

RAINBOW REVEILLE



The President's Message

"...You have a deep understanding of that indefinable bond that has held Rainbowers together throughout the years. and will continue to hold us together wherever we may be. We call it the Spirit of Rainbow - naturally it is a very particular understanding and love of our fellow men, developed through mutual experience." So wrote a Rainbow friend in heartwarming words. They so clearly fit every true Rainbow man, however, that they must not be accepted as a purely personal compliment, but as one applying to every Rainbower.

For nowhere have I encountered more good will and love of fellow men than is manifested at Rainbow gatherings. With this spirit in our hearts we must ever be thankful that God has blessed us with that glorious symbol in the skies that at once brings hope and beauty into our lives.

Personally and on behalf of my dear wife and of the Officers and Staff of our Association, I say: "God bless you every one," and wish each of you a

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

George Seaman



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The "Big Search" Continues

By "Mel" Horne
National Membership Chairman

My Rainbow Comrades: I addressed my last message and appeal to the "PUTER OFFERS", and I am wondering how many of you have decided to become "DO-IT-TODAYers" instead. I am hoping for at least a fifty percent batting average! You know it is impossible to accomplish a great deal in this BIG SEARCH membership drive without the cooperation of a great majority of the active members of Rainbow. Some of us have the idea that as long as we pay our dues and can carry a Rainbow Membership Card that everything else in connection with Rainbow will automatically take care of itself. This is not true as you all must realize when you think of it, for there is, and always will be, a certain number of good and loyal Rainbowners who have to be asked several times each year to pay their dues and help support our Rainbow organization. It is up to those of us who try to be active and attend meetings at every opportunity to see that these "PUTER OFFERS" at least pay their dues each year and attend a Rainbow get-together

at least once in a great while. We all owe much to our great Rainbow Association and to our Comrades who have paid the supreme sacrifice; we cannot neglect this important duty.

For your information, the BIG SEARCH membership drive is coming along very well, but rather slowly. However, the total membership as of this date is ahead of last year for the same period; but do not be too optimistic --- it isn't a gain of which to be too proud. The following states are ahead of last year for the same period: Alabama, Arizona (new Chapter), California, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana (even), Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Nebraska, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin. I wish to extend my heartiest congratulations and good wishes to these states that are running ahead of last year. To the states and Chapters that are running behind, keep in there pitching and let's put this BIG SEARCH over in a BIG way; you can do it with just a little more effort. Every member get a delinquent or a new member --- make this your slogan. You know, in reality, every man who was so fortunate as to have served in the Rainbow, in either War, is really proud of his record as well as of the Division. So -- why not let the world know who you are and the outfit that you served in!

"Miss Clara" and yours truly had a most pleasant visit with Madam President Jean, and Mr. President George
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An Ode to the City of Boston

On Its Being Named 1954 Reunion City

Oh here's to the City of Boston,
The home of the Cod and the Bean,
Where every stone
Has a tale of its own,
And only the temperature's mean.*

And here's to the City of Boston,
Where the people love Liberty still;
As when its men met
The Redcoat's threat
In the Battle of Bunker Hill.

And again to the City of Boston,
Where on every side one may see
Landmarks that recall
Old Sam Adams' call
For freedom from tyranny.

And Skoll to the City of Boston,
With a Rainbow over its sky---
When our buddies meet
In Reunion, to greet
Their old pals on the twelfth of July.

And here's to the City of Boston,
The home of the Bean and the Cod;
Where every faction
Expressed satisfaction,
When Rainbow gave it the nod.

--Anonymous

*(EDITOR'S NOTE: As a matter of fact the mean temperature of Boston in July isn't mean at all; it's very nice.)

BIRMINGHAM REMEMBERS

During the month of November I was fortunate in being able to see and visit with many Rainbowers. The Seaman family left by car on November 6th, stopping in Washington to visit the printer of the REVEILLE, then went on our way to Roanoke, Virginia, and the M. P. S. Spent two days in Roanoke with our National Secretary Allen Gibbons, Jim Dent and others of the Virginia Chapter, sampling their fine Southern hospitality.

