

Lt. Col. Mozley Named New GRC Aide

GMP Plans Two Giant Dimes Parties

Fetes Scheduled For Retreat, Casa Carioca

The March of Dimes drive is getting into full swing in the Garmisch Military Post with two giant balls and numerous other events planned to aid this worthy cause.

At the second meeting of the March of Dimes committee, headed by Lt. Col. Gerald E. Brown, post executive officer, it was decided to hold a candlelight ball on January 31st at the Bavarian Retreat for enlisted men and their guests and a ball at the Casa Carioca for officers, civilians and their guests.

Miss Reba Taylor, chief hostess at the Retreat, is rapidly completing plans for the EM affair while the manager of the Casa Carioca, Jimmy Lynch, is in charge of the party at his club. At the present it is contemplated that both parties will be of a semi-formal nature, with formal attire being optional.

FDR To Be Honored

The parties were set specially on Jan. 31st, to honor the birthday of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, who was the founder of the drive to aid the sufferers of the dread disease, polio.

Capt. Fred C. Taylor, troop commander of the 7808 SCU, has been appointed to co-ordinate the drive for all the troop units in the GMP. In addition, Capt. Taylor plans to hold a benefit raffle, with all proceeds to go to the drive. He reportedly intends to raffie off a few bottles of his own precious liquor supply. Several other raffles and auctions will also be held throughout the post.

The two sub-posts, Nurnau and Obermannsburg, are also rapidly completing plans to enter in the drive. However, nothing definite has yet been set.

Movie Collection Set

Also, the customary stateside appeal for aid in the theaters will also be held in Garmisch, with girls from the local GYA passing through the audience at the local Alpine Theater at every performance during the drive.

The first contribution to the local drive was made by the EU-COM Director of Intelligence, Maj. Gen. R. L. Walsh, who reportedly was so pleased with a recent weekend visit to Garmisch that he donated \$25 to the local March of Dimes fund.

With its two President's Birthday Balls, numerous raffles and auctions, and through private contributions, the GMP intends to go all out to help those that are less fortunate than ourselves, those stricken with infantile paralysis.

Forman, Shangri-La Writer, To Leave GMP, Head for U.S.

One of our most stellar reporters leaves the Garmisch Shangri-La to return to his berth with the Stars and Stripes this Friday. This reporter writes under the name of "Bob" Forman.

Bob, together with T/Sgt. Victor Sanford arrived in Garmisch the eleventh day of December 1947, and after showing the proper awe required from all visitors when confronted by the beauty of this haven, he got busy on the job of constructing a unit newspaper for Garmisch.

Well, we don't like to brag, but

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The Garmisch SHANGRI-LA

Frau Goering, Ailing, Interned Here

By BOB FORMAN, Staff Writer

Frau Emmy Goering, wife of the former top Nazi official, Herman Goering, is interned today in the Bavarian Internment Hospital here.

Still quite attractive looking, despite her 55 years of age, this red-headed woman is bedridden by what hospital physicians claim to be "arthritis in its most severe form and also sciatica."

The wife of the former German Reichsmarschall, who committed suicide in his Nurnberg cell a few hours before he was to be executed by Allied authorities, is hospitalized in a room with five other women.

Of the 954 internees which comprise the camp's population, Frau Goering is by far the most famous inhabitant. Of the two hospital rooms for women inhabitants that this correspondent visited in the camp, Emmy's room was by far the best lighted and most cheerful looking. In comparison, the other rooms were drab and colorless.

Born in Hamburg in 1893, Frau Goering was a well-known actress when she met her future husband in 1933. A two year romance culminated in marriage in 1935. The couple had a daughter, Edda, in 1938. The girl, who is now nine years old, is living with a sister of Frau Goering's.

Picture on Table

Frau Goering was previously interned in Straubing and Gogginheim and was brought to the internment hospital here in this resort city because the local internment hospital specializes in arthritis and nervous condition cases, such as Emmy reportedly now suffers from.

