detroit)	253	87	150	37	Virginia State (Roanoke)	85	8	75	6
Minneapolis	256	20	198	15	Homer A. Hughes (Lynchburg)	36	3	33	3
St. Paul	58	6	26	2	Maurice Tyler, Jr. (Richmond)	16	7	0	0
MINNESOTA TOTAL	314	26	224	17	VIRGINIA TOTAL	137	18	108	9
					Washington State (Seattle)	2	0	1	0
					Fort Lewis	20	20	12	12
					WASHINGTON STATE TOTAL	22	20	13	12
					Wisconsin State Association	3	0	0	0
					Appleton	49	2	37	0
					Gen. D. MacArthur (Milwaukee)	29	10	6	1
					Fond du Lac	39	0	31	0
					Oshkosh	40	1	31	0
					WISCONSIN TOTAL	160	13	105	1
					WYOMING (Cheyenne)	4	2	0	0
					NATIONAL CHAPTER - WAR I	5	-	3	0
					NATIONAL CHAPTER - WAR II	19	19	8	8
					GRAND TOTALS	6,128	898	4,244	477

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