From Roanoke we proceeded on to Birmingham, where we were the guests of the Mortimer Jordan Chapter at the Hotel Tutwiler. On the night of our arrival the boys held a cocktail party from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., preceding a dinner at The Club. On November 11th I was a guest at the Armistice Luncheon, after which we adjourned to the grand stand to review the Armistice Parade.

Birmingham is one city that has not forgotten the boys of 1917 - 1918, and each year they honor the memory of those who gave their lives, and the veterans who still carry on. Their ceremonies and parade are most impressive.

Over one hundred Rainbow and Auxiliary members attended the Armistice Banquet of the Mortimer Jordan Chapter. They came from Mobile, Tuscaloosa, Montgomery and Atlanta, Ga. I would like to mention all the names of those present but space does not permit. Suffice to say that they are a grand gang and we had the time of our lives.

After spending three days in Birmingham being royally entertained each day, we finally tore ourselves away and started the trek back home. In Atlanta, we had a most enjoyable lunch with National Vice President Artist J. Reed, (H-242d); William R. Barton, (Med. Det 222nd), Executive Committeeman for Georgia; Jack Calloway, (C-151st MGBn); Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Adams, (C-402nd F. A.), and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Zink, (117th Engrs.)

On Saturday evening in Richmond I phoned Ravee Norris and had a very nice chat with him. He sends his best regards to his many friends and expects to see them in Roanoke on February 21, 1954. Irving J. Broughton, (Hq-232nd), stopped by at our Motel and expressed his regret that more of the boys could not be located to accompany him.

THE TRI-STATE REUNION

All plans have been formulated for The Tri-State Reunion and Mid-Year Executive Committee Meeting in Roanoke on February 20-21, and a big turnout is expected.

BOSTON ORGANIZING FOR REUNION

At the meeting of the Boston Chapter on December 1st, Chairmen of the various committees will be selected for National Reunion to be held in Boston, at the Statler Hotel, on July 12th, 13th and 14th.

Between the keen enthusiasm of the Massachusetts Rainbows, and the great interest in Boston for '54 that I've found, clearly a great Reunion looms up.

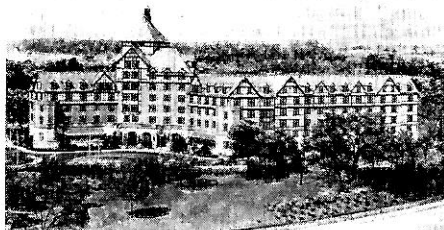
--George E. Seaman

Roanoke Calls for Tri-State Reunion Reservations

National President George E. Seaman met with the Tri-State Reunion Committee on November 8th, at Roanoke, Va., and was very helpful in rounding out the program.

The cost for this affair will be \$5.00 per person, and your reservation with the fee attached should be sent to R. Allen Gibbons, P. O. Box 342, Roanoke, Va., as soon as possible.

Hotel reservations should be made direct to Hotel Roanoke, Roanoke, Va., mentioning the fact that it is for the purpose of attending the Tri-State Reunion of the Rainbow Division Veterans Association. As previously stated, the rates at the Hotel Roanoke are, Single Bedroom with bath, \$6.00 and \$7.00; Twin Bedroom with bath, \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00.



Make your arrangements now to meet your Rainbow friends in Roanoke on February 20th and 21st.

--Jim Dent

RAINBOW "BIG TIME" EVENTS

December 12 - Tulsa, Oklahoma; Dinner-Dance, Alvin Hotel.

Feb. 20-21 - Roanoke, Va.; Tri-State Reunion; Mid-Year National Executive Committee Meeting; Hotel Roanoke.



ALABAMA When the National Presidents, Association and Auxiliary, George and Jean Seaman, make the pilgrimage to Alabama, leaving New York in a snowstorm and blizzard in order to be with the "Alabams" on Armistice Day then you buddies of the Rainbow must know that the affair really "rates." It does just that, and the members of the Chapter and the Auxiliary did their level best to see that every minute of the stay of our Team of National Presidents was taken up while in the "Heart of Dixie". In spite of the fact that Jean Seaman, due to an accident while enroute, was not able to trip the light fantastic on the dance floor she apparently held her own during the festivities.