She is expected to be tried by the local spruchkammer shortly as a major offender. Her record indicates she joined the Nazi party in 1938, allied herself with the Nazi party's womens auxiliary in 1939 and as far back as 1933, when she met her future husband, was a member of the Nazi party's professional group of actresses.

Seemingly the first thing that catches one's eye when he is introduced to Frau Goering is the picture on her bedside table. It is a picture of the ex-reichsmarschall himself, Herman Goering, who heaped upon his wife uncounted valuable gems and a huge number of fur coats, which he had looted from the conquered countries. However, even now in the hospital

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we offer this little sheet as proof of the ability and energy of Bob and Vic.

Bob, known by the Army as T/4 Robert P. Forman entered the Army at Pittsburgh, Pa., 17 September, 1946, received his basic training at Camp Lee, Virginia and after a brief pause of two months at Camp Kilmer, departed from the U.S. for the European Theater. Bob is due for release from the Army in March of this year when he plans to enter the University of Pittsburgh to study the art of repairing molars. H.T.L.

EC Combat Vet Comes to GMP From EU-COM

Lt. Col. Joseph T. Mozley has been named the new deputy director of the Garmisch Recreational Center, replacing Lt. Col. Theo C. Matzke who is being reassigned to the 21st Col. Basil G. Thayer, post commander, has announced.

The new GRC aide comes to Garmisch from Frankfurt where he worked with OPOT, formerly known as G-3 division, in HQs EU-COM.

Col. Mozley first entered the Army in February of 1941 as a captain, after first seeing duty with the National Guard through-out the U.S. He was assigned to the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Benning, Ga., and later moved on to the 3rd and the 6th Armored Divisions.

Reassigned to EU-COM

He came overseas in July of 1944 with the 18th Airborne Corps where he held down the job of assistant G-3. When his outfit was returned to the 21st in July of 1945, Col. Mozley returned with it. However the unit broke up shortly thereafter and Col. Mozley was assigned to the Mississippi Military District where he was executive officer.

From Mississippi, Col. Mozley was then assigned to the Replacement School Command at Ft. Bragg, N.C., where he was again assistant G-3. He came back overseas in July of 1946 from his post at Ft. Bragg.

Upon his second arrival in the EC, the new deputy commander of the GRC was assigned to the 14th Constabulary Regt., then stationed in Kitzingen. After two months, he was reassigned to EU-COM HQs, and from there his trail led to Garmisch.

Family Here

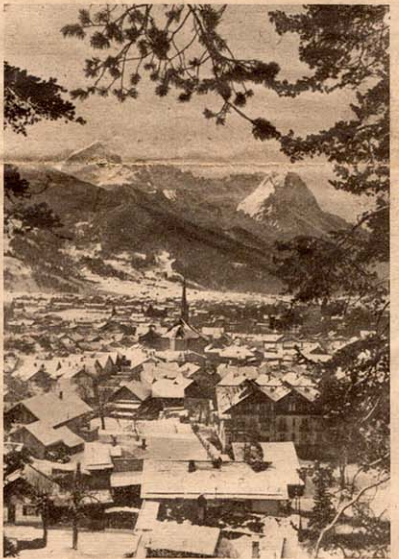
The 37-year old officer, who claims Manchester, Conn., as his home, is married and the father of two children. His wife, Esther Westcott, and his two children, Nancy, age 12, and Patty Jo, four, are residing in Garmisch with the colonel.

A graduate of the University of New Mexico in 1932, Col. Mozley worked in the engineering department of the Chance-Vought Division of the United Aircraft Corporation for five and a half years before entering the Army.

When asked the proverbial question, "How do you like Garmisch?" Col. Mozley replied, "Being an old mountain boy at heart, I like it fine."

The Garmisch Military Post and Recreation Center wish you all the luck in the world in your new job, Col. Mozley, as deputy director of the Garmisch Recreation Center.