A dinner-dance was given in honor of our "Prexies" on the night of November 10th at the "Club", Birmingham's "Top of the Mark" atop of Red Mountain, and known to many Rainbowers who visited this spot in July '51 during our National Reunion. The Hugh Fosters were the hosts; the "old soldiers" did pretty well on the chow line but not on the samba line! Anyhow, they showed that they were still alive and able to "kick up their heels."

The ladies gave Jean a luncheon at the same spot on Armistice Day. George attended the Armistice Day Peace Luncheon held at Hotel Tutwiler, where he was given a seat of honor surrounded by more high ranks than one can enumerate, including the Secretary of the Navy, who gave the main address.

That night we gathered at the Peacock Ball Room of the Hotel Tutwiler for the Annual Armistice Night Banquet, our thirty-third in a row. Every Chapter in the State was represented except Gadsden, a splendid turnout for this affair. Your correspondent acted as the M. C. One of the bright spots was the attendance of Virgil Mitchell and his wife. Virgil is one of our loyal members. A wheelchair case for more than twenty years, he still holds his chin high and is 100% Rainbow. As is the custom, many of the "chow hounds" sounded off: Clayton Gardner, Ernie Pritchett, Joe Dickerson, all of the Montgomery Chapter, Jack Brazeele of the Mobile Chapter, and Jack Calloway and Bill Barton of the Cooper D. Winn Chapter of Atlanta, Georgia. Of course George's talk was the highlight of the affair. He gave us a resume of the plans for the Annual Reunion, and outlined what is expected of us on membership for the year.

After his talk, the M. C. presented him with a warrant commissioning him a Colonel in the Confederate Air Corps, along with plenty of rations of grits, black eyed peas, turnip greens, ham hocks, and corn squeezings; the fare on which an officer in this organization subsists.

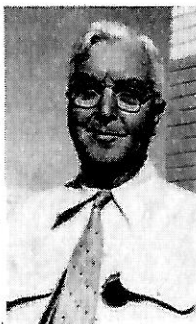
It was a great and grand party and we look forward to another visit of the Seamans.

--"Rags"

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ARIZONA Arizona Chapter No. 1 held a very enjoyable picnic on Sunday, October 25th, out in the desert at Phoenix South Mountain Park, which is an entirely different setting from the picture most Rainbowers envision when they see the word "park". The families were included and the attendance was very good. A notice of the picnic in the newspapers resulted in one new member and two prospects.

Hook and Edith Young drove up from Tucson, where they have spent several weeks letting the Arizona sun work on his arthritis. We were so glad to have them with us and are happy to report that the arthritis bothersome when they



On Sunday, November 8th, we were honored with a quickie visit from Harold and Elsie Rodier. It was so much of a quickie that the secretary-treasurer was the only member to get to see him; there was not time to notify others. Harold and wife are fine persons, and we hope they spend more time in Phoenix on their next trip. We would like to receive names and addresses of any of your Rainbow friends now living in Arizona. Send them to Don C. Trent, 4401 N. 19th Place, Phoenix.

--Don

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ILLINOIS More than 85 members of the Illinois Chapter gathered together for a very pleasant evening on November 10th at the Atlantic Hotel in Chicago. We fought both wars over again, sang those sentimental ditties and found ourselves back in those happy days of mud, mire and mules. Art Wray, at the Piano, and Ben Glassman, tenor without peer, set the pace for those who still retain red corpuscles and sufficient oxygen to yodel.

Herb Beck told about his trip from Chicago to Paris on the opening flight of the new Air France Schedule. Several side trips from Paris and a 500 m.p.h. flight to Algiers and return sounded almost like fairy book stuff. World War II boys were out in force. Looks like the World's Greatest Rainbow Chapter will have a lot of fun and pep this year.

Arrangements are now in progress for a mixed meeting about February 22. Visiting firemen are always welcome at Rainbow luncheons, held every Tuesday at the Shamrock Restaurant, 28 North LaSalle Street.

To put on the National Reunion last summer required much work; however it was a real pleasure to be hosts to a gang of great fellows. If everyone enjoyed his visit and left the Reunion with a feeling of satisfaction, then the Illinois Chapter is well repaid.

--George W. Wegner

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INDIANA Well, old Simon Legree caught up with me in Tucson, Arizona, on November 12th. I answered a knock on the door that afternoon and heard someone say, "You are under arrest, my good man; anything you say will be used against you." Yep, it was Sherlock Holmes Rodier, himself - the Roamin' Reporter and Editor of Reveille. I thought, well say, this guy is all right, going to all this trouble to hunt me up - but after bending an elbow with him and a nice visit in their trailer with him and Elsie I finally got the real reason for this "friendly" call.



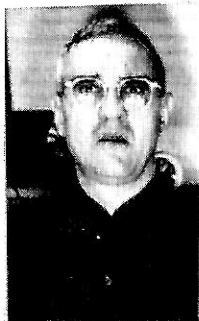
Just as they were leaving he reminds me that offhand way of his, "Oh say, by the way, Hook, you better get some copy in for Reveille by the 20th!" and he heads out toward El Paso. How he expects me to write about Indiana doings when I have not been there since September 1st is beyond me, but I'll do what I can! I do know that the entire Indianapolis Chapter was saddened by the death of William C. Jackson on October 28th. It was a terrible blow to me personally when I received a wire from Kenny Hughes telling me that Bill was gone. If there ever was a loyal Rainbower, Bill was that one. Always ready to do more than his share and always the happiest when he had a bunch of Rainbowers around him. To know him was to love him, and we will miss him a long time. He was one of the best.

A letter from Rog Barbour (F) in Chicago tells me he attended the Bat. F Reunion in Bloomington on October 31st along with four other of the fellows from Chicago. Total of 37 present, with one man, Henry Carr, attending his first Reunion. Paul Summers of Indianapolis was elected President --- but a letter from Paul later didn't call it "elected". Didn't even give him a chance to say yes, no, tuh hell with you guys; just, "you're it, brother," and the meeting was adjourned. Nice fast, clean job, wouldn't you say? Had a nice visit with the Phoenix gang at their picnic on October 25th. Met them all but can't remember their names now. Of course I recall the artillerymen, Don Trent, Johnny Bosson, Rus Lamkins, and their wives, and I do remember one by the name of Dave Smith, 168th. Guess Dave is just so darned big I couldn't forget his name. And of course "Goldie", the President. A swell bunch, all of them, and we enjoyed being with them a lot. Met Marv Wickim out of the 151st in Tucson. Another swell guy. Visited with Robbie Robinette (A) and Lucille, also Sam and Maude Seaney (F) a number of times while we were in Tucson. (This is being written in Fullerton, California.) Passed thru (notice I said "passed thru" and not "Passed") Las Vegas last Sunday and Monday. It is my opinion that I have

never learned to count beyond three --- from that number I jumped to twelve. Crossed Death Valley yesterday; thought we were lost at one point, damn near froze and had to drive 'til 9:00 o'clock to find a place to stay. Oh yes, got stuck in loose gravel but a state highway bulldozer pulled us out of that in a hurry. Going to meet Fred Conkle (F) tomorrow night for dinner and bring him up to date on the news of all the boys back home. On to San Diego Saturday and then back thru Tucson next week, get another gold shot at the clinic and then head east across Texas for the banks of the Wabash. Good health, good luck, a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all of you. --Hook

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LOUISIANA Because of the expression "Better late than never", combined with the admonition of the members of the Chapter and at the insistence of "Ye Editor", Louisiana Chapter submits a resume of its activities. At the commencement of the year a brewery party, which induced many who had been conspicuous by their absence to attend, and a cutting of the melon during the past watermelon season, and a barbecue, courtesy of Past President Allen C. Edmondson, and a fourth annual event, namely the Christmas function, will have been relegated to the limbo of things forgotten by the time this REVEILLE reaches the membership.



The Chapter was honored to have as its guest the prepossessing Editor and his charming spouse at a reception November 21st, leaving in its wake the reasons for the existence of Rainbow.