A Mantel of Snow for Shangri-La



Pictured at the left (left to right) are T/3 Blair Hattersley, AFN Frankfurt's ace sports-caster, Lt. Col. Gerald Brown, Executive Officer of the GMP and Ed Link, Recreational Center Sports Supervisor. The occasion was a "Spotlight on Sports" broadcast from Garmisch with Hattersley interviewing Col. Brown and Link.

—Signal Corps Photo by Houde.

Lt. Col. Joseph T. Mozley . . . News Shots In And Around Garmisch



Lt. Col. Joseph T. Mozley, new Deputy Commander of the Garmisch Recreational Center is pictured above in a recent interview with the members of the various Recreational Center installations. —Sgt. Corps Photo by Honde.



The above picture, taken from the doorway of a hut near the Kreuz-heck Hotel indicates the splendor of the Bavarian Alps.



A 400-meter long chair ski-lift on the Kreuzeck Mountain carries the novice and intermediate skier from the practice slopes to the Kreuz-heck Hotel itself in a matter of a few minutes. —Photo by Clausung.



Even the mere beginner can learn to skate in Garmisch's Winterland Ice Stadium, as evidenced by "Icicle", baby fox-terrier.

20 Crack Skiers Trained to Serve As 1st Aid Men

The training of personnel in the European Command to act as competent first aid ski men during this winter's sports program is as all-important to the promoters of ski programs as is the actual thrill of learning the sport is to the novice.

And in Garmisch, (the hub of activity for winter sports in the European Command) an essential course of first aid in mountaineering has just been completed.

High above the snowy valley of Garmisch the Zugspitze Mountain, mightiest of Germany's Alpine peaks, serves as training grounds for the 20 students, hand-picked from ski areas throughout Europe, who braved typical mountain blizzards to get in the required 45 hours of training necessary to qualify them as First Aid instructors. The Schnefernerhaus Hotel, first installation in the Garmisch Recreational Center to open a skiing program in the early days of the occupation in 1945, housed the class during the 12-day period of training.

Gus Valdemer, of Denver, Colorado, chairman of the Southern Rocky Mountain Division for the National Ski Patrol Association headed the class. For the purpose of instruction, members of the class acted as "victims" during the course of evacuation of injured men. May we point out, however, that the Zugspitze has been an outstanding skiing ground in Garmisch for over a month already; hence an actual case of a broken leg was treated by the 20-man class, probably the largest rescue party in the history of the Zugspitze to evacuate one casualty.

Volley Ball League May Be Organized

The Garmisch Sports Office, in feeling out talent for local sporting people, is endeavoring to inaugurate a Volley-Ball League on the Post, with games to be played at the Sports Arena in the Jaeger Kaserne. The basketball court, now under construction, will be completed January 23rd, with the volleyball court to be erected in the same building.

For complete information, telephone Garmisch 3942, Ex. 28 and ask for Mr. Hulise or M/Sgt. Birkin.

Porcupine Assists

Salmon, Ida. (AFPS) —George Howell recently received an assist from a porcupine in bagging a black bear. He spotted the bear perched in a cottonwood tree, hurried home for his rifle, and returned to the scene to find the bear still there. Apparently the bear realized that all wasn't well as it was trying to get down and away, but a porcupine was standing guard at the base of the tree, discouraging his descent.

ECES News Briefs: S/Sgt. Woods, Family Arrive

S/Sgt Woods and family direct from the States reported to the Engineer School on Dec 20. Sgt. Woods has been assigned to the Training Section as Packing and Training Instructor.

M/Sgt Smith-Peterson arrived on 5th of January 1948 and was assigned to Training Requirements Section. In addition to his primary assignment, Sgt. Smith-Peterson, who has had 20 years experience as a basket ball coach will take over the basket ball team.