As has been done in the past when new members join, we list here the following additions to the membership: Cleve A. Lafargue, Co. A, 167th Infantry, 4671 Lafaye Street, New Orleans; Edward H. Butler, Co. M, 167th Infantry; 1032 City Park Avenue, New Orleans; Edgar McManus, 151st Field Artillery, 729 Flood Street, New Orleans, and Carl G. Landwehr, A/T Co., 232nd Infantry, 5704 Wildair Drive, New Orleans.



MASSACHUSETTS Your Massachusetts Chapter feels truly honored in having been chosen as your host for the 1954 Reunion on July 12th, 13th and 14th, 1954, in Boston. We are happy at this opportunity to show you our part of the country, so rich in history and a paradise for vacationers, especially in July. The area is dotted with beaches, and the mountain resorts are but a couple of hours distant. The Reunion will be one you will never forget, I'm sure, because Boston and the immediate area has so much to offer. We are fortunate in having a man such as Harry Marshard, who is nationally famous in the entertainment field, as our National Reunion Chairman. Every member of this Chapter extends an invitation to you to be with us next July. We will do our utmost to make this the greatest Reunion ever.

ON TO BOSTON! Make your plans now.

--Ed Laats, President,
Massachusetts Chapter

OKLAHOMA The new Rainbow year began well with the election of Bill Waller, WW II, as President of the Oklahoma City Chapter. Although our membership quota is coming along well it would be gratifying indeed to have you Rainbowners in the Western half of the State send in your dues and thus help achieve a good record for the year. Each paid-up membership helps the Chapter and Rainbow as a whole. Our meetings are well attended and all look forward to interesting and different programs planned by our faithful Auxiliary members. In August we were entertained by Jane and Earl Glass, with the Jack Mundays assisting. Our September meeting was a successful picnic at Spring Lake Park. In October the Chapter met at our home for a sandwich and pie supper followed by bingo. On November 14th we are to have a turkey dinner with all the trimmings in the home of Betty and Bill Waller, with the Jack Mundays again assisting, as well as the William Betramas.

The Chapter is saddened by the loss of Mrs. Grace Pappan Broadland, who died on November 12th after a protracted illness. Rebecca Capps is still on the sick list, but Larry Kelsey is back at work again and looking very fit indeed. Rainbow had a signal honor conferred when our Rainbow Lieutenant Governor, James E. Berry, was elected to Oklahoma's Hall of Fame. I would like very much to hear from Rainbowners in and around Denver, as I am engaged in a project which keeps me in that vicinity at the present time. I can be reached at National Supply Co., 1640 Walton Street, Denver.

--Lawrence G. Wood

TEXAS Your Associate Editor and his wife Marian were most happy to see the "Boss" and Elsie in El Paso last week (in spite of the fact that his camera equipment swept half of our brick to the floor!) but we were slightly nonplussed when he ordered us to prepare a Texas Chatter contrib for this issue.

El Paso isn't exactly located on Rainbow's Crossroads; and all we know is what we read in the REVEILLE, and in the newspapers. But we DID read in the June 13th issue of the El Paso Herald-Post, a book review of a book about the Rainbow Division written by a good Texas Rainbowner, one Herbert C. George.



Herbert George

Herbert, who served for a couple of hundred years in the D. C. Field Hospital and in the regular army, was recently retired as a Master Sergeant. The book review, for what it is worth, says, and I quote: "A FARRIER IN ARMS, by Herbert George. A hasty reader might glance at El Pasoan Herbert George's 'A Farrier in Arms' and see little of interest. A careful

reader, however, soon realizes that he is seeing the first World War through the eyes of a common soldier, Farrier Clayborn Baxter, who is Mr. George himself. Mr. George was a Medic in the famed 42nd (Rainbow) Division and was in a position to see and feel the war as it roared to its turn... Clayborn Baxter is not heroic. Frequently he is in a jam, doing his bit and shifting from one dirty job to another as the occasion demands, he shows the average soldier's war much more realistically than history shows it. "A Farrier in Arms" is not a perfect book. There are too many names, ranks, addresses, quotations, foreign words and initials of bygone alphabetical agencies. But these add reality, for we are looking at the war through the eyes of a little fellow who sees only what he sees... We recommend "A Farrier in Arms" to readers who enjoy real people in books and who want a little more "first" in the firsthand information that entertains them. But we would leave out 60% of the prose quotations and put in more Clayton Baxter. (Signed) DENNY MOSES"

Your Associate Editor thought this was a most generous review.