T/Sgt. Helmley from AGRC near Kassel, Germany, effected a transfer to the school. Sgt. Helmley has been assigned to the Training Section as a Supply Course Instructor. He was formerly assigned in Murnau with the AGRC Detachment and will no doubt be

busy renewing old acquaintances in the vicinity.

S/Sgt. Shannon and wife have just returned from a holiday furlough spent in Paris with Mrs. Shannon's family and reports high prices, no heat and cold water. M/Sgt. Armhister also reports the same conditions upon returning from a holiday furlough in Paris.

There has been a lot of activity in and around the school during the holiday season, what with preparing new courses, consolidating and reassigning classrooms, redecorating the billets and mess hall, repairing and rebuilding the gymnasium, kept the permanent personnel on the go all through the holiday season.

We regret the loss, temporary we hope, of one of our more able instructors, T/A, Jurells of the Refrigeration Course. He is now detained at the 120th Station Hosp. in Bayreuth with an attack of yellow jaundice.

Classes were under way by Jan 7th. Enrollment for the present term amounted to approximately 200 students who are engaged in Supply, Machinist, Electrician, Refrigeration, Drafting, Fire-Fighting, Bull-Dozers, Road-Grading, and Crane and Shovel operating courses. A beer-cellar and Day-Room were opened on the Post for the use by all students in their off-time.

It seems that the wild boar hunt last Friday turned into quite a bore for the dozen or more officers

who had the honor of viewing several out of season Rehe (deer). Well, at least there weren't any casualties as nary a shot was fired.

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Star Norwegian Ski Team Stages Exhibition Here

Army Sportsmen Win Acclaim of Vacationing Yanks

The results of Lt. Gen. Heist's visit to Garmisch early in December proved very profitable for the Garmisch Recreational Center's Sports Section, as the Commanding General of the Norwegian Army, impressed by the facilities offered troops in Garmisch, and in view of the excellent winter sports set-up, dispatched to members of the 472nd Norwegian Brig to Garmisch for an eight-day period to compete in ski jumping exhibitions.

Long known as a country to produce some of the world's best skiers, particularly jumpers, it was the aim of Ed Link, Post and Recreational Center Sports Supervisor, to bring the Norwegian men to Garmisch, upon invitation, to participate in ski jumping programs with the natives of Bavaria.

Stationed at Nordheim

The lack of Army skiers, so prominent here for the past two years, had cooled the American interest somewhat, so the appearance of the Norwegians caused great comment around the area during the holiday season.

The men, headed by Captain Erling Roselund, are stationed at Nordheim with the 472nd Norwegian Brig. as a part of the British Army on the Rhine.

Jumping only one morning prior to their first exhibition on the Olympic Ski Stadium's 60-meter hill, the skiers, led by Sgt. Aage Tansem, put on an exhibition worthy of themselves in view of the limited practice they had had, and it being a new hill as far as any of them were concerned. Tansem leaped 54 and 55 meters in his exhibitions, although he had registered an unofficial jump of 58 meters in practice sessions.

Garmisch Lauded

On the large 90-meter hill on New Year's Day part of the glory of the Norwegian exhibition was annexed in lieu of the record-breaking leap of 86 meters registered by Obersdorf's Sepp Welser, but with only one morning of practice, Tansem again proved his ability by recording an 82 meter jump. Three other members of the team registered jumps of 60 meters.

Capt. Roselund voted the opinion of all his men when he stated, "I have spoken to my men and they all say they have never had such a wonderful time in their lives. We will never forget these wonderful days in Garmisch, nor the kindness with which you have all treated us."



Pictured above is the Norwegian Ski Team as they arrived at the Garmisch Billeting Office during the Christmas Holidays to put on exhibition ski jumping programs at the Olympic Ski Stadium. (L. to R.) Lt. Oystein Inneseth, Capt. Erling Roselund, Bjorn Pandum, Asbjorn Lien, Odvar Haavardsrud, Hans Gulbrandsen and Per Lofsgaard.

The team spent 10 days in Garmisch, during which time they put on three exhibitions at the Ski Stadium.