--Fred Cornelius



retary T. E. Sullivan at a meeting of the Fond du Lac Chapter celebrating the arrival of the machine gun troops in St. Nazaire on October 31, 1917. The meeting was held in the home of Ted Vogt, and featured a turkey dinner according to their annual custom. Henry Vogt, who was a second lieutenant in Co. B, 150th M.G.Bn., was general chairman of the affair. Among those present were Captain Fred Finn and Lieutenant John E. Smith. The gavel, (of cherry wood, in honor of the Division's entry into the lines on the birthday of George Washington!) was donated by John Symes, of Milwaukee.

Van Pelt presented Finn with a Rainbow lapel pin. Among greetings received was one from J. Emmet Sullivan, brother of the Chapter Secretary, from Tucson, Arizona. Frank Wickert, Past President of the Douglas MacArthur Chapter, Milwaukee, telephoned greetings. National Committeeman Fred Rosenthal, of Appleton, pointed out that Wisconsin's activities in the Association were recognized when he was elected to the national post and Frank Bellew of Wisconsin Rapids was named National Vice President. Ted Vogt and S. D. Boreham are compiling a directory of Co. B men who left Camp Mills with the outfit.

--Thomas E. Sullivan

THE BIG SEARCH CONTINUES

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Seaman, as well as Mary and National Secretary Allen Gibbons, and other good Virginia Rainbowners in Roanoke, Va., on November 7th and 8th. Rainbow affairs were, naturally, much discussed at this get-together.

Christmas will soon be here so "Miss Clara" and I wish our many Rainbow friends a very happy Christmas and a great BIG New Year! --"Mel"

Chatter Correspondents

IMPORTANT NOTICE

All contributions to the REVEILLE must be addressed to the Editor
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News and Views Of WW IIs

As the REVEILLE goes to press no copy has been received from the WW II contingent; but there is presented a most interesting breakdown of the WW II membership to date, by organizations. It will be noted that Co. G, 222nd, leads with 35 members, closely pressed by the 132nd Signal Co. with 31 members. Division Headquarters is represented by 12 members, and no one else is even close, A of the 232nd with members being next on the list. Some companies fail to show even a single representative.

Current WW II Membership by Units

Division Headquarters - 12
Division Hq. Co. 4
C. I. C. Det. 1

222ND INFANTRY

Reg. Hq. 5	A/T Co. 5	Sv. Co. 5
Can. Co. 2	Med. Det. 2	
H1B 1	A 7 B 6 C 4 D 4	
H2B 2	E 3 F 2 G 1 H 5	
H3B 3	I 3 K 2 L 0 M 3	

232ND INFANTRY

Reg. Hq. 8	A/T 7	Sv. Co. 7
Can. Co. 0	Med. Det. 3	
H1B 4	A 11 B 9 C 5 D 8	
H2B 2	E 3 F 2 G 1 H 5	
H3B 3	I 3 K 2 L 0 M 3	

242ND INFANTRY

Reg. Hq. 4	A/T Co. 4	Sv. Co. 4
Can. Co. 0	Med. Det. 5	
H1B 8	A 3 B 6 C 7 D 4	
H2B 4	E 3 F 4 G 3 H 2	
H3B 1	I 4 K 6 L 2 M 4	

42ND DIVISION ARTILLERY

Hq. & Hq. Bat. 3

232ND F. A. BN.

Hq. Bat. 4	Sv. Bat. 1	Med. Det. 0
A 4 B 2 C 1		

392ND F. A. BN.

Hq. Bat. 4	Sv. Bat. 0	Med. Det. 0
A 0 B 2 C 0		

402ND F. A. BN.