Stateside Sports by Bill Zalenski

The last whistle has tooted on the last football game of the season back in Uncle Sugar Able and the sports fan has now turned his thoughts to other fields of athletic endeavor, with basketball topping the list.

The hoop season is by no means in its infancy. Already some of the major cage gooliaths have taken the floor as much as 15 times. Some of them, and other quintets that have played in only a few games, have indicated that they will be near the top of the list when tournament time rolls around in March.

This year there is an added incentive. Besides the glory that goes with winning one of the two major tournaments (the Madison Square Garden invitational and the NCAA) the top team in the Nation will also, in all probability, be selected to represent the U.S. in the Olympic Games in London next fall.

Kentucky Favorites

As of the moment all signs point to Adolph Rupp's Kentucky Wildcats as the team to beat. A perennial tournament nominee, the Wildcats have shown that they are just as good as ever — and possibly even a little better.

At this writing they have a record of 10 victories in 11 outings, the sole setback coming in a couple weeks back when the No. 1 jinx, Temple, upset them at Philadelphia's Convention Hall in a hectic battle, 40-39.

That conceivably could be the only game the boys from the Blue Grass state will lose all year.

There was more than one hoop expert who, in pre-season prognostications, openly stated that they wouldn't lose that many.

Who could blame them? Back from the 1946-47 team, which won 34 out of 37 games, were eight men. Included in the list were Ralph Beard, who was voted the No. 1 player in the Nation last season; William (Wah Wah) Jones, who as a schoolboy set just about every record in the state of Kentucky; Alex Groza, six-foot seven-inch center who was named to several All American teams; also such established play-makers as Jim Jordan, Ken Rollins and Jack Line.

Parkinson Outstanding

Then too, Jack Parkinson was back. Parkinson, who had served a stretch with the Army, is, in our humble opinion, the greatest set shot artist we have ever laid our eyes on. Some of you may remember back in 1944 when Utah's Blitz Kids went on to win the national title after having been beaten in the first round of the Garden invitational. Kentucky was the team that beat them, 46-38, and Parkinson was the main reason. Stocky Jack flipped in 20 points, principally on set shots that were out of this world. If Parkinson had been around last year it's quite possible that the Utes wouldn't have gained their revenge by beating the Wildcats in the finals at the Garden, 48-45.

However, with basketball being the game it is — where, even a champ is apt to lose a couple games during the season — one of several teams could come through for the hop on the gravel train.

Utah Shines

Utah is one. Last year the Utes didn't burn up the court during the regular season. They were even beaten out of their conference title by Wyoming. Entering the Garden tourney, they had a record of 16 victories and five defeats and were seeded in the lower bracket.

And what happened? Duquesne, which won every game but the last on its regular season schedule, couldn't quite keep up with the Utes and lost, 44-42. Second-seeded West Virginia was next and although heavy favorites, it only had 62 points at the game's end while the Utes had 64. Kentucky was favored. Kentucky was beaten.

So far this year Utah has lost three out of its first eight games. However, all the losses have been by close margins and, with a pair of aces like Vern Gardner and Arnie Ferrin around, the Utes should be hitting the victory trail with a vengeance soon.

Holy Cross is another possibility. Hardly given a tumble last year in the early stages of the season, the Crusaders closed with a rush that netted 23 straight victories. The streak carried on into the NCAA tournament and, when the smoke had cleared, Holy Cross was the winner.

Four of last year's starters are back with the Crusaders this season and the replacement for the fifth man, Bob Cousy, has teamed with George Kaftan, brilliant center, to spark the Crusaders to eight victories in their first 10 starts.

Many Good Squads

Other teams in the East capable of moving into the championship bracket are the Violets of NYU, who have yet to taste defeat after seven games; Columbia, with Walt Ludko in the leading role; LaSalle, the real surprise of the season and owner of one of the victories over Utah; CCNY; Seton Hall; Duquesne; and Rhode Island State.

In the Southland, and in addition to Kentucky, North Carolina State and Alabama are possibilities, while in the Southwest Texas state unbeaten this year, Kansas State, Oklahoma A&M and Oklahoma are title threats.

Midwest powerhouse are Bradley, which appeared in the Garden invitational last year and bids for Michigan State, DePaul, Illinois and Notre Dame.

Even the Far West has come up with an outstanding contender. The California Beavers have been impressive in rolling to nine victories as against a single loss, that to Minnesota by two points. The Bears gained revenge for that one by walloping the Gophers a few days later.

So that's the way the basketball picture shapes up right now. But with two months to go before tournament time, other crack quintets could come out of nowhere and go on to the title and the Olympics.

Schmeling Sees Louis Kayoing Walcott in June

Trying to shed a little more light on the now famous fight between heavyweight champion Joe Louis and Jersey Joe Walcott staged December 11 in Madison Square Garden, the *Wetslar Review* received an exclusive interview with Max Schmeling, former world's heavyweight champion and secured his views on the fight.

As you may recall, Louis took a highly disputed decision from the challenger, Walcott, in their recent title bout. A great majority of the sportswriters who saw the fight thought the decision should have been reversed, as did a great many of the fans. A tentative return bout between Louis and Walcott is scheduled for June, and the champ has declared that win, lose or draw this will be his last bout.

Champ Still Good

In the *Wetslar Review's* interview, Schmeling was asked why Louis made such a poor showing. He replied that he thought Louis did not take the fight seriously and did not train heavily enough. He also declared that Louis will win the return bout by a knockout.

Schmeling was then asked if the champ was still the boxer that he was 10 years ago. Der Maxie said Joe is just as good, if not better, and is still at the peak of his career.

When asked if German boxers are as good as those of other countries, he replied that basically they were, but they badly need experience, proper food and training.

Youth Not Important

Schmeling, who is now 42 years old, thinks that physical condition is much more important than youth. Now on a comeback attempt, the ex-champ pointed out that Fitzsimmons won the championship when he was in his forties and Corbett was 38 when he fought Jeffries. Schmeling continued that though he is past 40 he is in perfect physical shape and that boxing history is full of good fighters who are past 40.

When Schmeling was asked if Rocky Graziano should be barred from American rings, he dodged the question by stating that this was something up to athletic authorities in the U.S.



Miss Roberta Hollywood, "Miss Television Of 1947" is pictured above doing one of her vocals at the Casa Carioica Nite Club in Garmisch. The beautiful blonde singer appeared in Garmisch on Christmas evening for one performance only, singing her way into the hearts of the packed house with her renditions of popular favorites.

Inter-Allied Military Ski Meet Slated for Late February



The Kreuzeck-Kocheberg Trail, perhaps one of the best downhill trails for beginners and intermediate skiers is a nine-kilometer stretch beginning at the Kreuzeck Hotel and ending at the Hansberg Ski Area. Viewed from this thrilling ski run. Photo by Clausen. Excellent winter scenes such as the one above can be

All Twelve Occupation Forces Invited for Garmisch Competition

An Inter-Allied ski championship for all the armies of the occupation will be held here around the end of February. Ed Link, sports supervisor of the Garmisch Recreational Center, has announced. Twelve teams in all have been invited to participate in the meet. Norway, France, Great Britain, Czechoslovakia and the U.S. have been invited and are expected to participate.

ECIS News-Briefs:

Rowan Heads For ZI; Three Couples Marry

Lt. Col. E. M. Rowan, executive officer of ECIS, is returning to the ZI after three years of service in the EC.

His first assignment upon his arrival in Europe in November 1944 was with the G-2 division with the 66th Inf. Div. Prior to his shipment overseas he had been stationed at Camp Wolters, Texas.

After being assigned to the training section in USEFIT, Col. Rowan was instrumental in setting up ECIS which at that time, August of 1945, was only on paper.