Hq. Bat. 7	Sv. Bat. 2	Med. Det. 0
A 7 B 2 C 3		

542ND F. A. BN.

Hq. Bat. 8	Sv. Bat. 2	Med. Det. 0
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122ND MEDICAL BN.

Hq. & Hq. Co. 3	A 2 B 0 C 2 D 4
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142ND ENGINEER C BN.

H & S Co. 7	A 1 B 3 C 3
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742nd Ord. LM Co. 5	42nd CM Co. 9
42nd Cav. Recon. 6	42nd MP 5
132nd Sig. Co. 31	

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CHAPTER STANDINGS

As of November 15, 1953

CHAPTER STANDINGS					Mo/Kan Chapter (Kansas City)					100	9	31	3
As of November 15, 1953					St. Louis					3	2	2	2
					MISSOURI TOTAL					103	11	33	3
					Nebraska Chapter (Lincoln)					21	4	22	6
					Omaha					17	11	20	16
					NEBRASKA TOTAL					38	15	42	22
					New Jersey (Red Bank)					125	26	125	15
					Gen. Chas. T. Menoher (Jersey City)					14	2	0	0
					NEW JERSEY TOTAL					139	28	125	15
					Father Duffy Chapter (N. Y. City)					528	21	400	0
					Long Island					24	2	25	0
					Westchester					16	0	17	0
					NEW YORK TOTAL					568	23	442	0
					Ohio State Association					10	2	8	2
					Ralph Berger (Marysville)					32	0	21	0
					Cincinnati					39	7	31	5
					Columbus					146	3	71	1
					Newark					32	2	18	2
					Luther Swigart (Mansfield)					23	1	20	1
					Akron					3	0	0	0
					Dyer J. Bird (Marion)					19	0	7	0
					Toledo					16	5	12	2
					Edison H. Miller (Delaware)					24	0	20	0
					Lancaster					46	2	34	2
					Cleveland					46	15	18	4
					Springfield					16	1	15	0
					Vets Co. G 166th Inf (Greenfield)					164	28	179	40
					Pickaway (Circleville)					10	1	0	0
					Orvil G. Fuller (Chillicothe)					11	0	6	0
					132d Signal Co. Chapter (Youngstown)					70	67	28	27
					OHIO TOTAL					710	134	488	86
					Oklahoma City					47	14	38	11
					Tulsa					127	54	128	52
					OKLAHOMA TOTAL					174	68	166	63
					OREGON (Portland)					11	1	3	1
					Easton					51	6	30	6
					Pittsburgh					85	24	85	24
					Bethlehem					23	1	28	1
					John D. Brenner (Lancaster)					105	12	95	10
					Reading					28	0	26	1
					Philadelphia					34	11	26	8
					PENNSYLVANIA TOTAL					326	54	290	50
					SOUTH CAROLINA (Columbia)					16	2	8	1
					TENNESSEE (Chattanooga)					3	2	1	1
					TEXAS (Dallas)					166	30	130	23
					Virginia State (Roanoke)					92	9	75	3
					Homer A. Hughes (Lynchburg)					30	3	25	1
					Maurice Tyler Jr. (Richmond)					15	5	1	0
					VIRGINIA TOTAL					137	17	101	4
					WASHINGTON STATE (Seattle)					1	0	1	0
					Wisconsin State Association					3	0	0	0
					Appleton					58	4	45	2
					Gen. Douglas MacArthur (Milwaukee)					28	9	15	4
					Fond du Lac					40	1	23	1
					Oshkosh					41	0	35	0
					WISCONSIN TOTAL					170	14	118	7
					WYOMING (Cheyenne)					3	1	3	1
					NATIONAL CHAPTER - War I					1	-	1	0
					NATIONAL CHAPTER - War II					16	16	4	4
					GRAND TOTALS					5,620	763	4,263	450

As of Nov. 15th, memberships stands 256 ahead of same date last year.
WW I membership is head by 232; WW II membership ahead by 24.

--R. Allen Gibbons, Secretary.

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Dear Allen: I am proud of being a Veteran of the Rainbow Division.



I served with the ... (Name of Unit in 42nd Division)
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