In June 1945 he reported to ECIS for duty as executive officer and has remained in this capacity ever since. Returning with the officer will be Mrs. Rowan and their sons.

Greece, Holland, Luxembourg, Denmark, Belgium, Poland and Russia have also been invited to participate.

The Norwegian Brigade, stationed in Nordheim, are sponsoring the meet and the Garmisch Recreational Center will handle the administration end only.

At present the teams will compete in six events. They are downhill, slalom, jumping, cross country, military patrol, and the military patrol race.

The Olympic Ski Stadium's downhill and slalom courses, used for the 1936 winter olympics, will be used for these two events. All the jumping is expected to be done on the 60 meter hill. The military patrol race will be done over a 30 kilometer course and will include the carrying of a 15-pound rucksack and the firing of 12 rounds of ammunition at various targets on the course. The shooting scores will count one-third of the total points in this event.

Four men from each team are expected to be entered in each event.

ECIS Quintet Pacing Post League

Undefeated Owls Lead Murnau By 1/2 Game

By LOREN F. WOLFE
Staff Writer

The European Command Intelligence School took a half-game lead over the idle Bulldogs of ECES as the two sub-post schools continued to pace the Garmisch basketball loop at the conclusion of the second week of play.

The Owls of Oberammergau, who won the Roter Hahn Civilians, 23-27 for their third straight win, while the ECES-521st MP game was set for a later date.

In other games played, the 7808th Station Complement Unit was a 41-40 thriller from the 314th Army Band, the latter's third straight setback, two by narrow margins. The Garmisch Officers tripped the 596th General Dispensary, 26-22, for their initial win of the season.

The finale of the week found the 314th Army Band breaking into the win column with a 40-42 decision over the stumbling Roter Hahn Civilians, who have now dropped three straight games after two early season wins.

Individual scoring honors go to Jimmy Scheer of ECIS with 22 field goals and three free throws for a total of 47 points. Bob Morgan of the 214th Army Band took second place with 41 points on 13 field goals and 15 gift tosses. Jimmy Ault, 7808th SCU, trails Morgan by one point with 16 field goals and eight free throws for 40 points. The league standings:

Team	W	L	Pts	Opp	Pct
ECIS, Oberammergau	2	0	144	52	1.000
ECIS, Murnau	2	0	81	42	1.000
7808th SCU	2	0	79	101	.667
Roter Hahn Civilians	2	3	152	101	.666
Garmisch Officers	1	2	66	118	.333
314th Army Band	1	3	129	125	.276
356th General Disp.	0	2	44	73	.000
521st Military Police	0	0	0	0	.000

What is Your GI Stake Worth?

What is YOUR stake in the Army worth? One of the biggest benefits that a soldier gets is the retirement fund credit which piles up to his account ... every hour, every day, and every month that he is in the Army.

The retirement fund credit is an easy thing to overlook because it is not something that can be seen. The food, clothing, housing, and medical and dental care are not overlooked because they are accepted as a thing to be taken for granted, without a thought.

But the retirement fund credit is another matter. How fast does it grow? Well, as Master Sergeant retiring after 30 years of service gets \$185.63 a month, for the rest of HIS LIFE. That amounts to \$4,551.20 in 20 years ... or \$2,227.56 every year. It is more than enough to grow old on comfortably.

As a civilian it would cost this same man about \$100.00 a month for 30 years to assure himself of that retirement income. That would amount to an outlay of \$1,200.00 a year for 30 years to assure himself of an income of \$185.63 a month for the rest of his life.

Official Bulletin

Subject: Extension of Short Term Enlistments.

Information contained in teletype message SC 14196, 26 July 1947; SC 14171, 5 Aug. 1947; and SC 29279, 16 Dec. 1947, is furnished for the information of all concerned:

- Individuals currently serving short term enlistments (less than 3 years) in the Army or Air Force, who have not previously been discharged and have assumed educational entitlement under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 (GI Bill of Rights) are authorized to extend enlistments to 3, 4, 5 or 6 years with promise that they may be discharged at any time subsequent to completion of initial period of enlistment for the purpose of utilizing such educational entitlement. For example: An 18 month soldier who enlists 3 or more years is eligible for discharge after he has served 18 months. This charge will be accomplished only when application accompanied by letter from officer or other appropriate official of the accredited educational institution which individual seeks to attend indicating that the applicant has been accepted for enrollment during a specific school term. Discharge will be accomplished for convenience of the government in sufficient time to release individual one month prior to date upon which school term commences.

2. The enactment of Public Law 239 on 25 July 1947 stopped the accrual of veterans benefits under the "GI Bill of Rights" at 12 o'clock midnight, 24 July 1947. Men entitled to include education and training, guarantee of loans, unemployment compensation, and vocational rehabilitation.

3. Individuals who contracted a first enlistment prior to 6 Oct. 1946 continue to accrue veterans benefits for the duration of that first enlistment. Individuals who enlisted on or after 6 Oct. 1946, but prior to 12 o'clock midnight, 24 July 1947, are precluded from the accrual of further benefits for service on or after 23 July 1947. Men enlisting or reenlisting in the Regular Army after 12 o'clock midnight, 24 July 1947, will accrue veterans benefits under the "GI Bill of Rights." Men extending first enlistments contracted prior to 6 Oct. 1946 will continue to accrue veterans benefits for the duration of that first extended enlistment. Men extending enlistments contracted on or after 6 Oct. 1946 will continue to accrue no further veterans benefits under the "GI Bill of Rights" after 12 o'clock midnight, 24 July 1947.

FOR THE ADJUTANT GENERAL:
S. J. Collier
Lt. Col. AGD
Executive Officer.

Within a four week period, three couples of ECIS have taken that long, long step down the wedding aisle.

On Dec. 28 S/Sgt. Virginia Sletta and S/Sgt. Charles Meyers led the marital parade when they exchanged vows in the Post Chapel.

Lt. Lester C. Howart, instructor in the academic department, journeyed up to Giessen a single man and returned with a bride, Lt. Sarah Wentz, an Army nurse.

On Saturday, Jan. 17, T/4 Clarissa Harms and S/Sgt. James (Freddy) Stovall will be wed in the post chapel.

Goering . . .

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atmosphere, she still presents a striking appearance with her red hair, comparatively rosy cheeks and her bright searching blue eyes.

The seemingly arrogant way she answered the interpreter's queries leaves one to understand that she is still as she once was because Hitler had no wife at that time, the number one lady of the land. In fact, in answer to the last question, what did she think of the U.S. and her people, she replied, "Not very well. I am sure that if we had conquered America we would have never imprisoned Mrs. Roosevelt as they did me."

Yule Gift



Sgt. Robert E. Sebree, of the 7808 SCU, really received a gift on Christmas morning when his wife, Mrs. Betty Jean Sebree presented him with a bouncing baby girl. The momma and daughter, named Beverly Jane, are pictured above. Sebree and his wife are from Table Grove, Ill. —PIO Photo.

300 Students Report

Between three and four hundred students reported for classes starting January 6 at ECIS. All the major units in the EC are represented in this body of students. The duration of the classes vary from a four weeks course to those of six months.

CHURCH SERVICES

JEWISH SERVICES: Friday evening, at 1700 and Saturday morning at 0900. Both service at 18 Von-Steuben-Strasse.

PROTESTANT SERVICES: 536 Gen. Disp., Sunday, 1900. Garmisch Protestant Church, 1100. ECES, Murnau (Fridays) 1900.

CATHOLIC SERVICES: 536 Gen. Disp., Holy Mass 0900. Holy Mass 1130 New Catholic Church, Marienplatz, 1500. Eibsee Hotel. Daily Mass (except Monday and Friday) Chaplain's Office—Jaegerkasernen—1100.